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THE ADMINISTRATION OF
UNION TERRITORY OF LADAKH
Department of Animal/Sheep
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File No.: A/348/2025-ASH&F SECTION

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यूटी सचिवालय, लेह/UT Secretariat, Leh,
Dated: 02.11.2026.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM / कार्यालय ज्ञापन

Subject: Inviting comments from stakeholders on the draft amendment to the Ladakh Animal Husbandry (Subordinate) Service Recruitment Rules, 2022, notified vide S.O. 08 dated 07.01.2022 – regarding.

In pursuance of **DoP&T's OM No. AB-14017/61 dated 13.10.2015**, regarding uploading of draft proposals for framing/amendment of Recruitment Rules on the website and inviting comments thereon, and in compliance with the decision of the **Empowered Committee in its 37th meeting held on 09.10.2026**, the **draft amendment to the Ladakh Animal Husbandry (Subordinate) Service Recruitment Rules, 2022, notified vide S.O. 08 dated 07.01.2022** (copy enclosed) is hereby uploaded on the official website of the Administration of Union Territory of Ladakh, i.e. **Ladakh.nic.in**, for inviting comments/suggestions from the stakeholders.

The Empowered Committee, while considering the proposal for amendment to the aforesaid Recruitment Rules, agreed to the proposed amendments and advised that the same be placed in the public domain for a period of **30 days** to invite comments/objections, if any, from stakeholders.

Accordingly, before finalization of the proposed amendments, comments/suggestions/objections, if any, are invited from all stakeholders within a **period of 30 days** from the date of publication of the draft amendment to the Recruitment Rules on the official website.

The comments, if any, may be sent by e-mail at **secy.ashe@gmail.com** or by post to the following address: **Imtisaal Rasool, JKAS, Under Secretary, Animal/Sheep Husbandry and Fisheries Department, Civil Secretariat, UT of Ladakh, PIN 194101.**

The comments received within the specified period shall be examined by the Department before finalization of the proposed amendments.

Enclosed: As above.

Imtisaal Rasool, (JKAS)/ इम्तिसाल रसूल, (जेकेएएस)
Under Secretary/ अवर सचिव
ASH&F Department/पशु/भेड़ एवं मत्स्य पालन विभाग
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1. All the Administrative Secretaries, UT of Ladakh.
2. Deputy Commissioners, All Districts.
3. Director, Animal Husbandry & Fisheries Department, UT of Ladakh.
4. Chief Animal Husbandry Officers/District Officers, All Districts.
5. Technical Director, NIC, with the request to upload the notice along with its enclosures on the official website of UT of Ladakh.
6. Pvt. Secretary to Chief Secretary, UT of Ladakh for kind information of the Chief Secretary.
7. Office Records.

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यूटी सचिवालय, लेह/UT Secretariat, Leh,
Dated: 31.10.2026

NOTIFICATION
Ladakh of November, 2026

S.O. -In exercise of the powers conferred by S.O. 282 (E) dated: 21.01.2020 issued by the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India, the Lieutenant Governor of the Union Territory of Ladakh hereby makes the following rules to amend the **Ladakh Animal Husbandry Department (Subordinate) Service Recruitment Rules, 2022** (hereinafter referred to as the 'said Rules') notified vide **S.O. 08, Dated: 07.01.2022**.

1. Short title and commencement:

i. These rules may be called the **Ladakh Animal Husbandry Department (Subordinate) Service Recruitment (Amendment) Rules, 2026**.

ii. These rules shall come into force from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. Amendment to Schedule - I: The "Schedule - I" to the said Rules shall be substituted by the following Schedule, as follows:

Schedule – I

S. No.	Designation of the Post	Pay Level /Structure	Total
1	Section Officer	Level-7 (44900-142400)	02
2	Statistical Officer	Level-7 (44900-142400)	03
3	Assistant Accounts Officer	Level-7 (44900-142400)	01
4	Assistant Veterinary Officer/Block Inspector/Stud Master/Farm Inspector	Level-6E (35900-113500)	10
5	Legal Assistant	Level-6E (35900-113500)	01
6	Chauffer	Level-6C (35700-113100)	03
7	Head Assistant	Level -6B (35600-112800)	06
8	Jr. Stenographer	Level -6B (35600-112800)	01
9	Statistical Assistant	Level -6B (35600-112800)	04
10	Accountant	Level -6B (35600-112800)	03
11	Livestock Supervisor/Poultry Supervisor/ Storekeeper/Flock Inspector	Level -6B (35600-112800)	17
12	Sr. Veterinary Pharmacists/ Laboratory Assistant/Senior Poultry Assistant/ Flock Supervisor	Level-6 (35400-112400)	97
13	Sr. Assistant	Level-5 (29200-92300)	17

14	Accounts Assistant	Level-5 (29200-92300)	1
15	Jr. Assistant	Level-4 (25500-81100)	20
16	Veterinary Pharmacist/ Junior Poultry Assistant/Sr. Compounder	Level-4 (25500-81100)	72
17	Field Assistant	Level-4 (25500-81100)	01
18	Driver Grade-I	Level-4 (25500-81100)	04
19	Mechanic	Level-4 (25500-81100)	02
20	Driver-II	Level-2 (19900-63200)	15
21	Truck Cleaner	SL-2 (15900-50400)	01
22	Orderly	SL-1 (14800-47100)	08
23	Attendant	SL-1 (14800-47100)	304
		Total	**593**

3. Amendment to Schedule-II (B): The "Schedule-II (B)" to the said Rules shall be substituted by the following Schedules, as follows:

Pay Level & Structure	**Designation**	**Minimum Qualification for Direct Recruitment**	**Method of Recruitment**
Level-6E (35900-113500)	Assistant Veterinary Officer/Block Inspector/Stud Master/Farm Inspector	-	100% By promotion from Livestock Supervisor/ Equivalent, having not less than three (03) years substantive service.
Level-6B (35600-112800)	Livestock Supervisor/Poultry Supervisor/Storekeeper/ Flock Inspector	-	100% By promotion from Sr. Veterinary Pharmacist/ Equivalent, having not less than three (03) years substantive service.
Level-6 (35400-112400)	Sr. Veterinary Pharmacist/Laboratory Assistant/Senior Poultry Assistant/Flock Supervisor	Bachelor in Science from any recognized University with Biology/Life Science subjects.	i. 40% by Direct Recruitment. ii. 60% by promotion from Veterinary Pharmacist/ Equivalent, having not less than three (03) years substantive service. Provided that the Direct Recruits have to undergo one (01) year Departmental Stock Assistant Training Course through the Departmental Stock Assistant Training Institute, and to qualify the exam within the period of probation.
Level-4	Veterinary	10+2 with science	i. 50% by Direct Recruitment.

(25500-81100)	Pharmacist/Junior Poultry Assistant/Sr. Compounder		ii. 50% by promotion from Attendant having not less than three (03) years substantive service. Provided that Veterinary Pharmacist/Junior Poultry Assistant/Sr. Compounder recruited either by direct recruitment or by promotion have to undergo one (01) year Departmental Stock Assistant Training Course through Departmental Stock Assistant Training Institute and to qualify the exam within the period of probation.
Level-4 (25500-81100)	Field Assistant	-	By deputation from the Agriculture Department.
Level-SL-1 (14800-47100)	Attendant	Matriculation/Std. X pass from a recognized Board of Secondary Education or equivalent.	100% by Direct Recruitment.

4. Amendment to Schedule -II (F): The "Schedule-II (F)" to the said Rules shall be substituted by the following Schedules, as follows:

Pay Level & Structure	**Designation**	**Minimum Qualification for Direct Recruitment**	**Method of Recruitment**
Level-6C (35700-113100)	Chauffeur	-	100% by promotion from Driver Grade-I having not less than five (05) years substantive service as Driver Grade-I.
Level -4 (25500-81100)	Driver Grade-I	-	100 % by Promotion from Driver Grade-II having not less than five (05) years substantive service as Driver Grade-II.
Level-2 (19900-63200)	Driver Grade-II	10th Pass with Driving license of light motor vehicle (LMV) Trans.	100 % Direct Recruitment **Note:** Notwithstanding anything contained in these Rules, the existing Truck Cleaners/Attendants who, on the date of commencement of these Rules, possess a valid Driving Licence for Light

			Motor Vehicle (LMV) with Transport (TRANS) and are actually performing the duties of Driver in the Department for a period of not less than five years in their respective pay level and grade, shall be eligible for promotion to the post of Driver Grade-II.

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