



**Government of West Bengal**  
**Department of Personnel and Administrative Reforms**  
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No.- 922-PAR(Genl)/G8P-51/2022

Date : 26.06.2026

From : Senior Special Secretary  
to the Government of West Bengal

To : The Director of Information,  
Department of Information & Cultural Affairs,  
Government of West Bengal.

Sub.: Publishing advertisement in newspapers inviting applications for selection to the post of State Information Commissioner in the West Bengal Information Commission.

Sir,

I am enclosing a copy of Notice issued under Memo No. 921-PAR(Genl)/G8P-51/2022 dated 26.06.2026 inviting applications from willing and eligible candidates for selection to the post of State Information Commissioner in the West Bengal Information Commission for publishing the same in 03(three) daily newspapers on 27.06.2026.

Yours faithfully,

*Sd/-*

Senior Special Secretary  
to the Govt. of West Bengal

Encl.-As stated

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Copy forwarded for information to:-

✓ The Secretary, West Bengal Information Commission,  
with a request to upload this notice in the website of WBIC.

  
Senior Special Secretary  
to the Govt. of West Bengal



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Applications are invited from willing and eligible candidates for consideration for selection to the post of 02 (two) State Information Commissioners in the West Bengal Information Commission.

The applicant shall be a person 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 in terms of Section 15 of the RTI Act, 2005. The State Information Commissioner shall hold office for a period of 03 (three) years from the date on which he enters upon office. Other terms and conditions of service of State Information Commissioner shall be guided by the RTI Act, 2005 (as amended) and the Rules, 2019 framed thereunder.

Candidates are requested to apply within 4.00 p.m. of 28.07.2026 to the Additional Chief Secretary, P. & A. R. Department, Government of West Bengal, Room No.701, Nabanna, 325, Sarat Chatterjee Road, Howrah-711102, along with their **Resume** subscribing on the envelope the post for which the application is made.

The procedure for selection and other guidelines in this regard are available at [www.wbpar.gov.in](http://www.wbpar.gov.in) in the website of the P. & A. R. Department.





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Procedure and other guidelines for selection to the posts of  
State Information Commissioners in the West Bengal Information Commission  
with reference to this Department's advertisement vide Memo  
No. 921-PAR(Genl)/G8P-51/2022 dated 26.06.2026

On receipt of applications for the posts of State Information Commissioners till 4:00 p.m. of 28.07.2026, the names of the applicants with their particulars will be published in the official website of this Department at [par.wb.gov.in](http://par.wb.gov.in).

2) Thereafter, in terms of Section 15(3) of the RTI Act, 2005, a Selection Committee will be constituted with the following dignitaries and will be published in the official website of this Department at [par.wb.gov.in](http://par.wb.gov.in) –

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| (a) The Hon'ble Chief Minister, West Bengal                                          | - | Chairperson |
| (b) The Leader of Opposition,<br>West Bengal Legislative Assembly                    | - | Member      |
| (c) A Cabinet Minister to be nominated by the<br>Hon'ble Chief Minister, West Bengal | - | Member      |

3) The Selection Committee will make shortlisting of the candidates and the list of such shortlisted candidates will be published in the official website of this Department at [par.wb.gov.in](http://par.wb.gov.in).

4) The Selection Committee will then arrange for selection of suitable candidates for the posts of State Information Commissioners from amongst the shortlisted candidates and recommend the names to His Excellency, the Hon'ble Governor of West Bengal for approval and appointment to the posts of State Information Commissioners.

5) After appointment of the selected candidates to the post of State Information Commissioners, their names alongwith the facts indicating their eminence in public life, knowledge and experience in the particular field will also be published in the official website of this Department at [par.wb.gov.in](http://par.wb.gov.in).