ORDER

The President is pleased to engage Shri Rakesh Kumar Soni, Advocate as Group ‘A’ Panel Counsel for conducting Central Government litigation before the Supreme Court of India, as mentioned below, from the date of this order for a period of three years or until further orders, whichever is earlier:

SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
GROUP ‘A’ PANEL COUNSEL

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2. The terms & conditions of the engagement of aforesaid Advocates will be governed by this Department’s OM No. 21(4)/99-Judl. dated 24.09.1999 read with OM No. 26(1)/2014/Judl. dated 01.10.2015 & instructions issued subsequently through OMs. The aforesaid OMs are available on the website of this Department i.e. www.legalaffairs.gov.in in the tab ‘Judicial Section’ under heading ‘Circulars pertaining to litigations’.

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(S. R. Mishra)
Additional Secretary

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