In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India and of all other powers hereunto enabling, and in supersession of all the rules the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby makes the following Special Rules for the Andhra Pradesh Police (Legal and Medical) Service.

Rule 1. Short title — These rules may be called the Andhra Pradesh Police (Legal & Medical) Service Rules.

Rule 2. Constitution — The Service shall consist of the following Classes and Categories of posts in the Andhra Pradesh Police (Legal & Medical) Service:

Class A:

Category (1) — Legal Advisor (Criminal Investigation Department)

Category (2) — Chief Law Instructor, Police Training College, Anantapur.

Class B:

Category (1) — Police Medical Officer, Civil Police Lines, Amberpet.

Category (2) (a) — Medical Officer

(i) Andhra Pradesh Special Police Battalions.

(ii) Police Training College, Anantapur.
(iii) Police Hospital, Anantapur.
(iv) Police Dispensary, Police Training College, Vizianagaram.

(b) Woman Assistant Surgeon, Police Hospital, Civil Police Lines, Amberpet.

Rule 3. **Method of appointment**: Subject to the other provisions in these rules, the method of appointment and appointing authority for the several categories of posts shall be as follows:

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**CLASS - A**:

1. **Legal Advisor (Criminal Investigation Dept.)**
   - By transfer on tenure of a Senior Assistant Public Prosecutor (formerly designated as Assistant Public Prosecutor, Grade-I or Police Prosecuting Officer) of the Prosecutions Department.

2. **Chief Law Instructor, Police Training College, Anantapur**
   - By transfer on tenure of a Senior Assistant Public Prosecutor (formerly designated as Assistant Public Prosecutor, Grade-I or Police Prosecuting Officer) of the Prosecutions Department.

**CLASS - B**:

1. **Police Medical Officer, Civil Police Lines, Amberpet**
   - After the existing Police Medical Officer vacates the posts for any reason, by transfer on tenure of a Civil Surgeon of Health and Family Welfare Department.

2. **Medical Officer**
   1. **Andhra Pradesh Special Police Battalions**
      - By transfer on tenure of Civil Assistant Surgeon from Health and Family Welfare Department.
   2. **Police Training College, Anantapur**
   3. **Police Hospital, Anantapur**
   4. **Police Dispensary, Police Training College, Vizianagaram**
   5. **Woman Assistant Surgeon, Police Hospital, Civil Police Lines, Amberpet**
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Rule 4. Period of tenure:—The appointment on tenure to any post in this service shall not ordinarily be for more than three years at a time, subject to extension for a maximum period of five years:

Provided that nothing in this rule shall preclude the Government or the Director General and Inspector General of Police as the case may be, to repatriate the officers taken on tenure to their respective parent departments before expiry of the period of tenure if it is considered necessary in public interest.

Rule 5. Transfers and postings:—The Director General and Inspector-General of Police shall be competent to effect the transfers and postings of persons in the various categories.