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Government of India
Ministry of Tourism
(Admin. I)**

Transport Bhawan,
1-Parliament Street,
New Delhi-110001
Dated: 06.10.2025

To,

**All the Regional Director/Deputy Director General
Ministry of Tourism and India Tourism Offices**

**Subject:- Inviting comments of stakeholders (DDGs/RDs) for amendments of
Recruitment Rules for the post of Joint Director General – Regarding.**

Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith duly approved proposed draft amendment notification to the Recruitment Rules for the post of Joint Director General existing in Ministry of Tourism and India Tourism Offices for your comments/suggestions, if any. The comments shall reach to the Administration I on email Uttank.joshi@nic.in or adadmin1@nic.in within one month after uploading on the E-office and Website of the Ministry.

Yours faithfully



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Enclosures - 4-pages.

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NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, dated... September, 2025

G.S.R ---- in exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to article 309 of the constitution and in supersession of the tourism organisation (Group 'A' post) Recruitment (Amendment) Rules 1982, 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 Joint Director General, in Ministry of Tourism namely: -

1. Short title and commencement- (1) These rules may be called, Ministry of Tourism, Government of India, Joint Director General (Group 'A' post, Non-Ministerial), Recruitment Rules, 2025

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

2. Number of posts, classification and level in pay matrix.- The number of post, its classification and level in pay matrix attached thereto shall be as specified in columns (2) to (4) of the Schedule annexed to these rules.

3. Method of recruitment, age-limit and qualification, etc.- The method of recruitment age-limit, qualifications and other matters relating thereto shall be as specified in columns (5) to (13) of the aforesaid 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 in contracted a marriage with any person, shall be eligible for appointment to the said post:
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 marriage and that there are other grounds for so doing, exempt any person from the operation of this rule.

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

6. Saving. - Nothing in these rules shall affect reservation, relaxation of age-limit and other concessions required to be provided for the Schedule Castes. the Schedule 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

SCHEDULE

Name of the Post	No of Post	Classification	Scale of Pay
1	2	3	4
Joint Director General	01*(2025). *Subject variation Dependent on work load.	General Central Service Group 'A' Gazetted, Non-Ministerial	Level 13 Pay matrix- Rs.1,23,100-2,15,900
Whether selection or non-selection	Age limit for direct recruits		Educational and other qualification required for direct recruits.
5	6	7	
Selection	Not Applicable		Not Applicable
Whether age and educational qualification prescribed for direct recruits will apply in the case of promotees.	Period of Probation	Method of recruitment Whether by direct recruitment or by promotion or by deputation/transfer and percentage of the vacancies to be filled by various methods.	In case of the recruitment by promotion/deputation/transfer, grades from which promotion/deputation/transfer to be made.
8	9	10	11
Not Applicable	Not Applicable	By promotion failing which by deputation (Including short term contract)	Promotion : Deputy Director General/Regional Director (i)with 5 years regular service in the pay level -12, pay matrix Rs.78,800-2,09,200 Deputation Officers under the Central Government or State

		<p>Government or Public Sector Under takings or Statutory organizations-</p> <p>a.) holding analogous posts on regular basis ; or</p> <p>with 5 years regular service in posts in the pay level 12, pay matrix Rs 78,800-2,09,200 or equivalent; and</p> <p>b) Possessing experience of at least 10 years in Tourism /Travel/Hospitality / Administration& Establishment aspects.</p> <p>Note: the Maximum age limit for deputation shall be 56 years and the Period of deputation or contract shall not exceed 5 years.</p>
If a Department promotion Committee exists what is its composition	Circumstances in which Union Public Service Commission is to be consulted in making recruitment	
12	13	

<p>Departmental promotion Committee for promotion:-</p> <p>a) Chairman or Member, Union Public Service Commission- Chairperson</p> <p>b) Secretary, Ministry of Tourism - Member</p> <p>c) Director General (Tourism)/Additional Secretary(Tourism)/ Senior Economic Advisor (Tourism) - Member</p>	<p>Consultation with the commission not necessary.</p>		
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