

FORM NO. 5A

(format of Vakalatnama)

[see regulation 34 of the Major Ports Adjudicatory Board (Transaction of Business and Procedural Regulations, 2024)]

BEFORE THE MAJOR PORTS ADJUDICATORY BOARD

Case / Application / Reference / Review / Interlocutory application No. _____

In the matter of:

[Name of applicant] Applicant

vs

[Name of respondent] Respondent

I/we _____ the abovenamed Applicant / Respondent do hereby appoint _____ (hereinafter called the “Advocate” or “Advocates”) to be my / our Advocate in the above matter and authorize them:-

1. To act, appear and plead in the above-noted matter before the Adjudicatory Board in which the same may be tried or heard subject to payment of fees by me/us.
2. To sign, file, verify and present case, application, pleadings, appeals or cross-objections, review, revision, withdrawal, compromise or other applications or affidavits or other documents as may be deemed necessary or proper for the legal proceedings of the said matter in / all its stages.
3. To file and take back documents, to admit and/or deny the documents of opposite party.
4. To deposit, draw and receive money and grant receipts hereof and to do all other acts and things which may be necessary to be done for the progress and in the course of the legal proceedings on the said matter.
5. To appoint and instruct any other legal practitioner authorizing him to exercise the power and authority hereby conferred upon the Advocate whenever he / she / they may think fit to do so.

And I/we undersigned to hereby agree to ratify and confirm all acts done by the Advocate or his/her/their substitute in the matter as my/our own acts, as if done by me/us to all intents and purpose.

And I/we undertake that I/We or my/our duly authorized agent would appear in all hearings before the Adjudicatory Board and will inform the Advocate for appearance when the matter is called.

And I/We undersigned do hereby agree not to hold the Advocate or his substitute responsible for the result of the said matter.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we do hereunto set our hands to this writing.

Date:

Place:

Signature and seal
Name of client
Address

Accepted.

Signature and seal with bar council:

Name of Advocate(s)

Address