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THE ADMINISTRATION OF
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DEPARTMENT

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लेह / Leh, Dated: 30.09.2024

Subject: Age Limit and Relaxations for Direct Recruitment to Group 'B' (Non-Gazetted) and Group 'C' Posts within the Administration of Union territory of Ladakh.

Order No.: 448 - LA (GAD) of 2024

Dated: 27.09.2024

1. **Age Limit for all Non-Gazetted Posts: —** The maximum age limit, as on the 01st day of January of the year of recruitment, for direct recruitment to **Group 'B' (Non-Gazetted)** and **Group 'C' Posts** within the Administration of Union territory of Ladakh shall be **40 (forty) years**.

2. **Relaxations for Reserved Categories: —**

(i) The age relaxations for various reserved categories shall be provided as per the existing guidelines issued by the Department of Personnel and Training (DoPT), Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, Government of India.

(ii) The compilation of all relevant instructions / guidelines as on 06.09.2022 (No. DOPT – 1667569393892), on the subject of grant of relaxation in upper age-limit for direct recruitment is enclosed, so as to serve as the guide without the need, for anyone to refer to old OMs / instructions / guidelines issued, in this respect, from time to time.

3. **General Provisions: —**

(i) This Order supersedes all previous orders / instructions / guidelines related to age limit and relaxations for recruitment to Group 'B' (Non-Gazetted) and Group 'C' Posts issued by the Administration of Union territory of Ladakh.

(ii) The expression “*Reserved Categories*” used in this Order shall have the same meaning as defined in the J&K Reservation Act, 2004 and the rules made thereunder, in its application to the Union territory of Ladakh.

Accordingly, age relaxation provided as per the existing guidelines / instructions issued by the DoPT shall be applicable only to the *Reserved Categories* specified under the J&K Reservation Act, 2004 and the rules made thereunder, in its application to the Union territory of Ladakh.

(iii) The age limit specified in this Order shall apply to all Group ‘B’ (Non-Gazetted) and Group ‘C’ Posts within the Administration of the Union territory of Ladakh; unless a specific age limit has been provided for, in the case of Recruitment Rules to a particular post(s) or otherwise, as specified by an Order of the Administration of the Union territory of Ladakh, in the case of a particular post(s).

4. **Effective Date:** — This Order shall come into force with immediate effect from the date of its publication in the Official e-Gazette.

5. This Order is issued in exercise of the powers conferred by S.O. 282 (E) dated 21/01/2020, notified by the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India.

By Order of the Lieutenant Governor, Union territory of Ladakh.

Sd/-
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