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GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF BANGLADESH
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
NOTIFICATION

Dacca, the 8th December, 1978.

No. S.R.O. 325-L/78.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 133 of the Constitution of the People's Republic of Bangladesh, the President, after consultation with the Bangladesh Public Service Commission as required by clause (2) of Article 140 of that Constitution, is pleased to make the following rules, namely:—

THE GAZETTED OFFICERS (DIRECTORATE OF INTER-SERVICES PUBLIC RELATIONS) RECRUITMENT RULES, 1978.

1. **Short title.**—These rules may be called the Gazetted Officers (Directorate of Inter-Services Public Relations) Recruitment Rules, 1978.
2. **Definitions.**—In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires,—
 - (a) “appointing authority” means the Government and includes, in relation to any specified post or class of such posts, any officer authorised by Government to make appointment to such post or class or posts;
 - (b) “Directorate” means the Directorate of Inter-Services Public Relations;
 - (c) “probationer” means a person appointed on probation to a specified post;
 - (d) “recognised University” means a University established by or under any law for the time being in force and includes any other University declared by Government, after consultation with the Commission, to be a recognised University for the purposes of these rules;

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- (e) "requisite qualification" in relation to a specified post, means the qualification prescribed in the Schedule in relation to that post;
- (f) "Schedule" means the Schedule annexed to these rules; and
- (g) "specified post" means a post specified in the Schedule.

3. Procedure for recruitment.—(1) Subject to the provisions of the Schedule and such instructions relating to reservations for the purpose of clause (3) of Article 29 of the Constitution, appointment to a specified post shall be made—

- (a) by direct recruitment; or
- (b) by promotion from amongst persons already holding specified posts; or
- (c) by transfer of service on deputation.

(2) No person shall be appointed to a specified post unless he has the requisite qualification and, in the case of direct recruitment, he is also within the age limit, if any, specified in the Schedule for the post.

4. Appointment by direct recruitment.—(1) No person shall be eligible for appointment to a specified post by direct recruitment, if he—

- (a) is not a citizen of Bangladesh, or a permanent resident of, or domiciled in, Bangladesh;
- (b) is married to, or has entered into a promise of marriage with, a person who is not a citizen of Bangladesh.

(2) No appointment to a specified post by direct recruitment shall be made until—

- (a) the person selected for appointment is certified by a Medical Board set up for the purpose by the Director of Health Services to be medically fit for such appointment and that he does not suffer from any such organic defect as is likely to interfere with the discharge of the specified post; and
- (b) the antecedents of the person so selected have been verified through appropriate agencies and found to be such as do not render him unfit for appointment in the service of the Republic.

5. Probation.—(1) Persons selected for appointment to a specified post otherwise than by transfer on deputation against a substantive vacancy shall be appointed on probation,—

- (a) in the case of direct recruitment, for a period of two years from the date of substantive appointment; and
- (b) in the case of promotion, for a period of one year from the date of such appointment.

(2) After the completion of the period of probation, the appointing authority,—

- (a) if it is satisfied that the conduct and work of the probationer during his period of probation has been satisfactory, shall confirm him; and

- (b) if it is of opinion that the conduct and work of the probationer during that period was not satisfactory, may,—
- (i) in the case of direct recruitment, terminate his service and, in the case of promotion, revert him to the post from which he was promoted; or
 - (ii) extend the period of probation by a period or periods so that the extended period does not exceed two years in the aggregate.

SCHEDULE

Sl. No.	Name of the specified post.	Age limit for direct recruitment.	Method of recruitment.	Qualification.
1	2	3	4	5
1 Director	.. Between 30 and 45 years.	By promotion from persons holding the post of Deputy Director in the Directorate or, if none is found suitable for promotion, by transfer of service on deputation of an officer of Information or Education Branch of Defence Services or in case none is available by such transfer also, by direct recruitment.	(a) <i>For promotion :</i> Must have at least five years' experience as Deputy Director in the Directorate. (b) <i>For transfer of service :</i> The officer must hold the equivalent rank and status of Director of the Directorate with experience in Journalism or Public Relations.	(c) <i>For direct recruitment :</i> Second class degree from any recognised University with ten years' experience in Journalism or in Public Relation works;

(c) *For direct recruitment :*

Second class degree from any recognised University with ten years' experience in Journalism or in Public Relation works;

OR

Degree or Diploma in Journalism with five years' and seven years' experience respectively in Journalism from a recognised University.

2	Deputy Director	Minimum 35 years	(a) 50% by promotion from person holding the post of Assistant Director in the Department;	(a) <i>For promotion :</i> Must have at least seven years' experience as Assistant Director of the Directorate.
			(b) 50% by direct recruitment;	(b) <i>For direct recruitment :</i> Second class degree from any recognised University with eight years' experience in Journalism or Public Relations;
			(c) Posts lying vacant for want of suitable persons for promotion or by direct recruitment may be filled in by transfer of service on deputation of Officers of Information Branch of Defence Services.	OR Degree or Diploma in Journalism with five and six years' experience respectively from a recognised University.
3	Assistant Director	Minimum 27 years.	(a) 33% by promotion of persons holding the post of Assistant Information Officer in the Directorate;	(a) <i>For promotion :</i> Must have at least five years' experience as Assistant Information Officer in the Directorate.
			(b) <i>For transfer :</i> The officer must hold the equivalent rank and status of Deputy Director of the Directorate with experience in Journalism or Public Relations.	
			(c) <i>For transfer :</i> The officer must hold the equivalent rank and status of Deputy Director of the Directorate with experience in Journalism or Public Relations.	

Sl. No.	Name of the specified post.	Age limit for direct recruitment.	Method of recruitment.	Qualification.
1	2	3	4	5
			<p>(b) 67% by direct recruitment;</p> <p>(c) Posts lying vacant for want of suitable persons are not found for promotion or by direct recruitment, such vacancies may be filled in by transfer of service on deputation of Officers of Information Branch of Defence Services.</p>	<p>(b) <i>For direct recruitment:</i> Second class degree from any recognised University with five years' experience in Journalism or in Public Relations;</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Degree or Diploma in Journalism from a recognised University with three and four years' experience respectively in the subject or in Public Relations.</p>
4	Research Officer	Minimum 27 years	Ditto	<p>(a) <i>For promotion:</i> The officer must hold the equivalent rank and status of Assistant Director of the Directorate with experience in Journalism or in Public Relations.</p> <p>(a) Must have at least five years' experience as Assistant Information Officer in the Directorate.</p>

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| | | | (b) <i>For direct recruitment:</i>
Masters Degree from any recognised University with five year's experience in research work in Journalism; |
| | | | OR
Masters Degree from any recognised University with Degree or Diploma in Journalism from a recognised University. |
| | | | (a) <i>For promotion:</i>
For Publication Assistant, must have served at least five years' service in the post and for others must have served at least six years in their respective post. |
| 5 | Publication Officer | Maximum 30 years | By promotion from persons holding the post of Publication Assistant or Research Assistant or Assistant or Upper Division Clerk in the Directorate or, in case none is found suitable for promotion, by direct recruitment. |
| 6 | Assistant Information Officer | Maximum 30 years | (a) <i>For promotion:</i>
(i) Degree from a recognised University;
(ii) seven years' experience as Research Assistant or eight years' experience as Assistant or Upper Division Clerk.

(b) <i>67% by direct recruitment;</i>
(c) In case suitable persons are not found by promotion or by direct recruitment, the vacancies may be filled in by transfer of service of Civilian or Military Officers.

(b) <i>For direct recruitment:</i>
Degree from any recognised University with two years' experience in Journalism or in Public Relations;
OR
Degree from any recognised University with degree or diploma in Journalism. |

Sl. No.	Name of the specified post.	Age limit for direct recruitment.	Method of recruitment.	Qualification.
1	2	3	4	5
7	Chief Photogra- pher.	Maximum 32 years' relaxable up to 35 years for ex- ceptionally qua- lified candidates.	By promotion from persons hold- ing the post of Photographer in the Directorate or, if none is found suitable for promotion, by direct recruitment or, if no suitable person is available for promotion or by direct recruit- ment, the vacancies may be filled in by transfer of service on deputation from any Go- vernment office.	<p>(a) <i>For promotion:</i> S.S.C. with five years' experience as Photographer.</p> <p>(b) <i>For direct recruitment:</i> S.S.C. with ten years' experience as Photographer in a Newspaper or in any office.</p> <p>(c) <i>For transfer:</i> S.S.C. with ten years' experience as a Photographer in any Government office.</p>
8	Cameraman	..	Maximum 32 years' relaxable up to 35 years in case of exceptionally qualified candi- dates.	S.S.C. with five years' experience as a Cameraman in any office.

By order of the President
A. H. F. K. SADIQUE
Defence Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE ADDITIONAL SESSIONS JUDGE AND SPECIAL TRIBUNAL JUDGE (TEMPORARY), COURT NO. II, KHULNA

NOTIFICATION

Under section 27(6) of Special Powers Act.

Whereas you (*I*) Sayed Ali, son of Ismail Sarder of village Kukrail, P.S. Satkhira, Dist. Khulna, is an accused in Special Tribunal Case No. 538/76 of this Court arising out of G.R. Case No. 458/75 of Subdivisional Magistrate's Court, Satkhira, arising out of Satkhira P.S. Case No. 15, dated 10th May, 1975;

And whereas police failed to secure arrest and produce you before this Court,

And whereas I am satisfied from police report that you are deliberately and intentionally avoiding process of Court and with ulterior motive,

And whereas, I, A. Hamid, Additional Sessions Judge and Special Tribunal Judge (Temporary), Court No. II, Khulna, being empowered under sub-section (6) of section 27 of Special Powers Act, 1974, hereby ask you to appear before this Court within 35 days from the date of publication of this Notice to answer the accusation in the aforesaid case. If you fail to appear within the said date you will be tried *in absentia*.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Court this the 2nd December, 1978.

A. HAMID

*Additional Sessions Judge and Special
Tribunal Judge (Temporary),
Court No. II, Khulna.*

**OFFICE OF THE SUBDIVISIONAL OFFICER
SADAR (SOUTH), COMILLA.**

NOTIFICATION

Comilla, the 7th December, 1978.

No. 4618.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon me under section 17 of The Local Government Ordinance, 1976, I, Jalaluddin Ahmed, Subdivisional Officer, Sadar South, Comilla and Prescribed Authority of Union Parishad do hereby notify for general information that Mosammat Ferdousi Begum, wife of Akkas Miah of village Monpaul, P.O. Uttarda, district Comilla, is nominated as a women member of No. 14, Uttarda West Union Parishad under Laksam P.S. of Comilla.

JALALUDDIN AHMED
Subdivisional Officer.