# HIGH COURT OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR (Office of the Registrar General at Jammu) \*\*\*\*\*

# **CIRCULAR**

No: <u>1056</u> Dated: <u>15.01.2015</u>

Hon'ble Committee has recast the following norms for promotion of Sub Judges/Civil Judges (Senior Division) to District Judges in terms of provisions of Rule 6 of the Jammu and Kashmir Higher Judicial Service Rules, 2009:

# Vis-à-vis judgments the award of marks shall be as under:

	<u>For</u>	<u>Marks</u>
1.	Outstanding	5
2.	Very Good	4
3.	Good	3
4.	Average	2
5.	Below Average	0

#### Vis-à-vis APRs, the marks shall be awarded as under:

	<u>For</u>		<u>Marks</u>
1.	Outstanding	1	7
2.	Very Good		6
3.	Good		5
4.	Average		4
5.	Below Average		0

#### The revised norms as recast shall be as under:

## 1. Evaluation of 5 Civil & 5 Criminal judgments = 50 marks.

Each judgment will carry 5 marks to be awarded on the basis of its ratings.

The judgments, on the basis of its contents, appreciation of law & facts and its conclusion, shall be rated as, (i) outstanding, (2) very good, (3) good, (4) average and (5) below average. Out of 5 marks, each judgment will be awarded marks as follows:-

<u>For</u>	<u>Marks</u>
Outstanding	5
Very Good	4
Good	3
Average	2
Below Average	0
	Outstanding Very Good Good Average

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## 2. Evaluation of ACRs for last five year = 35 marks.

For each year's ACR, 7 marks will be awarded on the following ratings:

	<u>For</u>	<u>Marks</u>
1.	Outstanding	7
2.	Very Good	6
3.	Good	5
4.	Average	4
5.	Below Average	0

### 3. Performance in oral interview = 15 marks.

Marks for viva will be awarded on the basis of assessment as follows:

Knowledge of law = 5 marks

Knowledge of procedure = 5 marks

Aptitude = 5 marks

It is also resolved that the eligible Judicial Officer (Sub-Judge/Civil Judge Senior Division) who, overall, obtains minimum 70 marks shall make the grade for appointment as District Judge (Promotion quota).

By Order

(Suresh Kumar Sharma) Registrar General

Dated: <u>15.01.2015</u>

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