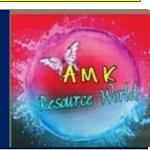
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Attorney General of India

Attorney General of India is appointed by the President of India under Article 76(1) of the Constitution and holds office till the pleasure of the President of India, He must be a person qualified to be appointed as a Judge of the Supreme Court,

The Attorney General of India is the highest law officer of the country. He is responsible to assist the Central government in its all legal matters,

He can be removed by the president at any time. There is no procedure or ground mentioned in the constitution for his removal.

| Attorney General of India | Tenure |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| M.C. Setalvad (longest term) | 28 January 1950 - 1 March 1963 |
| C.K. Daftari | 2 March 1963 - 30 October 1968 |
| Niren de | 1 November 1968 - 31 March 1977 |
| S.V. Gupte | 1 April , 1977 - 8 August 1979 |
| L.N. Sinha | 9 August, 1979 - 8 August, 1983 |
| K. Parasaran | 9 August 1983 - 8 December 1989 |
| Soli Sorabjee (shortest tenure) | 9 December 1989 - 2 December 1990 |
| J. Ramaswamy | 3 December , 1990 - November 23, 1992 |
| Milon K. Banerji | 21 November 1992 - 8 July 1996 |
| Ashok Desai | 9 July 1996 - 6 April 1998 |
| Soli Sorabjee | 7 April 1998 - 4 June 2004 |
| Milon K. Banerjee | 5 June 2004 - 7 June 2009 |
| Goolam Essaji Vahanvati | 8 June 2009 - 11 June 2014 |
| Mukul Rohatgi | 12 June, 2014 - 30 June 2017 |
| K.K. Venugopal | 30 June 2017 till date |

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