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## NOTIFICATION

**S.R.O.**\_\_\_\_\_ . In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to article 309 of the Constitution, and in supersession of the Ministry of Defence, Directorate of Public Relations (Broadcasting Officer) Recruitment Rules, 1974, 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 post of Broadcasting Officer in the Directorate of Public Relations, Ministry of Defence:-

1. **Short title and commencement** - (i) These rules may be called the Directorate of Public Relations (Broadcasting Officer) Recruitment Rules, 2017.  
(ii) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.
2. **Number of posts, Classification and Pay Level in the Pay Matrix** – The number of the said posts, their classification and the Pay level in the Pay Matrix attached thereto shall be specified in columns (2) to (4) of the Schedule annexed to these rules.
3. **Method of recruitment, age limit and qualifications, etc.** - The method of recruitment to the said posts, age limit, qualifications and other matters relating to the said posts shall be specified in columns (5) to (13) of the said Schedule.
4. **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.

5. **Powers to relax** - Where the Central Government is of the opinion that it is necessary so to do, it may, by order and for reasons to be recorded in writing and in consultation with Union Public Service Commission, relax any of the provisions of these rules with respect to any class or category of persons.
6. **Saving** - Nothing in these rules shall affect reservations, relaxation of age limit and other concessions required to be provided for the Scheduled Castes, the Scheduled Tribes, Ex-Servicemen, Other Backward Classes and other special categories of persons in accordance with the orders issued by the Central Government from time to time in this regard.

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**SCHEDULE**

Name of the post	Name of posts	Classification	Pay Level in the Pay Matrix	Whether selection or non-selection post	Age limit for direct recruits	Educational and other qualifications required for direct recruits	Whether age and educational qualifications prescribed for direct recruits will apply in the case of Promotees	Period of Probation
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Broadcasting Officer	1* (2017) *Subject to variation dependent on workload	Civilians in Defence Services Group 'A' Gazetted	Level – 10 (Rs. 56100 – 177500)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

**RECRUITMENT RULES FOR THE POST OF BROADCASTING OFFICER IN THE  
DIRECTORATE OF PUBLIC RELATIONS, MINISTRY OF DEFENCE**

Method of recruitment, whether by direct recruitment or by promotion by deputation/transfer and percentage of the vacancies to be filled by various methods	Grade from which recruitment by promotion/deputation/transfer/ short-term, contractive/employment is to be made	If a DPC exists what is its composition	Circumstances in which UPSC is to be consulted in making recruitment
(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
By deputation	<p><b>Deputation:</b> Officers of the Indian Information Service (IIS)/(Group 'B')</p> <p>a) (i) Holding analogous posts on regular Basis; or (ii) With 2 years regular service in posts in the Level 8 (Rs. 47600 – 151100). (iii) With 3 years regular service in posts in the level 7 (Rs. 44900 – 142400) or equivalent; and</p> <p><b>Note 1 :</b> The period of deputation including the period of deputation in another ex-cadre posts held immediately preceding the appointment in the same or some other organisation/department of the Central Government shall ordinarily not exceed 3 years. The maximum age limit for appointment by deputation shall not be exceeding 56 years on the closing date of receipt of Application</p>	Not applicable	Consultation with Union Public Service Commission is necessary



**Form to be filled by the Ministry/Department while forwarding proposal to the Department of Personnel and Training and the Union Public Services Commission for Amendment of approved Recruitment Rules**

(a)	Name of the Post		Broadcasting Officer (Group 'A' Gazetted)
(b)	Name of the Ministry/Deptt		Directorate of Public Relations Ministry of Defence South Block, New Delhi – 110011
(c)	Reference Number in which Commission advice on Recruitment Rules was conveyed		NA
(d)	Date of Notification of the original rules and subsequent amendment		SRO No. 75 dated 13 Dec 1974

( Copy of the original rules and subsequent amendments should be enclosed, duly flagged and referenced)

Col No	Provision in the approved rules	Revised Provisions Proposed	Reasons for the revision proposed
1	Broadcasting Officer	Broadcasting Officer	No change
2	1*	1* (2012) *Subject to variation dependent on workload	
3	Civilians in Defence Services Class-I Gazetted	Civilians in Defence Services Group 'A' Gazetted	
4.	Rs. 2200-75-2800-EB-100-4000	Pay Level – 10 (Rs. 56100-177500)	As per 7 <sup>th</sup> Pay Commission recommendation
5.	Not applicable	Not applicable	No Change
6.	Not applicable	Not applicable	No Change
7.	Not applicable	Not applicable	No Change
8.	Not applicable	Not applicable	No Change
9.	Not applicable	Not applicable	No Change
10.	By transfer on deputation	By deputation	Change as per DoP&T guidelines

11	Transfer on deputation Grade II/III officers of the Central Information Service or Grade III officers of the service with atleast 3 years service in the grade	<p><b>Deputation:</b> Officers of the Indian Information Service (IIS)/(Group 'B')</p> <p>a) (i) Holding analogous posts on regular Basis; or (ii) With 2 years regular service in posts in the Level 8 (Rs. 47600 – 151100). (iii) With 3 years regular service in posts in the level 7 (Rs. 44900 – 142400) or equivalent; and</p> <p><b>Note 1 :</b> The period of deputation including the period of deputation in another ex-cadre posts held immediately preceding the appointment in the same or some other organisation/department of the Central Government shall ordinarily not exceed 3 years. The maximum age limit for appointment by deputation shall not be exceeding 56 years on the closing date of receipt of Application</p>	As per DOP&T guidelines
12	Not applicable	Not applicable	No Change
13	As required under the Union Public Service Commission (Exemption from Consultation) Regulations, 1958	Consultation with Union Public Service Commission is necessary	

Name, address and telephone numbers of the Ministry's Representatives with whom whom these proposals may be discussed, if necessary for Clarification/early decision

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