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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE & EMPOWERMENT
DEPARTMENT OF EMPOWERMENT OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

5th Floor, Pt. Deendayal Antyodaya Bhawan,
CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi-03
Date: 17th August, 2026

CIRCULAR

SUB: VACANCY CIRCULAR FOR THE POST OF CHIEF COMMISSIONER FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES, DEPwD, M/o SJE.

Applications are invited for appointment to the post of Chief Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities under the Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Government of India.

1. NAME OF THE POST : Chief Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities.
2. HEADQUARTER : New Delhi.
3. PAY SCALE : Pay scale and allowances as admissible to the Secretary to the Government of India.

Where a Chief Commissioner being a retired Government servant or a serving employee of any institution or autonomous body funded by the Government, is in receipt of pension in respect of such previous service, the salary, admissible to him under these rules shall be reduced by the amount of the pension, and if he had received in lieu of a portion of the pension, the commuted value thereof, by the amount of such commuted portion of the pension.]

2. AGE LIMIT : Not exceeding 60 years as on 01.01.2026.

3. EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION :

Essential : Graduation from a recognized university:

Provided that preference shall be given to persons having recognized degree or diploma in social work or law or management or human rights or rehabilitation or education of persons with disabilities.

4. EXPERIENCE:

Should have experience of at least twenty-five years in a Group "A" level post in the Central Government or a State Government or a Public Sector Undertaking or a semi-Government or an autonomous body dealing with disability related matters or social sector or as a senior level functionary in registered national and international voluntary organizations in the field of disability or social development:

Provided that out of the total of twenty five years of experience, he/ she should have at least three years of experience in the field of rehabilitation or empowerment of persons with disabilities.

5. TERM OF THE OFFICE OF CHIEF COMMISSIONER :

- a. The term of the office of Chief Commissioner shall be for a period of three years from the date on which he/she assumes office, or till he/she attains the age of sixty five years, whichever is earlier.
 - b. If an applicant is in the service under the Central Government or State Government, he/she shall seek retirement from such service before his/her appointment to the post.
6. The duly filled applications in the prescribed Pro-forma (Annexure) along with supporting documents in support of the claim(s) from eligible candidates may be sent to **Shri Ajay Kumar, Under Secretary, Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, 5th Floor, Pt. Deendayal Antyodaya Bhavan, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003 within 3 weeks of publication of this advertisement in the 'Employment News'**. The application should be duly catalogued with numbered pages and is to be sent as a single unit and not in parts. Applications received without supporting document(s) may be liable for rejection. Applicants working in Central/State Govt/PSUs/Autonomous Bodies etc. must send their applications through proper channel with one copy to be sent in advance.

NOTE: Incomplete applications or applications without the supporting documents or Advance applications not followed by the applications forwarded through proper channel or applications received after the last date will be summarily rejected & no communication will be made/entertained in this regard.

7. Candidates who applied for the post of CCPD earlier, are required to apply afresh.
8. The Search-cum-Selection Committee is free to identify and recommend any other person also, based on merit, who has not applied for the post.
9. For further information regarding the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (RPwD) Act, 2016 and the RPwD Rules, 2017, candidates may visit the official website of the Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (DEPwD) at <https://depwd.gov.in>. The application form may also be downloaded from the Department's website. For further information regarding the Office of the Chief Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities (CCPD), candidates may visit <https://ccpd.nic.in>.

(Ajay Kumar)
Under Secretary to the Govt. of India
(email: ajay.kumar78@nic.in)

Enclosure : Annexure containing pro-forma of application.

To

1. Web-site of DEPwD.
2. Estt/ Admin. Division for uploading in the E-office.
3. Media Division to publish the short version in the newspapers.

Dated : August, 2026

PROFORMA FOR APPLICATION FOR THE POST OF CHIEF COMMISSIONER FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

1. (a) Name (In Block Letters):

(b) Address with telephone number and e-mail ID:

2. (a) Date of Birth: (b) Age as on 01.01.2026

3. (a) Educational & other Qualifications:

(b) Research papers published (Indicate details in brief):

4. Details of Experience :

(details to be provided chronologically upto the date of application):

Sl. No.	Name of the Office/Department/Organization	Whether Central Govt./State Govt./PSU/Semi-Govt./Autonomous Body/national or international voluntary organization	Details of post held with designation and scale of pay/gross pay	Tenure from (DD/MM/YYYY)	Tenure upto (DD/MM/YYYY)	Nature of appointment-whether regular/adhoc/deputation/honorary	Duties/ Job Description with details of experience in disability sector wherever applicable

(a) Detailed experience in disability sector:

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5. In r/o applicants working in Central/State Govt establishments/PSUs/Autonomous Bodies etc.,

- i. whether the application is submitted through proper channel: Y/N
- ii. whether the certified copies of APARs for the last five years have been attached : Y/N
- iii. whether the vigilance clearance has been attached : Y/N

6. Additional information, if any, in support of the candidature or other relevant details:

7. Name, Address and Telephone Nos. of two persons for reference from whom additional information/clarification can be obtained, if needed:

i) Contact 1

- a) Name:
- b) Address:
- c) Contact No:
- d) Email:

ii) Contact 2

- a) Name:
- b) Address:
- c) Contact No:
- d) Email:

8. Requisite Documents for submission(Details of documents provided other than the below mentioned documents may be appended in the subsequent rows of the following table):

S.No.	Document type	Whether submitted or not (✓tick where applicable)		Page number of document in the application
		Yes	No	
1	Proof of date of birth (10 th certificate/DOB certificate)			
2	Education Certificate(s)			
3	Present Pay Certificate (if applicable)			
4	Employer's/Organization's registration certificate in case of NGOs /other national or international organization experience			
5	Copies of APARs for the last five years (if applicable)			
6	Vigilance clearance (if applicable)			

9. Whether any supporting documents in respect of the claim(s) above is missing? If yes, reason(s) for not submitting the same:

Name and Signature of the Candidate

Date :

Place :

Full address (postal and email) for communication.....