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**Government of India**

**NITI Aayog**

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**Sansad Marg, New Delhi,**

**Dated 29th January, 2018.**

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

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**Sub: Invitation of comments/ suggestions of concerned staff on draft Recruitment Rules for the post of ‘Technical Officer’ in NITI Aayog.**

Based on the recommendations of the Task Force on Restructuring of NITI Aayog, Recruitment Rules for the post of ‘Technical Officer’ is being amended. Draft Recruitment Rules for the said post has been framed as per copy enclosed.

2. All the officers/ staff members concerned are requested to intimate their suggestions/ objections, if any, to the provisions being incorporated in the draft Recruitment Rules latest by 02-03-2018 failing which it would be presumed that they have no comments/ objections to the draft Recruitment Rules.

( Sanjeev Kumar )

Assistant Section Officer(Admn.III)

1. Sh. Dheeraj Kumar, Technical Officer, Charts & Map Division, NITI Aayog.
2. Sh. Praveen Kumar Saini, Senior Artist, Charts & Map Division, NITI Aayog.
3. **In-charge, NIC, NITI Aayog with the request to upload it on the website of NITI Aayog.**

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**NOTIFICATION**

            G.S.R. – In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to article 309 of the Constitution and in supersession of the erstwhile Planning Commission(Technical Officer) Recruitment Rules, 1994, 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 Technical Officer in the NITI Aayog, namely :-

1.         **Short title and commencement**:-

         (1)     These Rules may be called the NITI Aayog (National Institution for Transforming India) (Technical Officer) Recruitment Rules, 2018.

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

2.       **Number of posts, classification, Level in the Pay Matrix** :-

          The number of the said posts, their classification, level of pay in the pay matrix applicable thereto shall be as specified in columns (2) to (4) of the Schedule annexed to these Rules.

3.         Method of recruitment, age limit, qualifications etc :-

            The method of recruitment, age limit, qualifications and other matters relating to the said post shall be as specified in columns (5) to 14) 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, as entered into or contracted a marriage with any other 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 the marriage and 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 do, it may, by order, 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 of 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 the Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribe, Other Backward Classes, 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.

**Annexure**

**SCHEDULE**

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| Name of the post | Number of  posts | Classification of the post | **Level   in the Pay Matrix** |
| 1. | 2. | 3. | 4. |
| Technical  Officer | 1\*(2018)\*subject   to variation depends on workload | General Central Service Group‘A’ Gazetted, Non-Ministerial | Level-10 (Rs.56100-177500) |
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| Whether selection or non-selection   post | Age limit for Direct Recruit | Educational and other qualifications   required for direct recruits. | Whether age and educational   qualifications prescribed for direct recruits will  apply in the case of promotion |
| 5. | 6. | 7. | 8. |
| Selection | Not exceeding  35 years (relaxable for Government servants   upto 5 years in accordance with the instructions or orders issued by the   Central Government from time to time)  | **Essential** :(i)    Diploma in Draughtsmanship or Diploma in Fine Arts/ Commercial  Arts from a recognized Board or University;(ii)     Eight years’ experience in preparing Charts and Maps out of which two   years should be in preparing Charts of Drawings with the help of Computers. **Desirable**: Experience of supervising operation   and maintenance of audio-visual aids photostat machines etc. Note 1:-Qualifications are relaxable at the   discretion of the UPSC, for reasons to be recorded in writing, in case of   candidates otherwise well qualified. Note 2:-The qualification(s) regarding   experience is/are relaxable at the discretion of the UPSC, for reasons to be   recorded in writing, in case of candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes and   Scheduled Tribe, if at any stage of selection, the UPSC is of the opinion   that sufficient number of candidates from these communities possessing the   requisite experience are not likely to be available to fill up the posts   reserved for them.  | Age : No Educational Qualification : Yes  |
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| Period of probation, if any | Method of recruitment – whether by   direct recruitment or by promotion or by deputation/absorption and percentage   of the vacancies to be filled by various methods | Grades from which   promotion/deputation/ absorption to be made. | If a DPC exists, what is its   composition |
| 9. | 10. | 11 | 12. |
| One year for both direct recruits and   promotees.  | Promotion failing which by transfer   on deputation failing both by direct recruitment. | **Promotion** : Senior   Artist with 8 years regular service in the Level-6 of the Pay Matrix   (Rs.35,400-1,12,400).  **Transfer on Deputation :**Officers of Central Government.  (A)(i)  holding analogous posts on a regular basis;   or (ii)    with 3 years regular service in posts in Level-7 of the Pay Matrix (Rs.44,900-1,42,400)   or equivalent; or(iii)    with 8 years regular service in regular service in posts of Level-6 of   the Pay Matrix in (Rs.35,400-1,12,400) or equivalent: and (B)    Possessing the educational qualifications, experience as under : **Essential** :(i)    Diploma in Draughtsmanship or Diploma in Fine Arts/ Commercial  Arts from a recognized Board or University;(ii)     Eight years’ experience in preparing Charts and Maps out of which two   years should be in preparing Charts of Drawings with the help of Computers. **Desirable**: Experience of supervising operation   and maintenance of audio-visual aids photostat machines etc.Note 1:-Qualifications are relaxable at the   discretion of the UPSC, for reasons to be recorded in writing, in case of   candidates otherwise well qualified. Note 2:- The qualification(s) regarding   experience is/are relaxable at the discretion of the UPSC, for reasons to be   recorded in writing, in case of candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes and   Scheduled Tribe, if at any stage of selection, the UPSC is of the opinion that   sufficient number of candidates from these communities possessing the   requisite experience are not likely to be available to fill up the posts   reserved for them.**Note   I** : The departmental officers in the   feeder category who are in the direct line of promotion will not be eligible   for consideration for appointment on deputation/absorption.  Similarly, the deputationists candidates   shall not be eligible for consideration for appointment by Promotion.[Period of deputation including period   of deputation in another ex-cadre post held immediately preceding this   appointment in the same or some other organisations/department of the Central   Government shall ordinarily not to exceed five years.  The maximum age limit for appointment by   deputation (ISTC) shall not be exceeding 56 years as on the closing date for   receipt of applications].   | Group ‘A’ – DPC (for considering   promotion). 1.    Chairman/ Member, UPSC – Chairman. 2.  Adviser (Communication Cell) – Member 3.    Joint Adviser to be nominated by the NITI Aayog – Member 4. Director(Admn.)/ Deputy Secretary   (Admn.) - Member  Group ‘A’ DPC (for considering   confirmation)1. Adviser(Communication Cell) – Chairman

 2.    Joint Adviser to be nominated by the NITI Aayog – Member 3. Director(Admn.)/ Deputy Secretary   (Admn.) – Member  Note – The proceedings of the DPC   relating to confirmation of a direct recruit shall be sent to the Commission   for approval.  If, however, these are   not approved by the Commission a fresh meeting of the DPC to be presided over   by the Chairman or a member of the UPSC shall be held.               |
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| Circumstances in which Union Public   Service Commission is to be consulted in making recruitment |
| 13. |
| Selection on each occasion shall be   made in consultation with the Union Public Service Commission.   |

 ( Sunil Kumar )

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India