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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION  
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION**

**NOTIFICATION**

New Delhi, the \_\_\_ April, 2023

**G.S.R. \_\_\_,** In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to article 309 of the Constitution and Govt. of India Gazette notification No. G.S.R 230 (E) dated 29.03.2022, and in supersession of the Chandigarh Educational Service (Group 'A' Gazetted) State Institute of Education and Govt. College of Education, Rules, 2001, 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 **Director (Group 'A' Gazetted post), State Council of Educational Research and Training (SCERT)** and **Principal (Group 'A' Gazetted post), Government College of Education, UT Chandigarh** namely:-

1. **Short title and commencement.** - (a) These rules may be called the **State Council of Educational Research and Training (SCERT) (Director Group 'A' Gazetted post) and Government College of Education (GCE) (Principal Group 'A' Gazetted post), UT Chandigarh, Recruitment Rules, 2023**  
(b) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.
2. **Application.** - These rules shall apply to the posts specified at serial no. 1 of the Schedule annexed to these rules.
3. **Number of posts, classification and Level in pay matrix.** - The number of posts, its classification and level in pay matrix attached thereto shall be as specified in serial no. (2) to serial no. (4) of the Schedule annexed to these rules.
4. **Method of recruitment, age limit, other qualifications etc.** - The method of recruitment, age limit, qualifications and other matters relating to the said post shall be as specified from serial no. (5) to serial no. (13) of the said Schedule.
5. **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, has entered into or contracted a marriage with any 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 other party to the marriage and that there are other grounds for so doing, exempt any person from the operation of this rule.
6. **Power to relax.** - Where the Central Government is of the opinion that it is necessary or expedient so to do, it may, by order and 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.
7. **Saving.** - Nothing in these rules shall affect reservations, relaxation of age limit and other concessions required to be provided for the Scheduled Castes, the Scheduled Tribes, 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.

### SCHEDULE

1	Name of Post	<b>1. Director,</b> State Council of Educational Research and Training (SCERT) <b>2. Principal,</b> Government College of Education
2	Number of Post	<b>2*(2023)</b> <b>Director =1</b> <b>Principal =1</b> * Subject to variation dependent on workload
3	Classification	General Central Service (GCS), Group 'A' Gazetted, Non-Ministerial
4	Pay Band and Grade Pay / Pay Scale / Academic level	Academic Level 14 in the Pay Matrix with Entry Pay Rs. 1,44,200/- to Rs. 2,18,200/-
5	Whether Selection Post or non-selection Post	Not Applicable
6	Age limit for direct recruits	Not Applicable
7	Educational and other qualifications required for direct recruits	Not Applicable
8	Whether age and educational qualifications prescribed for direct recruits will apply in the case of promotees	Age: Not Applicable Educational Qualification: Not Applicable
9	Period of probation, if any	Not Applicable
10	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	<b>Deputation including Short Term Contract (ISTC)</b>
11	In case of recruitment by promotion/ deputation/ absorption grades/ academic level from which promotion/ deputation/ absorption to be made	<b>Deputation including Short Term Contract (ISTC) :</b> Officers under Central Government/ State Governments/ Union Territory Administrations/Public Sector Undertakings/Recognized Universities or Institutes/ Autonomous Bodies/Statutory Organizations: <b>(A)</b> (i) Holding analogous post on regular basis in the parent cadre/Department;  <b>OR</b> (ii) With two years service in the grade rendered after appointment thereto on a Regular basis in posts in Academic Level 13A or equivalent in the Parent cadre in Department;  <b>AND</b> <b>(B)</b> Possessing the following educational qualifications and experience: (i) A Master's Degree in Arts/ Sciences/ Social Sciences/ Humanities/ Commerce with at least 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point-scale wherever grading system is followed) ; and (ii) M. Ed. degree with at least 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point-scale wherever grading system is followed);  <b>OR</b> Postgraduate (M.A.) degree in Education with at least 55% marks

		<p>(or an equivalent grade in a point-scale wherever grading system is followed) from an Indian University, or an equivalent degree from an accredited foreign University; and B.Ed./ B.El.Ed. degree with at least 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point-scale wherever grading system is followed); and</p> <p>(iii) Ph. D. in Education; and</p> <p>(v) A minimum of 10 research publications in peer-reviewed or UGC-listed journals; and</p> <p>(vi) A minimum of 110 Research Score.</p> <p><b>Experience:</b></p> <p>Professor/ Associate Professor with ten years of professional experience in Teacher Education.</p> <p>Note-1: If a class/division is not awarded, a minimum of 60 per cent marks in aggregate shall be considered equivalent to first class/division. If a Grade point system is adopted, the CGPA will be converted to equivalent marks as below:</p> <p>Grade Point equivalent percentage of marks</p> <p>6.25 – 55%</p> <p>6.75 - 60%</p> <p>7.25 - 65%</p> <p>7.75 - 70%</p> <p>8.25 - 75%</p> <p>Note-2: The period of deputation (including Short-term contract) including period of deputation (including Short-Term Contract) in another ex-cadre post held immediately, preceding this appointment in the same or some other organisation or Department of the Central Government shall be for a period of five years, extendable for another term of five years on the basis of performance assessment by a Committee constituted as per UGC Regulations, 2018. After the completion of his/her term, the incumbent shall join back his/her parent organization with the designation as Professor and in the grade of the Professor. The maximum age limit for appointment by deputation shall not exceed fifty-eight years as on the closing date of receipt of applications.</p>
12	If a Departmental Promotion Committee exists what is its composition	Not Applicable
13	Circumstances in which Union Public Service Commission to be consulted in making recruitment	Consultation with the UPSC is necessary for filling up the post.