



# राजस्थान पुरातत्व एवं संग्रहालय सेवा नियम, 1960

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### GOVERNMENT OF RAJASTHAN APPOINTMENTS (A-II) DEPARTMENT

No. F. 21(24)Apptts.(C)/54

Jaipur, dated 21.12.1960

#### **NOTIFICATION**

In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the constitution of India, the Governor of Rajasthan makes the following rules regulating recruitment to posts in, and condition of Service of persons appointed to the Rajasthan Archaeology and Museums Service.

## THE RAJASTHAN ARCHAEOLOGY AND MUSEUMS SERVICE RULES, 1960

#### **PART I- General**

- **1. Short title and commencement**:- These rules may be called the Rajasthan Archaeology and Museums Service Rules, 1960 and shall come into force at once.
- **2. Supersession of existing rules and orders:** All existing rules and orders in relation to matters covered by these rules are hereby superseded but any action taken in pursuance of such "rules and orders shall be deemed to have been taken under these rules.
- **3. Status of the Service**:- The Rajasthan Archaeology and Museums Service is a State Service.
- **4. Definitions:** In these rules unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context:-
  - \$(a) "Appointing Authority" means the Government of Rajasthan;
  - &(b) "Commission" means the Rajasthan Public Service Commission;
  - (c) "Director" means Director of Archaeology and Museums, Rajasthan;
  - <sup>®</sup>(d) "Government and State" means respectively, the Government of Rajasthan and the State of Rajasthan;
  - \*(e) "Member of the Service" means a person appointed to a post in the service on the basis of regular selection under the provisions of these rules or the rules or order superseded by these rules.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>X</sup>Deleted word "by or" vide Notification No.F.1(4)/DOP/A-II/80 dated, 13.05.1980

<sup>%</sup>Deleted word "existing" vide Notification No.F.1(4)/DOP/A-II/80 dated, 13.05.1980

<sup>\$</sup>Inserted vide Notification No.F.1(16)DOP/A-II/82 dated 25.08.1982

<sup>\*</sup>Renumbered existing clause (a) (b) (c) (d) (e) (f) (g) (h) into (b) (c) (d) (e) (f) (g) (h) (i) vide Notification No.F.1(16)DOP/A-II/82 dated 25.08.1982

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>®</sup>Substituted for "Government" and "State" mean respectively the Government and the State of Rajasthan vide Notification No. F.7(10)DOP(AII)/74 dated 10.02.1975

<sup>\*</sup>Substituted for "Member of the Service" means a person appointed substantively to a post in the Service under the provisions of these rules or the rules or order superseded^; vide Notification No.F.7(1)DOP/A-II/1996 dated 10.10.2002

<sup>^</sup>Deleted word "by rule 2" vide Notification No.1(4)DOP/A-II/80 dated 13.05.1980

- (f) "Schedule" means the Schedule attached to these rules; and
- (g) "Service" means the Rajasthan Archaeology and Museums Service.
- <sup>®</sup>(h) "Substantive Appointments" means an appointment made under the provisions of these Rules to a substantive vacancy after due selection by any of the methods of recruitment prescribed under these Rules and includes an appointment on probation or as a probationer followed by confirmation on the completion of the probationary period.

**Note:-** "Due selection by any methods of recruitment prescribed under these Rules" will include recruitment either on initial Constitution of Service or in accordance with the provision of any Rules promulgated under proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, except an urgent temporary appointment.

'(i) 'Service' or 'Experience' wherever prescribed in these rules as a condition for promotion from one Service to another or within the Service from one category to another or to senior posts, in the case of a person holding a lower post eligible for promotion to higher post shall include the period for which the person has continuously worked on such lower post after regular selection in accordance with rules promulgated under proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India.

**Note:-** Absences during service e.g. training, leave and deputation etc. which are treated as "duty" under the Rajasthan Service Rules, 1951 shall also be counted as service for computing experience or service required for promotion.

% (j) "year" means the "financial year."

**5. Interpretation**:- Unless the context otherwise requires the Rajasthan General Clauses Act, 1955 (Act VIII of 1955) shall apply for the interpretation of these rules. \$(deleted)

Note:- Absences during services e.g. training and deputation which are treated as "duty" under the R.S.R., shall also be counted as service for computing minimum experience of service required for promotion." vide Notification No.F.6 (2)DOP/A-II/71 dated 29.08.1982

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>®</sup> Inserted vide Notification No.F.7(3)DOP(A-II)/73 dated 5-9-1974

<sup>\*</sup> Substituted for \*(j) 'Service' or 'Experience' wherever prescribed in these rules as a condition for promotion from one Service to another or within the Service from one category to another or to Senior Post in the case of person holding such post in substantive capacity shall include the period for which the person has continuously work on such post after regular recruitment in accordance with the Rules promulgated under proviso to Article 309 and shall also include the experience gained by officiating, temporary or ad-hoc appointment, if such appointment is in the regular line of promotion and was not of stopgap or fortuitous nature or invalid under any law and does not involve supersession of any senior official, except when such supersession was either due to want of prescribed academic and other qualifications, unfitness or non-selection by merit or the default of the senior official concerned \*"or when such ad-hoc or urgent temporary appointment was in accordance with seniority-cum-merit."

Note:- Absences during services e.g. training and deputation which are treated as "duty" under the R.S.R., shall

<sup>\*</sup>Inserted vide Notification No. F.6 (2)DOP (A-II)/71, I dated 9.10.1975 (Effective from 27.3.1973)

<sup>\*</sup>Inserted vide Notification No. F.6(2)Apptts. (AII)/71/I, dated 13-7-1976 (Effective from 1-10-1975)

<sup>%</sup> Added vide Notification No.F.7(2)DOP/A-II/81 dated, the 21.12.1981 (w.e.f. 1.04.1981)

<sup>\$</sup>Deleted word "as it applies for the interpretation of a Rajasthan Act" vide Notification No.F.1(4)/DOP/A-II/80 dated, 13.05.1980

#### **PART II- Cadre**

- **\*6. Composition and Strength of Service:-** (1) The nature of posts, in the Service shall be such as specified in Column 2 of the Schedule.
- (2) The strength of posts in the service shall be such as may be determined by the Government from time to time:-

Provided that-

- (a) the Government may create any post permanent or temporary, from time to time, as may be found necessary, and may abolish any such post in the like manner without thereby entitling any person to any compensation;
- (b) the Appointing Authority may leave unfilled or hold in abeyance or abolish or allow to lapse any post, permanent or temporary, from time to time without thereby entitling any person to any compensation.

#### **PART III - Recruitment**

**7. Sources of Recruitment**:- (1) Recruitment to the Service, after the commencement of these rules, shall be made by direct recruitment or promotion as specified in column 3 of the schedule attached to these rules:

Provided that Government may make direct recruitment, through the agency of the commission, to a senior post (Director or Superintendent) if Government in consultation with the Commission is satisfied that no person suitable for promotion is available.

\$Provided further that in the event of non-availability of eligible and suitable person mentioned in \*"Column 3" against Serial No. 1 of the Schedule, the Government may appoint an I.A.S.(Senior/Selection Scale)/ R.A.S. (Selection/ Super time Scale) Officer on the post of Director.

- \*(2) Recruitment to the service by the aforesaid method shall be made in such a manner that the persons appointed to the service by each method do not at any time exceed the percentage laid down in the Rules/Schedule of the total cadre strength as sanctioned for each category from time to time.
- <sup>®</sup>7A. Notwithstanding anything contained in the recruitment appointment, promotion, Seniority and confirmation etc. of a person who joins the Army/Air Force/Navy during an Emergency shall be regulated by such orders and instructions as may be issued by the Government from time to time provided that these are regulated mutatis mutandis according to the instructions issued on the subject by the Government of India.

The above amendment shall be deemed to have come into force with the effect from 29-10-1963 or from the date of the relevant Service Rules come into force.

Provided that the Government may leave unfilled hold in abeyance or abolish any vacant post without thereby entitling any person to compensation or may, increase the cadre by creating additional permanent or temporary posts in the Service, from time to time, as may be found necessary." vide Notification No.F.1(4)/DOP/A-II/80 dated, 13.05.1980

<sup>#</sup>Substituted for "Column 4" vide Notification No.F.1(16)DOP/A-II/82 dated 25.08.1982

<sup>\$</sup> Added vide notification No. F.1(21) DOP(A-II)/84 dated 06-12-2005

<sup>\*</sup> Inserted vide Notification No.F.7(2)DOP/A-II/81, dated the 13.11.1996

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>®</sup> Inserted vide Notification NO.F.21(12)Apptt(c)/55 Pt II dated 29-08-1973

<sup>+&#</sup>x27;Substituted for "6. Strength of the Service.- The Strength of the service shall be as such as may be determined by the Government from time to time." vide Notification No.F.1(16)DOP/A-II/82 dated 25.08.1982

Substituted for "6. **Strength of the Service**.-The service consists of the following categories of posts. Strength shall be such as may be notified by Government from time to time.

Director
 Superintendents
 Curators

- **%8.** Reservation of vacancies for the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes:- (1)Reservation of vacancies for the Scheduled Casts and Scheduled Tribes shall be in accordance with \*" the provisions of the Rajasthan Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Backward Classes Special Backward Classes and Economically Backward Classes (Reservation of Seats in Educational Institutions in the State and of Appointments and posts in Services under the State) Act, 2008" shall be in accordance with the Orders of the Government for such reservation in force at the time of recruitment i.e. by direct recruitment and by promotion.
- (2) The vacancies so reserved for promotion shall be filled in by \*"Seniority-cum-merit and merit".
- (3) In filling the vacancies so reserved the eligible candidates who are members of the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes shall be considered for appointment in the order in which their names appear in the list prepared for direct recruitment by the commission for posts falling in its purview, and by the Appointing Authority, in other cases, and the Departmental Promotion Committee or Appointing Authority, as the case may be, in the case of promotee, irrespective of their relative rank as compared with other candidates.
- <sup>1</sup>(4) Appointment shall be made strictly in accordance with the rosters prescribed separately for direct recruitment and promotion.
- (4A) In the event of non-availability of the eligible and suitable candidates amongst the Scheduled Castes or Scheduled Tribes, as the case may be, for direct recruitment,

Note:- Reservation shall be calculated on the basis of total vacancies. Adjustment of fractions shall be made over a period of 5 years. Promotions shall be irrespective of caste considerations" vide Notification No. F.7(4)DOP(A-II)/73, dated 03-10-1973

1\*Substituted for "(4) Appointment shall be made strictly in accordance with the rosters prescribed separately for direct recruitment and promotion. In the event of non-availability of the eligible and suitable candidates amongst the Scheduled castes and the scheduled tribes, as the case may be, in a particular year, the vacancies so reserved for them shall be carried forward until the suitable scheduled castes and the scheduled tribes candidate(s), as the case may be, are available. In any circumstances no vacancy reserved for scheduled castes and the schedules tribes candidates shall be filled by promotion as well as by direct recruitment from General category candidates. However, in exceptional cases where in the public interest the Appointing Authority feels that it is necessary to fill up the vacant reserved post(s) by promotion from the General category candidates on urgent temporary basis, the Appointing Authority may make a reference to the department of personnel and after obtaining prior approval of the department of personnel, they may fill up such post(s) by promoting the general category candidate(s) on urgent temporary basis clearly stating in the promotion order that the general category candidate(s) who are being promoted on urgent temporary basis against the vacant post reserved for scheduled castes or the scheduled tribes candidates, as the case may be, shall have to vacate the post as and when the candidate(s) of that category become available." vide notification No. F.7(1)DOP/A-II/2008 dated 17.01. 2013.

\*Substituted for "(4) Appointments shall be made strictly in accordance with the rosters prescribed separately for direct recruitment and promotion. In the event of non-availability of the eligible and suitable candidates amongst Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes, as the case may be, in a particular year, the vacancies so reserved for them shall be filled in accordance with the normal procedure, and an equivalent number of additional vacancies shall be reserved in the subsequent year. Such of the vacancies which remain so unfilled shall be carried forward to the subsequent three recruitment years in total, and thereafter such reservation would lapse.

Provided that there shall be no carry forward of the vacancies in posts or class/category/group of the posts in any cadre of Service to which promotions are made on the basis of a  $^{@}$ merit alone, under these Rules." vide Notification No. F.7(4)DOP/A-II/2002 Dated 10.10.2002.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Substituted for \*\*Merit alone" vide notification No.F.7(4)DOP/A-II/73 dated 29.01.1981

<sup>\*</sup> Substituted for "Merit-cum-seniority" vide Notification No. F.7 (6) DOP (A-II)/75 III dated 31.10.1975

<sup>&</sup>amp; Substituted for "order of the Government for such reservation in force" vide Notification No. F.7 (8) DOP (A-II) / 2008 dated 28.08.2009.

<sup>%</sup>Substituted for Rule-8 "Reservation of vacancies for the Schedule caste and the Scheduled tribes.- Reservation of vacancies for the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes shall be in accordance with the orders of Government for such reservation in force at the time of recruitment.

Substituted for "(4) In the event of non-availability of a sufficient number of eligible and suitable candidates amongst the Schedule Casts and the Schedule Tribes in a particular year, vacancies shall not be carried forward and shall be filled in accordance with the normal procedure." vide Notification No. F. 7(4) DOP/A-II/73 dated 10.02.1975

Deleted "both merit" and "Seniority-cum-Merit" and "not by Seniority-cum" vide Notification No. 7(6)DOP/A-2/75 dated 31.10.1975.

in particular year, the vacancies so reserved for them shall be carried forward to the subsequent three recruitment years. After the expiry of three recruitment years, such carry forward vacancies shall be filled in accordance with the normal procedure:

Provided that if recruitment is not held in any recruitment year, such recruitment year shall not be counted for the purpose of this sub-rule:

Provided further that filling up of the vacancies in accordance with the normal procedure under this sub-rule shall not affect the reservation of posts as per the post based roster and vacancies on the reserved posts available in the roster may be filled in from amongst the persons belonging to the Scheduled Castes or Scheduled Tribes, as the case may be, for which such vacancy is available in subsequent years.

(4B) In the event of non-availability of the eligible and suitable candidates for promotion amongst the Scheduled Castes or the Scheduled Tribes, as the case may be, in a particular year, the vacancies so reserved for them shall be carried forwarded until the suitable Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes candidates(s), as the case may be, are available. In any circumstances no vacancy reserved for Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes candidates shall be filled by promotion from General category candidates. In exceptional cases, where in the public interest, the Appointing Authority feels that it is necessary to fill up the vacant reserved post(s) by promotion from the General category candidates on urgent temporary basis, the Appointing Authority may make a reference to the Department of Personnel and after obtaining prior approval of the Department of Personnel, they may fill up such post(s) by promoting the General category candidate(s) on urgent temporary basis clearly stating in the promotion order that the General category candidates(s) who are being promoted on urgent temporary basis against the vacant post reserved for the Scheduled Castes or the Scheduled Tribes candidates, as the case may be, shall have to vacate the post as and when the candidates(s) of that category become available:

Provided that there shall be no carry forward of vacancies in posts or class/category/group of posts in any cadre of service to which promotions are made on the basis of merit alone, under these rules.

\*\*8.(A) Reservation of vacancies of Backward Classes, Special Backward Classes and Economically Backward Classes:- Reservation of vacancies of Backward Classes, Special Backward Classes and Economically Backward Classes shall be in accordance with the provisions of the Rajasthan Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Backward Classes Special Backward Classes and Economically Backward Classes (Reservation of Seats in Educational Institutions in the State and of Appointments and Posts in Services under the State) Act, 2008 at the time of direct recruitment. In the event of non-availability of eligible and suitable candidate amongst Backward Classes, Special Backward Classes and Economically Backward Classes in a particular year, the vacancies so reserve for them shall be filled in accordance with the normal procedure.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Substituted for "8(a) Reservation of vacancies for Other Backward Classes:-"Reservation of vacancies for Other Backward Classes shall be in accordance with the order of the Govt. for such reservation in force at the time of direct recruitment. In the event of non-availability of eligible and suitable candidates amongst Other Backward Classes in a particular year, the vacancy so reserved for them shall be filled in accordance with the normal procedure." vide Notification No.F.7(8)DOP/A-II/2008 Dated 28.08.2009

Added vide Notification No.F.7(2)DOP/A-II/93 Dated 24.05.1994 effect from 28.09.1993

**\*8(B)** "Reservation of vacancies for woman:- Reservation of vacancies for women candidates shall be 30% category wise in the direct recruitment, out of which one third shall be for widows and divorced women candidates in the ratio of 80:20. In the event of non-availability of eligible and suitable candidates, either in widow or in divorcee, in a particular year, the vacancies may first be filled by interchange, i.e. vacancies reserved for widows to the divorcees or vice versa. In the event of non-availability of sufficient widow and divorcee candidates, the unfilled vacancies, shall be filled by other women of the same category and in the event of non-availability of eligible and suitable women candidates, the vacancies so reserved for them shall be filled up by male candidates of the category for which vacancy is reserved. The vacancy so reserved for woman candidates shall not be carried forward to the subsequent year. The reservation for woman including widows and divorcee women shall be treated as horizontal reservation, within the category, i.e. even the woman selected in general merit of the category shall first be adjusted against the woman quota.

**Explanation:** In the case of widow, she will have to furnish a certificate of death of her husband from the Competent Authority and in case of divorcee she will have to furnish the proof of divorce."

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**Explanation:-** In the case of widow, she will have to furnish a certificate of death of her husband from the Competent Authority and in case of divorcee she will have to furnish the proof of divorce." vide Notification No.F.7(2)DOP/A-II/88.Pt.I dated 22.12.2015

<sup>\$\</sup>sigma\$Substituted for 8(B) "Reservation of vacancies for women.- Reservation of vacancies for women candidates shall be 30% category wise in direct recruitment out of which 8% shall be for widows and 2% for divorced women candidates. In the event of non-availability of eligible and suitable widows and divorced women candidates in a particular year, the vacancies so reserved for widow and divorced women candidates shall be filled by other women candidates and in the event of non-availability or eligible and suitable women candidates, the vacancies so reserved for them shall be filled up by male candidates and such vacancies shall not be carried forward to the subsequent year and the reservation shall be treated as horizontal reservation i.e. the reservation of women candidates shall be adjusted proportionately in the respective category to which the women candidates belong.

<sup>%</sup> Substituted for "Reservation of vacancies for women candidates:- Reservation of vacancies for woman candidates shall be 30% category wise, in direct recruitment out of which 5% shall be for widow candidates. In the event of non-availability of the eligible and suitable widow candidates in a particular year, the vacancies so reserved for widow candidates shall be filled by other women candidates and in the event of non-availability of eligible and suitable women candidates, the vacancies so reserved for them shall not be carried forward to the subsequent year and the reservation shall be treated as horizontal reservation i.e. the reservation of woman candidate shall be adjusted proportionately in the respective category to which the woman candidate belong." vide notification No.F.7(2)DOP/A-II/88/Pt. I dated 24.01.2011

Substituted for "Reservation of vacancies for women candidates:- Reservation of vacancies for woman candidates shall be \*"30%" category wise, in direct recruitment. In the event of non-availability of the eligible and suitable woman candidates in a particular year, the vacancies so reserved for them shall be filled ""up by male candidates" and such vacancies shall not be carried forward to the subsequent year and the reservation shall be treated as horizontal reservation i.e. the reservation or woman candidate shall be adjusted proportionately in the respective category to which the woman candidate belong." vide Notification No.F.7(2)DOP/A-II/88/Pt.-I dated 21.09.2007

<sup>\*</sup>Substituted for "20%" vide Notification No. No.F.7(2)DOP/A-II/88 dated 07.06.1999

<sup>\*</sup>Substituted for "in accordance with the normal procedure" vide Notification No. F. 7(2)DOP/A-II/88 dated

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>®</sup>Added vide Notification No.F.7(2)Karmik/A-II/88 dated 22.01.1997

%8.(c) "Reservation of vacancies for Economically Weaker Sections:-Reservation of vacancies for Economically Weaker Sections shall be 10% in direct recruitment in addition to the existing reservation. In the event of non-availability of eligible and suitable candidate amongst Economically Weaker Sections in a particular year, the vacancies so reserved for them shall be filled in accordance with the normal procedure.

**Explanation:** For the purpose of this rule **'Economically Weaker Sections'** shall be the persons who are bonafide resident of Rajasthan and not covered under the existing scheme of reservations for the Scheduled Castes, the Scheduled Tribes, the Backward Classes, the More Backward Classes and whose family has gross annual income below rupees 8.00 lakh. Family for this purpose will include the person who seeks benefit of reservation, his/her parents and siblings below the age of 18 years as also his/her spouse and children below the age of 18 years. The income shall include income from all sources i.e. salary, agriculture, business, profession etc. and it will be income for the financial year prior to the year of application."

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**Explanation:** For the purpose of this rule 'Economically Weaker Sections' shall be the persons who are bonafide resident of Rajasthan and not covered under the existing scheme of reservations for the Scheduled Castes, the Scheduled Tribes, the Backward Classes, the More Backward Classes and whose family has gross annual income below rupees 8.00 lac. Family for this purpose will include the person who seeks benefit of reservation, his/her parents and siblings below the age of 18 years as also his/her spouse and children below the age of 18 years. The income shall include income from all sources i.e. salary, agriculture, business, profession etc. and it will be income for the financial year prior to the year of application. Also persons whose family owns or possesses any of the following assets shall be excluded from being identified as, 'Economically Weaker Sections' irrespective of the family income:-

- (i) 5 acres of Agricultural Land and above;
- (ii) Residential flat of 1000 sq. ft. and above.
- (iii) Residential plot of 100 sq. yards and above in notified municipalities; or
- (iv) Residential plot of 200 sq. yards and above in areas other than the notified municipalities." vide Notification No. F.7(1)DOP/A-II/2019 Dated: 20.10.2019

<sup>%</sup>Substituted for 8(c) & Reservation of vacancies for Economically Weaker Sections:- Reservation of vacancies for Economically Weaker Sections shall be 10% in direct recruitment in addition to the existing reservation. In the event of non-availability of eligible and suitable candidate amongst Economically Weaker Sections in a particular year, the vacancies so reserved for them shall be filled in accordance with the normal procedure.

<sup>&</sup>amp; Added Vide Notification No. F.7 (1) DOP/A-II/2019 dated: 19.02.2019

- **9. Determination of Vacancies:-** (1) (a) Subject to the provisions of these rules, the Appointing Authority shall determine on 1<sup>St</sup> April every year, the actual number of vacancies occurring during the financial year.
- (b) Where a post is to be filled in by a single method as prescribed in the rule or Schedule, the vacancies so determined shall be filled in by that method.
- (c) Where a post is to be filled in by more than one method as prescribed in the rule or Schedules, the apportionment of vacancies determined under clause (a) above, to each such method shall be done maintaining the prescribed proportion for the overall number of posts already filled in. If any fraction of vacancies is left over, after apportionment of the vacancies in the manner prescribed above, the same shall be apportioned to the quota of various methods prescribed in a continuous cyclic order giving precedence to the promotion quota.
- (2) The Appointing Authority shall also determine the vacancies of earlier year, year-wise, which were required to be filled in by promotion, if such vacancies were not determined and filled earlier in the year in which they were required to be filled in."

- (b) In calculating the actual number to be filled by each method on the basis of the percentage prescribed in the Schedule, the Appointing Authority shall adopt an appropriate continuous cyclic order to correspond with the proportion laid down in the schedule by giving precedence to promotion quota.
- (2) The Appointing Authority shall determine every year the number of existing vacancies and those anticipated in next twelve months which are to be filled by promotion of persons already in the Service.
- (3) The Appointing Authority shall also determine the corresponding vacancies of earlier, if any, yearwise which were required to be filled in by promotion, if such vacancies were not determined and filled earlier in the year in which they were required to be filled in accordance with sub-rule (2)." vide Notification No.F.7(2)DOP/A-II/81 dated, the 21.12.1981
- <sup>®</sup>Substituted for- 9. Determination of Vacancies:- (1) Subject to provisions of these rules, the Appointing Authority shall determine each year the number of vacancies anticipated during the following twelve month and the number of person likely to be recruited by each method. Such vacancies shall be determined again before the expiry of 12 months of the last determination of such vacancies.
  - (2) In calculating the actual number to be filled by each method on the basis of the percentage prescribe in column 3 of the schedule, appended with relevant Service Rule each Appointing Authority shall adopt an appropriate cyclic order to correspond with the proportion laid down in each of the Service Rules by giving precedence to promotion quota over direct recruitment quota, e.g. where the appointment by direct recruitment and promotion is in the percentage of 75 and 25, respectively, the cycle shall run as follows:-

1. By promotion

3. By direct recruitment

5. By promotion

7. By direct recruitment

9. By promotion, and so on

2. By direct recruitment

4. By direct recruitment

6. By direct recruitment

8. By direct recruitment

Substituted for Rule 9. "Determination of vacancies-& (1)(a) Subject to the provisions of these rules, the Appointing Authority shall determine every year the number of existing vacancies and those anticipated during the following twelve months and the number of persons likely to be appointed to the service by each method. The next determination of vacancies shall be done just before the expiry of twelve months of the last determination of vacancies.

vide Notification No.F.5(3)DOP/A-II/77 dated 6th Oct., 1979.

<sup>&</sup>amp; Substituted for "Rule 9. Determination of vacancies.- Subject to the provisions of these Rules Government shall determine from time to time the number of vacancies in the service anticipated during a particular period of recruitment and the number of person likely to be recruited by each methods." vide Notification No.F.7(1) DOP(A-II)/73 dated 16-10-1973

- <sup>®</sup>10 "Nationality:- A candidate for appointment to the service must be:-
  - (a) a citizen of India, or
  - (b) a subject of Nepal, or
  - (c) a subject of Bhutan, or
  - (d) a Tibetan refugee who came over to India before the 1<sup>st</sup> January, 1962 with the intention of permanently settling in India, or
  - (e) a person of Indian origin who has migrated from Pakistan, Burma, Sri Lanka and East African Countries of Kenya, Uganda and United Republic of Tanzania (Formerly Tangayika and Zanzibar) \*Zambia, Malawi, Zaire and Ethiopia with the intension of permanently settling in India:

Provided that a candidate belonging to categories (b), (c), (d) and (e) shall be a person in whose favour a certificate of eligibility has been issued by the \$Government in the Department of Home Affairs and Justice after proper verification.

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- <sup>®</sup> Substituted for Rule 10 "Nationality.- A candidate for appointment to the service must be:-
  - (a) a citizen of India, or
  - (b) a subject of Sikkim, or
  - (c) a subject of Nepal, or
  - (d) a subject of Bhutan, or
  - (e) a Tibetan refugee who came over to India before the 1<sup>st</sup> January, 1962 with the intention of permanently settling in India, or
    - (f) a person of Indian origin who has migrated from Pakistan, Burma, Ceylon and East African Countries of Kenya, Uganda and The United Republic of Tanzania (Formerly Tangayka and Zanzibar) with the intension of permanently settling in India:

Provided that a candidates belonging to categories (c), (d), (e), & (f) shall be a person in whose favour a certificate of eligibility has been given by the Government of India and if he belongs to category (f) the certificate of eligibility will be issued for a period of one year, after which such a candidate will be retained in service subject to his having acquired Indian citizenship.

A candidate in whose case a certificate of eligibility is necessary may be admitted to an Examination or interview conducted by the Commission or other recruiting authority as the case may be, and he may also provisionally be appointed subject to the necessary certificate being given to him by the Government". vide Notification No.F.7(4)DOP/A-II/76 dated 7-9-1976

<sup>\*</sup> Inserted vide Notification No.F.7(4)DOP(A-II)/76 dated 4-6-77.

<sup>\$</sup>Substituted for "Government of India" vide Notification No.F.7(2)DOP/A-II/2002 dated 17.02.2003

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>&</sup> Deleted "A candidate in whose case a Certificate of eligibility is necessary may be admitted to an examination or interview conducted by the Commission or other recruiting Authority and he may also provisionally be appointed subject to the necessary certificate being given to him by the Government." vide No.F.7(2) DOP/A-II/2002 dated 17.2.2003

## $^{\mathrm{X}}10\mathrm{A}$ \*\*Conditions of eligibility of persons migrated from other countries to

**India":-** "Notwithstanding anything contained in these rules provisions regarding eligibility for recruitment to the Service with regard to Nationality, age-limit and fee or other concessions to a persons who may migrate from other Countries to India with the intension of permanently settling in India shall be regulated by such orders or instructions as may be issued by the State Government, from time to time and the same shall be regulated mutatis mutandis according to the instructions issued on the subject by the Government of India."

<sup>μ</sup>**11 Age**:- A candidate for recruitment must have attained the age of 21 years and must have not attained the age of \$"40 years" on the first day of January, following the date fixed for receipt of application.

#### Provided -

- <sup>1</sup>(1) "the upper age limit mentioned above shall be relaxed by,-
  - (a) 5 years in the case of male candidates belonging to the Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Backward Classes, More Backward Classes and Economically Weaker Sections;

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μ Replaced for "Rule 11. "Age- A candidate for direct recruitment must have attained the age of 21 years and must not have attained the age of 35 years on the first day of January, following the date fixed for receipt of applications:" Provided- "(i) that the upper age limit for a candidate belonging to a Scheduled Caste or a Scheduled Tribe and women candidate shall be 30 years.

! (ii) that the age limit shall be inside 5 year's for all in service irrespective of their holding post either in State or in sub-ordinate ranks or in lowest rank of the Service.

(iii) that the upper age limit for Jagirdars including Jagirdars' sons who did not have an Sub Jagir for their subsistence, shall be 40 years. This relaxation will remain in force for the period ending Ist January, 1964.

(iv) Provided that the upper age limit for the reservists, namely the defence service personnel transferred to the reserve, shall be 50 years.

(v) that the upper age limit for the political sufferer shall be 40 years till the 31st December, 1964.

Explanation.- The expression "Political sufferer" for the purpose of this rule shall have the meaning assigned to it under clause (iii) of rules 20 of the Rajasthan Political sufferer Aid Rules, 1959, published in Part IV (c) of Rajasthan Gazette dated 18<sup>th</sup> June, 1959.

(vi) that the persons appointed temporarily shall be deemed to be with in the age of limit when they were initially appointed even though they have crossed the age limit when they appear finally before the Commission and shall be allowed up to two chances had they been eligible as such at the time of their initial appointment." vide Notification No.F.4(28)Edu/IV/65, dated 27.02.1966

**Replaced for** "11 Age- A candidate for direct recruitment must have attained the age of 21 years and must not have attained the age of 25 years on the first day of January, following the last date fixed for receipt of applications. "vide Notification No.f.4(2)Edu/IV/65, dated 31-12-1965

Replaced for proviso (ii) "that the age limit shall be raised by 5 years for the member of the service who may apply for direct recruitment to the senior posts." vide notification No.F.4(28)Edu IV/63 dated 31-12-1965

\$ Substituted for "35 year" vide notification No.7(2)DOP/A-II/84 pt. Dated 6-3-2018

1% Substituted for "that the upper age limit mentioned above shall relaxed-

- (a) by 5 years in the case of the male candidates belonging to the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes,
- (b) by 5 years in the case of \*woman candidates belonging to General Category, Economically Backward Classes and Economically Weaker Sections"
- (c) by 10 years in the case of women candidates belonging to the Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and the <sup>@</sup>Backward Classes and Special Backward Classes." vide Notification No. F. 7(1) DOP/A-II/2019 dated 16.04.2021
- + Substituted for "woman candidates belonging to general category and Economically Backward Classes" vide Notification No. F. 7(1)DOP/A-II/2019 Dated 19.02.2019
- + Substituted for "women candidates belonging to General category" vide Notification No. F.7(8)DOP/A-II/2008 dated
- <sup>®</sup> Substituted for "Other Backward Classes" vide Notification No. F.7(8)DOP/A-II/2008 dated 28.08.2009
- Substituted "that the upper age limit mentioned above shall be relaxed by 5 years in the case of women candidates and candidates belonging to the scheduled castes or the scheduled tribes" vide Notification No. F.7(2)DOP/A-II/84/pt. Dated 30.04.2001

XInserted vide Notification No. F.7(5)DOP/A-II/76 dated 20.06.77

Inserted vide Notification No.F.2(4)DOP/A-II/79 Jaipur, dated the 22 Nov, 1984

- (b) 5 years in the case of woman candidates belonging to General category; and
- (c) 10 years in the case of woman candidates belonging to the Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Backward classes, More Backward Classes and Economically Weaker Sections."
- <sup>£</sup>(2) that the upper age limit mentioned above shall be relaxable by a period equal to the service rendered in the N.C.C in the case of Cadet Instructors and if the resultant age does not exceed the prescribed maximum age limit by more than 3 years, they shall be deemed to be within the prescribed age limit.

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- <sup>2</sup>(3) Notwithstanding: anything contained contrary in these rules in the case of person serving in connection with the affairs of the State in substantive capacity, the upper age limit shall be 40 years for direct recruitment to posts filled in by competitive examinations or in case of posts filled in through the Commission by interview. <sup>#</sup> (Deleted)
- <sup>A</sup>(4) that the upper age limit mentioned above shall not apply in the case of an ex-prisoner who had served under the Government on a substantive basis on any post before his conviction and was eligible for appointment under the Rules.
- <sup>®</sup>(5) that in the case of other ex-prisoner the upper age limit mentioned above shall be relaxed by a period equal to the term of imprisonment served by him provided he was not overage before his conviction and was eligible for appointment under the Rules.
- $^{\beta}$ (6) that the Released Emergency Commissioned Officers and short service Commissioned Officers after released from the Army shall be deemed to be within the age limit even though they have crossed the age-limit when they appear before the Commission had they been eligible as such at the time of their joining the Commission in the Army.
- ${}^{\alpha}$ (7) that there shall be no age limit in the case of widows and divorce women. Explanation:- That in the case of widow, she will have to furnish a certificate of death of her husband from the Competent Authority and in case of divorce she will have to furnish the proof of divorcee.
- <sup>1</sup>(8) that the upper age limit for persons serving in connection with the affairs of the Panchayat Samitis and zila Parishads and in the State Public Sector Undertakings /Corporation in substantive capacity shall be 40 years.
- <sup>D</sup>(9) "the upper age limit mentioned above shall be relaxed by 5 years in the case of candidates belonging to the other Backward Classes."
- <sup>C</sup>(10) if a candidate would have been entitled in respect of his/her age for direct recruitment in any year in which no such recruitment was held, he/she shall be deemed to be eligible in the next following recruitment, if he/she is not overage by more than 3 years.

 $<sup>\</sup>alpha$ Inserted vide Notification No.F.7(2)DOP/A-II/84 dated 18-12-1987

<sup>&#</sup>x27;Added vide Notification No. F.7(1)DOP/A-II/78 Dated 30.11.1998

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>D</sup>Added vide Notification No.F7(2)DOP/A-II/93 pt Dated 25.05.2000

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>£</sup>Added vide Notification No.F.1(10)Apptt(A-II)/66 dated 11-04-1967 and corrigendum of even No. date 15-12-1971 <sup>2</sup>Inserted Vide Notification F.7(8)DOP(A-II)/74 dated 13-12-1971 & corrigendum of even No. dated 25-07-1975 Effective from 28-10-1974

<sup>#</sup>Deleted "this relaxation shall not apply to urgent temporary appointment." vide Notification No.F.7(8)DOP/A-II/74 dated 26.06.1997

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>A</sup> Added Vide Notification F.15(6)DOP(A-II)/74 dated 18-04-1975. Effective from 21-12 1960

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>®</sup> Added Vide Notification F.15(6)DOP(A-II)/74 dated 18-04-1975. Effective from 21-12 1960

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>β</sup> Inserted vide Notification No.F7(2)DOP(A-II)/75 dated 20-09-1975

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>C</sup>Added vide Notification No. F.7(6)DOP/A-II/2008 dated 23.09.2008

12. Academic and Technical qualification: A candidate for direct recruitment to any post in the service must have qualifications prescribed in column 6 of the schedule.

<sup>@</sup>(Deleted)

\*"Provided that the person who has appeared or is appearing in the final year examination of the course which is the requisite educational qualification for the post as mentioned in the rules or schedule for direct recruitment, shall be eligible to apply for the post but he/she shall have to submit proof of having acquired the requisite educational qualification to the appropriate selection agency:-

- (i) before appearing in the main examination, where selection is made through two stages of written examination and interview;
- (ii) before appearing in interview where selection is made through written examination and interview;
- (iii) before appearing in the written examination or interview, where selection is made through only written examination or only interview, as the case may be."

13. Character:- The character of a candidate for recruitment to the service must be such as to qualify him for employment in the service. He must, unless he is already serving in a substantive capacity in connection with the affairs of the State, produce a certificate of good character from the principal academic office of the University or college in which he was last educated and two such certificate written not more than six month prior to the date of application from two responsible persons not connected with his college or University and not related to him.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>®</sup>Deleted "Besides possessing a working knowledge of Hindi written in Devnagari Script and of Rajasthan dialects." vide Notification No.F.4(28)Edu./IV/65 dated 31-02-1965

<sup>\*</sup>Added vide Notification No.F.8(7)DOP/A-II/97 dated 17.09.1999

<sup>®</sup>Explanation (1):- A conviction by a court of law need not of itself involve the refusal of a certificate of good character. The circumstance of the conviction should be taken into account and if they involve no moral turpitude or association with crime of violence or with a movement which has as its object the over throw by violence means of Government as by law established, the mere conviction need not regarded as a disqualification.

<sup>®</sup>Explanation <sup>%</sup>(2):- Ex-prisoner who by their disciplined life while in prison and by their subsequent good conduct have proved to be completely reformed should not be discriminated against on ground of the precious conviction for purpose of employment in the service. Those who are convicted of offences not involving moral turpitude shall be deemed to have been completely reformed on the production of a report to that effect from the Superintendent. After Care Home or if there are no such homes in a particular district, from the Superintendent of Police of that district. Those convicted of offences involving moral turpitude shall be required to produce a certificate from the Superintendent. After Care Home endorsed by the Inspector General of prisons to the effect that they are suitable for employment as they have proved to be completely reformed by their disciplined life in prison and by their subsequent good conduct in an after Care Home.

X14. Physical fitness:- A candidate for direct recruitment to the service, must be in good mental or bodily health and free from any mental or physical defect likely to interfere with the efficient performance of his duties as a member of service and if selected must produce a certificate to that effect from a Medical Authority notified by the Government for the purpose. The Appointing Authority may dispense with production of such certificate in the case of candidate promoted in the regular line of promotion, or who is already serving in connection with the affairs of the State if he has already been medically examined for the previous appointment and the essential standards of medical examination of the two posts held by him are to be comparable for efficient performance of duties of the new post and his age has not reduced his efficiency for the purpose.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>®</sup> Substituted for "Note (1)" and "Note (2)" vide Notification No.F.1(4)DOP(A-II)/80 dated 13.05.1980

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>%</sup> Inserted vide Notification No. F.1(4) Apptt.(AII)/60 dated 28-06-1961

X Substituted for "14.Physical fitness:- A candidate for recruitment to the Service must be in good mental and bodily health and free from any physical defect likely to interfere with the efficient performance of his duties as a member of the service and if selected for an appointment, must produce a certificate to that effect from the Medical Authority prescribed by the Government for the purpose." vide Notification No. F.7(2)DOP(A-II)/74 dated 05-07-1974

<sup>®</sup>14A. Employment of irregular or improper means:- A candidate who is or has been declared by the Commission/Appointing Authority guilty of impersonation or of submitting fabricated documents which have been tempered with or of making statements which are incorrect or false or of suppressing material information or using or attempting to use unfair means in the examination or interview or other-wise resorting to any other irregular or improper means for obtaining admission to the examination or appearance at any interview, shall, in addition to rendering himself liable to criminal prosecution be debarred either permanently or for a specified period.

- (a) by the Commission/Appointing Authority from admission to any examination or appearance at any interview held by the Commission/Appointing Authority for selection of the candidate, and
- (b) by the Government from employment under the Government.
- **15.** Qualification for promotion: No one shall be eligible for promotion unless he possesses the qualification and experience prescribed in column 5 of the schedule.
- **16. Canvassing:-** No recommendation for recruitment either written or oral other than that required under the rules shall be taken into consideration. Any attempt on the part of a candidate to enlist support directly or indirectly for his candidature by other means \* "shall" disqualify him for recruitment.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>@</sup> Added vide notification No. F.1(33)Apptts (A-II)/60 dated 26.08.1965

<sup>\*</sup> Substituted for "may" vide Notification No.F.1(4)DOP(A-II)/80 dated 13.05.1980

#### **PART IV- Procedure for Recruitment**

17. Inviting of applications:- Applications for direct recruitment to posts in the Service shall be invited by the Commission or the Appointing Authority as the case may be, by advertising the vacancies to be filled in the Official Gazette or in such other manner as may be deem <sup>&</sup> fit.

\$"The advertisement shall contain a clause that a candidate who accepts the assignment on the post being offered to him/her shall be paid monthly fixed remuneration at the rate fixed by the State Government from time to time during the period of probation and the scale of pay of the post as shown else-where in the Advertisement shall be allowed only from the date of successful completion of the period of probation mentioned in the respective Recruitment Rules:"

Provided that while selecting candidates for the vacancies so advertised, the Commission may (i) if intimation of additional requirement is sent to the Commission before the selection and (ii) if suitable persons are available keep on their reserve list more candidates whose number shall not exceed 50% of the advertised vacancies. <sup>%</sup>(The names of such candidates may, on requisition, be recommended in the order of merit to the Appointing Authority within six months from the date on which the original list is forwarded to the Appointing Authority).

X17A. Frequency of direct recruitment:- Direct recruitment to the post specified in the Schedule shall be held at least once a year unless the Government decides that a direct recruitment for any of these posts shall not be held in any particular year.

\*18. Form of Application:- The Application shall be made in the form prescribed by the Commission obtainable from the Secretary to the Commission on payment of such fee as the Commission may from time to time, prescribe.

<sup>&</sup>amp; Substituted for "fit:" vide Notification No. F. 7(2)DOP/A-II/2005 dated: 20-01-2006

<sup>\$</sup>Added vide Notification No.F-7(2)DOP/A-II/2005 dated: 20-01-2006

<sup>%</sup> Substituted for "The names of such candidates may be recommended on requisition to the appointing authority within six months from the date of interview." vide Notification No.F.1(27)Apptts (A-II)/69, dated 13-12-73

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>X</sup>Added vide Notification No. F.7(6)DOP/A-II/2008 dated: 23-09-2008

<sup>\*</sup>Substituted for "Rule 18- Form of application the application shall be made in the form prescribed by the Commission and obtainable from the secy. to the Commission on payment of such fees the Commission may from time to time prescribe." vide Notification No.F.7(2)DOP(A-II)/73, dated 5-11-1973.

\$19. Application fee:- A candidate for direct recruitment to a post in the Service must pay the fees fixed by the Commission/the Appointing Authority, as the case may be, in such manner as may be as indicated by them/ it.

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	Service	For competitive examination	For interviews.
1.	State Service	Rs. 50.00	Rs. 20.00
2.	Subordinate Services		
	Carrying Pay scales		
	lower than Rs.110-225.	Rs. 30.00	Rs. 10.00
3.	Ministerial Services		
	Carrying Pay scales of		
	lower than Rs.110-225	Rs.20.00	Rs. 5.00

In the case of candidate belonging to Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes, the fee shall be one fourth in all cases. Form of application shall be obtainable from the Commission free of charge.

- <sup>®</sup>**20**. "Scrutiny of applications and examinations.-(1) The applications received by the Commission which are found to be incomplete shall be rejected by them. Before appearing in the examination, it should be ensured by the candidate himself/herself that he/she fulfils the conditions in regard to age, educational qualifications, experience, if any, etc. as provided in these rules. Being allowed to take the examination shall not entitle the candidate to presumption of eligibility. The candidates shall have to appear in the written examination. The Commission shall scrutinise later on the applications of such candidates only as qualify in the written examination.
- (2) The Scheme and Syllabus of written examination shall be such as may be decided by the Commission, from time to time.
- (3) The decision of the Commission regarding the eligibility or otherwise of a candidate shall be final."
- 21. Recommendation of the Commission:- The Commission shall prepare a list of the candidates whom they consider suitable for appointment to the Service arranged in the order of \*merit and forward the same to Government.\*Provided that the Commission, may to extent of 50% of the advertised vacancies keep names of suitable candidates on the reserve list. The name of such candidates may, on requisition, be recommended in the order of merit to the Government within six months from the date on which the original list is forwarded by the Commission to the Government.

\$ Substituted for "Rule19- A candidate for recruitment to the Service must pay to the Commission in such manner, as may be prescribed by the Commission an application fee Rs.15/- or Rs.8/- if he is a member of Scheduled Caste or Scheduled Tribe"

wide Notification No. F. 1(2) Apptt./(D)/60 dated 21-06-1962

Substituted for "20. **Scrutiny of applications:**- The Commission shall scrutinize the applications received by them and require as many candidates qualified for appointment under these rules as seem to them desirable to appear before them for interview." vide Notification No.F.1(2)DOP/A-II/97 Pt., dated 23-05-2022.

<sup>&</sup>amp; Substituted for "preference" vide Notification No.F.1 (4)DOP(A-II)/80 dated 13.05.1980

<sup>\*</sup>Inserted vide Notification No. F.1(27)DOP(A-II)/69 dt, 25-10-1971

- \*21A. Disqualifications for the Appointment:- (1) No male candidate who has more than one wife living shall be eligible for appointment to the Service unless Government after being satisfied that there are special grounds for doing so exempt any candidate from the operation of this rule.
- (2) No female candidate who is married to a person having already a wife living shall be eligible for appointment to the service unless Government after being satisfied that there are special grounds for doing so, exempt any female candidate from the operation of this rule:
  - <sup>@</sup>(3) Deleted
- +(4) No married candidate shall be eligible for appointment to the service if he/she had, at the time of his/her marriage accepted any dowry.

**Explanation:-** for the purpose of this rule, 'dowry' has the same meaning as in the Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961 (Central Act, 28 of 1961)

%(5) "No candidate shall be eligible for appointment to the service who has more than two children on or after 1.6.2002.

Provided that the candidate having more than two children shall not be deemed to be disqualified for appointment so long as the number of children he/she has on 1<sup>st</sup> June, 2002, does not increase.

Provided further that where a candidate has only one child from earlier delivery but more than one child are born out of a single subsequent delivery, the children so born shall be deemed to be one entity while counting the total number of children."

<sup>X</sup> Provided also that while counting the total number of children of a candidate, the child born from earlier delivery and having disability shall not be counted.

Provided also that any candidate who performed remarriage which is not against any law and before such remarriage he is not disqualified for appointment under this sub-rule, he shall not be disqualified if any child is born out of single delivery from such remarriage.

<sup>\*</sup>Inserted vide Notification No. F.7(3)DOP(A-II)/76 dt. 21-05-1976

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>®</sup>Deleted "(3) No candidate male or female who had more than three children shall be eligible for appointment to the Service unless one of the spouses has undergone sterilization or in the case of a female candidate, she is above 45 years of age.

Provided that any married candidate, male or female, who had no child for the last 10 years shall be exempted from the operation of this sub rule.

Explanation- (i) For the purpose of this sub-rule, a child shall include an adopted child or a step-child; and

<sup>(</sup>ii) For claiming exemption under the proviso to this sub-rule the candidate shall have to produce a certificate either from a Registered Medical Practitioner or swear an affidavit to the effect that the age of his or her youngest child is not less than 10 years." vide Notification No. F-7(3)DOP/A-II/76 dated 15-02-1977

<sup>\*</sup>Inserted vide Notification No.F.15(9)DOP/A-II/74 dated 5-1-1977.

<sup>%</sup> Substituted for # "No candidate shall be eligible for appointment to the service who has more than two children on or after 1.6.2002.

Provided that where a candidate has only one child from earlier delivery but more than one child are born out of a single subsequent delivery the children so born shall be deemed to be one entity while counting the total number of children." vide Notification No.F.7(1)DOP/A-II/95 the dated 08-04-2003

<sup>\*</sup>Added vide Notification No.F.7(1)DOP/A-II/95 the dated 20-06-2001

XAdded vide Notification No.F.7(1)DOP(A-II)/Pt. dated 24.02.2011

<sup>^</sup> Added vide Notification No.F.7(1)DOP(A-II)/95Pt.II dated 20.11.2015

**22. Selection by Government:-** Subject to the provisions of rule 8, \$8A & 8B Government shall select the candidates, who stand highest in the order of merit in the list prepared by the Commission under Rule 21 Provided that it is satisfied after such enquiry as may be considered necessary that such candidates are suitable in all other respects for appointment to the service.

#### **PART-V** Procedure for recruitment by promotion

**23.** Criteria for promotion:- (1) For purpose of recruitment to the service, by promotion, a selection on the basis of seniority-cum-merit shall be made from amongst all the persons eligible for such promotion under the provisions of these rules,  $^{x}$ (on the first day of the month of April of the year of selection.)

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\*Explanation.-In case direct recruitment to a post has been made earlier than regular selection by promotion in a particular year, such of the persons who are or were eligible for appointment to that post by both the methods of recruitment and have been appointed by direct recruitment first, shall also considered for promotion.

<sup>®</sup>**23A.** Provided that no officer shall be considered for promotion unless he is substantively appointed and confirmed on the next lower post. If no officer substantive in next lower post is eligible for promotion officers who have been appointed on such post on officiating basis after selection in accordance with one of the methods of recruitment or under any Service Rules promulgated under proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, may be considered for promotion on officiating basis only in the order of seniority in which they would have been had they been substantive on the said lower post.

<sup>\$</sup> Substituted for "8 & 8A" vide Notification No.F.7(2)DOP/A-II/88 dated 22-01-1997

Inserted vide Notification No.F.1(4)DOP(A-II)/73 dated 13-6-1974.

<sup>\*</sup>Deleted "(2) Selecting the candidate for promotion regard shall be had to their:-

<sup>(</sup>a) technical qualification and knowledge;

<sup>(</sup>b) tact, energy and intelligence;

<sup>(</sup>c) integrity; and

<sup>(</sup>d) previous record of service" vide Notification No. F.1(6)Apptt.(D)/60 dated 14-12-1965

<sup>%</sup> Inserted vide Notification No. F.7(1)Karmik(KA-II)/75 dated 20-09-1975.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>®</sup> Inserted vide Notification No. F.7(10)DOP(A-II)/74 dated 05-07-1974

- **24. Procedure for Promotion:** (1) As soon as it is decided that any posts in the Service are to be filled by promotion the Director shall prepare a list of all persons mentioned in column 4 of the schedule who are eligible for promotion to the service under the provisions of the rules, in order of seniority and shall forward the same together with the Confidential Rolls and Personal Files of the persons included to the %Secretary to the Government, Art, Culture and Archaeology department.
- (2) A Committee consisting of the Chairman of the Public Service Commission or a Member of the Commission nominated by him as Chairman, the Secretary to Government in the Art, Culture and Archaeology Department <sup>†</sup>or the Special Secretary concerned nominated by him. The Special Secretary to Government in the <sup>®</sup>(Department of Personnel) or his representative not below the rank of Deputy Secretary and the Director of Archaeology and Museums shall consider the cases of all the persons included in the list, interviewing such of them as they may deem necessary and shall select a number of candidates twice the number of vacancies likely to be filled by promotion. The names of the candidates so selected shall be arranged in a list in order of seniority.
- (3) The list prepared by the Committee and also of those superseded if any shall be forwarded to the Commission together with the confidential rolls and personal files of the candidates included in the list as also of those superseded if any and the Commission shall be requested to advice on their suitability for promotion. The Commission shall consider the cases of the persons included in the list and also of those superseded and shall subject to their suitability approve as many of them as the number of vacancies likely to be filled by promotion.
- (4) The Commission shall arrange the names of the candidates approved by them in a list in the order of seniority and shall forward it to Government, who shall make appointments in the same order.

<sup>%</sup> Substituted for "Secretary to the Government in the Education" vide Notification No.F.1(21)DOP(A-II)/84 dated

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>+</sup> Inserted vide Notification No. F.7(9)DOP(A-II)/74 dated 15-10-1974

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>®</sup> Substituted for "Appointments Departments" vide Notification No. F.1(13)DOP(A-II)/72-I, dated 03.01.1973. Effective from 17.07.1972

#### \*24 A. Criteria, Eligibility and Procedure for Promotion :-

(1) As soon as the Appointing Authority determines the number of vacancies under rule regarding determination of vacancies of these rules and decides that a certain number of posts are required to be filled in by promotion, it shall subject to the provisions of sub-rule (6), prepare a correct and complete list of the senior most persons who are eligible and qualified under these rules for promotion on the basis of seniority cum merit or on the basis of merit of the class of posts concerned.

X+ Substituted for "Rule 24 A. Revised Criteria, Eligibility and Procedure for Promotion to Junior, Senior and other posts encadred in the Service:-

(1) As soon as the Appointing Authority determines the number of vacancies under rule regarding determination of vacancies of these rules and decides that a certain number of posts are required to be filled in by promotion, it shall, subject to provisions of sub-rule (9), prepare a correct and complete list of the senior-most persons who are eligible and qualified under these rules for promotion on the basis of seniority-cum-merit or on the basis of merit to the class of posts concerned.

\$(1A) No person shall be considered for promotion for 5 recruitment years from the date on which his promotion becomes due, if he/she has more than two children on or after 1st June, 2002.

Provided that the person having more than two children shall not be deemed to be disqualified for promotion so long as the number of children he/she has on 1st June, 2002 does not increase".

Provided further that where a Government Servant has only one child from the earlier delivery but more than one child are born out of a single subsequent delivery, the children so born shall be deemed to be one entity while counting the total number of children"

- \$ Added vide Notification No. F.7(1)DOP/A-II/95 dated 20-06-2001 and vide corrigendum dated 21.11.2015.
- (2) The persons enumerated in \*"Column 4" or the relevant Column regarding "post from which promotion is to be made", as the case may be, of the relevant Schedule shall be eligible for promotion to posts specified against them in Column 2 thereof to the extent indicated in Column 3 subject to their possessing minimum qualifications and experience on the first day of the month of April of the year of selection as specified in Column 6 or in the relevant Column regarding "minimum qualification and experience for promotion", as the case may be.
- \*Substituted for "Column 5" vide Notification No. F.1(16)DOP/A-II/82 dated 25.08.1982
- & (3) No person shall be considered for first promotion in the Service unless he is substantively appointed and confirmed on lowest post in the Service. After first promotion in the Service for subsequent promotions to higher posts in the Service, a person shall be eligible if he has been appointed to such post from which promotion is to be made after selection in accordance with one of the methods of recruitment under any Service Rules promulgated under proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India.

<sup>®</sup>Provided that for first promotion in the Service if number of persons substantively appointed and confirmed on the lowest post, equal to the number of vacancies, are not available then persons who have been appointed to the lowest post in the Service after selection in accordance with one of the methods of recruitment prescribed under these rules, shall also be eligible if they fulfill other conditions of eligibility.

**Explanation:** In case direct recruitment to a post has been made earlier than regular selection by promotion in a particular year, such of the persons who are or were eligible for appointment to that post by both the methods of recruitment and have been appointed by direct recruitment first, shall also be considered for promotion.

- <sup>®</sup> Added vide Notification No.F.7(8)DOP/A-II/78 dated 13 May, 1980
- Substituted for "No person shall be considered for promotion unless he is substantively appointed and confirmed. If no person substantive in the next lower post is eligible for promotion, persons who have been appointed on such posts on officiating basis after selection in accordance with one of the methods of recruitment or under any Service Rules promulgated under proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, may be considered for promotion on officiating basis only in the order of seniority in which they would have, had they been substantive on the said lower post." vide Notification No.F.7(8)DOP/A-II/78 dated 20.07. 1979 (4) Selection for promotion in the regular line of promotion from the post/posts not included in Service to the lowest post category of post in the service shall be made strictly on the basis of merit and on the basis of seniority-cum-merit in the proportion of 50: 50:

Provided that if the Committee is satisfied that suitable persons are not available for selection by promotion strictly on the basis of merit in a particular year, selection by promotion on the basis of seniority-cum-merit may be made in the same manner as specified in these rules.

(2) The persons enumerated in the relevant column regarding post from which promotion is to be made, of the relevant schedule shall be eligible for promotion to posts specified against them in column 2 thereof to the extent indicated in column 3 subject to their possessing minimum qualifications and experience on the first day of the month of April of the year of selection as specified in the relevant column regarding minimum qualification and experience for promotion.

(5) Subject to the provisions of sub-rule (7), selection for promotion from the lowest post or category of post in the State Service to the next higher post or category of post in the State Service and for all posts in the Subordinate Services and in the Ministerial Services shall be made strictly on the basis of seniority-cum-merit from amongst the persons who have passed the qualifying examination, if any, prescribed under these rules, and have put in at least five years service, unless a different period is prescribed elsewhere in these rules, on the first day of the month of April of the year of selection on the post or category of post from which selection is to be made:

Delete proviso.

(6) Selection for Provided that promotion to all other higher posts or higher categories of posts in the state service shall be made on the basis of merit and on the basis of seniority-cum-merit in the proportion of 50: 50:

Provided that if the Committee is satisfied that suitable persons are not available for selection promotion strictly on the basis of merit in a particular year, selection by promotion on the basis of seniority-cum-merit may be made in the same manner as specified these rules.

<sup>4</sup>Explanation:- If in a service, in any category of post, number of posts available for promotion is an odd number then for purpose of determining the vacancies for selection by promotion on the basis of seniority-cum-merit and merit in the proportion of 50:50, the following cyclic order shall be followed:

The first vacancy by seniority-cum-merit;

The subsequent vacancy by merit;

The cycle to be repeated.

Oblete "Provided that in the event of non-availability of the persons with the requisite period of service of five years, the Committee may consider the persons having less than the prescribed period of service, if they fulfill the qualification and other conditions for promotion prescribed elsewhere in these rules, and are found otherwise suitable for promotion on the basis of seniority-cum-merit" vide Notification F. 7(3)DOP/A-II/95 Dated 18.02.1998.

Added vide Notification F. 7(10)DOP/A-2/77 Dated 17.08.1978

- <sup>3</sup>(7) Selection for promotion to the highest post/posts in the State Service shall always be made on the basis of merit alone; Provided that-
  - (a) In a Service or Groups or Sections thereunder, where there are only to scales e.g. junior scale or senior scale and there is only one promotion then promotion shall be made on the basis of senior cum merit alone;
  - (b) In a Service or Groups or Sections thereunder, where there three scales e.g. junior scale, senior scale and selection scale and there are two promotion then promotion shall be as under;-
    - (i) First promotion on the basis of seniority cum merit;
    - (ii)Second promotion on the basis of seniority cum merit and merit in the proportion of 50:50.
  - (c) In Services or Groups or Sections thereunder, where there are more than two promotions then first promotion shall be made on the basis of seniority cum merit alone and promotions to subsequent higher post shall be made on the basis of seniority cum merit and merit in the proportion of 50:50 except to the highest post:
- provided further that if the committee is satisfied that suitable persons are not available for selection by promotion to highest post/posts strictly on the basis of merit in a particular year, selection by promotion to highest post/posts on the basis of seniority cum merit may be made in the same manner as specified in these rules.

Proviso added vide Notification F. 7(10)DOP/A-2/77 Dated 31.03.1980

<sup>3</sup>Substituted for "(7) Selection for promotion to the highest post or highest categories of posts in the State Services shall always be made on the basis of merit alone." vide Notification F. 7(10)DOP/A-2/77 Dated 12.05.1978.

π(8) Deleted

**Explanation:-** If any doubt arises about the categorization of the post as the lowest, next higher or highest post in the Service, the matter shall be referred to the Government in the Department of Personnel and Administrative Reforms whose decision thereon shall be final

<sup>π</sup>Deleted "(8) The persons having been selected and appointed by promotion to a post or category of post on the basis of merit, shall be eligible for promotion to the next higher post or category of post, which is to be filled in by merit, only when they have put in after regular selection, at least five years service, unless a higher period of service is prescribed elsewhere in these rules, on the first day of the month of April of the year of selection on the post or category of post from which selection to be made:

Provided that the condition of five years' Service shall not be applicable to a person if any person junior to him is eligible for consideration for promotion on the basis of merit:

Provided further that in the event of non-availability of persons, equal to the number of vacancies to be filled in, eligible for promotion in the category of posts next lower from which promotion is made, the Committee may consider the persons having less than five years' service if they are found otherwise suitable for promotion on the basis of merit alone." vide Notification No. F.7(6)DOP/A-II/75,dated 15.07.1992

(3) No person shall be considered for first promotion in the service unless he is regularly selected on the post from which promotion is to be made in accordance with one of the methods of recruitment prescribed under the provisions of these rules.

**Explanation:** In case direct recruitment to a post has been made earlier than regular selection by promotion in a particular year such of the persons who are or were eligible for appointment to that post by both the methods of recruitment and have been appointed by direct recruitment first, shall also be considered for promotion.

@(9) The zone of consideration of persons eligible for promotion shall be as under :-

#### (i) Number of Vacancies - Number of eligible persons to be considered.

(a) for one vacancyFive eligible persons.(b) for two vacanciesEight eligible persons.(c) for three vacanciesTen eligible persons.

(d) for four or more vacancies Three times the number of vacancies.

- (ii) Where, the number of eligible persons for promotion to higher post is less then the number specified above, all the persons so eligible shall be considered.
- (iii) Where, adequate number of the candidates belonging to the Scheduled Castes or the Scheduled Tribes, as the cases may be, are not available within the zone of consideration specified above, the zone of consideration may be extended to <a href="mailto:xseven">xseven</a> times the number of vacancies and the candidates belonging to the Scheduled Castes or the Scheduled Tribes, as the case may be (and not any other) coming within the extended zone of consideration shall also be considered against the vacancies reserved for them.
- (iv) For the highest post in a State Service:-
  - (a) If promotion is from one category of post, eligible persons up to five in number shall be considered for promotion;
  - (b) If promotion is from different categories of the post in the same pay scale, eligible persons up to the in number from each category of posts in the same pay scale shall be considered for promotion;
  - (c) If promotion is from different categories of posts carrying different pay scales, eligible persons in the higher pay scale shall be for promotion first considered and if no suitable persons is available for promotion on the basis of merit in the higher pay scale than only the eligible persons of other categories of posts in lower pay scales shall be considered for promotion and so on and so forth. The zone of consideration for eligibility in this case shall be limited to five senior-most eligible persons in all.

×Substituted for "five" vide Notification No. F.7(1)DOP/A-II/81 dated 07.04.2003

@Substituted for "(9)The zone of consideration of persons eligible for promotion shall be as under:-

- <sup>8</sup>(i) the zone of eligibility for promotion shall be five times the number of vacancy to be filled on the basis of seniority cum merit or merit or by both, as the case may be.
- (ii) For the highest post in <sup>£</sup>State Service;
  - (a) if the promotion is from one category of post, eligible persons upto five in number shall be consider for promotion,
- (b) if promotion is from different categories of posts in a same pay scale, eligible person upto two in number from each category of posts in the same pay scale shall be consider for promotion;
- (c) if promotion is from different category of posts carrying different pay scale, eligible person in the higher pay scale shall be consider for promotion first and if no suitable person is available for promotion on the basis of merit in the higher pay scale then only the eligible persons of other categories of posts in lower pay scale shall be consider for promotion and so and on so forth. The zone of consideration for eligibility in the case shall be limited to five senior most eligible persons in all." vide Notification No. F.7(1)DOP/A-II/81, dated the 6th July, 1983 and effect from 1.04.1984 vide even notification dated 10.05.1984

<sup>8</sup>Clause (i) of rule 9 was substituted for

#### Number of Vacancies Number of eligible persons to be considered

(a) 1 to 5 vacancies 4 times of the number of vacancies.

(b) 6 to 10 vacancies 3 times, but at least 20 eligible persons to be considered.
(c) Above 10 vacancies 2 times, but at least 30 eligible persons to be considered.

vide notification no. F. 7(1) DOP/A-II/81 dated 29.01.1981.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>£</sup> inserted vide Notification No. F. 7(10)DOP/A-II/77 Dated 26.09.1978

(4) No person shall be considered for promotion for <sup>6</sup> three recruitment years" from the date on which his promotion becomes due, if he/she has more than two children on or after 1st June, 2002.

Provided that -

- (i) the persons having more than two children shall not be deemed to be disqualified for promotion so long as the number of children he/she has on 1st June 2002 does not increase.
- (ii) where a Government servant has only one child from earlier delivery but more than one child are born out of a single subsequent delivery, the children so born shall be deemed to be one entity while counting the total number of children.
- while counting the total number of children of a candidate, the child born from earlier delivery and having disability shall not be counted.

(10) Except as otherwise expressly provided in this rule, the conditions of eligibility for promotion, constitution of the Committee and procedure for selection shall be the same as prescribed elsewhere in these rules.

- 5. ((11) (a) The Committee shall consider the cases of all the senior most persons who are eligible and qualified for promotion to the class of posts concerned under these rules and shall prepare a list containing names of the persons found suitable on the basis of seniority-cum-merit and/or on the basis of merit, as the case may be, as per the criteria for promotion laid down in these rules, equal to the number of vacancies determined under rule relating to "Determination of vacancies" of these rules. The list so prepared on the basis of seniority-cum-merit and/or on the basis of merit, as the case may be, shall be arranged in the order of seniority on the category of posts from which selection is made.
  - (b) The committee shall also prepare a separate list on the basis of seniority-cum-merit and/or on the basis of merit, as the case may be, as per the criteria for promotion laid down in the rules, containing names of persons equal to the number of persons selected in the list prepared under (a) above to fill temporary or permanent vacancies, which may occur subsequently. The list so prepared on the basis of seniority-cum-merit and/or on the basis of merit shall be arranged in the order of the seniority in the category of posts from which selection shall be made. Such a list shall be reviewed and revised by the Departmental Promotion Committee that meets in the subsequent year and that such list shall remain in force till the end of the last day of the next year or till the Departmental Promotion Committee meets, whichever is earlier.
  - (c) Such lists shall be sent to the Appointing Authority together with Annual Confidential Reports/Annual Performance Appraisal Reports and other Service Record of all the Candidates included in the lists as also of those not selected, if any."
- Explanation: For the purpose of selection for promotion on the basis of merit, officers with "Outstanding" or consistently 'Very-Good' record shall only be selected and their names arranged in the order of seniority."
- Substituted for (11) The Committee shall consider the case of all the senior-most persons who are eligible and qualified for promotion to the class of posts concerned under these rules, ""interviewing such of them as they may deem necessary" and shall prepare a list containing names of the suitable persons equal to the number of existing vacancies and the vacancies anticipated to occur during the next twelve months after the determination of vacancies. The Committee shall also prepare a separate list containing the names of persons equal to 50% of the persons selected in the aforesaid list or select one more persons if the number of vacancies is one only, who may be considered suitable to fill temporary or permanent vacancies, which may occur till the next meeting of the Committee, on a temporary or officiating basis and the list so prepared shall be reviewed and revised every year and shall remain in force until it is so reviewed and revised. The lists so prepared on the basis of merit and on the basis of seniority-cum-merit shall be arranged in the order of seniority on the category of post from which selection is to be made. Such lists shall be sent to the concerned Appointing Authority together with the Annual Confidential Rolls and Personal Files of all the candidates included in them as also those not-selected, if any." vide Notification No.F.7(2)DOP/A-II/81 dated, the 19th Feb., 1982 (w.e.f. 1.04.1981)
- Substituted for **Explanation**:- For the purpose of selection on the basis of merit the list of officers graded as 'Outstanding' and 'Very-Good' shall be classified in the First category in the order of seniority, the officers graded as 'Good' shall be classified in the Second category in the order of seniority and the officers graded as 'Average' and Not-Selected' Shall be classified in the Third category. The officers graded and classified in the Second category list shall be placed below the officers graded and classified in the first category list and such officers shall be appointed from this category only if the officers graded and classified in the first category list is exhausted otherwise they shall not be appointed to the Service by promotion. The Officers graded and classified in the third category list shall not be considered for appointment by promotion." vide Notification No.F.7(10)DOP/A-II/77 dated 11.04.79

<sup>\*</sup>Inserted vide Notification No.F.11(1)DOP/A-II/77 dated 20 March, 1980

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup>Substituted for "Five recruitment years" vide Notification F. 7(1)DOP/A-II/95 Pt.-II dated: 19.09.2017

vbSubstituted for "Provided also that while counting the total number of children of a candidate, the child born from earlier delivery and having desability shall not be counted." vide Notification No. F. 7(1) DOP/A-II/95/Pt.-III dated 03.07.2019 (w.e.f. 01.06.2002)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>b</sup> Added vide Notification No. F. 7(1)DOP/A-11/95/Pt.-II dated 24.02.2011

- <sup>2</sup>(iv) Provided also that any person who performed remarriage which is not against any law and before such remarriage he is not disqualified for promotion under this sub-rule, he shall not be deemed to be disqualified with effect from 01.06.2002, if any child is born out of single delivery from such remarriage.
- &(11-A) If in any subsequent year, after promulgation of these rules, Vacancies relating to any earlier year are determined under sub-rule (2) of rule relating to determination of vacancies which were required to be filled by promotion, the Departmental promotion Committee shall consider the cases of all such persons who would have been eligible in the year to which the vacancies relate irrespective of the year in which the meeting of the Departmental Promotion Committee is held and such promotion committee is held and such promotions shall be governed by the criteria and procedure for promotion as was applicable in the particular year to which the vacancies relate, and the service/experience of an incumbent who has been so promoted, for promotion to higher post for any period during which he has not actually performed the duties of the post to which he would have been promoted, shall be counted. The pay of a person who has been so promoted shall be re-fixed at the pay which he would have derived at the time of his promotion but no arrears of pay shall be allowed to him.
- <sup>&×</sup>Substituted for "(11A) If in any subsequent year, after promulgation of these rules, vacancies relating to any earlier year are determined under sub-rule (3) of rule mentioned in Column 3 of the Schedule which are required to be filled by promotion, the Departmental Promotion Committee shall consider the case of all such persons would have been eligible in the year to which the vacancies relate irrespective of the year in which the meeting of the Departmental promotion Committee is held and such promotions shall be governed by the rules in force at the time, the meeting of the Departmental promotion Committee is held. The person who has been so promoted shall not be entitled to claim any arrears of pay or re-fixation of his pay or to count his service/experience for promotion to higher post for any period during which he has not actually performed the duties of the post to which he has been promoted." vide Notification No.F.5(3)DOP/A-II/77 dated, 18.8. 1982.
- \*Added vide Notification No.F.5(3)DOP/A-II/77 dated 6th Oct., 1979
- <sup>7</sup>(11B) the Government or the Appointing Authority may order for review of the proceeding of the D.P.C. held earlier on account of some mistake or error apparent on the basis of record, on account of a factual error subsequently effecting the decision of the D.P.C. or for any other sufficient reason e.g. change the seniority wrong determination or vacancies, judgement/direction of any court or tribunal, or were adverse entries in the confidential reports of an individual are expunged or toned down or a punishment in inflicted on him is set aside or reduced. The concurrence of the Department of Personnel and the Commission (where commission is associated) shall always be obtain before holding the meeting of the review D.P.C.
- <sup>7</sup>Added vide Notification No.F.7(1)DOP/A-II/86 dated 14.06.88
  - (12) Where consultation with the Commission is necessary the lists prepared by the Committee shall be forwarded to the Commission by the Appointing Authority along with the personal files and Annual Confidential Rolls of all the persons whose names have been considered by the Committee.
  - (13) The Commission shall consider the lists prepared by the Committee along with other relevant documents received from the Appointing Authority, and, unless any change is considered necessary, shall approve the lists. In case the Commission consider it necessary to make any change in the lists received from the Appointing Authority, it shall inform the Appointing Authority of the changes proposed by it. After taking into account the comments of the Commission, if any, the Appointing Authority may approve the lists finally with such modifications, as may, in its opinion, be just and proper and when the Appointing Authority is an authority subordinate to the Government, the lists approved by the Commission shall be disturbed only with the approval of the Government.
  - (14) Appointments shall be made by the Appointing Authority taking persons out of the lists finally approved under the preceding sub-rule (13) in the order in which they have been placed in the lists, till such lists are exhausted of reviewed and revised, as the case may be.
  - (15) The Government may issue instructions for provisionally dealing with promotions, appointments or other ancillary matters in an equitable and fair manner of persons who may be under suspension, or against whom departmental proceeding is under progress, at the time promotions are considered to a post to which they are eligible or would have been eligible but for such suspension or pendency of such enquiry or proceedings.
  - (16) The provisions of this rule shall have effect notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in any provision of these rules." vide Notification No. F.7(5)DOP/A-II/2002 dated 23.07.2003
- <sup>2</sup> Substituted for % Provided also that any person who performed remarriage which is not against any law and before such remarriage he is not disqualified for promotion under this sub-rule, he shall not be disqualified if any child is born out of single delivery from such remarriage." vide Notification No. F. 7(1) DOP/A-II/95/Pt.-II dated 18.08.2020
- %Added vide Notification No. 7(1)DOP/A-II/95 Pt. II, dated 20.11.2015

(5) Selection for promotion on the post included in the service shall be made on the basis of seniority-cum-merit.

Provided that promotions on the highest post in the state service if it is at least third promotion shall be made on the basis of merit alone.

Provided further that if the committee is satisfied that suitable persons are not available for selection by promotion to the highest post(s) strictly on the basis of merit in a particular year, selection by promotion to the highest post(s) on the basis of seniority cum merit may be made in the same manner as specified in these rules.

(6) The zone of consideration of persons eligible for promotion shall be as under:-

(i) Number of vacancies Number of eligible persons to be considered

(a) for one vacancy
(b) for two vacancies
(c) for three vacancies
five eligible persons
eight eligible persons
ten eligible persons

(d) for four or more vacancies three times the number of vacancies

- (ii) where, the number of eligible persons for promotion to higher post is less than the number specified above, all the persons so eligible shall be considered.
- (iii) where, adequate number of the candidates belonging to the Scheduled Castes or the Scheduled Tribes, as the case may be, are not available within the zone of consideration specified above, the zone of consideration may be extended up to seven times the number of vacancies and the candidates belonging to the Schedules Casts or the Schedules Tribes, as the case may (and not any other) coming within the extended zone of consideration shall also be considered against the vacancies reserved for them.
- (iv) For any post in the Service:
- (a) If Promotion is from more than one categories of posts in the pay scale, eligible persons upto two in number from each category of posts in the same pay scale shall be considered for promotion;
- (b) If promotion is from more than one categories of posts carrying different pay scales, eligible persons in the higher pay scale shall be considered for promotion first and if no suitable person is available for promotion on the basis of merit or seniority cum merit, as the case may be, in the higher pay scale than only the eligible persons of other categories of posts in lower pay scales shall be considered for promotion and so on and so forth. The zone of consideration for eligibility in this case shall be limited to five senior most eligible persons in all.

Provided that in the event of non-availability of the persons with the requisite period of service of five years, the comm. may consider the persons having less than the prescribed period of service, if they fulfill the qualifications experience and other conditions for promotion prescribed elsewhere in these rules and are found otherwise suitable for promotion on the basis of seniority-cum-merit.

Substituted for "24. Revised Criteria, Eligibility and Procedure for promotion to Junior, Senior and other posts encadred in the Service: (1) Selection for promotion in the regular line of promotion from the post not included in the Service to the lowest post or category of post in the Service shall be made strictly on the basis of merit.

<sup>(2)</sup> Subject to the provisions of sub-rule (4) selection for promotion from the lowest post or category of post in the service to the next higher post or category of post in the Service and for all posts up to Scale No. 11 sanctioned under the Rajasthan Civil Services (New pay Scales) Rules, 1969 or equivalent scales as may be declared by the Government from time to time, be made solely on the basis of seniority-cum-merit from amongst the persons who have passed the qualifying examination, if any, prescribed under these Rules, and have put in at least five years service, unless a different period is prescribed elsewhere in these rules, on the first day of the month of April of the year of selection on the post or category of post from which selection is to be made.

- (7) Except as otherwise expressly provided in this rule, the conditions of eligibility for promotion, constitution of the committee and procedure for selection shall be the same as prescribed elsewhere in these rules.
- (8) The committee shall consider the cases of all the senior most persons who are eligible and qualified for promotion to the class of post(s) concerned under these rules and shall prepare a list containing names of the persons found suitable on the basis of seniority-cum-merit or on the basis of merit, as the case may be, as per the criteria for promotion laid down in these rules equal to the number of vacancies determined under these rules. The list so prepared on the basis of seniority-cummerit and/or on the basis of merit, as the case may be, shall be arranged in the order of seniority of the category of post(s) from which selection is made.
- (9) The committee may also prepare a list on the basis of seniority-cummerit or on the basis of merit, as the case may be, as per the criteria for promotion laid down in these rules, containing names of persons not exceeding the number of persons selected in the list prepared under sub-rule (8) above to fill temporary or permanent vacancies, which may occur subsequently. The list so prepared on the basis of seniority-cum-merit or on the basis of merit shall be arranged in the order of seniority in the category of posts from which selection shall be made. Such a list shall be reviewed and revised by the committee that meets in the subsequent year and that such list shall remain in force till the end of the last day of the year for which the meeting of the committee is held.

Provided further that in respect of posts included in the State Service in which the methods of recruitment to the lowest post provides for appointment by promotion, and where posts are required to be filled on the basis of seniority-cum-merit. The sub-rules are committee may select for promotion such persons of out. standing merit available within the zone of consideration, who may not be selection the basis of seniority-cum-merit, to the extent of one month of the number of vacancies to be filled in by promotion and if the number of vacancies exceeds one but is less than four the Committee may select one person on the basis of merit alone and if the vacancies are more than four and the calculation of the number of vacancies to be filled by merit alone according to the aforesaid basis results in a fraction, the committee may select one more person against a fraction of half or more. On being so selected, for purposes of determination of seniority, such persons shall be deemed to have been selected on the basis of seniority-cum-merit.

- (3) Selection for promotion to all other higher posts or higher categories of posts in the Service shall be made on the basis of merit alone.
- (4) Selection for promotion to the highest post or highest category of post in the Service shall always to made on the basis of merit alone.
- (5) The persons having been selected and appointed by promotion to a post or category of post on the basis of merit, shall be eligible for promotion to the next higher post or category of post, which is to be filled in by merit, only when they have put in after regular selection at least five years service, unless a higher period of service is prescribed elsewhere in these rules, on the first day of the month of April of the year of selection on the post or category of post from which selection is to be made:

Provided that the condition of five years service shall not be applicable to a person if any person junior to him is eligible for consideration for promotion on the basis of merit:

Provided further that in the event of non-availability of persons equal to the number of vacancies to be filled in, eligible for promotion in the category of posts next lower from which promotion is made the Committee may consider the persons having less than five years service if they are found otherwise eligible and suitable for promotion on the basis of merit alone.

**Explanation**: - If any doubt arises about the categorization of the post as the lowest, next higher or highest post in the Service, the matter shall be referred to the Government in the Department of Personnel, whose decision thereon shall be final.

(6) The zone of eligibility for promotion shall be five times the number of vacancies to be filled in on the basis of seniority cum merit or merit, as the case may be:

Provided that in case of Non-availability of sufficient number of suitable persons for selection on the basis of merit, the Committee may at its discretion consider persons of outstanding merit outside the zone of eligibility but falling within six times the number of vacancies to be filled in on the basis of merit.

(7) Except as otherwise expressly provided in this rule, the conditions of eligibility for promotion, constitution of the Committee and procedure for selection shall be the same as prescribed elsewhere in these rules.

(10) Lists prepares under sub-rule (8) and (9) shall be sent to the Appointing Authority together with annual confidential Reports/annual performance appraisal reports and other service records of all the candidates included in the lists as also of those not selected, if any.

**Explanation :-** For the purpose of selection for promotion on the basis of merit, no person shall be selected if he does not have "outstanding" or "very good" record of at least four out of seven years preceding the year for which the meeting of the committee is held.

- (11) If in any subsequent year, after promulgation of these rules vacancies relating to any earlier year are determined under these rules which were required to be filled in by promotion, the committee shall consider the cases of all such persons who would have been eligible in the year to which the vacancies relate irrespective of the year in which meeting of the committee is held and such promotion shall be governed by the criteria and procedure for promotion as was applicable in the particular year to which the vacancies relate and the Service/experience of an incumbent who has been so promoted, for promotion to higher post for any period during which he has not actually performed the duties of the post to which he would have been promoted, shall be counted. The pay of a person who has been so promoted shall be re-fixed at the pay which he would have derived at the time of his promotion, but no arrears of pay shall be allowed to him.
- (12) The Government or the Appointing Authority may order for the review of the proceedings of the committee held earlier on account of some mistake or error apparent on the face of record, or on account of a factual error substantially affecting the decision of the committee or for any other sufficient reasons e.g. change in seniority, wrong determination of vacancies, judgment/direction of any court or tribunal, or where adverse entries in the confidential reports of an individual are expunged or toned down or a punishment inflicted on him is set aside or reduced. The concurrence of the department of personnel and the Commission (where Commission is associated) shall always be obtained before holding the meeting of the review committee.

The lists so prepared on the basis of merit shall be arranged in order of preference and the list prepared on the basis of seniority-cum-merit shall be arranged in order of seniority on the category of post from which selection has been made. Such lists shall be sent to the concerned Appointing Authority together with the Annual Confidential Rolls and Personal Files of all the candidates included in them as also of those not selected, if any.

**Explanation :-** The list of preference shall classify the officers in order as, 'outstanding', 'very good' and 'good' on the basis of merit. In each class the officers shall maintain their inter se seniority of the next below grade.

<sup>(8)</sup> The Committee shall consider the cases of all the senior most persons who are eligible and qualified for promotion to the class of posts concerned under these rules, interviewing such of them as it may deem necessary and shall prepare a list containing name of the suitable persons equal to the number of existing vacancies and the vacancies anticipated to occur during the next twelve months after the determination of vacancies. The Committee shall also prepare a separate list containing names of persons equal to 50% of the persons selected in the aforesaid list or select one more person if the number of vacancies is one only, who may be considered suitable to fill temporary of permanent Vacancies; which may occur till the next meeting of the Committee, on a temporary or officiating basis and the list so prepared shall be reviewed and revised every year and shall remain in force until it is so reviewed and revised.

<sup>(9)</sup> Where consultation with the Commission is necessary the lists prepared by the Committee shall be forwarded to the Commission by the Appointing Authority along with the personal files and Annual Confidential Rolls of all the persons whose names have been considered by the Committee.

- (13) Where consultation with the Commission is necessary the lists prepared by the committee shall be forwarded to the Commission by the Appointing Authority along-with the personal files and annual confidential rolls/annual performance appraisal reports of all the persons whose names have been considered by the Committee.
- (14) The Commission shall consider the lists prepared by the committee along-with other relevant documents received from the Appointing Authority and unless any change is considered necessary, shall approve the lists, In case the Commission considers it necessary to make any change in the lists received from the Appointing Authority, it shall inform the Appointing Authority of the changes proposed by it. After taking into account the comments of the Commission, if any, the Appointing Authority may approve the lists finally with such modifications, as may in its opinion, be just and proper and when the Appointing Authority is an authority subordinate to the Government, the lists approved by the Commission shall be disturbed only with approval of the Government.
- (15) Appointments shall be made by the Appointing Authority taking persons out of the lists finally approved under the preceding sub-rule(14) in the order in which they have been placed in the lists, till such lists are exhausted or reviewed and revised or remained in force, as the case may be.
- (16) The Government may issue instructions for provisionally dealing with the promotions, appointments or other ancillary matters in an equitable and fair manner of persons who may be under suspension, or against whom departmental proceedings is under progress, at the time promotions are considered to a post to which they are eligible or would have been eligible but for such suspension or pendency of such enquiry or proceedings.

(10) The Commission shall consider the lists prepared by the Committee along with other relevant documents received from the Appointing Authority, and, unless any change is considered necessary, shall approve the lists. In case the Commission considers it necessary to make any change in the lists received from the Appointing Authority, it shall inform the Appointing Authority of the changes proposed by it. After taking into account the comments of the Commission, if any, the Appointing Authority may approve the lists finally with such modifications, as may, in its opinion, be just and proper and when the Appointing Authority is an authority subordinate to the Government, the lists approved by the Commission shall be disturbed only with the approval of the Government.

(11) Appointment shall be made by the Appointing Authority taking persons out of the lists finally approved under the preceding sub-rule (10) in the order in which they have been placed in the lists, till such lists are exhausted reviewed and revised, as the case may be.

(11)( A) Government may issue instructions for provisionally dealing with promotions, appointments or other ancillary matters in an equitable and fair manner of persons who may be under suspension, or against whom departmental proceedings is under progress, at the time promotions are considered to post to which they are eligible or would have been eligible but for such Suspension or pendency of such enquiry or proceedings.

(12) The provisions of this rule shall effect notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in any provision of these rules." vide Notification No. F-7(10)DOP(A-II)77 dated 7-3-1978 (effective from the date of Publication in Rajasthan Rajpatra.)

- (17) The provisions of this rule shall have effect notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in any provision of these Rules.
- \*24 AA. "Restriction of promotion of persons foregoing promotions:- In case a person on his appointment by promotion to the next higher post either on the basis of urgent temporary appointment or on regular basis on the recommendation of the Departmental Promotion Committee, forgoes such an appointment through his written request and if the concerned Appointing Authority accepts his/her request, the person concerned shall be debarred from consideration for promotion (both on the basis or urgent, temporary appointment or on regular basis) for subsequent two recruitment years for which the Departmental Promotion Committee is held and the name of such a person who foregoes promotion shall not be included in the seniority cum eligibility list to be placed before the Departmental Promotion Committee for subsequent two recruitment years."

#### **PART VI- Appointment, Probation and Confirmation**

- **25. Appointment to the Service.** (1) As soon as it is decided that a senior post to be filled by the promotion, the ^"Secretary to the Government in the Art, Culture and Archaeology Department" shall call for the personal files and character rolls of all the persons in the next below cadre who are eligible for promotion and prepare a list in order of seniority
- (2) The Committee referred to in rule 24 (2) shall consider the case of all the candidates eligible for promotion % on the basis of seniority-cum-merit and merit in accordance with rule 24 and 24(A)" and send the list confidential rolls, and personal files of the persons selected as well as \* of those superseded if any to the Government who shall made final selection

<sup>\*</sup>Substituted for "Restriction of promotion of persons foregoing promotions:- In case a person on his appointment by promotion to the next higher post either on the basis of urgent temporary appointment or on regular basis on the recommendations of the Departmental Promotion Committee, forgoes such an appointment, he shall be considered again for appointment by promotion only after a period of one year (both on the basis of urgent temporary appointment or on regular basis, on the recommendations of the Departmental Promotion Committee" vide Notification No.F.7(1)DOP/A-II/98, the dated 5-08-1998

<sup>\$</sup>Added vide Notification No.F.15(16)DOP/A-II/80 dated, the 30-11-1981

Substituted for "Secretary to the Government in the Education Department" vide Notification No. F.1(21)DOP(A-II)/84 dated 02.01.1985

<sup>\*</sup>Substituted for "if" Vide Notification No.F.1(4)DOP(A-II)/80 dated 13.05.1980

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>%</sup>Inserted vide notification No.F.1(6) Apptts (D)/69 Pt-III dated 31-5-1968. Effective from 26.08.1966

<sup>&</sup>(3) In case of promotion to the post of Director a representative of the Department of Personnel not below the rank of Deputy Secretary will be member of the Committee in place of the Director.

\$26. Urgent temporary appointments. –(1) A vacancy in the Service which cannot be filled in immediately either by direct recruitment or by promotion under the rules may be filled in by the Government or by the <sup>®</sup>(Authority competent to make appointments) as the case may be by appointing in an officiating capacity thereto an officer eligible for appointment to the post by promotion or by appointing temporarily thereto a person eligible for direct recruitment to the service where such direct recruitment has been provided under the provisions of these rules:

Provided that such an appointment will not be continued beyond a period of one year without referring the case to the Commission for concurrence where such concurrence is necessary and shall be terminated immediately on its refusal to concur:

\*Provided further that in respect of the Service or a post in the service for which both the above methods of recruitment have been prescribed, the Government or the authority competent to make appointment as the case may be, shall not, save with the specific permission of the Government in the Department of Personnel in the case of State Services and Government in the Administrative Department concerned in respect of other services fill the temporary vacancy against the direct recruitment quota by a whole time appointment for a period exceeding three months otherwise than out of persons eligible for direct recruitment and after a short term advertisement.

%(2) In the event of non-availability of suitable persons, fulfilling the requirements of eligibility for promotion, Government may, notwithstanding the condition of eligibility for promotion required under sub-rule (1) above, lay down general instructions for grant of permission to fill the vacancies on urgent temporary basis subject to such conditions and restrictions regarding pay and other allowances as it may direct. Such appointments shall however, be subject to concurrence of the Commission as required under the said sub-rule.

% Inserted vide Notification No. F.7(7)DOP(A-II)/75, dated 31-10-1975

<sup>&</sup>amp;Substituted for "Note" vide Notification No.F.1(4)DOP(A-II)/80 dated 13.05.1980

Substituted for rule 26 -- "Emergent temporary appointments:- A vacancy in the Service other than that of the Director may be filled temporarily by Government by appointing thereto in an officiating capacity a person eligible for recruitment to the service under the provisions of these rules in an officiating capacity provided that no such appointment shall be continued beyond a period of one year without referring it to the Commission for their concurrence and shall be terminated immediately on their refusal to concur." vide Notification No. F.1(10)DOP(A-II)/72 dated 16.02.1973.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>®</sup>Substituted for the words "Appointing Authority" vide Corrigendum No. F.1(10)(A-II)/72 dated 17.03.1973 and 12.09.1973. Second proviso effective from 16.02.1973.

<sup>\*</sup>Substituted for "Provided further that in respect of a Service or a post in a service for which both the methods of recruitment have been prescribed, the Government or the Authority competent to make appointments as the case may be shall not fill the temporary vacancy by appointing a person eligible for direct recruitment unless no suitable person eligible for promotion is available." vide Notification No. F.1(10)DOP(A-I1)/72 dated 28-11-1973

**&27. Seniority.-** "Seniority of persons appointed to the post encadred in the service shall be determined from the date of appointment on the post after regular selection in accordance with the provisions of these rules. Appointment on ad hoc or urgent temporary basis shall not be deemed to be appointment after regular selection."

Provided that-

- (i) The seniority inter se persons appointed to the service before the commencement of these rules and /or in the process of integration of the services pre-reorganization State of Rajasthan or the services of the State of Rajasthan established by the States Reorganization Act, shall be determined, modified or altered by the Government on an ad-hoc basis.
- (ii) If two or more persons are appointed to the service during the same year a person appointed by promotion shall be senior to a person appointed by direct recruitment and inter se seniority of those appointed by either promotion or selection shall be in the order in which their names appear in the lists prepared under rule 21,24 (4) and 25 (2) respectively.
- (iii) The seniority inter se persons appointed to the service on the basis of one and the same selection except those who do not join the service when a vacancy is offered to them shall follow the order in which they have been placed in the list prepared by the Commission.
- \*(iv) the persons selected and appointed as a result of a selection which is not subject to review and revision shall rank senior to the persons who are selected and appointed as a result of subsequent selection.

Seniority inter se of persons selected on the basis of seniority-cum-merit and on the basis of merit in the same selection shall be the same as in the next below grade.

- <sup>®</sup>(v) (Deleted)
- <sup>5</sup>(vi) The interse seniority of persons holding the post mention in Column 4 of the Schedule for promotion to the various posts shown in Column 2 against Serial Number 1,2 and 3 of the Schedule shall be determined on the basis of length fo continued circulation after regular selection
- \$(vi) (Deleted)

&# Substituted for "Seniority of persons appointed to the lowest post of the Service or lowest categories of posts in each of the Group /Section of the Service, as the case may be, shall be determined from the date of confirmation of such persons to the said post but in respect of persons appointed by promotion to other higher posts in the Service or other higher categories of posts in each of the Group/Section in the Service, as the case may be, shall be determined from the date of their regular selection to such posts." vide Notification No.F.7(1)DOP/A-II/96 dated 10.10. 2002

\*\*2 Substituted for "Seniority in the Service shall be determined in each category of the Service by the year of substantive appointment." vide Notification No.F.7(8) DOP/A-II/78 dated 20 July, 1979

<sup>2</sup>Substituted for "27. Seniority.- Seniority in the service shall be determined by the date of the order of appointment to the service, "vide Notification No.7 (6) DOP (A-II)/73 dated 15.6.1974.

\*Substituted for "(iv) that the persons selected and appointed as a result of a selection which is not subject to review and revision, shall rank senior to the persons who are selected, and appointed as a result of subsequent selection. Seniority inter se of persons selected on the basis of seniority-cum-merit shall be the same as in the next below grade, except an case of continued officiation on higher posts when it shall be in accordance with the length of continued officiation, provided that such officiation was not ad-hoc or fortuitous.", vide Notification No.F.7(10)DOP/A.II/77 dated 17.6.78.

<sup>®</sup>Deleted clause (v)- "that the seniority inter se of persons selected as a result of one and the same selection and appointed on the basis of merit alone shall be in the same order in which their names appear in the select list, irrespective of the period of continuous officiation.", vide Notification No.F.7(10)DOP9(A-II)/77 dated 17.6.78 <sup>5</sup>Added vide Notification No. F. 1(16)DOP/A-II/82 dated 25.8.1982

\*Deleted (w.e.f. 1.4.1997) ^"That if a candidate belonging to the Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe is promoted to an immediate higher post/grade against a reserved vacancy earlier than his senior general/OBC candidate who is promoted later to the said immediate higher post/grade, the general/OBC candidates will regain his seniority over such earlier promoted candidate of the Schedule Caste/Schedule Tribe in the immediate higher post /grade." vide Notification No. No.F.7(1)DOP/A-II/2002 dated 28.12.2002.

<sup>^</sup> Added vide Notification No. F-7(1)DOP/A-2/96 dated 1.4.97

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- <sup>β</sup>(vii) Deleted
- <sup>4</sup>(viii) reservation for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Employees with consequential seniority, shall continue till the roaster points are exhausted; and adequacy of promotion is achieve.

Once the roaster points are complete the theory of replacement shall thereafter be exercise in promotion whenever vacancies earmarked for Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes Employees occur.

If on the application of these provisions the Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes employees who had been promoted earlier and are found in excess of the adequacy level, shall not be reverted and shall continue on ad-hoc basis, and also any employee who had been promoted in pursuance to Notification No. F.7(1)DOP/A-II/96 dated 1.4.1997 shall not be reverted.

Notification No. F.7(l)DOP/A-II/96 dated 1-4-1997 shall be deemed to have been repealed w.e.f. 1-4-1997.

**Explanation:-** Adequate representation means 16% representation of the Scheduled Castes and 12% representation of the Scheduled Tribes in accordance with the roster point.

**\*28. Period of probation:-** (1) A person entering the service by direct recruitment against a clear vacancy shall be placed as the Probation-trainee for a period of two years.

Provided that any period after such appointment during which a person has been on deputation on a corresponding or higher post shall count towards the period of probation.

<sup>β</sup>Deleted <sup>@</sup>"Provided that a candidate who has got the benefit of proviso inserted vide notification No. F.7(1)DOP/A-II/96 dated 01.04.1997 on promotion to an Immediate higher post shall not be reverted and his seniority shall remain unaffected. This proviso is subject to final decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in Writ Petition (Civil) No. 234/2002 All India Equality Forum V/S Union of India and Others" vide Notification No.F.7(3)DOP/A-II/2008 dated 25.04.2008.

@ Added vide Notification No. No.F.7(1)DOP/A-II/2002 dated 28.12.2002

<sup>4</sup> Added vide Notification No.F.7(1)DOP/A-II/96 dated: 11.09.2011

- #\$Substituted for δ. 28. Period of Probation.- All persons appointed to the Service by direct recruitment against a substantive vacancy shall be placed on probation for a period of two years and those appointed to the Service by promotion/Special selection against a substantive vacancy shall be placed on probation for a period of one year."

  Provided that-
  - (i) such of them as have previous to their appointment by promotion \*special selection or by direct recruitment against a substantive vacancy officiated temporarily on the post which is followed by regular selection may be permitted by the Appointing Authority to count such officiating or temporary service towards the period of probation. This shall, however, not amount to involve supersession of any senior person or disturb the order of their preference in respective quota or reservation in recruitment.
  - (ii) Any period of after such appointment during which a person has been on deputation on a corresponding of higher post shall count towards the period probation.
  - (2 During the period of probation specified in sub-rule (1) each probationer may be required to pass such Departmental Examination and to undergo such training as the Government may, from time to time specify.

Explanation:- In case of a person who dies or is due to retire on attaining the age of superannuation the period of probation shall be reduced so as to end one day of his death or retirement from Government Service. The condition of passing the Departmental Examination in the rule regarding confirmation shall be deemed to have been waived in case of death or retirement." vide Notification No.7(2) DOP/A-II/2005 dated: 20-01-2006.

Substituted for "28. Probation. - (1) All persons appointed to the Service by direct recruitment or promotion shall be on probation and the period of such probation shall be two years in the case of direct recruitment and one year in the case of promotion:

Provided that such of them as have, previous to such appointment officiated or served temporarily on a post encadred in the service, may be permitted by the Government to count such officiating or temporary service towards the period of probation up to a maximum of six months.

(2) During the period of probation specified in sub-rule (1), each probationer shall be trainee may be required to pass such Departmental Examination and to undergo such training as the Government may, from time to time, Prescribe." vide notification No.F.1(35)karmic (A-II)/74 dated 4-5-1977.

δSubstituted for "(1) Every person appointed against a substantive vacancy in the service by direct recruitment shall be placed on probation for a period of two years and those appointed by promotion \*"special selection" to any post against such a vacancy shall be on probation for a period of one year:" vide Notification No.F.1(35)DOP/A-II/74 dated 09.04.1979

\*Inserted vide Notification No.F.1(35) karmic/ K.A II/74 dated 3-8-1977

(2) During the period of probation specified in sub rule (1), each probationer trainee may be required to pass such Departmental Examination and to undergo such training as the Government may, from time to time, specify.

^(3) Deleted

- £28(A). Confirmation in certain cases:- (1) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in the preceding rule, a person appointed to a post in the service by direct recruitment as a probationer trainee under these rules has not been confirmed within six months after satisfactory completion of probation for a period of two years shall be entitled to be treated as confirmed in accordance with his/her seniority if,-
- (i) he/she has worked on the post or higher post under the same Appointing Authority or would have so worked but for his/her deputation or training;
- (ii) he/she fulfills conditions as are prescribed under rule relating to confirmation subject to the quota prescribed under these rules; and
- (iii) he has been appointed against a substantive vacancy.
- Deleted sub-rule (3) "The period spent as probationer trainee shall not be counted for experience and eligibility for promotion." vide Notification No.F.7(2) DOP/A-II/2005 dated: 26.04.2011
- Added vide Notification No.F.7(2)DOP/A-II/2005 dated: 13.06.2008
- £&Substituted for "(1) Notwithstanding anything the contrary contained in the preceding rule a person appointed to a post in the service temporarily or an officiating basis who, after regular recruitment by any one of the methods of recruitment prescribed under these rules, has not been confirmed, within a period of six months on completion of a period of two years service, in case he is appointed by direct recruitment or within a period of one year service in case he is appointed by promotion, shall be entitled to be treated as confirmed in accordance with his seniority, if:-
  - (i) He has worked on the post or higher post under the same Appointing Authority or would have so worked but for his deputation or training:
  - (ii) He fulfils conditions as are prescribed under rule relating to confirmation subject to quota prescribed under these rules: and
  - (iii) Permanent vacancy is available in the Department." vide Notification No. F. 7(1) DOP/A-II/2020 dated 4.02.2022
- &δ Substituted for "28A. (a) Notwithstanding anything contained in the rule if no order of confirmation is issued by the Appointing Authority within a period of six months, an employee appointed on temporary or officiating basis who has, after the date of his regular recruitment by either method of recruitment completed a period of two years service, or less in the case of those appointed by promotion where the period of promotion prescribed in less, on the post or a higher post under the same Appointing Authority or would have so worked but for his deputation or training, shall on the concurrence of permanent vacancies be entitled to be treated as confirmed if the same conditions as are prescribed under the Rules for the confirmation of a probationer are fulfilled subject to the quota prescribed under the Rules and in accordance with his seniority.

Provided that if the employee has filed to give satisfaction or has not fulfilled any of the conditions prescribed for confirmation, such as passing of Departmental Examination, training or promotion cadre course etc. the aforesaid period may be extended as prescribed for the probation or under the Rajasthan Civil Services Departmental Examination Rules, 1959 and any other rules, or by one year, which-ever is longer. If the employee still fails to fulfill the prescribed conditions or fails to give satisfaction, he will be liable to be discharge from such post in the same manner as a probationer or reverted to his substantive or lower posts, if any, to which he may be entitled.

Provided further that no person shall be debarred from confirmation after the said period of service if no reasons to the contrary about the satisfactory performance of his work are communicated to him with in the said period.

(b) The reasons for not confirming an employee referred to in the second proviso to clause (a) shall, in the case of a non-gazetted employee, be also immediately recorded by the Appointing Authority in his Service Book and C.R. file and in the case of Gazetted Officer communicated to the Accountant General Rajasthan and in his Confidential Report file. A written acknowledgment shall be kept on record in all these cases.

Explanation: (i) "Regular recruitment for the purpose of this rule shall mean appointment after either of the methods of recruitment or on initial construction of service in accordance with any of the Service Rules promulgated under proviso to Article 309 of the constitution of India, or for posts for which no Service Rules exists, if the post are within the purview of Rajasthan Public Service Commission recruitment in consultation with them but it shall not include an urgent temporary appointment ad hoc appointment or officiating promotion against temporary or lien vacancies which are liable to review and revision from year to year. In case where the Service Rules Specifically permits appointment by transfer such appointment shall be treated regular recruitment if the appointment to the post from which the official was transferred was after regular recruitment. Persons who have been made eligible for substantive appointment to a post under the rules shall be treated as having been regularly recruited. (ii) Persons who hold lien another cadre shall be eligible to be confirmed under this rule and they will be eligible to exercise an option whether they do not elect to be confirmed on the expiry of two years of their temporary

appointment under this rule. In the absence of any option to the contrary, they shall be deemed to have exercise option in favour of confirmation under this rule and their lien on the previous post shall ceases." vide Notification No. 7(4)DOP/A-II/1979 Dated 22.11.1984

<sup>®</sup>**29.Unsatisfactory progress during probation:-** (1) "If it appears to the appointing authority, at any time, during or at the end of the period of probation, that services of a probationer-trainee are not found to be satisfactory, the Appointing Authority may revert him/her to the post on which he/she is regularly selected immediately preceding his/her appointment as probationer trainee or in other cases may discharge or terminate him/her from service. The appointment authority shall accord appropriate opportunity to the probationer trainee before final orders are passed in this respect;

Provided that the appointing authority may, if it so thinks fit in any case or class of cases, extend the period of probation of any probationer trainee by a specified period not exceeding one year."

- **30**. **Confirmation:** A probationer shall be confirmed in his appointment at the end of his period of probation if-
  - (a) he has passed the prescribed departmental examination, if any, completely;
  - (b) he has passed the test of proficiency in Hindi, and
  - (c) the Appointing Authority is satisfied that his integrity is unquestionable and that he is otherwise fit for confirmation.
- **\*30A.** Notwithstanding anything contained in rule 30, a probationer shall be confirmed in his appointment at the end of his period of probation even if the prescribe Department Examination/training/proficiency test in Hindi if any are not held during the period of probation laid down in the rules provided-
- (i) he is otherwise fit for confirmation and
- (ii) the period of probation expired on or before the date of publication of this amendment in the Rajasthan Rajpatra.
- δ Substituted for "28A. Notwithstanding anything contained in rule 28, on a permanent vacancy being available a person who has been appointed a temporary vacancy after a regular selection and has thereafter put in more than 2 years service on such post or higher post shall be deemed to have completed the period of probation and shall be confirmed provided he fulfils other conditions of confirmation laid down in these rules." vide Notification No.F.7(7)DOP(A-II)/74, dated 28.12.1974
- <sup>®+</sup>Substituted for "(1) If it appears to the Appointing Authority, at any time, during or at the end of the period of probation, that a member of the Service has not made sufficient use of his opportunities or that he has failed to give satisfaction, the Appointing Authority may revert him to the post held substantively by him immediately preceding his appointment provided he holds a lien thereon or in other cases may discharge or terminate him from service:

Provided that the Appointing Authority may, if it so thinks fit in any case or class of cases, extend the period of probation of any member of Service by a specified period not exceeding two years in case of person appointed to a post in the Service by direct recruitment and one year in the case of persons appointed by promotion \*/special selection to such post.

\$"Provided further that the Appointing Authority may, if it so thinks fit in case of persons belonging to the Scheduled Caste or Scheduled Tribes, as the case may be extent the period of probation by a period not exceeding one year at a time and a total extension not exceeding three years."

- (2) Notwithstanding anything contained in the above proviso, during the period of probation, if a probationer is placed under suspension, or disciplinary proceedings are contemplated or started against him the period of his probation may be extended till such period the Appointing Authority thinks fit in the circumstances.
- (3) A probationer reverted or discharged from service during or at the end of the period probation under sub-rule 1, shall not be entitled to any compensation." vide Notification No. F. 7(2) DOP/A-II/2005 Dated 13.06.2008
- Substituted for "29.Unsatisfactory progress during probation:- (1) If it appears to the Appointing Authority, at any time during or at the end of the period of probation, that a member of the Service has not made sufficient use of his opportunities or that he has failed to give satisfaction, the Appointing Authority may revert him to the post held substantively by him immediately preceding his appointment provided he holds a lien thereon, or in other cases, may discharge him from service:

Provided further that the Appointing Authority may extend the period of probation of any member of the Service by a specified period not exceeding one year.

(2) A probationer reverted or discharged from the Service during or at the end of the period of probation under sub rule (1) shall not be entitled to any compensation." vide Notification No. F.1(35)Karmik/Ka-II)/74 dated 4-5-77.

<sup>S</sup>Inserted proviso vide Notification No.F.7(6)DOP/A-II/77, dated 26-10-1977 (effective from 1-1-1973)

<sup>\*</sup>Insterted Vide Notification No. F.1(35)Karmik(Ka-II)/74 Dt. 03-08-1977

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>%</sup>Inserted Vide Notification No. F.1(12)Apptts.(A-II)/V 68 Pt. dated 17-10-1970

#### **PART VII - Pay**

**31.** Pay during the probation:- A probationer trainee appointed to the service by direct recruitment, shall be paid monthly fixed remuneration during the period of probation at such rates as may be fixed by the Government from time to time.

\$\circ\$Provided that an employee having been regularly selected as per provisions of recruitment rules in the Government service may be allowed emoluments in his/her own pay scale in the existing pay scale of the post during service as probationer trainee of fixed remuneration of the new post, whichever is advantageous to him/her."

#### &32. Deleted

**33.** Criteria for crossing efficiency bar:- No member of the service shall be allowed to cross the efficiency bar unless in the opinion of Government he has worked satisfactorily and his integrity is unquestionable.

Substituted for "The initial pay of a person appointed by direct recruitment to a post in the service/cadre shall be the minimum of the scale of pay of the post:" vide Notification No.F.7(2)DOP/A-II/2005, dated 20.01.2006

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>+</sup>Substituted for Rule-31. **Scale of pay**— "The scale of monthly pay admissible to a person appointed in the service shall be such as may be admissible under the rules referred to in rule 34 or as may be sanctioned by Government from time to time." vide Notification No. F-1(15)apptt./A-II/67 dated 06.02.1969

<sup>\$</sup> Substituted for "Provided that the pay of a person already serving in connection with the affairs of the State shall be fixed in accordance with the provisions of the Rajasthan Service Rules, 1951." vide Notification No.F.7(2)DOP/A-II/2005, dated 13.06.2008

<sup>&</sup>amp;@Deleted "Increment during probation-& A probationer shall draw increment, in the scale of pay admissible to him in accordance with the provisions of the Rajasthan Service Rules, 1951." vide Notification No. F.7(2)DOP/A-II/2005 dated 20.01.2006

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>®</sup> Substituted for Rule- 32. "**Increment during probation.**-A probationer shall draw increment in the scale of pay admissible to him during the period of probation as they accrue; provided that if the period of probation is extended on account of failure to give satisfaction, such extension shall not count for increment unless the authority granting the extension directs otherwise." vide Notification No. F.3(11) Appointments/(A-II)/58 Pt. IV dated 16-10-1973.

#### **PART VIII - Other Provisions**

- **34. Regulation of leave, allowances, pensions etc.** Except as provided in these rules the pay, allowances, pensions, leave and other conditions of members of the service shall be regulated by:-
- (1) The Rajasthan Travelling Allowance, Rules 1949 as amended up-to-date.
- (2) The Rajasthan Civil Services (Unification of Pay Scales) Rules, 1950 as amended up-to-date.
- (3) The Rajasthan Civil Service (Rationalization of pay scales) Rules 1956 as amended up-to-date.
- (4) The Rajasthan Civil Service (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1958 as amended up-to-date.
- (5) The Rajasthan Civil Service Rules, 1951 as amended up-to-date and any other rules made by the appropriate authority under the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India and for the time being in force.
- <sup>®</sup> **35.** "**Power to relax rules**:- In exceptional cases where the Administrative Department of the Government is satisfied that operation of the rules relating to age or regarding requirement of experience for recruitment causes undue hardship in any particular case or where the Government is of the opinion that it is necessary or expedient to relax any of the provisions of these rules with respect to age or experience of any persons, it may, with the concurrence of the Department of Personnel and Administrative Reforms and in consultation with the Commission by orders dispense with or relax the relevant provisions of these rules to such extent and subject to such conditions as it may consider necessary for dealing with the case in a just and equitable manner, provided that such relaxation shall not be less favourable than the provisions already contained in these rules. Such cases of relaxation shall be referred to the Rajasthan Public Service Commission by the \$\frac{\$\pi\_{cc}}{\text{Administrative Department concerned.}}

<sup>1</sup>"Provided that relaxation in the prescribed period of service or experience under this rule shall only be granted to the extent of 1/3 period of the service or experience prescribed for promotion to any post before holding the meeting of the Departmental Promotion Committee."

#'cProvided further that where the prescribed period of experience for promotion to any post is less than 6 years, a committee headed by the Chief Secretary comprising of Principal Secretary Finance, Principal Secretary/Secretary Department of Personnel and Principal Secretary/Secretary of the Administrative Department, may consider the cases where forty five percent or more posts are vacant. The committee is empowered to suggest the quantum of relaxation in experience which may be granted in such cases to address the issue of large number of vacancies in promotional posts subject to condition that such relaxation in experience shall not be more than two years."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>®</sup> Added vide No. F.11(2)DOP/A-II/75 Dated 27.12.1978

<sup>\$</sup> Substituted for "Department of Personnel and Administrative Reforms (Department of Personnel-A-Group-II)" vide Notification No.F.11(2)DOP/A-II/75 dated, 18-08-1982

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Added vide Notification F. 7(3)DOP/A-2/95 Dated 18.02.1998

<sup>\*</sup>Added vide Notification No. F-7(3)DOP/A-II/95 Pt. dated 18-07-2017

## &SCHEDULE

S. No.		Method of	Post from which	Qualification & Experience required for	Qualification & Experience	Remarks
	post	recruitment	promotion is to be	promotion	required for direct recruitment	
			made			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	<b>Selection Grade</b>	e		#Group –A		
1	Director of	100% by	1.Deputy Director	Five years, experience as Deputy Director or 10	IInd Class Master's Degree in	
	Archaeology	promotion	2. In case no	years experience as Deputy Director and	Ancient/Medieval Indian History	
	& Museum.		Deputy Director is	Superintendent/ Registering Officer. In case no	with paper of Archaeology or	
			found eligible then	Deputy Director is found eligible or suitable	Epigraphy Numismatics or Arts	
			Superintendent	then persons working as Superintendent,	and Monuments/Architecture from	
			/Excavation	Excavation Superintendent/ Registering Officer	a university established by law in	
			Superintendent,	will be considered for Promotion provided they	<u> </u>	
			Registering	have at least 10 years experience of working on	with 10 years experience of	
			Officer.	such posts.	administration research and	
				He must also be trained in Conservations,	publications in any subject	
				Excavation, and Museums organization	connected with Museums or	
				techniques, should have a good record either by	Archaeology. In addition he must	
				way of publication, Conservation work,	have Received training in	
				Epigraphy, Numismatics and other fields of the	conservation, excavation and	
				departmental and other fields of the	Museums organisation.	
				departmental activities.		

The existing entries shall be nembered as "**Group –A**" vide Notification No. F. 1(16)/DOP/A-II/82 dated 29.07.1983 Substituted Schedule vide Notification No. F. 1(16)/A-II/82 dated 25.08.1982

2	Deputy Director	100% by promotion	Superintendent Archaeology & Museums/Excavati on Superintendent / Registering Officer.	Must have at least 5 years experience as Superintendent / Excavation Superintendent / Registering Officer.	IInd Class Master's Degree in Ancient/Medieval Indian History with papers of Archaeology or Epigraphy & Numismatic or Arts & Monuments/Architecture From a University established by law in India or equivalent qualifications with 8 years experience of Administration, research and publication in any subject connected with Museums or Archaeology.	
3	Senior Grade  (i) Superintendent  (ii) Registering    Officer  ii) Excavation Superintendent	\$100% by promotion	(i) Excavation & Exploration Officer (ii) Curator (iii) Numismatist (iv) Publication Officer (v) Technical Officer	M.A. in ancient or medieval Indian History with at least six weeks training in Museums Methods at national Museums/School of Archaeology, New Delhi or at least six weeks training in field of Archaeology by the Archaeological Survey of India/any University Department of Ancient Indian History of Archaeology established by a Law in India having a certificate from a competent Officer not less than a reader in the Department concerned. For Persons already having Experience or working against these posts for at least a year the above training shall not be required. Must have 5 year's experience On any post or post mentioned in Column No. 4	IInd class Master's Degree in ancient or medieval Indian History with 5 years practical experience in preservation of objects of Arts and antiquity, field work in Archaeology or research work and publication on ancient Indian Culture, Art and Museums. For the post of Excavation Superintendent the experience of 5 years should be in exploration and excavation work.	
4	Junior Grade– I Exploration & Excavation Officer	100% by direct recruitment	-	-	IInd Class Master's degree in History with papers in ancient History and experience in field of Archaeology for at least one season not less than 2 months.	

<sup>\$</sup> Substituted for "50% by direct recruitment and 50% by promotion" vide Notification No. F. 21(21)/DOP/A-II/84 dated 15.01.1992

5	Junior Grade- II Curator. Numismatist. Publication Officer. Technical Officer.	50% by direct requirement and 50% by promotion	Custodian	M.A. in ancient or medieval Indian History with 5 years experience as Custodian	*Second Division with atleast 55% or above marks in Master's degree in Ancient or Medieval Indian History or M.A. Museology (with one subject History at Graduation level) or its equivalent
1.	<sup>®</sup> Group - B Chief Chemist	100% by Promotion	Archaeological Chemist	Must have at least 5 years experience as Archaeological Chemist	<ol> <li>At least M.Sc. II Class in Chemistry from a University established by Law in India</li> <li>Must possess 7 year practical Experience of Working in the Conservation Laboratory In the Central or State Govt. Department of Archaeology &amp; Museums.</li> <li>Must have specialized training on Conservation of Cultural property either in the National Museums, New Delhi or in the National Laboratory for Conservation in India for a period of six months</li> </ol>
2	Archaeological Chemist	100% by direct Requirement			M.Sc. II Class in Chemistry of a University established by Law in India.

Added "Group -B and entries" vide Notification No. F. 1(16)/DOP/A-II/82 dated 29.07.1983

Substituted for "IInd Class Master's degree in ancient or medieval Indian History." vide Notification No. F. 1(21)DOP/A-II/84 dated 01.06.2022

& Substituted Schedule vide Notification No. F. 1(16)/A-II/82 dated 25.08.1982

#### SCHEDULE

S.No	Name of the post	Method of recruitment	Post from which recruitment is to be made by promotion	Qualification & experience promotion	Qualification and experience required for direct recruitment	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1.	Director of Archaeology and Museums	By Promotion	Superintendent, Archaeology& Museums	Must besides possessing qualifications prescribed for Superintendent post have at least 10 years' experience as Superintendent. He must also be trained in conservation, excavation, Museums organization and techniques. Should have good record, either by way of Publication, Conservation works, Epigraphy, Numismatics and other fields of the departmental activities.	At least II class M.A. Degree in ancient History & Culture or Archeology with papers of Epigraphy, Numismatics or Arts and Monuments with knowledge of one of the classical languages and also 10 years experience of administration, research and publication in any subject connected with Museums or Archaeology.	

	2.	Superintendent	50% by direct recruitment and 50% by promotion	Curator	#ESSENTIAL  I. Must have at least 7 years' experience as Curator besides having in M.A. or possessing equivalent		
_					*Replaced Qualification and experience required for promotion. "Must have at	<sup>®</sup> Replaced Qualifications and experience	
					least 7 years, experience as Curator to besides being an M.A. or equivalent oriental qualifications. Should have receive training in Museum organization, and technique of in field archaeology. Should preferably have contributed	required for director recruitment "(i) Must possess at least IInd Class Master's degree in Ancient Indian History & Culture of the University established by law in India with papers on Epigraphy and Numismatics, Arts and Monuments or a degree of foreign University with papers on any of the subjects covered by	

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Museums or Museums and Archaeology

in which he worked, and published papers of merit, provided that the period of 7

years shall be reduced to 5 years in the

case of a candidate who is an M.A. in

ancient History and Culture or Archaeology and had a good record at the

prescribed training and also has a

Research and Publication experience"

vide Notification No F 4 (28) Edu. IV/65

the Museums exhibits or Archaeology.

any old scripts.

IV/65 dated 31-12-65

(ii) Must possess a sound knowledge of at least

one of the classical languages preferably also of

(iii) Must have at least 5 years' practical

experience in preservation of objects of art and

antiquity, field work in Archaeology of Research

work and publication on Ancient Cultures, Art

and Museums or must have received training in

field Archaeology or in Museum organization & Techniques" vide Notification No. F. 4 (28) Edu.

			Oriental qualification (not below the degree of Acharya with English).  Note:- The period spent on duty on training in Museology or Archaeology counted towards experience.  II. Must have undergone training in Museum organization and technique or in any field of Archaeology.  III. Must have a working knowledge of one of the Indian Classical languages.  DESIRABLE  Should have contributed substantially to the Development of the Museum and Archaeology under his charge and published papers of merit.	II. Must have offered for M.A. or Acharya examination two or more of the following papers:-  (a) Archaeology. (b) Epigraphy. (c) Ancient Indian Culture. (d) Numismatics. (e) Art & Monuments.  III. Must have at least 5 years' practical experience in preservation of objects of art and antiquity, field work in Archaeology or research work and publication on Ancient Indian culture Art & Museums.  IV. Must have working knowledge of one of the Indian Classical languages.  DESIRABLE  Knowledge of one or more of the Rajasthani dialects.	
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3.	Curator	50% by direct recruitment and 50% by promotion	Custodians and <sup>®</sup> (Conservation Assistant)	%I. Must be at least a Graduate in History or in Sanskrit or possess equivalent qualification in any one of the oriental language.  II. Must possess at least 3 years experience in a post in col. No.4  III. Must have a working knowledge of one of the Indian classical languages.	(i) \$Second class Master degree in Ancient History with papers on either Archaeology or Epigraphy. Numismatics or Art & Monuments.  (ii) Working Knowledge of at least one of the classical languages.
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The post of Conservation Assistant stands abolished vide No. F. 9 (8) Edu/1/68, dated December, 68 w.e.f. 9-1-69

We Replaced For:- "Must possess at least 3 years service on a post shown in col. 4 the practical experience of preservation and of objects of arts or of research and publication work, history or culture of India or training in a museum organization and techniques or in field Archeology besides possessing academic qualifications as prescribed in col. 6 for direct recruitment.

The academic qualifications are relaxable in case of a candidate who is a graduate with History and one of the classical languages, or as a 5 years diploma in fine arts with working knowledge of one of the classical languages," Vide No. F.4 (28) Edu/IV/65 dated 31-12-65

## Replaced for:- ESSENTIAL

- I. Must be at least a Graduate in History or Sanskrit or possess equivalent qualification in any of the Oriental languages.
- II. Must possess at least three years experience in a post shown in column 4.
- III. Must possess practical experience of preservation of practical objects of art or of research and publication work in History or Culture of India or training in musicology or in field of Archaeology.
- IV. Must have working knowledge of one of the Classical languages.

Desirable:- Must have knowledge of one or more of the Rajasthani dialects. vide Notification No. F.4 (28) /Edu/IV/65 dated 22-6-66.