GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY
FINANCE DEPARTMENT
(G.O.Ms.No.19/FD/F2/A2/2022 dated 07-06-2022)

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by the provisio to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, read with the Notification No.F.5/4/65-GP dated 11th January, 1965 of Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi, and in supersession of the Notification issued in G.O.Ms.No.26/F2/A2/2012, dated 24th September, 2012, save as respects things done or omitted to be done before such supersession, the Lieutenant-Governor, Puducherry, hereby makes the following rules regulating the method of recruitment to the Group 'C' post of Store Keeper Grade-II in various departments of the Government of Puducherry, namely:-

1. Short title and commencement.-

(1) These rules may be called the Government of Puducherry, Store Keeper Grade-II, Recruitment Rules, 2022.

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

2. Number of post, its classifications and Level in the Pay Matrix.-

The number of the said post, its classification and Level in the Pay Matrix attached thereto, shall be as specified in columns 2 to 4 of the Schedule annexed hereto.

3. Method of recruitment, age limit and other qualifications.-

The method of recruitment to the said post, age limit, qualifications and other matters relating thereto, shall be as specified in columns 5 to 13 of the said Schedule.

4. Disqualifications.- 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 Lieutenant-Governor may, if satisfied that such marriage is permissible under the personal law applicable to such person and the other party to the marriage and there are other grounds for so doing, exempt any person from the operation of this rule.

5. Power to relax.-

Where the Lieutenant-Governor is of the opinion that it is necessary or expedient so to do, he may, by order and for reasons to be recorded in writing, relax any of the provisions of these rules with respect to any class or category of persons.

6. Savings.-

Nothing in these rules shall affect the reservations, relaxation in upper age limit and other concessions required to be provided for the Scheduled Castes, the Scheduled Tribes and other Special Categories of persons in accordance with the orders issued by the Government from time to time in this regard.

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SCHEDULE

RECRUITMENT RULES FOR THE POST OF STORE KEEPER GRADE-II

1.	Name of the post	: Store Keeper Grade-II
2.	Number of posts	: 76 (Seventy Six) [2022] Subject to variation depending on work-load
3.	Classification	: General Central Services Group "C" -Non-Gazetted-Non-Ministerial
4.	Level in the Pay Matrix	: Level - 4
5.	Whether Selection post or Non-Selection post	: Non-Selection
6.	Age limit for direct recruits	:Not applicable
7	Educational and other qualifications required for direct recruits	:Not applicable
8.	Whether age and educational qualifications prescribed for direct recruits will apply in the case of promotees	: Not applicable
9.	Period of probation, if any	: Not applicable
10.	Method of recruitment, whether by direct recruitment or by promotion or by deputation/absorption and percentage of the vacancies to be filled by various methods	: By promotion
11.	In case of recruitment by promotion/ deputation/absorption, grades from which promotion/deputation/absorption is to be made	: Promotion: Store Keeper Grade-III in Level-2 in the Pay Matrix with 8 years of regular service in the grade rendered after appointment thereto on regular basis and have passed the Accounts Test for Subordinate Officers (Part-I & II) and undergone the training programme on "Techniques of Materials Management" conducted through Administrative Reforms Wing, Chief Secretariat, Puducherry. However, this training is not required for the persons holding the feeder post on regular basis on the date of Notification vide G.O.Ms No 26/F2/A2/2012, dated 24.09 2012

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

Note:2 They should undergo training on "Store Keeping & Materials Management" conducted through Administrative Reforms Wing, Chief Secretariat, Puducherry.

Note:3 The promotees should pay Security Deposit as prescribed by the Government.

12.	If a Departmental Promotion Committee exists, what is its composition?	:Departmental **Promotion Committee for Group 'C' posts consisting** of :- 1. Principal Secretary to Government(Finance)-cum-Development Commissioner ...Chairman 2. Joint Secretary/Deputy Secretary/ Under Secretary to Government(Finance) dealing with the subject ...Member 3. Director of Accounts and Treasuries, Puducherry ...Member
13.	Circumstances in which Union Public Service Commission is to be consulted in making recruitment	:Not applicable

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(By order of the Lieutenant -Governor)

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