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**Government of Haryana  
General Administration Department  
(General Services- III Branch)**

Dated Chandigarh, the 25<sup>th</sup> February, 2019

To

1. All the Administrative Secretaries to Government, Haryana.
2. All Heads of Departments in the State of Haryana.
3. All the Managing Directors/Chief Administrators of Boards/ Corporations/Public Sector Undertakings in Haryana.
4. The Registrar General of Punjab & Haryana High Court, Chandigarh.
5. All the Divisional Commissioners in the State of Haryana.
6. All the Deputy Commissioners and Sub Divisional Officers (Civil) in the State of Haryana.
7. The Registrars of all the Universities of the State of Haryana.

**Subject:- Reservation for Economically Weaker Sections in Direct recruitment in Civil posts and services as well as in admissions in Government/Government Aided Educational Institutions in the State of Haryana.**

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I am directed to inform that Government of India has notified "THE CONSTITUTION (ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD AMENDMENT) ACT, 2019" on 12<sup>th</sup> January, 2019 amending Article 15 & 16, which now read as under:-

**Amendment of article 15**

In Article 15 of the Constitution, after clause (5), the following clause shall be inserted, namely:—

***'(6) Nothing in this article or sub-clause (g) of clause (1) of article 19 or clause (2) of article 29 shall prevent the State from making,—***

***(a) any special provision for the advancement of any economically weaker sections of citizens other than the classes mentioned in clauses (4) and (5); and***

***(b) any special provision for the advancement of any economically weaker sections of citizens other than the classes mentioned in clauses (4) and (5) in so far as such special provisions relate to their admission to educational institutions including private educational institutions, whether aided or unaided by the State, other than the minority educational institutions referred to in clause (1) of article 30, which in the case of reservation would be in addition to the existing reservations and subject to a maximum of ten per cent. of the total seats in each category.***

***Explanation— For the purposes of this article and article 16, "economically weaker sections" shall be such as may be notified by the State from time to time on the basis of family income and other indicators of economic disadvantage.'***

### **Amendment of article 16**

In Article 16 of the Constitution, after clause (5), the following clause shall be inserted, namely:—

***“(6) Nothing in this article shall prevent the State from making any provision for the reservation of appointments or posts in favour of any economically weaker sections of citizens other than the classes mentioned in clause (4), in addition to the existing reservation and subject to a maximum of ten per cent. of the posts in each category”.***

In the wake of above enabling provisions, State Government has considered the matter and decided to provide benefits of reservation on a preferential basis in Civil Posts in all its Departments/ Boards/ Corporations/Local Bodies and in Admissions to Government/Government Aided Educational Institutions to those Economically Weaker Sections (EWSs) who are not covered under the existing scheme of reservation for the Scheduled Castes, Backward Classes (Block-A) and Backward Classes (Block-B).

### **2. QUANTUM OF RESERVATION:**

The persons belonging to EWSs who are not covered under the existing scheme of reservation for Scheduled Castes, Backward Classes (Block-A) and Backward Classes (Block-B) shall get 10% reservation in direct recruitment to Group A,B,C and D posts in the Departments/ Boards/Corporations/Local Bodies of Government of Haryana and also in admission to Government/Government Aided Educational Institutions in the State of Haryana.

### **3. EFFECTING RESERVATION – ROSTER POINT:**

#### **3.1 Direct recruitment in case of Group- A & B**

Roster point No. 11-20-30-40-51-60-70-80-90 and 99

#### **3.2 Direct recruitment in case of Group- C & D**

Roster point No. 4-14-24-34-43-53-66-76-83 and 94

3.3 Where in any recruitment year any vacancy earmarked for EWS cannot be filled up due to non availability of a suitable candidate belonging to EWS, such vacancies for that particular recruitment year shall not be carried forward to the next recruitment year as backlog and will be filled from unreserved category.

3.4 Persons belonging to EWS selected against the quota for persons with benchmark disabilities/ex-servicemen shall be placed against the roster points earmarked for EWS.



#### **4. CRITERIA OF INCOME & ASSETS:**

4.1 Persons who are not covered under the exiting scheme of reservation for Scheduled Caste, Backward Classes (Block-A) and Backward Classes (Block-B) and whose family has gross annual income below Rs 6.00 lakh (Rupees six lakh only) are to be identified as EWSs for benefit of reservation. Income shall also include income from all sources i.e. salary, agriculture, business, profession etc. for the financial year prior to the year of application.

4.2 Also persons whose family owns or possesses any of the following assets shall be excluded from being identified as EWS, irrespective of the family income:-

- i. 5 acres of agricultural land and above;
- ii. Residential flat of 1000 sq ft. and above;
- iii. Residential plot of 100 sq. yards and above in notified municipalities;
- iv. Residential plot of 200 sq. yards and above in areas other than the notified municipalities.
- v. Total immovable assets owned are valued at Rs. One Crore or more.

4.3 The property held by a "Family" in different locations or different places/cities would be clubbed while applying the land or property holding test to determine EWS status.

4.4 The term "Family" for this purpose will include the person who applies for benefit of reservation, his/her parents, spouse as well as children and siblings below the age of 18 years.

#### **5. INCOME AND ASSET CERTIFICATE ISSUING AUTHORITY AND VERIFICATION OF CERTIFICATE:**

5.1 The benefit of reservation under EWS can be availed upon production of an Income and Asset Certificate issued by a Competent Authority. The Competent Authority for EWS Income and Asset Certificate shall be Tehsildar of the area where the applicant normally resides.

5.2 The prescribed format for EWS Income and Asset Certificate shall be as provided at **Annexure-I**.

5.3 The Officer who issues the certificate would do the same after carefully verifying all relevant documents following due process as prescribed by the State.

5.4 The crucial date for submitting Income and Asset Certificate by the candidate may be treated as the closing date for receipt of application for the post, except in cases where crucial date is fixed otherwise.

5.5 The appointing authorities should, in the offer of appointment to the candidates claiming to be belonging to EWS, include the following clause :-

*"The appointment is provisional and is subject to the Income and asset certificate being verified through the proper channels and if the verification reveals that the claim to belong to EWS is fake/false the services will be terminated forthwith without assigning any further reasons and without prejudice to such further action as may be taken under the provisions of the Indian Penal Code for production of fake/false certificate."*

The appointing authority should verify the veracity of the Income and asset certificate submitted by the candidate through the certificate issuing authority.

5.6 Instructions referred to above should be strictly followed so that it may not be possible for an unscrupulous person to secure employment on the basis of a false claim and if any person gets an appointment on the basis of such false claim, her/his services shall be terminated and penal action shall also be invoked.

**6. ADJUSTMENT AGAINST UNRESERVED VACANCIES:**

A person belonging to EWS cannot be denied the right to compete for appointment against an unreserved vacancy. Persons belonging to EWS who are selected on the basis of merit and not on account of reservation are not to be counted towards the quota meant for reservation.

7. The above scheme of reservation will be effective in respect of all direct recruitment vacancies to be notified on or after 01.02.2019.



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for Chief Secretary to the Government of Haryana.



**Government of Haryana**  
**(Name & Address of the authority issuing the certificate)**  
**(ECONOMICALLY WEAKER SECTIONS)**

**INCOME AND ASSET CERTIFICATE**

Certificate No.-----

Date: -----

**VALID FOR THE YEAR-----**

This is to certify that Shri/Smt./Kumari -----son/daughter/wife of----- is permanent resident of-----, Village/Street-----, Post Office-----, District-----, Pin Code----- whose photograph is affixed below and attested below belongs to Economically Weaker Sections, since the gross annual income\* of his/her family\*\* is below Rs. 6 lakh (Rupees Six Lakh only) for the financial year-----.

It is further certified that His/her family does not own or possess any of the following assets\*\*\* :

- I. 5 acres of agricultural land and above;
  - II. Residential flat of 1000 sq. ft. and above;
  - III. Residential plot of 100 sq. yards and above in notified municipalities;
  - IV. Residential plot of 200 sq. yards and above in areas other than the notified municipalities.
  - V. Total immovable assets owned are valued at Rs. One Crore or more.
2. Shri/Smt./Kumari----- belongs to the caste which is not recognized as a Scheduled Caste, Backward Classes (Block-A) and Backward Classes (Block-B).

Signature with seal of Office  
 Name  
 Designation

Recent Passport size  
 attested photograph of  
 the applicant

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- \*Note 1: Income means income from all sources i.e. salary, agriculture, business, profession etc.
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