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ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ADMINISTRATION
सचिवालय/SECRETARIAT

Sri Vijaya Puram, dated the June, 2025

NOTIFICATION

No.....F.No. A-32013/5/2022-Home-Section-Sectt - In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, read with the Govt. of India, Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi, Notification No.U-14039/2/83-ANL dated 21.02.1985 and in consultation with Union Public Service Commission as communicated vide letter No..... dated and in supersession of Notification No. No 04/2016/F.No45-70/2015-Home(IRBN)/RR dated 14.01.2016 issued to this effect, the Lt. Governor (Administrator), Andaman and Nicobar Islands hereby proposes to make the following amendment in **Group 'A' (Gazetted) post of Deputy Commandant of India Reserve Battalion** under Andaman and Nicobar Administration.

Suggestions and Objections are invited by Stake Holders/Persons to be affected thereby, Suggestion/objection, if any, on these rules may be furnished to the DGP, Andaman & Nicobar Island with in a period of 30 days of its publication in the Daily Telegram/ Police Website/Notice Board of the Police Department :-

1. Short Tile and Commencement :-

- i. These Rules may be called the Andaman and Nicobar Administration (Police Department **Group 'A' (Gazetted) post of Deputy Commandant of India Reserve Battalion, A&N Islands Recruitment Rules, 2025**
- ii. This shall come into force on the date of its publication in the Official Gazette.

2. Number of Posts, Classification and Scale of Pay :-

The number of posts, its classification and the scale of pay attached thereto, shall be as specified at Sl.No.2 to 4 of the Schedule annexed thereto.

3. Method of Recruitment, Age limit, Qualifications :-

The method of recruitment, age limit, qualifications and other matters relating to the said posts shall be as specified at Sl.No.5 to 13 of the said Schedule.

4. **Disqualifications :-**

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(s) shall be eligible for appointment to the said post.

Provided that the Lieutenant Governor (Administrator), A&N Islands, may if, satisfied that such marriage is permissible under the personal law applicable to such persons and the other party to the marriage or there are other grounds for so doing, exempt any persons from the operation of this rule.

5. **Powers to Relax :**

Where the Lieutenant Governor (Administrator), A&N Islands, is of the opinion that it is necessary or expedient to do so, he may, by order, 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.

6. **Savings :**

Nothing in these rules shall affect reservations, relaxation of age limit, and other concessions required to be provided for candidates belonging to the Schedule Castes, Schedule Tribes 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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LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR
Andaman & Nicobar Islands

By Order and in the name of the Lieutenant Governor

Sd/-
Assistant Secretary (Home)
A&N Administration

RECRUITMENT RULE FOR THE POST OF DEPUTY COMMANDANT
IN THE IRBN

1.	Name of post	Deputy Commandant
2.	No. of post	03(three) 2025* subject to variation dependent on workload.
3.	Classification	General Central Service, Group 'A' Gazetted (Non-Ministerial)
4.	Level in Pay Matrix	Level-11(Rs67,700-208700)
5.	Whether Selection post of Non-selection post	Selection
6.	Age limit for direct recruits	Not Applicable
7.	Educational and other Qualification required for direct recruits.	Not Applicable
8.	Whether age and educational qualifications prescribed for direct recruits will apply in the case of promotees.	No
9.	Period of probation, if any	Not Applicable
10.	Method of recruitment, whether by direct recruitment of by promotion or by deputation/ transfer and percentage of the posts to be filled by various methods.	67% by promotion 33% by deputation including short term contract .
11.	In case of recruitment by promotion/ deputation/ transfer, grade from which promotion/ deputation/ transfer to be made.	<p><u>PROMOTION :</u> Assistant Commandants of IRBn in the Pay Level-10 (₹ 56,100 – ₹ 1,77,500) of the pay matrix with 5 years of regular service in the grade and who have passed the weapon & tactics course conducted by CPMF.</p> <p><u>NOTE-I</u> Where juniors who have completed their qualification /eligibility service are being considered for promotion, their senior would also be considered provided they are not short of the requisite qualifying/eligibility service by more than half of such qualifying/eligibility as service or 02 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.</p> <p><u>DEPUTATION (ISTC):</u> Police personnel of Central/ State Governments/UTs/CPMF/IRBn of other States/ Semi-Govt. / Statutory Bodies/ Public Sector Undertakings/ Autonomous Bodies/ Recognized Institutions. (a) (I) Holding analogous posts on regular basis in the parent cadre/ department. (OR) (II) Officer of the rank of Deputy Superintendent of Police/Assistant Commandant with 05 years' service in the</p>

		<p>grade rendered after appointment thereto on a regular basis in the Pay Level-10 (₹ 56,100 – ₹ 1,77,500) of the pay matrix or equivalent in the parent cadre/department, and</p> <p>(b) Possessing the following educational qualification and physical / medical standards.</p> <p>ESSENTIAL :</p> <p>(I) Graduation in any discipline from a recognized University.</p> <p>(II) Should pass physical efficiency test.</p> <p>PHYSICAL STANDARDS :</p> <p>The minimum requirements for the candidates are as follows:-</p> <p>(I) Chest: un-expanded - 81 cm (with 5 cm minimum expansion)</p> <p>(II) Height: 165 cm. for Male & 157 cm for Female.</p> <p>(III) Weight: 50 kg. for Male & 46 kg. for Female.</p> <p>(Moreover the weight should be as per height and age as mentioned in appendix notified vide No. 73 dated 24/05/2016).</p> <p>MEDICAL STANDARD:</p> <p>A) Eye Sight better eye (corrected vision) worse eye (corrected vision).</p> <p>Distant vision - 6/6 or 6/9 6/12 or 6/9</p> <p>Near vision - J1 (corrected) J2 (corrected)</p> <p>TYPES OF CORRECTIONS PERMITTED</p> <p>SPECTACLES:</p> <p>Limit of refractive errors permitted-4.00 D (including cylinder) non-pathological myopia +4.00 D (including cylinder) hypermetropia color vision high grade.</p> <p>The candidate should not have squint of any degree and should have high color vision. The candidate will be tested for color vision by ishihara's test as well as edridge-green lantern test. Eye should be bright, clear with no abnormality/ disease movement of eye balls should be full and free in all direction. In every case of myopia, fundus examination should be carried out and results should be recorded. Contact lenses or lazer surgery is not allowed.</p> <p>B) CARRYING ANGLE:</p> <p>Carrying angle should not be more than 15 for male and 20 for female.</p> <p>C) EAR:</p> <p>(i) Candidates should not have any degree or deafness or persistent ear discharge.</p> <p>(ii) Candidates should not have any other condition(congenital or acquired) like artesia</p>
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	<p>of the meatus, exostosis, neoplasm which is causing obstruction of ear passage and should not have history or recurrent earache, tinnitus and vertigo.</p> <p>D) NOSE: Candidates should not have DNS, Atrophic rhinitis, tubercular ulceration, chronic sinusitis.</p> <p>E) NECK : Candidates should not have enlarged lymph nodes, thyroid or other swelling of neck, inability to extend the neck fully or any evidence of disease of spine or cervical vertebrae.</p> <p>F) TEETH: Candidates must possess sufficient number of sound teeth for efficient mastication, candidate should not have severe pyorrhea.</p> <p>G) VENEREAL DISEASE : Candidate should not have active signs of clinical BD.</p> <p>H) CHRONIC SKIN DISEASE: Candidate should not have chronic skin diseases like leprosy, chronic dermatitis, extensive pityriasis versicolor, psoriasis, SLE etc.</p> <p>3) GENERAL STANDARDS :</p> <p>a) Speech should be without impediment i.e. no stammering.</p> <p>b) The candidate should not have any indication of chronic disease like TB, any type of arthritis, high blood pressure, diabetes, bronchial asthma, any heart disease.</p> <p>c) Candidate should not have persistable and visible glandular swelling anywhere in the body.</p> <p>d) Chest should be well formed, devoid of any abnormality like flat chest, pigeon chest with rickety rosary defects. Heart and lungs should be sound.</p> <p>e) Limbs hands and feet should be well formed and fully developed and there shall be perfect motion of all joints.</p> <p>f) Should not have any old/mal united fracture of bones.</p> <p>g) There should be free and perfect movements of all the joints.</p> <p>h) Feet and toes should be well formed.</p> <p>i) Should not have congenital malformation or defects.</p> <p>j) Should not bear traces of previous acute</p>
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12	If a DPC exists, what is its composition	<p><u>Group 'B' DPC (for considering promotion) consists of :-</u></p> <p>1. Chairman/member UPSC- Chairman</p>

		2. Chief Secretary, ANI - Member 3. DGP, ANI - Member
13	Circumstances in which UPSC is to be consulted in making recruitment	Consultation with UPSC is not necessary while appointing an officer on deputation (ISTC).

DUTIES & RESPONSIBILITIES OF DEPUTY COMMANDANT IN INDIA
RESERVE BATTALION, A&N ISLANDS

1. Deputy Commandant is designated as second-in command of the Battalion
2. Assists the Commandant in his routine work
3. Responsible for strict observance of all rules/instructions and orders issued for the management of Battalion
4. Assists the Commandant in ensuring discipline in the force.
5. Maintenance of Battalion canteen, ration stores, mess and entire complex properly and efficiently
6. Responsible for the proper maintenance and judicious use of vehicles and equipment of the Battalion
7. Holds orderly room
8. Conducts surprise visits to barracks, quarter guard, garden and other areas of importance in the campus
9. Deals with all matters of importance and seeks instructions from Commandant on policy matters and ensures compliance
10. Ensures regular mess meeting with mess members
11. Liaise with senior officers of A&N Administration and other institutions for development of the Battalion
12. Carries out any other work assigned by the Commandant from time to time

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RECRUITMENT RULE FOR THE POST OF ASSISTANT COMMANDANT

IN THE IRBN

1.	Name of post	Assistant Commandant
2.	No. of post	07 (seven) (2025)* * Subject to variation dependent on workload.
3.	Classification	General, Central Service Group 'A' (Gazetted), Non-Ministerial
4.	Level in Pay Matrix	Level-10 (₹ 56,100 - ₹ 1,77,500)
5.	Whether Selection post of Non-selection post	Selection
6.	Age limit for direct recruits	Not Applicable
7.	Educational and other Qualification required for direct recruits.	Not Applicable
8.	Whether age and educational qualifications prescribed for direct recruits will apply in the case of promotees.	Not Applicable
9.	Period of probation, if any	02 years for promotees
10.	Method of recruitment, whether by direct recruitment or by promotion or by deputation/ transfer and percentage of the posts to be filled by various methods.	57% by promotion 43% by deputation including short term contract
11.	In case of recruitment by promotion/ deputation/ transfer, grade from which promotion/ deputation/ transfer to be made.	<u>PROMOTION :</u> Inspectors (GD) of Police in IRBN in the Pay Level-7 (₹.44,900 - ₹1,42,400) with 5 years of regular service in the grade and who have passed integrated training course conducted by CPMF. <u>NOTE-I</u> Where juniors who have completed their qualification /eligibility service are being considered for promotion, their senior 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 02 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. <u>DEPUTATION (ISTC):</u> Officer under the Central Govt./ State /UT/CPMF/IRBn of other States/ Semi-Govt. Statutory Bodies/ Public sector Undertakings/ Autonomous Bodies/ Recognized research Institutions. (A) (I) Holding analogous posts on regular basis in the parent cadre/ department. (OR) (II) Officer of the rank of Inspector (GD) with 04 years' service in the grade rendered after appointment thereto on a regular basis in pay Level-

		<p>8 (₹ 47,600- ₹ 1,51,100) in the pay matrix or equivalent in the parent cadre/department.</p> <p>(OR)</p> <p>(III) Officer of the rank of Inspector (GD) with 05 years' service in the grade rendered after appointment thereto on a regular basis in pay Level-7 (₹ 44,900 - ₹ 1,42,400) in the pay matrix or equivalent in the parent cadre/department</p> <p>AND</p> <p>(B) Possessing the following educational qualification and physical/ medical standard.</p> <p><u>ESSENTIAL QUALIFICATION :</u></p> <p>(I) Graduation in any discipline from a recognized University.</p> <p>(II) Should pass physical efficiency test.</p> <p><u>PHYSICAL STANDARDS :</u></p> <p>The minimum requirements for the candidates are as follows:-</p> <p>(I) Chest: un-expanded - 81 cm (with 5 cm minimum expansion)</p> <p>(II) Height: 165 cm. for Male & 157 cm for Female.</p> <p>(III) Weight: 50 kg. for Male & 46 kg. for Female.</p> <p>(Moreover the weight should be as per height and age as mentioned in appendix notified vide No. 73 dated 24/05/2016).</p> <p><u>MEDICAL STANDARDS:</u></p> <p>A) Eye Sight- Eye Sight better eye (corrected vision) worse eye (corrected vision).</p> <p>Distant vision - 6/6 or 6/9, 6/12 or 6/9.</p> <p>Near vision - J1 (corrected) J2 (corrected)</p> <p><u>TYPES OF CORRECTIONS PERMITTED</u></p> <p><u>SPECTACLES:</u></p> <p>Limit of refractive errors permitted-4.00 D (including cylinder) non-pathological myopia +4.00 D (including cylinder) hypermetropia color vision high grade.</p> <p>The candidate should not have squint of any degree and should have high color vision. The candidate will be tested for color vision by Ishihara's test as well as Edridge-green lantern test. Eye should be bright, clear with no abnormality/ disease. Movement of eye balls should be full and free in all direction. In every case of myopia, fundus examination should be carried out and results should be recorded. Contact lenses or laser surgery is not allowed.</p> <p><u>B) CARRYING ANGLE:</u></p> <p>Carrying angle should not be more than 15 for male and 20 for female.</p> <p><u>C) EAR:</u></p>
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**DUTIES & RESPONSIBILITIES OF ASSISTANT COMMANDANT IN INDIA
RESERVE BATTALION, A&N ISLANDS**
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1. Assistant Commandant is designated as Company Commander of the Battalion.
2. He supervises
3. The overall functioning of the company i.e. Training, Refresher Courses of subordinate officers
4. Deployment of the force/troops to various locations in the Islands as and when required
5. Annual medical check-up of the force personnel
6. Conducting inter-company sports competitions
7. Looks annual firing practice of the members of the Battalion

He also

1. Looks after the maintenance of company office, barracks & Battalion premises
2. The maintenance & upkeep of vehicles as well as Govt. properties allotted/issued to the company
3. Ensures discipline maintenance and welfare of the force
4. Prepares leave plan of the sub-ordinate officers
5. Holds regular Sampark Sabha
6. Ensures proper liaison with senior officers of A&N Administration and other institutions/local bodies/civil departments for development of the Battalion
7. Carry out any other work assigned to him by the Commandant/Deputy commandant from time to time