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NOTIFICATION

SRO 239 - In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to article 309 of the Constitution and in supersession of the Army (Stenographer Grade I) Recruitment Rules, 1985, 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 in the Military Engineer Services, Ministry of Defence namely :

1. Short title and commencement - (1) These rules may be called the Military Engineer Services (Stenographer Grade I) Recruitment Rules, 2001.

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

2. Number of post, classification and scale of pay - The number of the said posts, their classifications and the scales of pay attached there to shall be as specified columns 2 to 4 of the Schedule annexed to these rules.

3. Method of Recruitment, age limit and other qualifications etc - The method of recruitment, age limit and other matters relating to the said posts shall be as specified in columns 5 to 14 of the Schedule aforesaid.

4. Disqualification - No person

(a) who has entered into or contracted a marriage with 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 any of 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 other party to the marriage and that there are other grounds for so doing, exempt any person from the operation of these rules.

5. Power to relax - Where the Central Government is of opinion that it is necessary or expedient to do so, it may by order, and 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.

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6. Saving - Nothing in these rules shall effect reservations. Relaxation of age limit and other concessions required to be provided for the Scheduled Castes, the Scheduled Tribes, 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.

**"THE SCHEDULE
(Attached)**

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SCHEDULE

Name of post	Number of posts	Classification	Scale of pay	Whether selection by merit or selection-cum-seniority or non-selection post	Age limit for direct recruits	Whether benefit of added years of service admissible under rule 30 of Central Civil Services (Pension) Rules, 1972	Educational and other qualifications required for direct recruits
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Stenographer Grade I	*107 (2001)	General Central Service, Group 'B' Non-Gazetted Ministerial	Rs 5500-175-9000	Non-Selection	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
	*subject to variation dependent on work load						

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Whether age and educational qualifications prescribed for direct recruits will apply in case of promotees	Period of probation if any	Method of recruitment whether by direct recruitment or by promotion or by deputation/absorption and percentage of the posts to be filled by various method	In case of recruitment by promotion/deputation/absorption, grades from which promotion/deputation/absorption to be made	If a Departmental Promotion Committee exists, what is its Composition?	Circumstances in which Union Public Service Commission to be consulted in making recruitment
9	10	11	12	13	14

Not Applicable

Two years

Promotion failing which by Deputation/Absorption

Promotion
Stenographer Grade- II with three years regular service in the grade

Note. Where 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 alongwith their juniors who have already completed such qualifying/eligibility service.

Deputation/Absorption

Officers of the Central Government :

- (a) (i) Holding Analogous posts on regular basis :
OR
- (ii) With three years regular service in the pay scale of Rs 5000-8000 :
AND
- (b) Possessing the speed of 100 words per minute in Stenography (Hindi/English).

Note The departmental officers in the feeder category who are in the direct line of promotion shall not be eligible for consideration for appointment on deputation. Similarly, deputationists shall not be eligible for consideration for appointment by promotion. Period of deputation including period of deputation in another ex-cadre post held immediately preceding this appointment in the same or some other organisation/department of the Central Government shall ordinarily not exceed three years. The maximum age limit for appointment by

Group 'B' Departmental Promotes Committee for promotion

1. Deputy Director general (Personnel), Engineer-in-Chief's Branch, Army Headquarters

- Chairman

2. Group 'A' Officers not below the rank of SE, or equivalent, Engineer-in-Chief's Branch, Army Headquarters

- Member

3. Group 'A' Officer not below the rank of EE or equivalent

- Member

Consultation with Union Public Service Commission necessary, when an officer is in the field of consideration for appointment on absorption basis.

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