

F. No.A.12028/01/2023-DRS
Government of India
Ministry of Health and Family Welfare
Department of Health and Family Welfare
(Drugs Regulation Section)

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated the 06th March, 2023

PUBLIC NOTICE

This Ministry is examining a proposal for amendment of Recruitment Rules for the post of Senior Scientific Officer, Junior Scientific Officer, Senior Scientific Assistant, Junior Scientific Assistant (Chemistry) in Central Drugs Laboratory (CDL), Kolkata, Central Drugs Standard Control Organization (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 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 undersigned Room No.434-C, 'C' Wing, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi-110011 or may kindly be sent to bikash.mahato@nic.in

Enclosure: As above



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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Senior Scientific Officers (Chemistry)	5* (2023) *Subject to variation dependent on workload	General Central service/ Group 'A' Gazetted Non-Ministerial	Level 11	Selection	Not exceeding 40 years. (Relaxable for Government servants up to 5 years in accordance with the instructions or orders issued by the Central Government) Note: The crucial date for determining the age limit shall be as advertised by UPSC/SSC
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 : 1. Master's degree in Chemistry (Organic Chemistry/ Inorganic Chemistry/ Analytical Chemistry) / Biochemistry/ Pharmaceutical Chemistry/ Pharmacy/Cosmetics of a recognized University or Institute 2. 5 years experience- in the field of Drug Analysis Note 1. Qualifications are relaxable at the discretion of the Union Public Service commission in the case of candidate otherwise well qualified. Note 2. The qualification(s) regarding experience is/are relaxable at the discretion of the Union Public Service Commission in the case of candidates belonging to the Schedule Castes and the Schedule			Not Applicable		Two years

<p>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 available to fill up the vacancies reserved for them.</p>			
<p>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.</p>	<p>In case of recruitment by promotion/ deputation/ transfer, grades from which promotion/ deputation/ transfer to be made.</p>	<p>If a Departmental Promotion Committee exists, what is its composition.</p>	<p>Circumstances in which Union Public Service Commission is to be consulted in making recruitment.</p>
<p>(10)</p>	<p>(11)</p>	<p>(12)</p>	<p>(13)</p>
<p>40% by promotion, failing which by deputation (ISTC) and 60% by direct recruitment.</p>	<p>Promotion : Junior Scientific Officer-(Chemistry) in Level- 8, with eight years regular service in the grade.</p> <p>Transfer on deputation: Officer under the Central Government/State Governments/Union Territories/Recognized Research Institutions/Public Sector Undertakings/Semi-Government /Autonomous or Statutory Organization :- (a)(i) Holding analogous posts on regular basis in the parent cadre or department; or (ii)With five years service</p>	<p>Group 'A' Departmental Promotion Committee for promotion consisting of:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Chairman/Member UPSC- Chairman 2. Additional Secretary /Joint Secretary, MoHFW-Member 3. Director General of Health Services, New Delhi- Member 4. Drugs Controller (India)/Joint Drugs Controller (India)- Member <p>Group 'A' Departmental Promotion Committee for confirmation consisting of:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Secretary/Addl.Secy-Chairman 2. DGHS/Representative of DGHS -Member 3. Joint Secretary, MoHFW – Member 	<p>Consultation with the Union Public Service Commission is necessary.</p>

	<p>rendered after appointment to the post on a regular basis in the Pay Matrix Level – 10 or equivalent in the parent cadre or department; or (iii) with eight years service rendered after appointment thereto on a regular basis in the Pay Matrix - Level -8 or equivalent in the parent cadre or department;</p> <p>(b) possessing the essential/desirable educational qualification and experience prescribed for direct recruitment.</p>	<p>4. Drug Controller (I) Member -</p>	
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Junior Scientific Officer- (Chemistry)	6* (2023) *Subject to variation dependent on workload	General Central service/ Group 'B' Gazetted Non-Ministerial	Level- 8	Selection	Not exceeding 30 years. (Relaxable for Government servants up to 5 years in accordance with the instructions or orders issued by the Central Government) Note: The crucial date for determining the age limit shall be as advertised by UPSC/SSC
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 : 1. Master's degree in or Chemistry /Organic Chemistry/Inorganic Chemistry/Analytical Chemistry Pharmaceutical Chemistry or Pharmacy of a recognized University or Institute 2. Eighteen months research/drug testing experience. Note 1. Qualifications are relaxable at the discretion of the Union Public Service commission in the case of candidate otherwise well qualified. Note 2. The qualification(s) regarding experience is/are relaxable at the discretion of the Union Public Service Commission in the case of candidates belonging to the Schedule Castes and the Schedule			Not Applicable		Two years for direct recruitment

<p>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 available to fill up the vacancies reserved for them.</p>			
<p>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.</p>	<p>In case of recruitment by promotion/ deputation/ transfer, grades from which promotion/ deputation/ transfer to be made.</p>	<p>If a Departmental Promotion Committee exists, what is its composition.</p>	<p>Circumstances in which Union Public Service Commission is to be consulted in making recruitment.</p>
(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
<p>50% by promotion failing which by transfer on deputation, failing both by direct recruitment and 50% by direct recruitment</p>	<p>Promotion: Senior Scientific Assistant (Chemistry) in Pay Matrix Level – 7 with two years of regular service in the grade.</p>	<p>Group 'B' Departmental Promotion Committee (for Promotion /Confirmation) consisting of:- 1. Additional Secretary/Joint Secretary, MoHFW- Chairman 2. Director General of Health Services/Representative of DGHS-Member. 3. Drugs Controller (India)/Joint Drugs Controller (India)- Member 4. Director, any lab under CDSCO-Member</p>	<p>Consultation with the Union Public Service Commission necessary for direct recruitment.</p>

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Senior Scientific Assistant (Chemistry)	7 * (2023) *Subject to variation dependent on workload	General Central service Group 'B' Non-Gazetted, Non-Ministerial	Level- 7	Selection	Not exceeding 30 years. (Relaxable for Government servants upto 5 years in accordance with the instructions or orders issued by the Central Government). Note: The crucial date for determining the age limit shall be as advertised by UPSC/SSC
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)
<p>Essential Qualifications:</p> <p>a) Master Degree in Chemistry or Organic Chemistry or Inorganic Chemistry or Analytical Chemistry or Pharmacy or Pharmaceutical Chemistry of a recognized University or Institute.</p> <p>And</p> <p>b) One years Experience in drug analysis.</p> <p>Note 1 . Qualifications are relaxable at the discretion of the Staff Selection Commission/Competent Authority in the case of candidate otherwise well qualified).</p> <p>Note 2. The qualification regarding experience is relaxable at the discretion of the Staff Selection Commission /Competent Authority in the case of</p>			Not Applicable		Two Years for direct recruitment

<p>candidates belonging to the Schedule Castes and the Schedule Tribes if, at any stage of selection, the Staff Selection Commission/Competent Authority is of the opinion that sufficient number of candidates from these communities possessing the requisite experience are not available to fill up the vacancies reserved for them.</p>			
<p>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.</p>	<p>In case of recruitment by promotion/ deputation/ transfer, grades from which promotion/ deputation/ transfer to be made.</p>	<p>If a Departmental Promotion Committee exists, what is its composition.</p>	<p>Circumstances in which Union Public Service Commission is to be consulted in making recruitment.</p>
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<p>50% by Promotion failing which by Direct Recruitment and 50% posts by Direct Recruitment.</p>	<p>Promotion: Junior Scientific Assistant (Chemistry) in Pay Matrix Level – 6 with five years of regular service in the grade.</p>	<p>Group 'B' Departmental Promotion Committee (for considering promotion/confirmation) consist of:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Joint Secretary, MoHFW– Chairman. 2. Drugs Controller (India)/Joint Drugs Controller (India)- Member 3. Director, Central Drugs Testing Laboratory, Kolkata – Member 	<p>Not applicable</p>

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Junior Scientific Assistant (Chemistry)	10 * (2023) *Subject to variation dependent on workload	General Central service Group 'B' Non-Gazetted, Non-Ministerial	Level – 6	Selection	Not exceeding 30 years. (Relaxable for Government servant's up-to 5 years in accordance with the instructions or orders issued by the Central Government. Note: The crucial date for determining the age limit shall be as advertised by UPSC/SSC
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 Qualifications: Master's degree in Chemistry/ Pharmaceutical Chemistry/Pharmacy / Biochemistry			Not Applicable.		Two Years for direct recruitment
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50% by Promotion and 50% by Direct Recruitment	Promotion: Senior Laboratory Assistant/ Technical Assistant in pay level 5 with at least six years' service in the grade.	Group 'B' Departmental Promotion Committee (for considering promotion/confirmation) consist of: 1. Joint Secretary, MoHFW– Chairman. 2. Drugs Controller (India)/Joint Drugs Controller (India)- Member		Not Applicable	

		3. Director, Central Drugs Testing Laboratory, Kolkata – Member	
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