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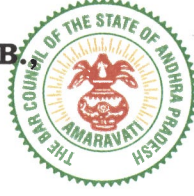
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# THE BAR COUNCIL OF THE STATE OF ANDHRA PRADESH

From

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To

The Presidents of all  
Bar Associations in the State.

ROC No. 388 of 2024

Date: 20-12-2024.

Sir,

**Sub:-** Bar Council of Andhra Pradesh – Extension of time to file  
Verification Applications under COP Rules till 31-12-2024 – Reg.

**Ref:-** 1. This Office letter ROC No. 364 of 2024 dt. 21-11-2024

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The office through the above reference, has informed all the Bar Associations to see that all the Advocates, who completed 5 years after issuance of “Certificate of Practice” under COP Rules OR under “All India Bar Examination Rules” shall submit Verification Applications by filing atleast 5 certified copies of Vakalats / Order Sheets etc. establishing five years of active practice, as per the Circular of the Bar Council of India dt. 20-09-2024.

However, on the request of the Advocates and Bar Associations to extend the time, on the ground that obtaining certified copies of Vakalats from Courts is being delayed; the Bar Council of Andhra Pradesh has considered the issue and resolved to extend the time to file COP Applications, till 31-12-2024.

Therefore, all the Advocates are informed to note that the time is extended to file Verification Applications along with documents and Fee Challan, till 31-12-2024.

I request you to place the circular on the Notice Board of the Bar Association for information of the Advocates.

Yours faithfully,

*B. Padma Latha*  
**Secretary, Bar Council**

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