

## **GOA LOK ADALAT SCHEME**

In exercise of the powers conferred by Sec. 4 (b) of the Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987 (No. 39 of 1987), as amended, the Central Authority hereby makes this Scheme known as Lok Adalat Scheme.

**1. DEFINITIONS.** In these Rules unless the context otherwise requires,

- (a) "Act" means the Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987 (No.39 of 1987) as amended by Legal Services Authorities Act, 1994 (No. 59 of 1994);
- (b) "Chairman" means the Executive Chairman of the State Authority, or, as the case may be, the Chairman of the District Authority, or, as the case may be, the Chairman of the Taluk Legal Services Committee;
- (c) "District Authority" means the District Legal Services Authority constituted under Sec. 9 of the Act;
- (d) "High Court Legal Services Committee" means a High Court Legal Services Committee constituted under Sec. 8-A of the Act;
- (e) "State Authority" means the State Legal Services Authority constituted under Sec. 6 of the Act;
- (f) "Taluk Legal Services Committee" means a Taluk Legal Services Committee constituted under Sec. 11-A of the Act;
- (g) All other words and expressions used in these rules but not defined shall have the meaning respectively assigned to them in the Act,