

No. 172/XXXVI(3)/2025/13(01)/2025

Dated Dehradun, April 28, 2025NOTIFICATIONMiscellaneous

In pursuance of the provisions of Clause (3) of Article 348 of the Constitution of India, the Governor is pleased to order the publication of the following English translation of 'The Uttarakhand Public Service (Horizontal Reservation for Skilled Sportspersons) (Amendment) Act, 2025' (Act No. 10 of 2025).

As passed by the Uttarakhand Legislative Assembly and assented to by the Governor on 07th April, 2025.

The Uttarakhand Public Service (Horizontal Reservation for Skilled Sportspersons) (Amendment) Act 2025

Uttarakhand Act No. 10 of, 2025

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further to amend the Uttarakhand Public Service (Horizontal Reservation for Skilled Sportspersons) Act, 2024 (Uttarakhand Act No. 09 of 2024)

Be it enacted by the Uttarakhand Legislature in the Seventy Sixth year of the India as follows:-

**Short title
and commencement**

1. (1) This Act may be called the Uttarakhand Public Service (Horizontal Reservation for Skilled Sportspersons) (Amendment) Act, 2025.

(2) It shall be come into force at once.

Amendment of Section 2

2. In the Uttarakhand Public Service (Horizontal Reservation for Skilled Sportspersons) Act, 2024 (hereinafter referred to as the Principal Act), clause (d) of section 2 shall be substituted as follows, namely:-

(d) "Skilled Sportspersons" means a citizen of India who has won a medal or participated in sports at the International/National level or who has

Amendment of Section 3

won any medal in State Games and whose domicile of origin is in Uttarakhand, but he/she has not obtained any permanent domicile certificate from anywhere else or whose domicile of origin is not in Uttarakhand but he/she has obtained a permanent domicile certificate in Uttarakhand as per the G.O. No. 2588/One-4/G.A./2001 dated 20 November, 2001 or any other Government Order related to domicile, for the time being in force;

3. In the Principal Act, section 3 shall be Substituted as follows, namely:-

3. In the process of direct recruitment, 04 percent horizontal reservation in the vacancies in public services and posts, on which recruitment is to be done in favour of Skilled sportspersons of Uttarakhand state who have won medals/participated in sports at the International/National level or have won medals in state level games shall be allowed as follows:-

S. N o.	Name of Competition	Level of Competition	Horizontal Reservation
1.	Olympic Games	Medals Winner/ Participation	posts at level-10 and below
2.	World Cup/World Championship/ Asian Games	Medals Winner/ Participation	posts at level-8 and below
3.	Commonwealth Games/Asian Championship	Medals Winner/ Participation	posts at level-7 and below
4.	Commonwealth Championship /International University Games	Medals Winner/ Participation	posts at level-6 and below
5.	National Games/ National Championships	Medals Winner	posts at level-5 and below

	organized by recognised National Sports Associations/ All India University Games/ Khelo India Youth Games		
6.	State games organised by Uttarakhand Olympic Association/ State level championships organised by state sports associations recognised by national sports federations/ State level sports Maha Kumbh organised by Youth Welfare Department/ State level school games organised by School Education Department/ State level university games organised by Higher Education Department	Medals Winner	posts at level-5 and below

Provided that if suitable Skilled sportspersons are not available on the posts reserved for Skilled sportspersons under the state services, those posts shall not be carried forward rather, it shall be filled with qualified candidates coming in the order of proficiency of the same category.

By Order,

DHANANJAY CHATURVEDI,
Principal Secretary.

Statement of Objects and Reasons

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Pushkar Singh Dhami,
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