

ANNEXURE-III

Modifications proposed in the Recruitment Rules of Assistant Hydrogeologist (Gazetted Group-B)

1 a)	Name of the Post	Assistant Hydrogeologist
b)	Name of the Ministry/ Department	Central Ground Water Board/ Ministry of Water Resources
c)	Reference No. by which Commission's advice on Recruitment Rules was conveyed	Vide MOWR's Notification No. 21/8/99-GW.I dated 7.5.2002
d)	Date of notification of the Original Rules and Subsequent amendments	GSR 173 dated 18 th May 2002

Col.No.	Provision in the approved Recruitment Rules	Revised Provisions proposed	Reason for the revision proposed
1	2	3	4
1	Name of the Post Assistant Hydrogeologist	No Change	
2	Number of Post 159*(2002)	129*(2005)	Due to abolition of 30 posts by the Ministry/Screening Committee under Optimization of Annual Direct Recruitment Action Plan
3	Classification General Central Service Group 'B' Gazetted, Non-Ministerial	No Change	
4	Scale of Pay Rs. 7500-250-12500/-	Pay Band-2, Rs. 9300-34800 with Grade Pay of Rs.4800/-	Due to revision of pay structure w.e.f. 1.1.2006, as per recommendations of the 6 th CPC
5	Whether selection by merit or selection cum seniority or non-selection post Selection	Selection	Amended vide Ministry's letter No. F.No. 23/29/98-GW-I dated 17.6.2005
6	Age limit for direct recruits 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 the closing date for receipt of applications from candidates (and not 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 Pangri Sub-Division of Himachal Pradesh, Andaman and Nicobar Islands or Lakshadweep)	No Change	

7	<p>Educational and other qualifications required for direct recruits</p> <p>Essential:</p> <p>Master of Science degree in Geology or Applied Geology from a recognised University of equivalent. OR Diploma in Associateship in Applied Geology from Indian School of Mines, Dhanbad OR Any other qualifications the standard of which in the opinion of Union Public Service Commission is held to be justifying the admission of a candidate to the Geologist Examination. NOTE : Qualificatio are relaxable at the discretion of Union Public Service Commission in the case of candidates otherwise well qualified.</p>	<p>(a) Master's Degree in Geology or Applied Geology or M.Sc (Geo-exploration) or M.Tech (Engineering Geology) or M.Sc (Earth Science & Resource Management from a recognized University.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>(b) Diploma in Associate-ship in Applied Geology from Indian School of Mines, Dhanbad OR Any other qualifications the standard of which in the opinion of UPSC is held to be justifying the admission of the candidate.</p> <p>NOTE : Qualification are relaxable at the discretion of Union Public Service Commission in the case of candidates otherwise well qualified.</p>	<p>A Committee was constituted by the Chairman, CGWB consisting of the Sr. Officers (Scientific discipline) of the Board and the Committee has recommended to include the qualification of M.Sc (geo-exploration) or M.Tech (Engineering Geology) or M.Sc (Earth Science & Resource Management).</p>
8	<p>Whether age and educational qualifications prescribed for direct recruits will apply in the case of promotees</p> <p>Age No Educational Qualification Yes</p>	<p>No Change</p>	
9	<p>Period of probation, if any</p> <p>Two years</p>	<p>No Change</p>	
10	<p>Method of recruitment whether by direct recruitment or by promotion or by deputation absorption and percentage of the post to be filled by various method.</p> <p>33-1/3% by promotion failing which by Direct Recruitment 66-2/3% by direct recruitment on the basis of Geologists' Exam conducted by the UPSC.</p>	<p>33-1/3% by promotion failing which by Direct Recruitment 66-2/3% by direct recruitment through UPSC.</p>	<p>UPSC vide letter No. 4/1/2014-EIB dated 23.12.2014 (copy enclosed) has informed that combined Geo-Scientist and Geologist Examination is exclusively meant for recruitment of Gr. 'A' posts. For recruitment of Gr. 'B' posts the proposal may be forwarded to the Recruitment Branch of the commission.</p>

11	<p>In case of recruitment by promotion/deputation/absorption, grades from which promotion/deputation/absorption to be made</p> <p>Promotion: Senior technical Assistant (Hydrogeology) with three years regular service in the grade.</p> <p>Note: Where Juniors who have completed their qualifying 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 alongwith their juniors who have completed such qualifying eligibility service.</p>	<p>Promotion:</p> <p>Senior technical Assistant (Hydrogeology) with two years regular service in the grade and have successfully completed the training of minimum sixteen weeks induction level training from RGNGWTRI, Raipur.</p> <p>Note: Where Juniors who have completed their qualifying 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 alongwith their juniors who have completed such qualifying eligibility service.</p>	<p>Provision has been proposed in the light of the instructions contained in DOP&T O.M. No. AB.14017/61/2008-Estt (RR) dated 24 March 2009</p>
12	<p>If a Departmental Promotion Commission exists, what is its composition</p> <p>Group 'B' Departmental Promotion Committee for considering promotion/confirmation</p> <p>1. Chairman, CGWB - Chairman 2. Member, CGWB - Member 3. Director/Deputy Secretary (CGWB), MOWR - Member</p>	<p>No Change</p>	
13	<p>Circumstances in which Union Public Service Commission is to be consulted in making recruitment</p> <p>Consultation with Union Public Service Commission necessary while making direct recruitment.</p>	<p>No Change</p>	

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