

Registrar(J) (Budget)

May kindly see the online applications of Sushri Deepika Attri, Addl. Civil Judge (Jr. Div.), Hathras regarding grant of permission to do/pursue LL.M. Course through correspondence from Kurukshetra University.

In his applications, Sushri Attri has stated that before joining the services, she was pursuing the professional course of LL.M from Directorate of Distance Education, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra and had taken admission in the aforesaid University in July 2017. She has also stated that the LL.M. Course is of two years and she pursued first year of course in the year 2017-2018 but due to certain unavoidable circumstances, could not apply for second year course in year 2018-19 and now she wants to pursue her second year of LL.M in academic year 2019-2020, for which the examinations will be held in June 2020. She has further stated that she will not take study leave for the LL.M. Course and as the Course in the aforesaid university is by distance mode so there is no need to attend classes for the course. She has also enclosed related papers of LL.M. Course as attachments. She has, therefore, requested for grant of permission to continue with her second year of LL.M and also to attend the examinations of second year of LL.M examination from Kurukshetra University.

In this connection, it is stated that Sushri Attri has joined the U.P. Nyayik Sewa on 30.07.2018. There is circular letter dated 4.11.11, which provides that if any Judicial Officer during the course of her Service, requests to pursue higher studies, she has to apply for grant of 'Study Leave' as per rules which will be subject to the discretion of Hon'ble the Chief Justice. In the instant case, as the officer has already pursued her LL.M. 1st year Course prior to her joining in U.P. Nyayik Sewa and due to some unavoidable circumstances, could not

pursued LL.M. 2nd year in 2018-2019 and now wants to pursue the Course and wants to appear in the LL.M. 2nd year examination, scheduled to be held in June 2020 and also she would not take study leave for the said LL.M. Course, her request appears to be considerable. However acceptance of her request is on the discretion of the Court. It is also submitted that a Judicial Officer can be accorded permission to attend academic classes and specialized higher studies in terms of G.O. No.24/1066-Appointment (B) dated 21.08.1967, subject to the following conditions:-

1. *Government work should not suffer in any way.*
2. *The academic classes, if any are held outside office hours.*
3. *No preferential treatment will be given in the matter of leave postings and transfer.*
4. *The permission can be withdrawn without notice if; it is found at any time that the government servant neglects her normal work or that public work suffers, in any way.*

May, therefore, if approved, the instant matter may be laid before Hon'ble the Chief Justice for His Lordship's kind perusal and if His Lordship approves Sushri Deepika Attri, Addl. Civil Judge (Jr. Div.), Hathras may be granted permission to pursue her LL.M. 2nd year Course for the academic session 2019-2020 and also to appear in the LL.M. 2nd year Course examination, scheduled to be held in June 2020, through distance learning from Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra, Haryana with exemption of the requirement to take study leave for the same and without entering into the fact whether the University is recognised by UGC or not as well as without

reserving any future claim of the Officer regarding her qualification if the University is not recognised.

Archana Awasthi

Review Officer

Mohd. Arshad

Assistant Registrar

01.02.2020

Hon'ble the Chief Justice

My Lord,

Submitted for His Lordship's kind
perusal & order

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03.02.2020