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NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT

**PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT
(MDL.II)**

THE THE ANDHRA PRADESH PANCHAYAT RAJ SUBORDINATE SERVICE RULES, 2010
- CERTAIN AMENDMENTS.

[G.O.Ms.No.134, Panchayat Raj & Rural (MDL.II), 22nd September, 2026.]

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India and read with sub section (3) of section 36 and sub section (1) of section 268 of the AP Panchayat Raj Act, 1994, the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby makes the following amendments to the Andhra Pradesh Panchayat Raj Subordinate Service Rules, 2010, issued in G.O.Ms.No.84, PR&RD (Mdl.II) Department, dated:24.02.2010, as subsequently amended from time to time.

The Notification shall be deemed to have come into force with effect on and from 15.07.2026.

AMENDMENTS

In the said Rules,—

(1) In Rule 2, in Class-A the following shall be substituted namely,-

“Class-A: Supervisory posts:

- Category (1): Panchayat Development Officer Grade-I
- Category (2): Panchayat Development Officer Grade-II
- Category (3): Panchayat Development Officer Grade-III
- Category (4): Digital Assistant

(2) for Rule 7, the following shall be substituted namely,

"Minimum Service for Promotion / Appointment by Transfer: No member of the service shall be eligible for promotion or appointment by transfer from a lower category, class, or grade to the next higher category, class, or grade unless he/she has put in not less than two (2) years of service in such lower category, class, or grade."

(3) In Rule 11 in the existing table for the following posts the unit of appointment shall be substituted as given below.

Sl No	Category of post	Unit of Appointment	Appointing Authority
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1	<u>Class-A: Supervisory Post</u> Category (1) Panchayat Development Officer Grade -I	<u>Zone-I</u> Comprising Srikakulam, Vizianagaram, Parvathipuram Manyam, Visakhapatnam, Anakapalli District <u>Zone-II</u> Comprising Alluri Sitaramaraju, East Godavari, Kakinada, Dr.B.R.Ambedkar Konaseema District <u>Zone-III</u> Comprising West Godavari, Eluru, NTR, Krishna Districts)	Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development
2	<u>Class-A: Supervisory Post</u> Category (2) Panchayat Development Officer Grade-II	<u>Zone-IV</u> Comprising Guntur, Palnadu, Bapatla, Prakasam, Sri Potti Sriramulu Nellore District <u>Zone-V</u> Comprising YSR Kadapa, Tirupati, Chittoor, Annamayya District <u>Zone-VI</u> Comprising Nandyal, Kurnool, Ananthapuramu, Sri Sathya Sai District.	Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development

3	<u>Class-A:</u> <u>Supervisory Post</u> Category (3) Panchayat Development Officer Grade-III	District	District Collector
4	<u>Class-A:</u> <u>Supervisory Post</u> Category (4) Digital Assistant	District	District Collector
5	<u>Class-B: Health</u> <u>and Sanitation Post</u> Category-1 Sanitary Inspector Gr-I	District	District Collector
6	<u>Class-B: Health</u> <u>and Sanitation Post</u> Category-2 Sanitary Inspector Gr-II	District	District Collector
7	<u>Class-B: Health</u> <u>and Sanitation Post</u> Category-5 Sanitary Mastry (GP Unit)	District	District Panchayat Officer
8	<u>Class-C: Technical</u> <u>Post</u> Category-1 Fitter (GP Unit)	District	District Panchayat Officer
9	<u>Class-C: Technical</u> <u>Post</u> Category-2 Pump Operator (GP Unit)	District	District Panchayat Officer

Note 1: The Unit of Appointment specified in Column (3) of the Table above shall constitute a separate unit for the purposes of appointment, recruitment, discharge, seniority, promotion, transfer, and other service matters in terms of Paragraph 5(1) of the Presidential Order, 2025.

Note 2: The extent of reservation in favour of local candidates in direct recruitment to the categories of posts to be filled by direct recruitment shall be ninety-five percent (95%), as specified in the Presidential Order, 2025.

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