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Government of India
Ministry of Health and Family Welfare
Department of Health & Family Welfare
(Drugs Regulation Section)

Nirman Bhavan, New Delhi
Dated 16 Jan, 2020

NOTICE

This Ministry is examining a proposal for framing of Recruitment Rules for the post of Drug Inspector (Medical Devices), Assistant Drugs Controller (I) (Medical Devices) & Deputy Drugs Controller (I) (Medical Devices) in Central Drugs Standard Control Organisation (CDSCO), Directorate General of Health Services, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare. In this regard, draft Recruitment Rules have been prepared, a copy of which is attached.

2. Before taking up the proposal for framing of Recruitment Rules with the Department of Personnel & Training, Union Public Service Commission and other agencies for finalizing the same, comments, if any, are invited from all stakeholders in the matter within a period of thirty days from the date of this notification on the website of the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare. The comments/objections/suggestions received from the stakeholders within the specified period shall be considered by the Ministry as per rules/requirement before finalizing the Recruitment Rules.

3. The comments may be furnished to the undersigned in Room No.414-A 'D' Wing, Nirman Bhavan, New Delhi-110011 and soft copy may kindly be sent to drugsdiv-mohfw@gov.in.

Encl:A/a.



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Name of post.	Number of post.	Classification.	Level in pay matrix or pay scale.	Whether selection post or non-selection post.	Age-limit for direct recruits.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Drugs Inspector (Medical Devices)	23 * (2020) * Subject to variation dependent on workload	General Central Service, Group 'B', Gazetted, Non-Ministerial	Level - 8 in the pay matrix	Selection	<p>Not exceeding 30 years.</p> <p>Note:1:--- Relaxable for Government Servants upto five years in accordance with the instruction or orders issued by the Central Government.</p> <p>Note:2 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 Ladakh Division of Jammu and Kashmir State, Lahaul and Spiti District and Pangi Sub-Division of Chamba District of Himachal Pradesh, Andaman and Nicobar Island and Lakshadweep)</p>
Educational and other qualifications required for direct recruits.			Whether age and educational qualifications prescribed for direct recruits will apply in the case of promotees.		Period of probation, if any.
(7)			(8)		(9)
Essential: Master's degree in Bio Medical			Not applicable.		02 years for direct recruit.

Engineering or Chemical Engineering or Bio-Technology or Electrical Engineering or Electronics or Instrumentation Engineering or Polymer Engineering or Computer Science Engineering from a university established in India by Law with 1 year' experience in manufacturing or testing or regulation or designing of medical devices.

OR

Bachelor's degree in Bio Medical Engineering or Chemical Engineering or Bio-Technology or Electrical Engineering or Electronics or Instrumentation Engineering or Polymer Engineering or Computer Science Engineering from a university established in India by Law with 2 years' experience in manufacturing or testing or regulation or designing of medical devices.

OR

Graduate Degree in Pharmacy or Pharmaceutical Sciences or Medicine with specialization in Clinical Pharmacology or Microbiology from a university established in India by Law with 02 years' experience in manufacturing or testing or regulation or designing of medical devices.

Note 1: Qualifications are relaxable at the discretion of the UPSC for reasons to be recorded in writing, in the case of candidates otherwise well qualified.

Note 2: The qualifications (s) regarding experience is/are relaxable at the discretion of the UPSC for reasons to be recorded in

writing in the case of candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes or Scheduled Tribes if at any stage of selection, the UPSC 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 vacancies reserved for them.			
Method of recruitment whether by direct recruitment or by promotion or by deputation/absorption and percentage of the vacancies to be filled by various methods.	In case of recruitment by promotion or by deputation or absorption, grades from which promotion or deputation or absorption to be made.	If a Departmental Promotion Committee exists, what is its composition.	Circumstances in which Union Public Service Commission to be consulted in making recruitment.
(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
100 % by direct recruitment.	Not applicable.	Group 'B' Departmental Confirmation Committee (for considering confirmation) consisting of: - 1. Joint Secretary, MoHFW - Chairman. 2. Drugs Controller (India), DGHS- Member; 3. Director (Administration), Directorate General of Health Services-Member	Consultation with Union Public Service Commission for filling up the post on each occasion.

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Assistant Drugs Controller (India) (Medical Devices)	5* (2020) *Subject to variation dependent on workload.	General Central Service, Group 'A', Gazetted, Non-Ministerial.	Level - 11 in the pay matrix	Selection.	<p>Not exceeding 40 years.</p> <p>Note:1. Relaxable for Government Servants upto five years in accordance with the instruction or orders issued by the Central Government.</p> <p>Note:2 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 Ladakh Division of Jammu and Kashmir State, Lahaul and Spiti District and Pangi Sub-Division of Chamba District of Himachal Pradesh, Andaman and Nicobar Island and Lakshadweep).</p>
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<p>Essential:</p> <p>Master's degree in Bio Medical Engineering or Chemical Engineering or Bio-Technology or Electrical Engineering or Electronics or Instrumentation Engineering or Polymer Engineering or Computer Science Engineering from a university established in India by Law with 3 years' experience in manufacturing or testing or regulation or designing of medical devices.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Bachelor's degree in Bio Medical Engineering or Chemical Engineering or Bio-Technology or Electrical Engineering or Electronics or Instrumentation Engineering or Polymer Engineering or Computer Science Engineering from a university established in India by Law with 4 years' experience in manufacturing or testing or regulation or designing of medical devices.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Graduate Degree in Pharmacy or Pharmaceutical Sciences or Medicine with specialization in Clinical Pharmacology or Microbiology from a university established in India by Law with 04 years' experience in manufacturing or testing or regulation or designing of medical devices.</p> <p>Note 1: Qualifications are relaxable at the discretion of the UPSC for reasons to be recorded in writing, in the case of candidates</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>One year for direct recruits</p>
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<p>otherwise well qualified.</p> <p>Note 2: The qualifications (s) regarding experience is/are relaxable at the discretion of the UPSC for reasons to be recorded in writing in the case of candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes or Scheduled Tribes if at any stage of selection, the UPSC 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 vacancies reserved for them</p>			
<p>Method of recruitment whether by direct recruitment or by promotion or by deputation/absorption and percentage of the vacancies to be filled by various methods.</p>	<p>In case of recruitment by promotion or by deputation or absorption, grades from which promotion or deputation or absorption 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>
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<p>75% by direct recruitment.</p> <p>25 % by Promotion failing which by deputation (ISTC).</p>	<p>Promotion.</p> <p>Drug Inspectors (Medical Devices) in level 8 of pay matrix with 6 years' regular service in the grade and having successfully completed 02 weeks mandatory training as prescribed by the</p>	<p>Group 'A' Departmental Promotion Committee (for considering promotion) consisting of:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Chairman or Member of the UPSC - Chairman; 2. Joint Secretary, MoHFW-Member; 3. Drugs Controller (India), Directorate General of Health Services - Member 	<p>Consultation with Union Public Service Commission for filling up the post on each occasion.</p>

	<p>department.</p> <p>Note: 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 qualifying or 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.</p> <p>Deputation (ISTC):-</p> <p>Officers under the Central/State Governments/ Union Territories/Recognized Research Institutions/Public Sector Undertakings/ Semi-Government/</p>	<p>Group 'A' Departmental Confirmation Committee (for considering confirmation) consisting of:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Joint Secretary, MoHFW-Chairman. 2. Drugs Controller (India), Directorate General of Health Services - Member; 3. Director (Administration and Vigilance), Directorate General of Health Services-Member 	
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	<p>Autonomous/Statutory Organizations.</p> <p>(a)(i) holding analogous posts on regular basis in the parent cadre/department; or</p> <p>(ii) with 5 years' service in the grade rendered after appointment thereto on a regular basis in the level-9 or level-10 of pay matrix or equivalent in the parent cadre/department;</p> <p>Or</p> <p>(iii) with six years' service in the grade rendered after appointment thereto on a regular basis in level-8 of pay matrix or equivalent in the parent cadre/department; and</p> <p>(b) Possessing the educational qualification and experience prescribed in column 7.</p> <p>Note: 1: The departmental officers in the feeder category who are in direct line of</p>		
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	<p>promotion will not be eligible for consideration for appointment on deputation (ISTC). Similarly, deputationists shall not be eligible for consideration for appointment by promotion.</p> <p>Note 2: Period of deputation including period of deputation in another ex-cadre post held immediately preceding this appointment in the same or some other organization/department of the Central Govt. Shall ordinarily not to exceed four years. The maximum age limit for appointment by deputation (ISTC) shall be not exceeding 56 years as on the closing date of receipt of applications</p>		
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75% by direct recruitment. 25 % by Promotion failing which by deputation (ISTC).	<p>Promotion.</p> <p>Assistant Drugs Controller (I) (Medical Devices) in level 11 in the pay matrix with 5 years' regular service in the grade and having successfully completed 02 weeks mandatory training as prescribed by the department.</p> <p>Note: Where juniors who have completed their qualifying or eligibility service are being</p>	<p>Group 'A' Departmental Promotion Committee (for considering promotion) consisting of:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Chairman or Member of the UPSC - Chairman; 2. Additional Secretary, MoHFW- Member; 3. Drugs Controller (India), Directorate General of Health Services - Member <p>Group 'A' Departmental Confirmation Committee (for</p>	Consultation with Union Public Service Commission for filling up the post on each occasion.

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department; or

(ii) with 5 years' service in the grade rendered after appointment thereto on a regular basis in the level-11 in the pay matrix or equivalent in the parent cadre/department;

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(iii) with 10 years' service in the grade rendered after appointment thereto on a regular basis in level-10/9 in the pay matrix or equivalent in the parent cadre/department; and

(b) Possessing the educational qualification and experience prescribed in column 7.

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