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## PART IV-A

Rules and Orders (Other than those published in Parts I, I-A, and I-L) made  
by the Government of Gujarat under the Central Acts

### NARMADA, WATER RESOURCES, WATER SUPPLY AND KALPSAR DEPARTMENT

#### Notification

Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar, 25<sup>th</sup> January, 2017

#### Constitution of India.

**No.GN-3 of 2017/RRR/102014/722880/E-3:**— In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to article 309 of the Constitution of India and in supersession of all the rules made in this behalf, the Governor of Gujarat hereby makes the following rules to provide for regulating recruitment to the post of Research Officer, Class-I, in the General State Service, under the Narmada, Water Resources, Water Supply and Kalpasar Department, Gujarat State, namely:-

1. These rules may be called the Research Officer, Class-I, in the Narmada, Water Resources, Water Supply and Kalpasar Department, Recruitment Rules, 2017.
2. Appointment to the post of Research Officer, Class-I, in the General State Service, under the Narmada, Water Resources, Water Supply and Kalpasar Department, Gujarat State, shall be made, either,-
  - (a) by promotion of a person of proved merit and efficiency from amongst the persons, who,-
    - (i) have worked for not less than eight years in the cadre of Assistant Research Officer, Class-II, in the General State service, under the Narmada, Water Resources, Water Supply and Kalpasar Department, Gujarat State; and
    - (ii) have passed the qualifying examination for computer knowledge in accordance with the provisions of the Gujarat Civil Services Computer Competency Training and Examination Rules, 2006.

Provided that where the appointing authority is satisfied that a person having the experience specified in sub-clause (i) above is not available for promotion and that it is necessary in the public interest to fill up the post by promotion even of a person having experience for a lesser period; it may, for reasons to be recorded in writing, promote such person who possesses experience of a period of not less than two-thirds of the period specified in sub-clause (i) above; or

- (b) by temporary transfer on deputation basis from amongst the persons working on the cadre of Executive Engineer (Civil), in the Gujarat Engineering Service, Class I, with about two years' experience in design, research and investigation; or
- (c) by direct selection.

3. To be eligible for appointment by direct selection to the post mentioned in rule 2, a candidate shall,-

- (a) not be more than 42 years of age :

Provided that upper age limit may be relaxed in favour of a candidate who is already in the service of the Government of Gujarat in accordance with the provisions of the Gujarat Civil Services Classification and Recruitment (General) Rules, 1967;

Provided further that noting contained in clause (b) of sub-rule (9) of rule 8 of the Gujarat Civil Services Classification and Recruitment (General) Rules, 1967 shall be applicable in so far as relaxation of upper age limit as prescribed above is concerned.

- (b) a Post-graduate degree with first class in Civil Engineering or Technology or Geophysics or Geology obtained from any of the Universities established or incorporated by or under the Central or a State Act in India; or any other educational institution recognised by the Government or declared to be deemed as a University under section 3 of the University Grants Commission Act, 1956; and
  - (i) have about five years' research experience on the post not below the rank of Senior Scientific Assistant, Class III, in the subordinate service under the Narmada, Water Resources, Water Supply and Kalpasar Department, Gujarat state; or
  - (ii) have about five years' combined separate experience in the field of research in Water Resources or Irrigation or Roads and Building in Government or Government under taking Board or Corporation or Limited Company established under the Companies Act, 2013 on the post which can be considered equivalent to the post of Senior Scientific Assistant, Class III, in the subordinate service under the Narmada, water Resources, water Supply and Kalpasar Department, Gujarat State.
- (c) Possess the basic knowledge of computer application as prescribed in the Gujarat Civil Services Classification and Recruitment (General) Rules, 1967;
- (d) Possess adequate knowledge of Gujarati or Hindi.

4. The candidate appointed by direct selection shall be on probation for a period of two years.



5. The candidate appointed by direct selection shall during his probation period undergo pre-service training and pass the post- training examination in accordance with the provisions of the Gazetted Officers' Pre-service Training and Examination Rules, 1970.
6. The candidate appointed by direct selection shall during his probation period pass the qualifying examination for computer knowledge in accordance with the provisions of the Gujarat Civil Services Computer Competency Training and Examination Rules, 2006.
7. The candidate appointed by direct selection shall pass an examination in Gujarati or Hindi or both in accordance with the rules prescribed by the Government.
8. The candidate appointed either by promotion or direct selection shall undergo such examination as may be prescribed by the Government.
9. The candidate appointed by direct selection shall furnish a security and surety bond in such form, for such amount and for such period as may be prescribed by the Government.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Gujarat,

**HEMESH MARADIYA,**  
Deputy Secretary to Government.

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