

Department of Consumer Affairs,
National Test House Division,
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Please find below a copy of draft amendment Recruitment Rules, 2023 for the post of Assistant Director (Official language), National Test House, Department of Consumer Affairs. It is requested that the same may be uploaded in the website of this Department for public comments giving time 30 days. The comments should be addressed to the following email:-

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2. Approval of competent authority has been obtained for amendment in the RRs of the above said post.

Encl:- Copy of draft amendment RRs



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MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
(Department of Consumer Affairs)
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G.S.R. – In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to article 309 of the Constitution, and in supersession of the National Test House, Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution, Department of Consumer Affairs, Assistant Director (Official Language) Recruitment Rules, 2023, 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 Director (Official Language) in the National Test House, under Department of Consumer Affairs, Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution, Department of Consumer Affairs, namely :-

1. Short title and commencement. – (1) These rules may be called the National Test House, Assistant Director (Official Language) Recruitment Rules, 2023.

(2). They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. Number of post, classification, level in pay matrix.– The number of post, its classification, 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, educational qualifications, etc.– The method of recruitment, age-limit, educational qualifications and other matters relating to the said post shall be as specified in columns (5) to (13) of the Schedule.

4. Disqualification.– 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 other party to the marriage and that there are other grounds for doing so, 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 and expedient to do so, it may, by order and for the 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 reservation, relaxation of age-limit and other concessions required to be provided for the Scheduled Castes, the Scheduled Tribes, Other Backward Classes, 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 Pay Matrix	Whether Selection post or non selecti post	Age – limit for direct recruits
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
Assistant Director (Official Language)	1* (* Subject to Variation Dependent on Workload)	General Central Service, Group 'A', Gazetted, Ministerial.	Level – 10 (Rs. 56,100 – Rs. 177500/-)	Selection	<p>Not exceeding 35 years (Relaxable for Government servants up to five years in accordance with the instructions or orders issued by Central Government).</p> <p>Note: The crucial date for determining the age limit shall be the closing date for receipt of India (and not the closing date prescribed for those in Assam, Meghalaya, Arunachal Pradesh, Mizoram, Manipur, Nagaland, Tripura, Sikkim, Ladakh Division of Jammu And Kashmir State, Lahaul and Spiti District and Pangi Sub-division of Chamba District of Himachal Pradesh Andaman and Nicobar Islands or Lakshadweep).</p>
Educational and other qualifications Required for direct recruits		Whether age and educational qualifications prescribed for direct recruits will apply in case of promotes	Period of probation, if any	Method of Recruitment whether by direct recruitment or by promotion or by deputation or absorption and percentage of the vacancies to be filled by various methods	
(7)		(8)	(9)	(10)	
Essential:		No	One year for direct recruits and promotes.	By promotion failing which by deputation failing both by direct recruitment.	
(1) Master's degree of a recognized University or equivalent in Hindi with English as s subject at the degree Level: or Master's degree of a recognized University or equivalent in any subject with Hindi Medium and					

<p>English as a subject at the degree level; or Master's degree of a recognized University or equivalent in any subject With Hindi Medium and Hindi as a Subject at the degree level. (ii) Three years' experience of using or Applying (terminological work) in Hindi and translation work from English to Hindi or vice-versa, preferably of technical or scientific literature in a Central or State Government office or undertaking or in any recognized Institution; OR 'Three years' experience of teaching in Hindi and English at 10+2 level in a recognized educational Institute. Desirable : i) Studied at the level of Matriculation of a recognized Board any one of the languages other than Hindi included in the Eight Scheduled of the Constitution; (ii) Degree or Diploma in translation from Hindi to English and vice-versa from any recognized University or Institute.</p> <p>Note 1: Qualification are relaxable at the discretion of the Union Public Service Commission in case of candidates otherwise well qualified.</p> <p>Note 2: The qualification regarding experience is relaxable at the discretion of the UPSC for reason to be recorded in writing in case of candidates belonging to Schedules Castes or Schedules 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 post reserved for them.</p>			
In case of recruitment by promotion or deputation or absorption grades from which promotion or deputation or absorption to be made			
(11)			
<p>Promotion:</p> <p>Junior Translator in the level – 6 in the pay matrix (Rs.35,400 – Rs. 1,24,000/-) with Ten years regular service in grade.</p>			

Note 1: Where juniors who have completed their qualifying or eligibility service are being considered for promotion, their seniors would also be considered provided they are not short of the requisite qualifying or eligible service by more than half of such qualifying or eligibility service or two years, whichever is less and have successfully completed the probation period for promotion to the next higher grade along with their juniors who have already completed such qualifying or eligible service.

Note 2: For the purpose of computing minimum qualifying service for promotion, the service rendered on a regular basis by an officer prior to the 1st January, 2016 or the date which the revised level in the pay matrix based on the Seventh Central Pay Commission recommendations has been extended, shall be deemed to be service rendered in the corresponding level in the pay matrix extended based on the recommendations of the Pay Commission.

Deputation:

Officers from the Central or State Government: -

- (a) (i) holding analogous post on regular basis in the parent cadre or Department; or
(ii) with five years' service in grade rendered after appointment thereto on a regular basis in the level - 7 in the pay matrix (Rs.44900 -142400/-) or equivalent in the parent cadre or Department;

Or

- (iii) with ten years' service or in the grade rendered after appointment thereto on a regular basis in the level 6 in the pay matrix (Rs.35400 – 112400/-)

- (b) Possessing the educational qualifications and experience prescribed for direct recruitment under column 7

The departmental officers in the feeder category who are in the direct line of promotion will not be eligible for consideration for appointment on deputation. Similarly, deputationist shall not be eligible for consideration for appointment for promotion.

(Period of deputation including period of deputation in another ex-cadre post held immediately preceding this appointment in the same or some other Organization or Department of the Central Government shall ordinarily not exceed three years. The maximum age limit for appointment by deputation shall not be exceeding Fifty six years as on the closing date of the receipt of applications.)

Note: For the purpose of appointment on deputation basis, the service rendered on a regular basis by an officer prior to the 1st January, 2016 or the date from which the revised level in the pay matrix based on the recommendations of the 7th CPC has been extended, shall be deemed to be service rendered in the corresponding level in the pay matrix extended based on the recommendations of the said Pay Commission except where there has been merger of more than one pre-revised scales of pay into one grade with a common level in the pay matrix and where this benefit will extend only for the post(s) for which that level in the pay matrix is the normal replacement grade without up- gradation.

If a Departmental Promotion committee exists, what is its composition	Circumstances in which Union Public Service Commission is to be consulted in making recruitment
(12)	(13)
<p>Group 'A' Department Promotion Committee for considering Promotion :-</p> <p>(i) Chairman or Member, UPSC - Chairman; (ii) Director General, NTH - Member; (iii) Director (Estt.) or Deputy Secretary (Estt.) Department of Consumer Affairs - Member</p> <p>Group 'A' Department Promotion Committee (for considering confirmation of Direct Recruits) :-</p> <p>(i) Direct General, NTH - Chairman; (ii) Director, NTH - Member; (iii) Director (Estt.) or Deputy Secretary (Estt.) Department of Consumer Affairs - Member.</p>	<p>Consultation with Union Public Service Commission necessary for filling up of post.</p>

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