

**NOTIFICATION**

New Delhi, the 2nd July, 1999

G.S.R. 217.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (b) and (c) of sub-section (2) of section 141 of the Border Security Force Act 1968 (47 of 1968) and in supersession of the Border Security Force Engineering set up (Group 'C' combatised Technical Staff) posts Recruitment Rules, 1996, the Central Government hereby makes the following rules, regulating the methods of recruitment to the posts of Group 'C' Combatised, (Technical Staff) in the Engineering set up of the Border Security Force, namely :—

1. Short title and commencement.—(i) These rules may be called the Border Security Force Engineering set up (Group 'C' combatised, technical staff) Recruitment Rules, 1999.

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

2. Number of Posts, Classification and Scale of Pay.—The number of posts, their classification and scale of pay attached thereto shall be as specified in columns 2 to 4 of the Schedule annexed hereto.

3. Method of recruitment, age-limit, qualification etc.—The method of recruitment, age-limit, qualifications and other matters relating to the said posts shall be as specified in columns 5 to 14 of the Schedule.

4. Initial constitution.—Officers holding Group 'C', combatised post of Engineering set-up technical staff in the Border Security Force before the commencement of these rules shall be deemed to have been appointed in accordance with the provisions of these rules. Such personnel shall have the option to change their cadre to the BSF General Duty Cadre after qualifying the requisite courses of the

cadre as have been prescribed for the similar posts.

5. Maintenance.—Subject to the initial constitution as indicated in rule 4, every post remaining unfilled and every vacancy that may arise thereafter shall be filled in accordance with the provisions contained in the schedule.

6. 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 the other party to the marriage and that there are other grounds for so doing, exempt any person from the operation of this rule.

7. 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, relax any of the provisions of these rules with respect to any class or category of person.

8. Saving.—Nothing in these rules shall affect reservations, relaxation of age limit and other concessions required to be provided for the Scheduled Castes, 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**

Name of Post	No. of Post	Classifications	Scale of pay	Whether selection cum-seniority or selection by merit
1	2	3	4	5
1. Head Constable (Fitter/Black-Smith).	17* (Seventeen) (1999)	General Central Service Group 'C' Non-Gazetted Non-Ministerial (Combatised)	Rs. 3200-85-4900	Not applicable

\*Subject to variation dependent on workload.

Whether benefit for added years of service admissible under rule 30 of the Central Civil Service (Pension) Rules, 1972.	Age limit for direct recruits	Educational and other qualifications required for direct recruits.	Whether age and educational qualifications prescribed for direct recruits will apply in the case of promotion.
6	7	8	9
No	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

