

CDR-II/801/07/2017
Government of India
Ministry of External Affairs
(CPV Division)

Patiala House Annexe
Tilak Marg, New Delhi

Dated, the 24th April, 2017

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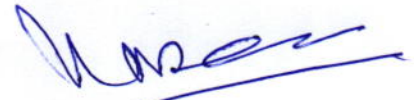
All Passport Officers,

Subject: Framing of Recruitment Rules – 2017 for the Stenographer Grade – I, Group 'B' posts Non-Gazetted and Stenographer Grade – II Group 'C' posts) functioning in Central Passport Organization under Ministry of External Affairs-reg.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to invite attention to the DOPT OM issued vide F. No. AB-14017/61/2008-Estt. (RR) dated 13.10.2015 to put the proposal for framing/amendment of Recruitment Rules on the website of the respective Ministries/ Department for 30 days for inviting comments of the stake-holders. Therefore, the above-mentioned RRs are uploaded on the website of this department.

2. In view of above, It is requested to all concerned who are working under Central Passport Organization, Ministry of External Affairs or any way associated with the aforesaid draft rules may kindly furnish their comments/opinion/suggestion in the matter within 30 days from the date of issue of the order by e-mail at socpvcadre@mea.gov.in.



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Enclosure: as above

Copy to: (i) PO(XLM), MEA, Shastri Bhawan, with the request to upload the draft recruitment rules on Ministry's website.

(ii) Principal Consultant and Head Technical, PMU with the request to upload the draft recruitment rules on PSP portal.

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DRAFT NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the April 2017

G.S.R. – In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to article 309 of the Constitution, and in supersession of the Ministry of External Affairs, Central Passport Organization (Group 'C' post) Recruitment Rules, 2003 in so far as they relate to the post of Stenographers 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 posts of Stenographer Grade-I, Stenographer Grade II and Stenographer Grade III in the Central Passport Organization, Ministry of External Affairs (CPV Division), namely :-

1. Short title and commencement. – (1) These rules may be called the Ministry of External Affairs, Central Passport Organization (Stenographer Grade I Group 'B' Posts Non-Gazetted) and (Stenographer Grade II Group 'C' Posts), Recruitment Rules, 2017.

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

2. Application – These rules shall apply to the posts specified in column (1) of the Schedule annexed to these rules.

3. Number of posts, classification and scale of pay.- "Level" in the Pay Matrix. - The number of the said posts, their classification and "Level in the Pay Matrix attached thereto shall be as specified in column (2) to (4) of the said Schedule.

4. Method of recruitment, age limit and other qualifications, etc. – The method of recruitment, age limit, qualifications and other matters relating to the above said posts shall be as specified in columns (5) to (14) of the said Schedule.

5. Terms and conditions of Service. - Stenographer I and Stenographer Grade-II will be liable to serve in any duty post in India to which he/she may be posted by the Controlling authority.

6. 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 posts:

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.

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

8. Savings. - 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.