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F. No.278A/07/2019-Legal (Pt.II)  
Government of India  
Ministry of Finance  
Department of Revenue  
(Central Board of Indirect Taxes & Customs)  
Legal Cell

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New Delhi-27.09.2021

**ORDER**

The President of India is please to appoint a fresh panel of Sr./Jr. Standing Counsels of CBIC to handle litigation of Indirect Taxes before Delhi High Court and other fora, in terms of Instruction F. No. 278A/43/2007-Legal dated 05.12.2007, as per following details. The engagement of these Sr./Jr. Standing Counsels is subject to the terms and conditions as laid down in the said Instruction dated 05.12.2007 and Instruction F. No. 278A/50/2011-Legal dated 14.09.2012.

| High Court/Benches | S. No. | Sr. Standing Counsels  | S. No. | Jr. Standing Counsels    |
|--------------------|--------|------------------------|--------|--------------------------|
| Delhi High Court   | 1      | Ajit Kumar Kalia       | 1      | Pratap Singh Ahluwalia   |
|                    | 2      | Ashok Arya             | 2      | Shailendra Kishore Singh |
|                    | 3      | Zoheb Hossian          | 3      | Arun Natarajan           |
|                    | 4      | R. Ramachandran        | 4      | Vipul Agarwal            |
|                    | 5      | Aditya Singla          | 5      | Anshul Rai               |
|                    | 6      | Rajesh Mishra          | 6      | Vaibhav Joshi            |
|                    | 7      | Abhishek               | 7      | Manish Gupta             |
|                    | 8      | Akshay Amritanshu      | 8      | Mananjay Kumar Mishra    |
|                    | 9      | Ravi Prakash           | 9      | Farman Ali               |
|                    | 10     | Rajesh Kumar Gogna     | 10     | Anushree Narain          |
|                    | 11     | Vijay Chandra Joshi    | 11     | Akash Vajpai             |
|                    | 12     | Dhruv Bhattacharya     | 12     | Sahaj Garg               |
|                    | 13     | Anurima Dwivedi        |        | -                        |
|                    | 14     | Anish Roy              |        | -                        |
|                    | 15     | Amrit Lal Pahwa        |        | -                        |
|                    | 16     | Bharat Bhushan Dewan   |        | -                        |
|                    | 17     | Sushila Narang Thakral |        | -                        |



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2. The panel is constituted initially for a period of six months and on satisfactory performance, the same shall be continued for the remaining period of two and a half years.
3. It is clarified that field formations (GST/Customs formations) may avail services of the Sr./Jr. Standing Counsels who have been appointed vide Board's order F. No. 278A/07/2019-Legal (Pt.III) dated 01.10.2020 (copy available on CBIC website) on need basis. Similarly, DRI/DGGI may also avail the services of fresh panel mentioned at Para-1.
4. This issues with concurrence of Ministry of Law & Justice vide their ID No. J-12013/33/2020-Judl. dated 08.06.2021 and the Integrated Finance Unit (IFU) Dy. No. 351/IFU-EC/2021.

  
(Anish Gupta)  
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2. All Principal Director Generals/ Director Generals of CGST & CE and Customs
3. All Joint Secretaries/ Commissioners under CBIC
4. Special Secretary, GST Council, Jeevan Bharti Building, Connaught Place, New Delhi
5. CEO, Goods and Services Tax Network, East Wing, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, World Mark-I, Tower 'B', Aerocity, New Delhi
6. Judicial Section, Department of Legal Affairs, M/o Law & Justice (Ref. their ID No. J-12013/55/2019-Judl. dated 25.06.2020)
7. [webmaster.cbic@icegate.gov.in](mailto:webmaster.cbic@icegate.gov.in) for uploading the same on CBIC website under Legal Affairs.