

**F. No. 128/ICPS/DSW/JJB & CWC/2021-22/1126**  
**ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ADMINISTRATION**  
**DIRECTORATE OF SOCIAL WELFARE**

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**Port Blair Dated 10th May 2023**

**PRESS NOTE**

The Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015 is an Act relating to children in need of care and protection and children in conflict with law. It takes care of the basic needs of children through proper care, protection, development, treatment and social re-integration by adopting a child-friendly approach in the adjudication and disposal of matters in the best interest of children and for their rehabilitation through processes provided, and institutions and bodies established.

Department of Social Welfare, A&N Administration, invites applications from such persons who has been actively involved in health, education, or welfare activities pertaining to children for at least seven years or a practicing professional with a degree in child psychology, psychiatry, sociology or law for the following positions which are as follows:-

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Districts</b>	<b>CWC &amp; JJB</b>	<b>Name of Post</b>	<b>No. of Post proposed to be filled</b>
1.	South Andaman	CWC	Chairperson	01
			Members	04
		JJB	Social Worker Member	02
2.	North & Middle Andaman	CWC	Chairperson	01
			Members	04
		JJB	Social Worker Member	02
3.	Nicobar District	CWC	Chairperson	01
			Members	04
		JJB	Social Worker Members	02

**Composition of Juvenile Justice Board and Eligibility criteria for members is as under (refer section 4 of Juvenile Justice Act, 2015 and Rule 4 of A & N Islands Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Rules, 2017):-**

- 1) The Board shall consist of a Metropolitan Magistrate or a Judicial Magistrate of First Class having at least three years experience to be designated as the Principal Magistrate of the Board and **two social worker members, of whom at least one shall be a woman, forming a Bench.**

- 2) The social worker members shall be appointed by the State Government on the recommendation of the Selection Committee constituted under Rule 87 of A & N Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Rules, 2017.
- 3) The social worker members shall not be less than thirty five years of age and shall not be more than sixty-five years of age and shall have at least seven years of experience of working with children in the field of education, health, or welfare activities, or should be a practicing professional with a degree in child psychology or psychiatry or sociology or in the field of law.
- 4) As far as possible, the two social worker members so selected for a Board shall be from different fields.
- 5) No person shall be eligible for selection as a member of the Board, if he/she –
  - (i) has any past record of violation of human rights or child rights;
  - (ii) has been convicted of an offence involving moral turpitude, and such conviction has not been reversed or has not been granted full pardon in respect of such offence;
  - (iii) has been removed or dismissed from service of the Central Government or a State Government or an undertaking or corporation owned or controlled by the Central Government or a State Government;
  - (iv) has ever indulged in child abuse or employment of child labour or any other violation of human rights or immoral act.
- 6) The social worker members of the Board shall be paid not less than Rs. 1500/- per sitting, which shall include sitting allowance, travel allowance and any other allowance, as the UT Administration may prescribe.
- 7) The Board shall sit on all working days for a minimum of six hours commensurate with the working hours of a Magistrate Court, unless the case pendency is less in a particular district and the UT Administration issues an order in this regard.

**Term of Members of the Board under Rule 5 of A & N Islands Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Rules, 2017:-**

- (1) The term of the social worker member of the Board shall not be more than for a period of three years from the date of appointment.
- (2) A social worker member of the Board shall be eligible for appointment of maximum of two terms, which shall not be continuous.
- (3) The members may resign at any time, by giving one month's notice in writing to the UT Administration.

**Composition of Child Welfare Committee and Eligibility criteria for members (refer section 27 of JJ Act and Rule 15 of A & N Islands Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Rules, 2017:-**

- 1) The Committee shall consist of a Chairperson, and four other members as the UT Administration may think fit to appoint, of whom at least one shall be a woman and another, an expert on the matters concerning children.
- 2) The Chairperson and members of the Committee shall be appointed by the UT Administration on the recommendation of the Selection Committee constituted under Rule 87 of Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Rules, 2017.
- 3) The Chairperson and the members shall be above the age of thirty-five years and shall have a minimum of seven years of experience of working with children in the field of education, health, or welfare activities, or should be a practicing professional with a degree in child psychology or psychiatry or social work or sociology or human development or in the field of law or a retired judicial officer.
- 4) A member of the Committee shall be eligible for appointment of maximum of two terms, which shall not be continuous.
- 5) The Chairperson and the members may resign at any time by giving one month's notice in writing to the UT Administration.
- 6) The Chairperson and members of the Committee shall be paid such sitting allowance, travel allowance and any other allowance, as the UT Administration may prescribe, but not less than Rs.1500 /- per sitting.
- 7) The Committee shall sit on all working days for a minimum of six hours commensurate with the working hours of a magistrate court, unless the case pendency is less in a particular district & UT Administration issue an order in this regard.

**Applications in the given format are invited from eligible and interested candidates for the selection of 01 Chairperson each and 04 Members each for CWC (South Andaman District, North & Middle Andaman District and Nicobar District) and 02 Social Worker Member each for JJB (South Andaman District, North & Middle Andaman District and Nicobar District) latest by 25<sup>th</sup> May 2023.** The application should be addressed to the **Director of Social Welfare, Goalghar, Pin-744102.**

All applicants who had applied earlier to the vacancy notification published on 12.02.2020, 04.03.2020, 21.03.2020, 10.11.2020, 11.02.2021 & 18.06.2021 are requested to apply afresh.

All eligible candidates will have to appear before the Selection Committee for a face to face interaction based on which candidates for CWC & JJB will be selected, if required. Dates for personal interaction would be intimated in due course, if required. The Meeting of Selection Committee for the interview of Chairperson and Members of CWC for South Andaman District, North and Middle Andaman District & Nicobar District and Social Worker Members of JJB for South Andaman District, North and Middle Andaman District & Nicobar District will be held at **Port Blair.**

For detailed information on Child Welfare Committee and Juvenile Justice Board, please refer the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015 & A & N Islands Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Rules, 2017 by logging on to website: <http://andssw1.and.nic.in/doip>.

Sd/-  
Director (SW)

**Format of Application for Post of Social Worker Member of Juvenile Justice Board (JJB) for South Andaman North & Middle Andaman/Nicobar District**  
**(please tick mark the district applied for)**

Name :  
Father's Name :  
Date of Birth :  
Address with contact number :  
Educational Qualification :

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(Self attested certificates of educational qualification should be attached)

<b>Educational Qualification</b>	<b>Name of University/Board</b>	<b>Marks obtained in percentage</b>

Work Experience:

(Self attested certificates of Experience should be attached)

<b>Name of Institution/Company where worked</b>	<b>Designation &amp; Duties</b>	<b>Period for which worked</b>

<b>Achievements in the field of Health, Education or Welfare activities pertaining to Children</b> (Self attested certificates should be attached)

I do hereby certify that:-

1. I have no past record of violation of human rights or child rights;
2. I have not been convicted of an offence involving moral turpitude.
3. I have not been removed or dismissed from service of the Central Government or a State Government/UT Administration or an undertaking or corporation owned or controlled by the Central Government or a State Government;
4. I have never indulged in child abuse or employment of child labour or any other violation of human rights or immoral act;

5. All statements made in this application are true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that if any of the information is found false or incorrect before or after the selection, my candidature is liable for cancellation.

Place:  
Date:

Signature of the candidate  
Name:

**Terms and Conditions:**

1. Incomplete, incoherent and unsigned applications are liable to be rejected.
2. No TA, DA will be paid for attending the interview

**Format of Application for Post of Chairperson/Member of Child Welfare Committee (CWC) for North & Middle Andaman District/Nicobar District/ South Andaman**  
**(Please tick mark the district applied for)**

Name :

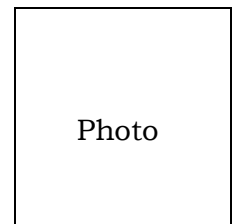
Father's Name :

Date of Birth :

Address with contact number :

Educational Qualification:

(Self attested certificates of educational qualification should be attached)



<b>Educational Qualification</b>	<b>Name of University/Board</b>	<b>Marks obtained in percentage</b>

Work Experience:

(Self attested certificates of Experience should be attached)

<b>Name of Institution/Company where worked</b>	<b>Designation &amp; Duties</b>	<b>Period for which worked</b>

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Place:

Signature of the candidate

Date:

Name:

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Secretary (SW)

