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Ministry of Jal Shakti

जल संसाधन नदी विकास और गंगा संरक्षण विभाग

Department of Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation

Shram Shakti Bhawan, Rafi Marg,
New Delhi, Dated 09th January, 2023.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Draft proposal for amendment in Recruitment Rules of Assistant Geophysicist in Level-8 in the Pay matrix in Central Ground Water Board-regarding.

The undersigned is directed to refer to DoPT's O.M.No.AB-14017/61/2008-Estt.(RR) dated 13.10.2015 and to say that as per existing guidelines of DoPT, it has been directed to upload any proposal for framing/amendment in the Recruitment Rules of any post in Ministries/Departments and their subordinate and attached office, the proposed amendment/revision in the Recruitment Rules would be put up on the website of the respective Ministry/Departments for 30 days for inviting comments from the stakeholders.

2. In this regard, NIC Cell of this Department is requested to upload the draft proposal for amendment of Recruitment Rules for the post Assistant Geophysicist in Central Ground Water Board on Department's website for 30 days. The soft copy of RR has been emailed to eoffice-mowr@nic.in.
3. Stakeholders are requested to send their comments within 30 days on the email id: usgw-mowr@nic.in.


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Copy to:
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(With request to circulate/inform within stakeholders and upload on CGWB's website for comments). The draft RRs has been sent on email id: chmn-cgwb@nic.in.

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Notification

Dated the2023.

G.S.R.____.- In exercise of the powers conferred by proviso to article 309 of the Constitution and in supersession of the Central Ground Water Board Assistant Geophysicist Recruitment Rules, 1995, Central Ground Water Board Assistant Geophysicist Recruitment (Amendment) Rules, 2001 and Central Ground Water Board Assistant Geophysicist Recruitment (Amendment) Rules, 2017, except as respects things done or omitted to be done before such supersession, the President hereby makes the following rules regulating the method of recruitment to the post of Assistant Geophysicist in the Ministry of Jal Shakti, Department of Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation, Central Ground Water Board, namely:-

1. Short title and commencement.- (1) These rules may be called the Central Ground Water Board Assistant Geophysicist Recruitment Rules, 2023.

(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the official Gazette.

2. Number of post, classification and Level in the pay matrix.- The number of said post, its classification and Level in the pay matrix attached thereto shall be as specified in columns (2) to (4) of the Schedule annexed to these rules.

3. Method of recruitment, age limit, qualifications, etc. - The method of recruitment, age limit, qualifications and other matters relating thereto shall be as specified in columns (5) to (13) of the said Schedule.

4. Disqualifications.- No person,-

(a) who has entered into or contracted a marriage with a person having a spouse living; or
(b) who having a spouse living, has entered into or contracted a marriage with any person, shall be eligible for appointment to the said post:

Provided that the Central Government may, if satisfied that such marriage is permissible under the personal law applicable to such person and the other party to the marriage and that there are other grounds for so doing, exempt any person from the operation of this rule.

5. Power to relax. - Where the Central Government is of the opinion that it is necessary or expedient so to do, it may, by order and for reasons to be recorded in writing and in consultation with Union Public Service Commission relax any of the provisions of these rules with respect to any class or category of persons.

6. Saving.- Nothing in these rules shall affect reservations, relaxation of age limit and other concessions required to be provided for Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, ex-servicemen, and other special categories of persons in accordance with the orders issued by the Central Government from time to time in this regard.

SCHEDULE

Name of post	Number of post	Classification	Level in the Matrix	Whether selection post or non selection post
1	2	3	4	5
Assistant Geophysicist	19*(2023) Subject to variation dependent on workload	General Central Service Group 'B' Gazetted, Non-Ministerial	Level-8 (Rs.47600-151100/-)	Selection

Age limit for direct recruits	Educational and other qualifications required for direct recruitment	Whether age and educational qualification prescribed for direct recruits will apply in the case of promotees	Period of Probation, if any	Method of recruitment: whether by direct or by promotion or deputation/ absorption and percentage of the vacancies to be filled by various method
6	7	8	9	10
Not exceeding 30 years. (Relaxable for Government Servant upto 5 years in	Essential Master's degree in Geophysics or Applied Geophysics from a recognized	No	Two years for direct recruits	60% by direct recruitment 40% by promotion

<p>accordance with the instruction or orders issued by the Central Government).</p> <p>NOTE: The crucial date for determining the age limit shall be the closing date for the receipt of applications from candidates (except for the closing date prescribed for those in Assam Meghalaya, Arunachal Pradesh, Mizoram Manipur, Nagaland, Sikkim, Ladakh Division of Jammu & Kashmir State, Lahaul and Spiti District and Pangi Sub-Division of Chamba District of Himachal Pradesh Andaman and Nicobar Islands or Lakshadweep).</p>	<p>University or equivalent</p> <p>Desirable:</p> <p>Three (3) years experience in the actual conduct of Geophysical survey work particularly with reference to Ground water.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Three (3) years research and/or practical experience in the Electronics aspects of Geophysical instrumentation and repairs of such instruments.</p> <p>NOTE 1: Qualifications are relaxable at the discretion of the Union Public Service Commission in the case of candidates otherwise well qualified.</p> <p>Note 2: The qualifications regarding experience is/are relaxable at the discretion of the</p>			<p>failing which by deputation (including short term contract)</p> <p>Note : Direct Recruitment will be through Combined Geo-Scientist Examination conducted by the Union Public Service Commission</p>
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	<p>Union Public Service Commission in the case of candidates belonging to the Scheduled Castes or the Scheduled Tribes if at any stage of selection, the Union Public Service Commission is of the opinion that sufficient number of candidates from these communities possessing the requisite experience are not likely to be available to fill up the posts reserved for them.</p>			
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<p>In case of recruitment by promotion or deputation/absorption grade from which promotion or deputation/absorption is to be made</p>	<p>If a Departmental Promotion Committee exists, what is its composition.</p>	<p>Circumstances in which Union Public Service Commission to be consulted in making recruitment.</p>
<p>11</p>	<p>12</p>	<p>13</p>
<p>Promotion: Senior technical Assistant (Geophysics) with three years regular service in the grade. Note: Where Juniors who have completed their qualifying</p>	<p>Group 'B' Departmental Promotion Committee (for considering promotion) consisting of : 1. Chairman, Central Ground Water Board - Chairman ; 2. Member, Central Ground Water</p>	<p>Consultation with Union Public Service Commission necessary while making direct recruitment.</p>

<p>eligibility service are being considered for promotion, their seniors would also be considered provided they are not short of the requisite qualifying/eligibility service by more than half of such qualifying/eligibility service or two years whichever is less and have successfully completed their probation period for promotion to the next higher grade along with their juniors who have completed such qualifying eligibility service.</p> <p>Deputation:</p> <p>Officers under the Central Government-</p> <p>(a) (i) holding analogous posts on regular basis or (ii) with three years regular service in posts in the scale of Rs.6500-10500 or equivalent and</p> <p>(b) Having experience in the actual conduct of Geophysical Survey work particularly with reference to Ground Water and possessing educational qualifications prescribed for direct recruits in Column 8.</p> <p>Note 1: Departmental officers in the feeder grade who are in direct line of promotion will not be eligible for consideration for appointment on deputation. Similarly, deputationists shall not be eligible for consideration for appointment by promotion.</p>	<p>Board - Member; 3. Director or Deputy Secretary, Department of Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation, Ministry of Jal Shakti, dealing with matter of Central Ground Water Board - Member</p> <p>Group 'B' Departmental Promotion Committee (for considering confirmation) consisting of :</p> <p>1. Chairman, Central Ground Water Board - Chairman ; 2. Member, Central Ground Water Board - Member; 3. Director (Administration), Central Ground Water Board -Member</p>	
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Note 2 : The maximum age-limit for appointment by deputation shall be not exceeding 56 years as on the closing date of receipt of applications.		
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