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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Amendment of Recruitment Rules for the post of Assistant Commissioner (Fisheries) in Department of Fisheries- Reg

The undersigned is directed to inform that a proposal for amendment of RRs of the post of Assistant Commissioner (Fisheries) is under consideration in this Department. The proposed amendment/revision of RRs (Annexure I) are uploaded at the official website of Department of Fisheries for inviting comments from all stakeholders. Accordingly, all stakeholders are hereby requested to go through the draft RRs and furnish their suggestions/views on the proposed amendments to this Section within 30 days of issue of this OM, failing which no comments will be presumed.

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Distribution:

4: NIC with a request to upload the proposed amendments(Annexure-I) along with this OM on Department's website

2. All subordinate offices/ stakeholders related to the post of Assistant Commissioner (Fisheries), Department of Fisheries- for comments/suggestions, if any

RECRUITMENT RULES FOR THE POST OF ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER (FISHERIES)

Name of post	Number of posts	Classification	Level in the Pay Matrix	Whether selection post or non- selection post	Age limit for direct recruits	Educational and other qualifications required for direct recruits.	Whether age and educatio nal qualifica tions prescrib ed for direct recruits will apply in case of promote es.	Period of probatio n if any.	Method of recruitment whether by direct recruitment or by promotion or by deputation/ transfer and percentage of the vacancies to be filled by various methods.	In case of recruitment by promotion/deputation/ transfer, grades from which promotion/deputation/transfer to be made.	If a Departmental promotion Committee exists what is its composition	Circum-stances in which UPSC is to be consulted in making recruitment.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Assistant Commissioner (Fisheries)	* subject to Variation dependent on work load	General Central Service Group 'A' Gazetted Non- Ministerial	Level – 11 (Rs. 67700- 208700)	Selection	Not exceeding 40 years (Relaxable for Government servants up to five years in accordance with the instructions or orders issued by the Central Government). Note: The crucial date for determining the age limit shall be the closing date for receipt of applications from candidates in India (and not the closing date prescribed for those in Assam, Meghalaya, Arunachal Pradesh, Mizoram, Manipur, Nagaland, Tripura, Sikkim, Union territory of Ladakh, Lahaul and Spiti District and Pangi Sub-Division of Chamba District of Himachal Pradesh, Andaman and Nicobar Islands and Lakshadweep).	Essential: (i) Masters degree in Zoology with specialization in Fisheries; or M.F.Sc. or M.Sc. in Marine Biology or M.Sc. in Industrial Fisheries or M.Sc. in Industrial Fisheries or M.Sc. in Aquaculture or M.Sc. in Fisheries Science from a Recognized University or Institute. (ii) Five years experience of research or development in the field of Fisheries (Inland or Marine or Aquaculture) including management, policy and planning, formulation, technical evaluation and monitoring of development schemes for fisheries, Parliament or legislative or international cooperation and trade or fishery health related matter from a Central or State Government Department or Public Sector Undertaking or recognised Research Institute or Semi- Government or Statutory or Autonomous	No	One years for direct recruits	66.67% by Promotion failing which by deputation (including Short-term Contract) failing both by direct recruitment 33.33% by deputation (including Short Term Contract) failing both by direct recruitment	Promotion: Fisheries Research Investigation Officer with five years regular service in the Level-10 of Pay Matrix Note 1: Where juniors who have completed their qualifying or eligibility service are being considered for promotion, their seniors would also be considered provided they are not short of the requisite/ eligibility service by more than half of such qualifying or 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 already completed such qualifying or eligibility service. Note 2: For the purpose of computing minimum qualifying service for promotion, the service rendered on a regular basis by an officer prior to 01.01.2006 or the date from which the revised pay structure based on the 6th CPC recommendations has been extended, shall be deemed to be service rendered in the corresponding pay or pay scale extended based on the recommendations of Pay Commission. Deputation (Including Short-Term Contract) Officers of the Central or State or UT Administration or Autonomous bodies or recognised Research Institute or Universities or	Departmental Promotion Committee (for considering promotion) consisting of: — 1. Secretary, Department of Fisheries - Chairman 2. Joint Secretary (Admn), Department of Fisheries - Member 3. Joint Secretary (Fisheries), Department of Fisheries - Member 4. Director or Deputy Secretary (Admn), Department of Fisheries - Member 5. Fisheries Development Commissioner, Department of Fisheries - Member Departmental Confirmation Committee (for considering confirmation) consisting of: 1. Joint Secretary (Admn), Department of Fisheries - Chairman 2. Joint Commissioner (Fisheries), Department of Fisheries - Member 3. Director or Deputy Secretary (Admn), Department of Fisheries - Member 3. Director or Deputy Secretary (Admn), Department of Fisheries - Member	Consultation with Union Public Service Commission necessary while making direct recruitment and appointing an officer on deputation (including Short term Contract)

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Organisation. Note 1: Qualifications are		Statutory Bodies :-	4. Fisheries development
-		(a) (i) holding analogous posts on regular basis in	Commissioner, Department of Fisheries - Member
relaxable at the discretion		the parent cadre or Department; or	Fisheries - Member
of the Union Public Service		(ii) with five years' service in the grade rendered	
Commission, for reasons		after appointment there to on regular basis in	
recorded in Writing, in the		the Level- 10 of Pay Matrix or equivalent in the	
case of candidates		parent cadre or department; and	
otherwise well qualified.		(b) possessing the educational qualifications and	
Note 2: The qualifications		experience as prescribed under Column (7).	
regarding experience are		Note 1: The departmental officers in the feeder	
relaxable at the discretion		category who are in the direct line of promotion	
of the Union Public Service		will not be eligible for consideration for	
Commission, for reasons to		appointment on deputation. Similarly,	
be recorded in writing in		deputationist shall also not be eligible for	
the case of candidates		consideration for appointment by promotion.	
belonging to the Scheduled		(Period of deputation (Including Short-Term	
Castes or Scheduled Tribes,		Contract) including period of deputation	
if at any stage of selection,		(Including Short-Term Contract) in another ex-	
the Union Public Service		cadre post held immediately preceding this	
Commission is of the		appointment in the same or some other	
opinion that sufficient		organisation or Department of the Central	
number of candidates from	~\\O	Government shall ordinarily not to exceed three	
these communities		years. The maximum age-limit for appointment	
possessing the requisite		by Deputation (Including Short- Term Contract)	
experience are not likely to		shall be not exceeding 56 years as on the closing	
be available to fill up the	A007	date of receipt of applications).	
vacancies reserved for		Note 2: For the purpose of appointment on	
them.		deputation basis, the service rendered on	
Desirable:		regular basis by an officer prior to 01.01.2006	
Doctorate degree in		or the date from which the revised pay	
Zoology from a recognized		structure based on the 6th CPC	
University or Institute		recommendation has been extended, shall be	
40		deemed to be service rendered in the	
		corresponding grade pay or pay scale extended	
		based on the recommendations of the Pay	
		Commission except where there has been the	
		merger of more than one pre- revised scale of	
		pay into one grade with a common grade pay	
		or pay scale, and where this benefit will extend	
		only for the posts for which that grade pay or	
		pay scale is the normal replacement grade	
		without any upgradation.	