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NOTIFICATION

No. A.12018/73/80-APT(B), the 13th September, 1990. In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, the Governor of Mizoram is pleased to make the following rules relating to the recruitment to the post (s) of Project Officer/Principal-ITC/Dy. Director (Soil Survey)/Dy. Director (Input)/Dy. Director (Planning)/Agronomist/Soil Chemist/Soil Survey Officer/Plant Protection Officer/Horti.Dev. Officer/and Dist. Agriculture Officer/Agril. Information Officer (Group 'A') in the Department of Agriculture, Government of Mizoram, namely :-

1. Short title and commencement :
 - (i) These rules may be called the Mizoram Agriculture Department Group 'A' posts Recruitment Rules, 1990.
 - (ii) They shall come into force from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.
2. Application : The rules shall apply to the post (s) specified in Col. 1 of the Annexure-I hereto annexed.
3. Number of posts, classification and scale of pay : The number of the said posts, their classification and the scale of pay attached thereto shall be as specified in Columns 2 to 4 to the Annexure-I aforesaid.
4. Method of rectt., age limit and other qualification : The age limit, qualifications and other matters relating to the said posts shall be as specified in columns 5 to 14 of the said Annexure-1.

Provided that the upper age limit prescribed for direct rectt. may be relaxed in the case of candidates belonging to the Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes and other special categories or persons in accordance with the orders issued by the Central Govt. or Govt. of Mizoram from time to time.

5. 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 marriage with any person shall be eligible for appointment to the said post.

Provided that the Governor may be 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 doing so, exempt any person from the operation of these rules.

6. Training and Departmental Examination :

Every Govt. Servant shall undergo such training or pass such Departmental Examination as may be prescribed from time to time.

6(A) Notwithstanding anything contained in these Rules, the Governor of Mizoram, in public interest, have the right and power to transfer any Officer or Official, recruited in accordance with these Rules to the post/posts/service specified in Schedule/Annexure to these rules to any other post or position which is equivalent in rank or grade.

7. Power to relax :

Where the Governor is of the opinion that it is necessary or expedient so to do, it may by order and for reasons to be recorded in writing in consultation with the Selection Committee/Departmental Promotion Committee through the Department of Personnel & Administrative Reforms relax any of the provisions of these Rules with respect to any class or category of persons.

8. Reservation, other concessions :

Nothing in these rules shall affect reservation and other concessions required to be provided for the scheduled Castes, the Scheduled Tribes and other categories of persons in accordance with the orders issued by the Central Govt. or Govt. of Mizoram from time to time in this regards.

9. Repeal & Saving :

All Rules pertaining to these posts framed by the Governor of Assam or by the Govt. of Assam and were in force in the erstwhile Mizo District and continued to be in existence in pursuance of Govt. of India, Ministry of Home Affairs Notification No. 14/21/71-HMT (ii) dt. 21.1.1972 and the Rules for the posts of Dy. Director of Agri./Dy. Director (SS)/Project Officer, Principal-ITC, Agronomist, Soil Chemist, Soil Survey Officer, Plant Protection Officer, Horticulture Dev. Officer, Dist. Agril. Officer and Agril. Information Officer under Notification No.A. 12018/73/80-APT(B) dt.17.8.87 and published in the Mizoram Gazette Vol.XVI dt 17.8.87 Issue No.85(A) are hereby repealed.

Provided that any order made or anything done or any action taken under the rules so repealed or under any general orders ancillary thereto, shall be deemed to have been made, done or taken under the corresponding provisions of these rules.

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ANNEXURE - I

RECRUITMENTS RULES FOR GROUP 'A' POST IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Name of Posts.	No. of posts.	Classification.	Scale of Pay.	Whether selection post or non Selection post.	Whether benefit of added years of service admissible under rule 30 of the C.C.S. (Pension) Rules, 1972.	Age limit for direct recruits.	Educational qualification and other qualification required for direct recruit.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1. Project Officer/Principal-ITC/Dy. Director (SS)/Agronomist/Soil Chemist/Soil Survey Officer/Plant Protection Officer/Horticulture Officer/Dy. Director (Input) Dy. Director (Planning).	10 (ten) or as may be sanctioned by the Govt. from time to time.	General State Service Group 'A' (Gazetted) Non-Ministerial.	Rs.3000-100-3500-125-4500/- (Revised '86, '90).	Selection post	Not applicable	Not applicable.	Not applicable.
2. District Agril. Officer (DAO)/Agril. Information Officer(A.I.O)	6 (six) or as may be sanctioned from time to time.	General State Service Group 'A' (Gazetted), Non-Ministerial.	Rs.3000-100-3500-125-4500/- (Revised '90).	Selection post	Not applicable	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

Whether the age and Educational qualifications prescribed for direct recruitments will apply in the case of promotion.	Period of probation if any.	Method of Recruitment whether by direct recruitment by promotion or by deputation/transfer & percentage of the vacancies to be filled by various methods.	In case of Recruitment by promotion/transfer/deputation, grade from which Promotion/deputation/ Transfer to be made.	If D.P.C. exist, what is its composition.	Circumstances in which UPSC is to be consulted in making recruitment.
9	10	11	12	13	14

1. No 1(one) year 100% by promotion, failing which by transfer on deputation/short-term contract.
- PROMOTION:From SDAO/ SMS and analogous posts in Agri. Deptt. having a minimum qualification of B. Sc (Agri) with not less than 5 years regular service in the grade and Science with not less than 5 yrs. regular service in the grade.
- Mizoram Public Service Commission or Selection Committee/DPC as constituted by the Govt. of Mizoram from time to time.
- Exempted from the purview of U.P.S.C.
- TRANSFER ON DEPUTATION/ CONTRACT:
Officers from Central/States/U.T. Admns/Universities/Research Institutes having minimum qualification of M.Sc (Agri) in the concerned subjects holding analogous posts, (Period of deputation/contract will ordinarily be not exceeding 3 years).

Whether the age and Educational qualifications prescribed for direct recruitments will apply in the case of promotion.	Period of probation if any.	Method of Rectt. whether by direct rectt. or by promotion or by deputation/transfer & percentage of the vacancies to be filled by various methods.	In case of rectt. by promotion/transfer/deputation, grade from which promotion/deputation/transfer to be made.	If a DPC exists, what is its composition.	Circumstances in which UPSC is to be consulted in making recruitment.
9	10	11	12	13	14

2	No.	1.(one)year	100% by Promotion failing which by transfer on deputation/short-term contract.	Promotion : From SDAO/SMS or Officers holding analogous post in Agri. Deptt. with 5yrs. regular service in the grade, and for only serving Graduates in Science with not less than 5yrs. regular service in the grade. TRANSFER ON DEPUTATION/ CONTRACT : Officer from Central/States/U.T. Admns. holding analogous post having a minimum qualification of B.Sc (Agri). (Period of deputation/contract will ordinarily be not exceeding 3 years).	Mizoram Public Service Commission or Selection Committee/DPC as constituted by the Govt. of Mizoram from time to time.	Exempted from the purview of U.P.S.C.
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