

**GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA**  
**INFORMATION & PUBLIC RELATIONS DEPARTMENT**

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File No 6610 /IPR Dated: 30/06/2021

**Subject: Advertisement for filling up of the post of State Chief Information Commissioner in the Odisha Information Commission.**

The Government of Odisha has constituted a body known as Odisha Information Commission to exercise the powers conferred on and to perform the functions assigned thereto under the Right to Information Act, 2005. The powers and functions of State Chief Information Commissioner in the Odisha Information Commission are as per the provisions contained under chapter - V of the Right to Information Act, 2005.

2. It is proposed to fill up one vacant post of State Chief Information Commissioner in the Commission as per the following eligibility criteria under the Right to Information Act, 2005 and right to information (Amendment Act)-2019.

I. The candidates shall be persons of eminence in public life with wide knowledge and experience in law, science and technology, social service, management, journalism, mass-media or administration and governance.

II. The candidates shall not be a Member of Parliament or Member of the Legislature of any State or Union Territory, as the case may be, or hold any other office of profit or connected with any political party or carrying on any business or pursuing any profession. It is clarified that cessation/termination of holding of office of profit, pursuing any profession or carrying any business is a condition precedent to the appointment of a person as State Chief Information Commissioner.

III. The candidates who have already attained the age of 65 years as on the date of issue of this advertisement shall not be eligible to be considered for applying this post.

5. The salary, allowances and other terms and conditions of service of the State Chief Information Commissioner shall be as per the provisions contained under the Right to Information (Term of Office, Salaries, Allowances and Other Terms and Conditions of Service of Chief Information Commissioner, Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission, State Chief Information Commissioner and State Information Commissioners in the State Information Commission) Rules, 2019.

6. The candidates fulfilling the aforementioned criteria and interested for appointment to the post of State Chief Information Commissioner may send their particulars duly filled in the enclosed prescribed pro forma along with Annexure-I in a sealed envelope superscribing **"APPLICATION FOR THE POST OF STATE CHIEF INFORMATION COMMISSIONER"** by speed post/ registered post only addressing to the Director, Information & Public Relations Department, Lok Sampark Bhawan, Unit-V, Bhubaneswar-751001 by 31st July, 2021.

The candidates serving under the State/Central Government or any other Organization should send their particulars through proper channel (Administrative Ministry/Department of State – UT/Central Government or the Controlling office respectively).

**Note: Right to Information Act, 2005, Right to Information (Amendment) Act, 2019 and the Right to Information (Term of Office, Salaries, Allowances and Other Terms and Conditions of Service of Chief Information Commissioner, Information Commissioners in the Central Information Commission, State Chief Information Commissioner and State Information Commissioners in the State Information Commission) Rules, 2019 may be referred to by the intending applicants for general familiarization.**

  
Director, I & PR

Memo No. 6611 /IPR,.Bhubanewar Dated. 30/06/2021

Copy along with prescribed proforma and Annexure-I for sending application forwarded to State Portal, E & IT Department, Secretariat, Bhubaneswar/System Analyst, I &PR Department with a request to host immediately at <http://inpr.odisha.gov.in/> with a new link of **“Advertisement for filling up of one post of State Chief Information Commissioner in the Odisha Information Commission” in the home page of I & PR Department”**.

  
Director, I & PR

Memo No. 6612 /IPR,.Bhubanewar Dated. 30/06/2021

Copy along with prescribed pro forma and Annexure-I forwarded to Domain Expert, RTI PMU, I&PR Department for hosting it immediately at RTI Portal [www.rti.odisha.gov.in](http://www.rti.odisha.gov.in) with a new link of **“Advertisement for filling up one post of State Information Commissioner in the Odisha Information Commission”**.

  
Deputy Director (RTI)

**Proforma for Sending Particulars for consideration to the post of**

**State Chief Information Commissioner in the Odisha Information Commission**

1. Name:

2. Date of Birth:

3. Present Address:

Affix Self attested recent  
passport size photograph

4. Contact No.

a) Telephone (Along with STD code)

b) Mobile:

c) Fax:

5. E-mail Address:

6. Educational Qualifications:

7. Field of Eminence: {as per 2(I) mentioned

in the advertisement}

Area of Eminence	
Law	
Science and Technology	
Social Service	
Management	
Journalism	
Mass-Media	
Administration and Governance	

8. Present Occupation:

9. Achievements/Work done/Experience

Date:

Signature:

Place:

Name:

**Annexure-I**

**Details of Achievements/ Work Experience in respect of candidates applying for the post of State Chief Information Commissioner in the Odisha Information Commission**

Sl.No.	Post	Organization	Period		Details of achievements/experience (in brief)
			From	To	
1					
2					
3					
4					
5					

**Signature of the Candidate.**