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जल शक्ति मंत्रालय

## Ministry of Jal Shakti

जल संसाधन नदी विकास और गंगा संरक्षण विभाग

Department of Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation

Shram Shakti Bhawan, Rafi Marg, New Delhi, Dated 09th January, 2023.

### OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Draft proposal for amendment in Recruitment Rules of Assistant Geophysicist in Level-8 in the Pay matrix in Central Ground Water Board-regarding.

The undersigned is directed to refer to DoPT's O.M.No.AB-14017/61/2008-Estt.(RR) dated 13.10.2015 and to say that as per existing guidelines of DoPT, it has been directed to upload any proposal for framing/amendment in the Recruitment Rules of any post in Ministries/Departments and their subordinate and attached office, the proposed amendment/revision in the Recruitment Rules would be put up on the website of the respective Ministry/Departments for 30 days for inviting comments from the stakeholders.

- 2. In this regard, NIC Cell of this Department is requested to upload the draft proposal for amendment of Recruitment Rules for the post Assistant Geophysicist in Central Ground Water Board on Department's website for 30 days. The soft copy of RR has been emailed to eoffice-mowr@nic.in.
- 3. Stakeholders are requested to send their comments within 30 days on the email id: usgw-mowr@nic.in.

(Shatini Gupta)

Under Secretary to the Government of India Tel. No. 011- 23716928

To
Department of Water Resources, RD & GR,
{Shri Girish Kumar Tiwari, Technical Director(NIC)}
Shram Shakti Bhawan,
New Delhi.

Copy to:

Chairman, Central Ground Water Board, Bhujal Bhawan, NH-IV, Faridabad, 121001 (With request to circulate/inform within stakeholders and upload on CGWB's website for comments). The draft RRs has been sent on email id: chmn-cgwb@nic.in.

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# Government of India Ministry of Jal Shakti

Department of Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation

#### Notification

Dated the .....2023.

G.S.R In exercise of the powers conferred by proviso to article 309 of the Constitution
and in supersession of the Central Ground Water Board Assistant Geophysicist Recruitment
Rules, 1995, Central Ground Water Board Assistant Geophysicist Recruitment (Amendment)
Rules, 2001 and Central Ground Water Board Assistant Geophysicist Recruitment (Amendment)
Rules, 2017, except as respects things done or omitted to be done before such supersession, the
President hereby makes the following rules regulating the method of recruitment to the post of
Assistant Geophysicist in the Ministry of Jal Shakti, Department of Water Resources, River
Development and Ganga Rejuvenation, Central Ground Water Board, namely:-

- 1. Short title and commencement.- (1) These rules may be called the Central Ground Water Board Assistant Geophysicist Recruitment Rules, 2023.
- (2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the official Gazette.
- 2. Number of post, classification and Level in the pay matrix. The number of said post, its classification and Level in the pay matrix attached thereto shall be as specified in columns (2) to (4) of the Schedule annexed to these rules.
- 3. Method of recruitment, age limit, qualifications, etc. The method of recruitment, age limit, qualifications and other matters relating thereto shall be as specified in columns (5) to (13) of the said Schedule.
- 4. Disqualifications.- No person,-
- (a) who has entered into or contracted a marriage with a person having a spouse living; or (b)who having a spouse living, has entered into or contracted a marriage with any person, shall be eligible for appointment to the said post:

Provided that the Central Government may, if satisfied that such marriage is permissible under the personal law applicable to such person and the other party to the marriage and that there are other grounds for so doing, exempt any person from the operation of this rule.

5. Power to relax. - Where the Central Government is of the opinion that it is necessary or expedient so to do, it may, by order and for reasons to be recorded in writing and in consultation with Union Public Service Commission relax any of the provisions of these rules with respect to any class or category of persons.

6. Saving.- Nothing in these rules shall affect reservations, relaxation of age limit and other concessions required to be provided for Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, ex-servicemen, and other special categories of persons in accordance with the orders issued by the Central Government from time to time in this regard.

# **SCHEDULE**

Name of post	Number of post	Classification	Level in the	Whether
			Matrix	selection post
				or non
				selection post
1	2	3	4	5
Assistant	19*(2023)	General Central	Level-8	Selection
Geophysicist	G 11	Service Group	(Rs.47600-	
	Subject to	'B' Gazetted,	151100/-)	
	variation dependent on	Non-Ministerial		
	workload			

Age limit for	Educational and	Whether age	Period of	Method of
direct recruits	other qualifications required for direct recruitment	and educational qualification prescribed for direct recruits will apply in the case of promotees	Probation, if any	recruitment:  whether by direct or by promotion or deputation/ absorption and percentage of the vacancies to be filled by various method
6	7	8	9	10
Not exceeding 30 years.  (Relaxable for Government Servant upto 5 years in	Essential  Master's degree in Geophysics or Applied Geophysics from a recognized	No	Two years for direct recruits	60% by direct recruitment  40% by promotion

accordance with	University or		failing which
the instruction or	equivalent		by deputation
orders issued by	1.1		(including short
the Central	Desirable:		•
Government).			term contract)
	Three (3) years		
NOTE: The	experience in the		
crucial date for	actual conduct of		Note: Direct
determining the	Geophysical		Recruitment
age limit shall be	survey work		will be through
the closing date	particularly with reference to		Combined
for the receipt of	reference to Ground water.		Geo-Scientist
applications from	Ground water.		Examination
candidates	OR		conducted by
(except for the			the Union
closing date	Three (3) years		Public Service
	research and/or		
1 *	practical		Commission
those in Assam	experience in the		
Meghalaya,	Electronics		
Arunachal	aspects of		
Pradesh,	Geophysical		
Mizoram	instrumentation		
Manipur,	and repairs of such instruments.		
Nagaland,	such instruments.		
Sikkim, Ladakh	NOTE 1:		
Division of	Qualifications are		
Jammu &	relaxable at the		
Kashmir State,	discretion of the		
Lahaul and Spiti	Union Public		
District and Pangi	Service		
Sub-Division of	Commission in		
Chamba District	the case of		
of Himachal	candidates otherwise well		
Pradesh Andaman	otherwise well qualified.		
	quanneu.		
and Nicobar	Note 2: The		
Islands or	qualifications		
Lakshadweep).	regarding		
	experience is/are		
	relaxable at the		
	discretion of the		

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Union Public		
Service		
Commission in		
the case of		
candidates		
belonging to the		
Scheduled Castes		
or the Scheduled		
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		
likely to be		
available to fill up		
the posts reserved		
for them.		

In case of recruitment by	If a Departmental Promotion	Circumstances in
promotion or	Committee exists, what is its	which Union Public
deputation/absorption grade	composition.	Service Commission
from which promotion or		to be consulted in
deputation/absorption is to be		making recruitment.
made		
11	12	13
Promotion: Senior technical Assistant (Geophysics) with three years regular service in the grade.  Note: Where Juniors who have completed their qualifying	Group 'B' Departmental Promotion Committee (for considering promotion) consisting of:  1. Chairman, Central Ground Water Board - Chairman;  2. Member, Central Ground Water	Consultation with Union Public Service Commission necessary while making direct recruitment.

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 along with their juniors who have completed such qualifying eligibility service.

## Deputation:

Officers under the Central Government-

- (a) (i) holding analogous posts on regular basis or (ii) with three years regular service in posts in the scale of Rs.6500-10500 or equivalent and
- (b) Having experience in the actual conduct of Geophysical Survey work particularly with reference to Ground Water and possessing educational qualifications prescribed for direct recruits in Column 8.

**Note 1:** Departmental officers in the feeder grade who are in direct line of promotion will not be eligible for consideration for appointment on deputation. Similarly, deputationists shall not be eligible for consideration for appointment by promotion.

Board - Member;
3. Director or Deputy Secretary,
Department of Water Resources,
River Development & Ganga
Rejuvenation, Ministry of Jal
Shakti, dealing with matter of
Central Ground Water Board Member

Group 'B' Departmental Promotion Committee (for considering confirmation) consisting of:

- 1. Chairman, Central Ground Water Board - Chairman:
- 2. Member, Central Ground Water Board Member;
- 3. Director (Administration), Central Ground Water Board -Member

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