

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT**

**PUBLIC SERVICE:** - Andhra Pradesh Mining Subordinate Service Rules - Issued

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**INDUSTRIES & COMMERCE (M.1)(1) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.Ms.No.205**

**Dated 22.06.1999**

**Read the following:-**

1. From the O.M.C., G.A.D letter No.106/OMC/SPF SerII/87, dt.07.11.87
2. From the DMG, Letter No.8839/E1/85, dt: 19.6.1990
3. From the Secretary, APPSC, Letter No.2679/RR/1-97 dt: 20.3.99

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**ORDER**

The following notification shall be published in the A.P. Gazette.

**NOTIFICATION**

In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, the Governor of Andhra Pradesh and in supersession of the rules issued by the Government from time to time in regard to Mines and Geology Department makes the following Subordinate Service Rules to the Andhra Pradesh Mining Subordinate Service.

**RULES**

1. **Constitution** : The Andhra Pradesh Mining Subordinate Service shall consist of the following classes and Categories of Posts namely:-

**Class.I:**

- Category 1 : Senior Driller
- Category 2 : Drill Superintendent
- Category 3 : Drill Mechanic
- Category 4 : Assistant driller  
(Including Compressor Operator Mechanical Fitter and Pump Operator)
- Category 5 : Store Keeper (Drilling Equipment)
- Category 6 : Drill Helper

**Class.II**

- Category1 : Supervisor
- Category2 : Surveyor
- Category3. : Draughtsman
- Category 4 : Chairman

**Class.III**

- Category1 : Formen
- Category2 : Mine Mate
- Category3 : Blaster
- Category4. : Magazine Incharge

**Class IV**

- Category1 : Royally Inspector
- Category2 : Technical Asst
- Category3 : Inspector

Class.V

- Category1 : Lab Assistant  
 Category2 : Lab Attender  
 Category3 : Section Cuner

Class VI

- Category1 : Mechanic  
 Category2 : Librarian Grade.II  
 Category3 : Electrical Fitter

**2. Appointment** : Appointment to the post mentioned in column(1) of the Table below shall be made by the method specified in the corresponding entry in column(2) there of.

Category of post	Method of Appointment	Appointing Authority
Class. I		
1.Senior Driller	By promotion among the drill Superintendence of the Dept of Mines and Geology	Director of Mines and Geology
2.Drill Superintendent	1.By Direct Recruitment 2.By promotion from Category 3.of class.I	Director of Mines and Geology
3.Drill mechanic	1. Direct recruitment 50% if a qualified and suitable person is not available for promotion such vacancy shall be filled in by direct recruitment 2.By promotion from Category 4 of class.I	Director of Mines and Geology
4.Assistant Driller	By promotion from categories 5 and 6 of Class.I	Director of Mines and Geology
5.Store Keeper	1.By promotion from category	Director of Mines and Geology
6.Driller Helper	Direct recruitment	Director of Mines and Geology
Class. II		
1.Supervisor	2.By promotion from Category (2) of Class.II	Director of Mines and Geology
2.Surveyor	1.By direct recruitment 75% 2. By promotion from Category 3.If a qualified and suitable person is not available for promotion such vacancy shall be filled in by direct recruitment	DDM&G of the region
3.Draughtsman	Direct Recruitment	Director of Mines and Geology
4.Chiarman	By appointment by transfer from attenders in the Mines Department Andhra Pradesh last Grade Service	Director of Mines and Geology in Head Office and for District offices ADM& G concerned
Class.III		
1.Foreman	1.By promotion from Category (2) of Class.III 2.By direct recruitment if no qualified and suitable person in Category (2) of the Class.III is available	Director of Mines and Geology
2.mine mate	1.By promotion from Category(3) of classIII	Director of Mines and Geology
3.Blaster	1.By promotion from Category(4) of classIII 2. By direct recruitment if no qualified and suitable person in Category (4) of the Class.III is available	Director of Mines and Geology

4. Magazine incharge Class.IV	By direct recruitment	Director of Mines and Geology
1. Royalty Inspector	1. By promotion from Category(2) classIV	Director of Mines and Geology
2. Technical Asst	Direct Recruitment	Director of Mines and Geology
3. Inspectors(Mines) Class.V	Direct Recruitment	Asst. Director of Mines and Geology
1. Lab Assistant	By direct Recruitment	Director of Mines and Geology
2. Lab Attender	By appointment by transfer from attenders in the Mines Dept., in the Last Grade Service	Director of Mines and Geology in Head Office and Asst Director of Mines and Geology
3. Section Cutter  Class.VI	By appointment by transfer from Attenders in the Mines Dept., in the Andhra Pradesh Last Grade Service	Deputy Director (Administration)
1. Mechanic	By appointment by transfer from drivers (Heavy Vehicles) or Drivers (light Vehicles) in the Mines Dept, in A.P. General Subordinate Service	Director of Mines and Geology
2. Librarian Gr.II	By direct Recruitment	Director of Mines and Geology
3. Electrical Fitter	By direct Recruitment	Director of Mines and Geology

(b) Promotion to the posts shall be made on grounds of merit and ability, seniority being considered only where merit and ability are approximately equal.

**3. Qualification:** No person shall be eligible for appointment to the post in the Category specified in column(1) of the Table below by the method specified in column(2) unless he possess the qualification specified in the corresponding entry in column(3) thereof.

**TABLE**

Class and Category	Method of Appointment	Qualification
Class.I Category (1) Senior Driller	By promotion from Category(2) of class.I	No person shall be eligible for appointment by promotion unless he has put in not less than three years of service in the Category form which promotion or transfer is made.
Class.I Category 2 Drill Superintendent	1. By promotion from Category(3) of Class.I  2. By direct Recruitment  The post of Drill Suptds. Shall be filled in by direct recruit and by promotion in the ration of	No person shall be eligible for appointment by promotion unless he has put in not less than three years of service in the Category form which promotion or transfer is made.  Must possess Diploma in Mechanical Engineering awarded by the A.P. Board of Technical Education or an equivalent recognised qualifications  Must not have completed 28 years of age on the first day of the year in which notification is made

Class.I Category 3 Drill Mechanic	1:1 By promotion from among The Assistant Driller of the Department	No person shall be eligible for appointment by promotion unless he has put in not less than three years of service in the Category form which promotion or transfer is made.
	2.By direct Recruitment	1) Must possess an ITI Certificate in General Mechanic Trade recognized by the Government of Andhra Pradesh Must not have completed 28 years of age in the first day of july of the year in which the notification is made, if recruited direct
Class.I Category 4(a) Assistant Driller (including Compressor Operator Mechanical Fitter and Pump Operator)	a) By promotion among the Drill Helpers and Store Keeper of the Department of Mines & Geology	No person shall be eligible for appointment by promotion unless he has put in not less than 3 years of service in the Category from which appointment by promotion form the Category of store keeper the service put in by the store keeper as Drill Helper also will be taken into account for purposes of minimum service.
Class.I Category 4(b) Compressor Operator	Promotion among the holder of the post of Drill Helper and store keeper in the Department of Mines & Geology	No person shall be eligible for appointment by promotion unless he has put in not less than three years of service in the Category form which promotion or transfer is made.
Class I Category 4(c ) Mechanical Fitter	By promotion from Category 5 and 6 of class.I	No person shall be eligible for appointment by promotion unless he has put in not less than three years of service in the Category form which promotion or transfer is made.
Class I Category 4(d) Pump Operator	By promotion from Category 5 and 6 of class.I	No person shall be eligible for appointment by promotion unless he has put in not less than three years of service in the Category form which promotion is made.
Class I Category 5 Store Keeper (Drilling Equipment)	By promotion from Category 5 and 6 of class.I	No person shall be eligible for appointment by promotion unless he has put in not less than three years of service in the Category form which promotion is made.
	By direct recruitment if no qualified and suitable person is available in Category 6 of class.I	Must have passed matriculation or an equivalent examination. No person shall be eligible for appointment, if he has completed 28 years of age on which the notification for selection is made.
Class I Category 6 Drill Helper	Direct Recruitment	Must have experience in the working and Mechanism of Diamond cone drills and pump for not less than three years. No person shall be eligible for appointment if he has completed 28 years of age on the first day of July of the year in which the notification for selection is made.

Class.II Category 1 Supervisor	By promotion from Category(2) of class II	No person shall be eligible for appointment by promotion unless he has put in not less than three years of service in the Category form which promotion is made.
Class Category 2 Surveyor	1) By direct recruitment 75%	Must possess a Surveyor's certificate of competency from the Department of Mines safety Government of India or a Diploma in Civil Engineering of the Andhra Pradesh state Board of Technical Education or a Diploma in Mining Engineering form Andhra Pradesh State Board of Technical Education
Class.II Category 3 Draughtsman	By direct recruitment	1)Certificate in matriculation or an equivalent examination 2) I.T.I certificate in Draughtsman(Civil) recognized by the Government of Andhra Pradesh Must not have completed 28 years of age on the first day of july of the year in which the notification for selection is made.
Class.II Category 4 Chairman	By appointment by transfer from Attenders in the Mines Dept., in the Andhra Pradesh Last Grade Service if no qualified candidate is available the vacancy will be filled by direct recruitment	
Class.III Category 4 Foreman	i) By promotion from Category(2) of Class.III  II)By direct recruitment, if no qualified and suitable person in Category(2) of the Class III is available	A diploma in Mining Engineering Granted by the A.P.State Board of Technical Education or an equivalent examination recognizes by the government of A.P Foreman certificate issued by the Director General of Mines safety No person shall be eligible for appointment by promotion unless he has put in not less than three years of service in the Category from which promotion is made. No person shall be eligible for appointment by direct recruitment If he has completed 28 years of age on the first day of July of the year in which notification for selection is made.
Class.III Category 2 Mine Mate	By promotion from Category(4) of Class.III	1) Must possess certificate fo mine mate issued by the Director General of Mines Safety, Government of India 2) No person shall be eligible for appointment by promotion unless he has put in not less than 3 years of Practical experience for a period of not less than one year in the investigation of mineral deposits and geological mapping or mining or underground water resources shall be given preference

Class.Iv Category 3 Inspectors(Mines)	By direct recruitment	2) Must not have completed 28 years of age on the last day of July of the year which the selection in made i) Must possess a B.Sc Degree in Geology of any recognized University of India Established or incorporated by or under a Central or a state act or an Institution recognized by the University Grants Commission 2) Must not have completed 28 years of age on the last day of July of the year which the selection in made
Class V Category 1 Lab Assistant	By direct recruitment	i) Must possess a B.Sc Degree with Chemistry form University of India Established or incorporated by or under a Central Provincial Act or a state act or an Institution recognized by the University Grants Commission Must not have completed 28 years of age on the last day of July of the year which the selection in made
Class V Category 2 Lab Attender	By appointment by transfer from Attenders in the Mines Dept., in the Andhra Pradesh Last Grade Service	No person shall be eligible for appointment by promotion unless he has put in not less than three years of service in the Category form which promotion is made.
Class V Category 3 Section Cutter	By appointment by transfer from Attenders in the Mines Dept., in the Andhra Pradesh Last Grade Service	No person shall be eligible for appointment by promotion unless he has put in not less than three years of service in the Category form which promotion is made.
Class VI Category 1 Mechanic	By appointment by transfer from from drivers (Heavy vehicles)in the Mines Dept., in the Andhra Pradesh Last Grade Service	By appointment by transfer and by direct recruitment. Must possess a I.T.I certificate in Automobile Engineering or Mechanical Engineering recognised by the Government of A.P
Class.VI Category 2 Librarian Gr.II	2) Direct recruitment if no qualified and suitable person is available for appointment by transfer By direct Recruitment	Must not have completed 28 years of age on the last day of July of the year which the selection in made Must hold a Degree in Library Science or must possess a diploma in librarian shop provided that if person passing a Degree or Diploma in Library Science or in Librarianship are not available, candidates who possess a certificate in Library Sciences or in Librarianship may be appointed.
Class.Vi Category 3 Electrical Fitter	By direct Recruitment	1) Must be a matriculation or holder of its equivalent certificate 2) Must be holder of I.T.I certificate in the concerned trade recognized by the Government of A.P 3)Must not have completed 28 years of age on the first day of july of the year in which the notification for

selection is made.

**4. Reservation of appointment:**

(a) The rule of special representation (General Rule 22) shall apply to appointment by direct recruitment to the various posts in this service provided that no representation shall be made for physically handicapped persons.

(b) In the matter of direct recruitment to the post of Lab Assistant (Various Posts in this service) Women shall be selected to an extent of at least 33.1/3% of posts in each Category of O.C., B.C. S.C., and S.T quota physically handicapped and Ex-servicemen quota.

**5. Probation**

a) Every Person appointed by direct recruitment to any of the posts shall from the date on which he joins duty be on probation for a total period of two years of duty within a continuous period of three years.

b) Every person appointed to any of the posts either by promotion or by transfer shall from the date on which he joins duty be on probation for a total period of one year on duty within a continuous period of two years.

**6. Training**

a) Every person appointed by direct recruitment to any post in the Service shall undergo, immediately after appointment, a course of training for such period and with such programme and syllabus as may be prescribed by the director Mines and Geology from time to time.

Every person appointed to the service by direct recruitment shall before the commencement of training execute an agreement bond that he shall serve the department for a period of three years after the completion of training referred to in clause(a)

c) He shall be liable to refund to the Government the pay and allowance or any other remuneration received by him in addition to the amount spent by the government in his training, if he:

i) Fails to serve the Department for a period of three years after the completion of his training for any reason: or

ii) Discontinues the training or is discharged from training course for misconduct or any other reason or

iii) Secures any other employment elsewhere than under the state Government

d) The period of training shall count for purposes of probation, increments, leave and pension.

e) A direct recruit shall be eligible during the period of training for the initial pay of the post with usual allowances admissible at the place of training.

**7. Unit of appointment:**

For purposes of recruitment, appointment discharge for want of vacancy, seniority, promotion, transfer and appointment as full member the unit of appointment shall be as specified in the table below:-

<b>Category</b> <b>1</b>	<b>Post</b> <b>2</b>	<b>Unit of appointment</b> <b>3</b>
Class IV Category 1	Royalty Inspector	Consisting of Zones I,II, V, & VI
Category 2	Technical Assistant	Comprising the Districts of Srikakulam, Vizianagaram and Vishakhapatnam. East Godavari, West Godavari, and Krishna Adilabad, Karimnagar, Warangal and Khammam Hyderabad Nizamabad, Mahaboobnagar, Medak, Nalgonda and Ranga Reddy Districts

		Unit.II Consisting of Zones III & IV Comprising the Districts of Guntur,Prakasam, Nellore, Chittoor, Cuddapah, anantapur & Kurnool Zone Comprising the Dists of Srikakulam Vizianagaram and vishakapatnam. Zone.II. Comprising the Dist of East Godavari, west Godavari, & Krishana Zone.III: Comprising the Districts of Guntur, PRakasam & Nellore Zone.IV Comprising the Dist of Chittoor, Cuddapah, Ananthapur, & Kurnool Zone.V Comprising the Dists of Adialabad, Karimanagar, Warangal, & Khammam Zone.VI Comprising the Dists of Hyderabad, Nizamabad, Mahaboobnagar, Medak, Nalgonda & Ranga Reddy
Class.II Category 2	Surveyor	
Class V Category 1	Lab Assistant	Unit.I Office of the Director of Mines & Geology Unit.II ZoneI: Districts of Srikakalam, Vizianagaram and vishakapatnam Unit.III Zone.II : East Godavari, West Godavari, and Krishna Unit.IV Zone.III: Dist of Guntur Prakasam, And Nellroe Unit V zoneIV Dist of Chittoor, Cuddapah, anantapur & Kurnool Zone V Dist of Adilabad, Karimnagar, Warangal and Khammam Unit.VII Zone VI.: Hyderabad Nizamabad,Mahaboobnagar, Medak, Nalgonda and Ranga Reddy Districts
Class.II Category 4	Chairman	1) office of the Director of Mines And Geology 2) Each Revenue Dist
Class.V Category 2	Lab Attender	
Class IV Category 3	Inspector(Mines)	Each Revenue Dist

Provided that the above posts of surveyors Royalty Inspectors, Technical Assistants and Inspectors (Mines) in the office or the District of mines and geology shall be filled by drafting persons holding the said posts in the different units mentioned in column 3 above from each of the said unit in proportion to the cadre strength of the posts in the units.

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)**

**SHEELA BHIDE**  
**Principial Secretary to Government**

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