

(A. Annotative English text of Government Notification
No. Agr.A-3(4)/93 dated 3.6.95 as required under Clause (3) of
Article 348 of the Constitution of India).

Government of Himachal Pradesh
Department of Agriculture.

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No. Agr.A-3(4)/93. Dated Shimla-171002, the 3 June, 1995.

NOTIFICATION

The Governor of Himachal Pradesh in exercise of the powers conferred by proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, in consultation with the Himachal Pradesh Public Service Commission is pleased to make the Himachal Pradesh Agricultural Services (Class-I Gazetted) Non-Ministerial Recruitment and Promotion Rules as per Annexure-A attached to this Notification in the Department of Agriculture namely:-

1. Short title and Commencement.

1(i) These Rules may be called the Himachal Pradesh Agricultural Services (Class-I Gazetted) Non-Ministerial Recruitment and Promotion Rules, 1995.

(ii) These shall come into force from the date of their publication in the Himachal Pradesh Rajpatra.

2. Repeal and Savings.

2(i) The Recruitment and Promotion Rules notified vide Notifications No. 23-3/69 Agr. (Sectt.) dated the 16.6.1973, No. Agr.A(3)-9/76 dated 12.9.1976, No. 16-55/69-Agr. Sectt. dated the 2.11.1973, No. Agr.B(2)-10/76 dated 16.2.1977, No. Agr.A(3)-8/76 dated 12/20-9-1977, No. Agr.A(1)6/77 dated 9.5.1978 and No. 16-10/73-Agr. Sectt. dated the 5.2.1974 for the posts of Deputy Director of Agriculture, Principals Agricultural Extension Training Centre Mashobra, and Farmers Training Centre Sundernagar, Pulses and Oil Seed Specialist, Vegetable Specialist, Subject Matter Specialist (Agronomy), Senior Analytical Chemist, Subject Matter Specialist (Farm Economics),

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Subject Matter Specialist (Soil & Water Management) (Class-I Gazetted), District Agriculture Officer, Subject Matter Specialists, Regional Potato Development Officer, Training Officer (Male/Female), Radio Contact Officer, Assistant Soil Survey Officer, Assistant Project Officer, Analytical Chemist, Assistant Seed Testing Officer, Assistant Agriculture Marketing Officer, Assistant Development Officer (Vegetable/Spices), Plant Protection Officer, Vice Principals Training Centre, Assistant Soil Chemist, Agriculture Information Officer (Class-II Gazetted), Assistant Development Officers (Agriculture Inspectors) (Class-III) as amended from time to time are hereby repealed to this extent

Notwithstanding such repeal any appointment made, anything done or any action taken under the said rules, so repealed under sub-rule (1) shall be deemed to have been validly made, done or taken under these rules.

By Order,

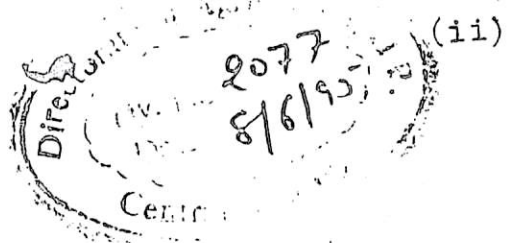
Agriculture Production Commissioner to the Government of Himachal Pradesh.

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ANNEXURE-I

RECRUITMENT AND PROMOTION RULES FOR THE POST OF H.P.
AGRICULTURAL SERVICES (CLASS-I GAZETTED) IN THE DEPARTMENT
OF AGRICULTURE, HIMACHAL PRADESH.

1. Name of the post H.P. Agricultural Services
(Class-I Gazetted).
Details of the posts, their
existing designation on the
date of notification of these
rules are given vide appendix
-"A".
2. Number of posts Total : 545 (Five hundred and
Forty Five).
3. Classification Class-I (Gazetted).
Non Ministerial Services.
4. Scale of Pay.
(i) Rs. 2200-70-2550-75-3000-
100-4000. (This pay scale
shall be given to the
incumbents in the cadre as
an initial/entry pay scale).
(ii) Rs. 3000-100-4000-125-4500
(This pay scale shall be
given to the incumbents
in the cadre on the
completion of eight years
regular service or regular
combined with continuous
ad hoc (rendered upto
31-03-1991)).
(iii) Rs. 3700-100-4000-125-5000-
150-5300 (This pay scale
shall be given to the
incumbents in the cadre on
the completion of eighteen
years regular service or
regular combined with
continuous ad hoc (rendered
upto 31-03-1991) service,
if any.
5. Whether Selection Post or Non-Selection Post. Selection.
6. Age for direct recruitment 45 years and below.

Provided that the upper age limit for direct
recruits will not be applicable to the candidates already
in service of the Govt. including those who have been

appointed on adhoc or on contract basis;

Provided further that if a candidate appointed on adhoc basis or on contract basis had become overage on the date when he was appointed as such he shall not be eligible for any relaxation in the prescribed age limit by virtue of his such adhoc or contract appointment;

Provided that upper age limit is relaxable for Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes/Other categories of persons to the extent permissible under the general or special order(s) of the Himachal Pradesh Government;

Provided further that the employees of all the Public Sector Corporations and Autonomous Bodies who happened to be Government Servants before absorption in Public Sector Corporations/Autonomous Bodies at the time of initial constitutions of such Corporations/Autonomous Bodies shall be allowed age concession in direct recruitment as admissible to Government servants. This concession will not, however, be admissible to such staff of the Public Sector Corporations/Autonomous Bodies who were/are subsequently appointed by such Corporation/Autonomous Bodies and who are/were finally absorbed in the service of such Corporation/Autonomous Bodies after initial constitution of the public sector Corporation/Autonomous Bodies.

(1) Age limit for direct recruitment will be reckoned on the first day of the year in which the Post(s) is /are advertised for inviting applications or notified to the Employment Exchanges or as the case may be.

(2) Age and experience in the case of direct recruitment, relaxable at the discretion of the H.P. Public Service Commission in case the candidate is otherwise well qualified.

7. Minimum Educational and other qualifications required for direct.

i) ESSENTIAL:

B.Sc.(Agriculture) from a University recognised by the State/Central Govt.

DESIRABLE QUALIFICATION:

i) M.Sc.(Agriculture).

ii) Knowledge of customs, manner and dialects of Himachal Pradesh and suitability for appointment in the peculiar conditions prevailing in the Pradesh.

8. Whether age and Educational qualifications prescribed for direct recruits will apply in the case of promotees:

Age: No

Educational qualifications:

YES

9. Period of probation, if any:

Two years subject to such further extension for a period not exceeding one year as may be ordered by the competent authority in special circumstances and reasons to be recorded in writing.

10. Method of recruitment, whether by direct recruitment or by promotion, deputation, transfer and the percentage of vacancies to be filled in by various methods.

i) 50% by direct recruitment; and

ii) 50% by promotion failing which by direct recruitment.

11. In case of recruitment by promotion, deputation, transfer, etc., from which promotion/deputation/transfer is to be made.

i) 45% by promotion from amongst the Biogas Supervisors, who are B.Sc.(Agri.) with 5 years regular service or regular combined with continuous adhoc (rendered upto 31-03-91) service, failing which by promotion from amongst the Village Extension Officers who are B.Sc.(Agri.) with 10 years regular service or regular combined with continuous adhoc (rendered upto 31-03-1991) service.

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- ii) 5% from amongst the Gram Panchayat Anam Vikas Adhikaries who are B.Sc. (Agri.) with 10 years regular combined with continuous adhoc (rendered upto 31-03-1991) service, failing which by promotion from amongst the Biogas Supervisors, who are B.Sc. (Agri.) with 5 years regular service or regular combined with continuous adhoc (rendered upto 31-03-1991) service failing both from amongst the Village Extension Officers, who are B.Sc. (Agri.), with 10 years regular service or regular combined with continuous adhoc (rendered upto 31-03-1991) service, if any.

For the purpose of promotion the following 20 Point roster shall be followed:-

- 1st post by promotion from amongst Biogas Supervisors/V.E.Os.
 - 2nd post by direct recruitment.
 - 3rd post by promotion from amongst Biogas Supervisors/V.E.Os.
 - 4th post by direct recruitment.
 - 5th post by promotion from amongst Biogas Supervisors/V.E.Os.
 - 6th Post by direct recruitment.
 - 7th post by promotion from amongst Biogas Supervisors/V.E.Os.
 - 8th Post by direct recruitment.
 - 9th post by promotion from amongst Biogas Supervisors/V.E.Os.
 - 10th post by direct recruitment.
 - 11th post by promotion from amongst Gram Panchayat Anam Vikas Adhikaries/V.E.Os.
 - 12th post by direct recruitment.
 - 13th post by promotion from amongst Biogas Supervisors/V.E.Os.
 - 14th post by direct recruitment.
 - 15th post by promotion from amongst Biogas Supervisors/V.E.Os.
 - 16th Post by direct recruitment.
 - 17th post by promotion from amongst Biogas Supervisors/V.E.Os.
 - 18th post by direct recruitment.
 - 19th post by promotion from amongst Biogas Supervisors/V.E.Os.
 - 20th post by direct recruitment.
- (To be repeated after 20 points).

- 1) In all cases of promotion, the adhoc service

rendered in the feeder post upto 31-03-1991, if any, prior to regular appointment to the post shall be taken into account towards the length of service as prescribed in these Rules for promotion subject to the condition:-

- (i) that in all cases where a junior person becomes eligible for consideration by virtue of his total length of service (including the service rendered on adhoc basis upto 31-03-1991) in the feeder post in view of the provisions referred to above, all persons senior to him in the respective category/post/cadre shall be deemed to be eligible for consideration and placed above the junior person in the field of consideration;

Provided that all incumbents to be considered for promotion shall possess the minimum qualifying service of at least three years or that prescribed in the Recruitment and Promotion Rules for the Post, whichever is less;

Provided further that where a person becomes ineligible to be considered for promotion on account of the requirements of the preceding proviso, the person(s) junior to him shall also be deemed to be ineligible for consideration for such promotion.

Explanation:- The last proviso shall not render the junior incumbents ineligible for consideration for promotion if the senior ineligible persons happened to be Ex-servicemen recruited under the provisions of Rule-3 of Demobilised Armed Forces Personnel (Reservation of Vacancies in Himachal State Non-Technical Services) Rules, 1972 and having been given the benefit of seniority thereunder or recruited under the provisions of Rule-3 of Ex-Servicemen (Reservation of Vacancies in the Himachal Pradesh Technical Services) Rules, 1985 and having been given the benefit of seniority thereunder.

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Similarly, in all cases of confirmation, adhoc service rendered on the feeder post upto 31-03-1991, if any, prior to the regular appointment against such post shall be taken into account towards the length of service;

Provided that inter-se-seniority as a result of confirmation after taking into account, adhoc service rendered upto 31-03-1991 shall remain unchanged.

12. If a Departmental Promotion Committee exists, what is its composition;

To be presided over by the Chairman, H.P. Public Service Commission or a Member thereto nominated by him.

13. Circumstances under which the H.P.P.S.C. is to be consulted in making recruitment;

As required under the Law.

14. Essential requirement for a direct recruitments-

A candidate for appointment to any service or post must be:-

- (a) a citizen of India, or
- (b) a subject of Nepal, or
- (c) a subject of Bhutan, or
- (d) a Tibetan refugee who came over to India before the 1st January, 1962 with the intention of permanently settling in India.
- (e) a person of Indian origin who has migrated from Pakistan, Burma, Sri-Lanka, East African Countries of Kenya, Uganda, the United Republic of Tanzania (formerly Tanganyika and Zanzibar), Zambia, Malawi, Zaire and Ethiopia with the intention of permanently settling in India;

Provided that a candidate belonging to categories (b), (c), (d) and (e) shall be a person in whose favour a certificate of eligibility has been issued by the Government of India.

A candidate in whose case a

certificate of eligibility is necessary may be admitted to an examination or interview conducted by the Himachal Pradesh Public Service Commission or other recruiting authority, but the offer of appointment may be given only after the necessary eligibility certificate has been issued to him by the Government of India.

15. Selection for appointment to the post by direct recruitment :

Selection for appointment to the post in the case of direct recruitment shall be made on the basis of viva/voce test and if the Himachal Pradesh recruitment: Public Service Commission or other recruiting authority as the case may be, so consider necessary or expedient by a written test or practical test the standard/syllabus, etc. of which will be determined by the Commission/other recruiting authority as the case may be.

16. Reservation :

The appointment to the service shall be subject to orders regarding reservation in the service for Scheduled Castes/ Scheduled Tribes/Backward Classes/ other categories of persons issued by the Himachal Pradesh Government from time to time.

17. Departmental Examination,

- (1) Every member of the service shall pass a Departmental Examination as prescribed in the Departmental Examination Rules, 1976 as amended from time to time, failing which he shall not be eligible to:-

- (i) Cross the Efficiency Bar/ Proficiency increment/placement in higher scale after 8 & 18 years of service.
(ii) Confirmation in the service even after completion of probationary period, and
(iii) Promotion/placement to the next in the cadre and to the next higher post.

Provided that an Officer who

has qualified the Departmental Examination in whole or in part prescribed under any Rules before the notification of these Rules shall not be required to qualify the whole or in part, of the examination as the case may be;

Provided further that an Officer for whom no Departmental Examination was prescribed prior to the Notification of these Rules and who has attained the age of 45 years on the 1st March, 1976 shall not be required to qualify the Departmental Examination prescribed under these Rules:

Provided further that an Officer for whom no Departmental Examination was prescribed prior to the notification of these Rules and who had not attained the age of 45 years on 01-03-1976 shall not be required to qualify the Departmental Examination prescribed under these Rules after attaining the age of 50 years for the purpose of grant of scale of Rs. 3000-4500 and Rs. 3700-5300. Confirmation in the service after completion of probationary period.

(2) An Officer on promotion to higher post in his direct line of promotion shall not be required to pass the aforesaid examination if he has already passed the same in the lower gazetted post.

(3) The Government may in consultation with the Himachal Pradesh Public Service Commission, grant in exceptional circumstances and for reasons to be recorded in writing, exemption in accordance with the Departmental Examination Rules to any class or category of persons from the Departmental Examination in whole or in part provided that such officer is not likely to be considered for any other higher promotion before the date of his superannuation.

18. Seniority and Posting:

After the notification of these rules and consequent upon the formation of H.P. Agricultural Services (Class-I Gazetted) from the date of issue of this notification a combined seniority list not disturbing the seniority as on 1.1.1991 shall be determined in the following manner:-

- i) The incumbents or the posts of Deputy Directors/Principals (Agriculture Extension Training Centre and Farmers Training Centres/Pulses and Oil Seeds Specialists)/Vegetable Specialists/Senior Subject Matter Specialists (Agro)/Senior Analytical Chemists, those who were appointed/promoted prior to the date of the revision of pay scales i.e. 1.1.1991, maintaining their seniority as such shall be placed enblock senior to Class-II Officers now forming the common cadre;
- ii) Thereafter, in this order below the above officers, the incumbents or the posts in Class-II Gazetted which include Distt. Agriculture Officer/Soil Testing Officer/Regional Potato Development Officer/Asstt. Seed Testing Officer/Training Officer (Male)/Radio Contact Officer/Asstt. Soil Survey Officer/Analytical Chemist/Asstt. Project Officer/Subject Matter Specialist (Agronomy)/Subject Matter Specialist (Vegetable)/Subject Matter Specialist (Farm Economics)/Subject Matter Specialist (Soil & Water Management)/Subject Matter Specialist (Plant Protection)/Subject Matter Specialist (Training)/Asstt. Agriculture Marketing Officer/Subject Matter Specialist (Cash Crops)/Training Officer (Female)/Plant Protection Officer/Asstt. Development Officer (Vegetable/Spices)/Agriculture Information

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Officer (B.Sc.Agr.)/Asstt. Seed
Production Officer/Subject Matter
Specialist/Vice Principal Training
Centre, maintaining their present
group wise seniority prior to the
date of revision of pay scale
i.e. 1.1.1991 shall be placed in block
senior to the Agriculture Development
Officers.

iii) Thereafter the incumbents or the
posts of Agriculture Development
Officers in the order of their
present seniority as on 1.1.1991
shall be placed at the bottom
i.e. immediately below the above
Class-II Officers.

In the matter of posting, the senior
most incumbents shall be posted against
the post of Deputy Director of
Agriculture/Principals/Subject
Matter Specialists etc. followed by
the next senior being posted as District
Agriculture Officer/Subject Matter
Specialist etc. and so on.

19. Powers to relax: Where the State Government is of the
opinion that it is necessary or
expedient to do so, it may, by order
for reasons to be recorded in writing
and in consultation with the H.P.
Public Service Commission, relax any
of the provisions of these Rules with
respect to any class or category or
posts.

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1. Agriculture Development Officers.
2. The District Agriculture Officer.
3. Regional Potato Development Officer.
4. Assistant Seed Testing Officer.
5. Training Officer (Male).
6. Radio Contact Officer.
7. Assistant Soil Survey Officer.
8. Analytical Chemist.
9. Subject Matter Specialist(Agro.).
10. Subject Matter Specialist(Vegetable).
11. Subject Matter Specialist (Farm Economics).
12. Subject Matter Specialist(S. M.)
13. Subject Matter Specialist(Plant Protection).
14. Subject Matter Specialist(Training).
15. Subject Matter Specialist (Cash Crops).
16. Assistant Project Officer.
17. Assistant Agricultural Marketing Officer.
18. Training Officer(Female).
19. Assistant Development Officer(Vegetable/Spices).
20. Plant Protection Officer.
21. Agricultural Information Officer (B.Sc. Agri.).
22. Assistant Seed Protection Officer.
23. Vice Principal Training Centre.
24. Subject Matter Specialist.
25. Deputy Director of Agriculture.
26. Principal, Agricultural Extension Training Centre,
Mashobra.
27. Pulses and Oil Seeds Specialist.
28. Vegetable Specialist.
29. Senior Subject Matter Specialist(Agro.).
30. Senior Analytical Chemist.
31. Subject Matter Specialist(Soil and Water Management).
32. Subject Matter Specialist (Farm Economics).

[Authoritative English Text of this Department Notification No. Agr.A(3)-4/93 Dated 15-9-2007 required under clause(3) of Article 348 of the Constitution of India].

AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

Shimla-171002, the 15th September, 2007

No. Agr.A(3)-4/93.— In exercise of the Powers conferred by proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, the Governor of Himachal Pradesh in consultation with the Himachal Pradesh Public Service Commission is pleased to make the following Rules further to amend the H.P. Agricultural Services (Class-I Gazetted) Recruitment and Promotion Rules, 1995 notified vide this Department Notification of even number dated 3rd June, 1995 namely :—

1. *Short title and Commencement*.—(i) These Rules may be called the Himachal Pradesh Agricultural Services (Class-I Gazetted) Non Ministerial Recruitment and Promotion (First Amendment) Rules, 2007.

(ii) These Rules shall come into force from the date of publication in the Rajpatra, Himachal Pradesh.

Amendment of Annexure "A".—In Annexure "A" the Himachal Pradesh Agricultural Services (Class-I-Gazetted) Non-Ministerial Recruitment and Promotion Rules, 1995:—

(a) for the existing provisions against Column No.4, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"Rs. 7220-220-8100-275-10300-340-11660 (This pay scale shall be given to the incumbent in the cadre as initial/entry pay scale).

(b) for the existing provisions against column No.7, the following shall be substituted :—

ESSENTIAL QUALIFICATION: M.Sc. (Agr.) 2nd Class from a College / Institutions / University recognised by the State / Central Government / ICAR.

DESIRABLE QUALIFICATIONS: (i) M.Sc(Agr.) 1st Class or above

ii) Knowledge of customs, manner and dialects of H.P. and suitability for appointment in the peculiar conditions prevailing in the Pradesh.

(c) for the existing provisions against column No.8, the following shall be substituted namely :—

Age No

Educational As indicated in Column
Qualifications. No.11 below.

(d) for the existing provisions against column No.10, the following shall be substituted namely :—

- i) 50% by direct recruitment or on contract basis.
- ii) 50% by promotion failing which by direct recruitment or on contract basis;
- (e) for the existing provisions against Col.No.11, the following shall be substituted, namely:—
- i) 45% by promotion from amongst the Assistant Agriculture Development Officer who are B.Sc.(Agr.)(4 years programme) with seven years regular service or regular combined with continuous adhoc service if any rendered in the grade excluding study leave, failing which by promotion from amongst the Agriculture Extension Officer who are B.Sc.(Agr.)(4 years programme) with seven years regular service or regular combined with continuous adhoc service if any rendered in the grade excluding study leave period.
- ii) 5% from amongst the Gram Panchayat Avam Vikas Adhikaries who are B.Sc.(Agr.)(4 years programme) with seven years regular service or regular combined with continuous adhoc service if any rendered in the grade excluding study leave, failing which from amongst Assistant Agriculture Development Officers who are B.Sc.(Agr.)(4 years programme) with seven years regular service or regular combined with continuous adhoc service if any rendered in the grade excluding study leave period failing which from amongst Agriculture Extension Officer who are B.Sc.(Agr.)(4 years programme) with seven years regular service or regular combined with continuous adhoc service if any rendered in the grade excluding study leave period;
- (f) for the existing provisions against column No.14, the following shall be substituted namely:—A candidate for appointment to any service or post must be a citizen of India ;
- (g) After the existing provision, below column No.15, the following column No.15(A) shall be inserted namely :-

15-A. Selection for appointment to the post by Contract appointment:—

CONCEPT :-

- (a) Under this policy, the posts under H.P. Agricultural Services Class-I (Gazetted) will be engaged on contract basis initially for one year which may be extendable for two more years
- (b) POST FALLS WITHIN THE PURVIEW OF HPPSC :-The Secretary (Agr.) to the Govt. of H.P. after obtaining the approval of the Govt. to fill up the vacant posts on contract basis will place the requisition with the concerned recruiting agency i.e. HPSC.
- (c) The selection will be made in accordance with the eligibility conditions prescribed in these rules.
- (d) Contractual appointee so selected under these rules will not have any right to claim regularization or permanent absorption in the Govt. job.

(II) **CONTRACTUAL EMOLUMENTS:-** The person appointed against the posts under H.P. Agriculture Services on contract will be paid consolidated fixed amount @ Rs.10830/- per month (which shall be equal to initial of the pay scale + DP). An increment of Rs.220/- as annual increase in contractual emoluments for the second and third year respectively will be allowed if contract is extended beyond one year.

(III) **APPOINTING/DISCIPLINARY AUTHORITY:-** The Principal Secretary (Agr.) to the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh will be the appointing and disciplinary authority.

(IV) **SELECTION PROCESS:-** Selection for appointment to the post in the case of Contractual appointment will be made on the basis of via-vice test if considered necessary or expedient by a written test or a practical test, the standard/syllabus etc. of which will be determined by the concerned recruiting agency i.e. HPSC.

(V) **COMMITTEE FOR SELECTION OF CONTRACTUAL APPOINTMENTS:-** As may be constituted by the concerned recruiting agency i.e. HPSC from time to time.

(VI) **AGREEMENT:-** After selection of a candidate, he has to sign an agreement as per Annexure-B appended to these rules.

(VII) **TERMS AND CONDITIONS:-**

- (a) The contract appointee will be paid fixed contractual amount @ Rs.10830/- per month. (which shall be equal to initial of the pay scale + DP). The contract appointee will be entitled for increase in contractual amount @ Rs. 220/- per annum for second and third years respectively and no other allied benefits such as seniority/selection scale etc. shall be given.
- (b) The service of the contractual officer will be purely on temporary basis. The appointment is liable to be terminated in case the performance/conduct of the contract appointee is not found good.
- (c) Contract appointment shall not confer any right to the incumbent for the regularization in service at any stage.
- (d) Contractual appointee will be entitled for one day casual leave after putting one month service. This leave can be accumulated upto one year. No leave of any other kind is admissible to the contractual officer. He will not be entitled for Medical Reimbursement and LTC etc. Only maternity leave will be given as per rules.
- (e) Unauthorized absence from the service without the approval of the Head of the Office shall automatically lead to the termination of the contract. Contractual appointee shall not be entitled for any contractual amount for the period of absence from duty.
- (f) Transfer of a appointee will not be permitted from one place to another in any case.
- (g) Selected candidate will have to submit a certificate of his / her fitness from a Government/ Registered Medical Practitioner. In case of women candidates pregnancy

beyond twelve weeks will render her temporarily unfit till the confinement is over. The women candidate will be re-examined for the fitness from an authorised medical officer/practitioner.

- (h) Contractual officer will be entitled to TA/DA if required to go on tour in connection with his/her official duties at the same rate as applicable to the regular officers at the minimum of pay scale.

(VIII) **RIGHT TO CLAIM REGULAR APPOINTMENT:-**The candidate engaged on contract basis under these rules shall have no right to claim regularization / permanent absorption as such in the cadre in the department at any stage.

ANNEXURE-B.

FORM OF CONTRACT/AGREEMENT TO BE EXECUTED BETWEEN AGRICULTURE DEVELOPMENT OFFICER AND THE GOVERNMENT OF H.P. THROUGH THE DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE, H.P.

This agreement is made on this.....day of
in the year.....Between Shri / Smt /
Miss.....S/o
D/o/W/oShri.....R/o.....
.....contract appointee
(hereinafter called the FIRST PARTY), AND The Governor, Himachal Pradesh through the
Director of Agriculture, Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-5 (here-in-after called the SECOND
PARTY).

Whereas, the SECOND PARTY has engaged the aforesaid FIRST PARTY and the FIRST PARTY has agreed to serve as Agriculture Development Officer on the contract basis on the following terms & conditions:—

1. That the FIRST PARTY shall remain in the service of the SECOND PARTY as a Agriculture Development Officer for a period of one year commencing on the day of and ending on the day of It is specifically mentioned and agreed upon by both the parties that the contract of the FIRST PARTY with SECOND PARTY shall ipso-facto stand terminated on the last working day i.e. on..... and information notice shall not be necessary.
2. The contractual amount of the FIRST PARTY WILL BE Rs.10830/- per month.
3. The service of FIRST PARTY will be purely on temporary basis. The appointment is liable to be terminated in case the performance/conduct of the contract appointee is not found good. or if a regular incumbent is appointed/posted against the vacancy for which the first party was engaged on contract.
4. The contractual appointment shall not confer any right to incumbent for the regularization of service at any stage.
5. Contractual Agriculture Development Officer will be entitled for one day casual leave after putting in one month service. This leave can be accumulated upto one year. No leave of any kind is admissible to the contractual Agriculture Development Officer. He /She will not be entitled for Medical Reimbursement and L.T.C. etc.Only maternity leave will be given as per Rules.

- 6 Unauthorized absence from the duty without the approval of the controlling officer shall automatically lead to the termination of the contract. A contractual Agriculture Development Officer will not be entitled for contractual amount for the period of absence from duty.
- 7 Transfer of a officer appointed on contract basis will not be permitted from one place to another in any case.
- 8 Selected candidate will have to submit a certificate of his/her fitness from a Government/Registered Medical Practitioner. In case of women candidates pregnant beyond twelve weeks will render her temporarily unfit till the confinement is over. The women candidate should be re-examined for fitness from an authorized Medical Officer/Practitioner.
9. Contract appointee shall be entitled to TA/DA if required to go on tour in connection with his official duties at the rate as applicable to regular counter part official at the minimum of the pay scale.
10. The employees Group Insurance Scheme as well as EPF / GPF will not be applicable to contrual appointee (s).

IN WITNESS the FIRST PARTY AND SECOND PARTY have herein to set their hands the day, month and year first above written.

IN THE PRESENCE OF WITNESS:

1.....
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(Name and Full Address)

(Signature of the FIRST PARTY)

2.....
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.....

(Name and Full Address)

IN THE PRESENCE OF WITNESS:

1.....
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.....

(Name and Full Address)

(Signature of the SECOND PARTY)

2.....
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.....

(Name and Full Address)



राजपत्र, हिमाचल प्रदेश

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शिमला, वीरवार, 4 अक्तूबर, 2007 / 12 आश्विन, 1929

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AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT

CORRIGENDUM

Shimla-171002, the 22nd September, 2007

No.Agr-A(3)4/93.—The following addition is hereby affected in this Department Notification of even number dated 15th September, 2007 whereby amendment in the Recruitment and Promotion Rules, 1995 for the post of H.P. Agricultural Services (Class-I- Gazetted) has been notified with immediate effect :-

Existing Provision

Added provision

(Column No.1-Sub-para-I-Hindi Version only)

इन नियमों का संक्षिप्त नाम हिमाचल प्रदेश कृषि विभाग कृषि सेवाएं [वर्ग-1 राजपत्रित] लिपिकवर्गीय भर्ती एवं प्रोन्नति नियम [प्रथम संशोधन] नियम, 2007 है।

इन नियमों का संक्षिप्त नाम हिमाचल प्रदेश कृषि विभाग कृषि सेवाएं [वर्ग-1 राजपत्रित] अलिपिक वर्गीय भर्ती एवं प्रोन्नति नियम [प्रथम संशोधन] नियम, 2007 है।

अनिवार्य योग्यता :-

राज्य/केन्द्रीय सरकार भारतीय कृषि
अनुसंधान परिषद [आई० सी० ए० आर०]
द्वारा मान्यता प्राप्त विश्वविद्यालय/
महाविद्यालय/संस्थान से द्वितीय श्रेणी
में एम०एस०सी०[कृषि]

राज्य/केन्द्रीय सरकार भारतीय कृषि
अनुसंधान परिषद [आई० सी० ए० आर०]
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महाविद्यालय/संस्थान से बी०एस०सी०[कृषि]
चार वर्षिय } प्रोग्राम एवं द्वितीय श्रेणी
एम०एस०सी०[कृषि]

(Column No.2.in English version)

ESSENTIAL QUALIFICATION :-

M.Sc.(Agr.) 2nd Class from a
College/Institutions/University
recognized by the State/Central
Government/ICAR.

B.Sc.(Agr.) under four years
Programme and M.Sc.(Agr.)
2nd Class from a College/
University recognized by the
State/Central Government/ICAR.

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Dated Shimla-171002,
the 15th August,2007

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the 15th September,2007.

By order,
Sd/-,
Principal Secretary.

EXCISE AND TAXATION DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

Shimla-2 the 27th September, 2007

No. EXN-B(2) -1/2001 (Loose).— In continuation of this Department notification No EXN-B (2)-5/85 dated 8-9-2000, 27-3-2001, 8-5-2002 and notification of even number dated 21 11-2003, 12-5-2004, 8-12-2004 and 1st June, 2005, the Governor, Himachal Pradesh in consultation with the Himachal Pradesh Public Service Commission is pleased to continue the adhoc promotion of the following Excise and Taxation Officers till the dates shown against their names in the pay scale of Rs. 7000-10980 (Gazetted Class-I) subject to the final decision of the Hon'ble Courts :-