



'CORRUPTION, A CRIME AGAINST NATION'

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE DIRECTOR, VIGILANCE & ANTI-CORRUPTION BUREAU,
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM**

Present : Manoj Abraham IPS

Sub : VACB-Estt- Authorization to Report the ACRs in respect of Public Prosecutors and Legal Advisors- Orders issued-reg.

Read : 1. GO(Ms) No. 17/2019/VIG dated 06.09.2019.
2. GO(Rt) No. 90/2020/VIG dated 12.10.2020.
3. Letter No. A 601/2021/ L A dated 25/09/2021 & 29/09/2022.

Order No : A5-36439/2022/DVACB Dated. 26-12-2022

There was only one post of Leal Adviser in Vigilance and Anti-Corruption Bureau earlier, and the L.A was then the Reporting Officer of Annual Confidential Reports of Additional Legal Advisers of the Bureau. The ADGP/IGP was the Reviewing Officer and the Director, Vigilance and Anti-Corruption Bureau was the Accepting Authority.

As per the GO read 1st above, the Additional Legal Adviser posts of Vigilance and Anti-Corruption Bureau were re-designated as the posts of Public Prosecutors and four additional posts of Legal Advisors were created in the four Ranges of the Bureau, as the promoton post of Public Prosecutors. As per the GO read as 2nd, four senior most Public Prosecutors were provisionally promoted and appointed as the Range Legal Advisors. The duties and resposibilites of the posts of Public Prosecutors and Legal Advisers are different and are not interchangeable. After the issuance of the said Government orders, Sri C. C. Augustine, the Senior most Legal Adviser stopped forwarding of ACRs and sought clarifiation vide reference cited 3rd as to whether he is still the Reporting Officer of ACRs in respect of Public Prosecutors.

In the circumstance, until further orders are recieved from the Government, IGP Vigilance is hereby authorised to initiate the Annual Confidential Reports of Legal Advisers and Public Procecutors as Reporting Authority and to route the ACRs to the Director, Vigilance And Anti-Corruption Bureau for Approval.

26-12-2022

Manoj Abraham IPS,
Director

To : The Officers Concerned.

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2. CA to All Officers of Directorate.

3. Manager/ AA/ AO

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