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It is expected that every Government servant is sufficiently familiar with such rules and orders as are necessary and relevant in relation to his duties. Finance Department (Codes Wing) have been publishing 'Annual Compendium' which contains all the Notifications, Government Orders, Clarificatory office memoranda/Circulars in relation to service and financial rules, issued in a particular calendar year i.e. from January to December each year. Four such Annual Compendia for the year 1992, 1993, 1994 and 1995 have so far been published and are available against cash payment at Government Press, Srinagar and Ranbir Government Press, Jammu. The present 'Annual Compendium' for 1996 is fifth publication of its kind.

- 2. In order to update the knowledge of relevant rules every Government officer is expected to equip his office with the volumes of Annual Compendia besides, other relevant codal books in the best interests of prompt and efficient disposal of the matters, which he is supposed to deal with in the discharge of his official business.
- 3. In this context, it is hoped that the officials at various levels will find this publication useful.

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GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR, CIVIL SECRETARIAT—FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Notification

Dated Jammu, January 15, 1996.

SRO-14.—In exercise of the powers conferred by proviso to section 124 of the Constitution of Jammu and Kashmir, the Governor is pleased to make the following Rules, namely:—

- 1. Short title.—These Rules may be called the Jammu and Kashmir Civil Services (Higher Standard Pay Scale Scheme) Rules, 1996.
- 2. Commencement.—These Rules shall come into force we.f. 1-1-1995.
 - 3. Extent of application.—(i) These Rules shall apply to :
 - (a) all categories of non-gazetted Government employees except as provided elsewhere in these Rules, who are whole time employees working either in permanent or quasi-permanent or temporary capacity in graded scales;
 - (b) such other categories of employees as may be specified by the Government from time to time.
- (ii) These Rules shall not apply to :
 - (a) Gazetted Government employees;
 - (b) Government employees in part time employment;
 - (c) persons engaged on contract basis;
 - (d) persons employed on work charged establishment;
 - (e) Government employees under suspension;
 - (f) persons on re-employment;
 - (g) such of the categories of posts/employees, for which special treatment is expressly provided or may be provided under any law or Rule or Notification or Order for the time being in force:

Provided that where there is provision of only one Time Bound Promotion under the aforementioned rules or any orders for the time being in force

and the same is allowable and granted after putting in less than 9 years service on the entry post, the next Higher Standard Pay Scale under these Rules in such case (s) will be granted from the first of the month following the month in which such employee (s) completes 18 years of regular satisfactory service with reference to entry post without getting any promotion.

- 4. Definition.—In these Rules unless the context otherwise requires,—
- (a) "Scheme" means the Higher Standard Pay Scale Scheme.
- (b) "Existing Pay Scale" means the pay scale of the entry post applicable from 1-4-1987 as per Jammu and Kashmir Civil Service (Revised Pay) Rules, 1992, as indicated in Column 2 of the Schedule 1, held by the Government employee at the time of his/her 'Promotion IN-SITU' under this scheme.

Explanation.—In case of a Government servant who, on the relevant date, was on deputation or on leave or on foreign service or under suspension or under training "existing pay scale" in his/her case means the pay scale applicable to the post which he/she would have held but for his/her being on such deputation or leave or foreign service or under training or under suspension as the case may be.

- (c) "Promotion In-Situ" means elevation from the existing pay scale to the prescribed Higher Standard Pay Scale without change of designation, responsibility or inter-se-seniority.
- (d) "Higher Standard Pay Scale" means the pay scale indicated in Cols.

 3, 4 & 5 of Schedule 1 appended to these Rules.
- (e) "Schedule" means a Schedule appended to these Rules.
- (f) "I, II & III Higher Standard Pay Scale" means the prescribed Higher Standard Pay Scale indicated in Cols. 3, 4 & 5 of Schedule I respectively;
- (g) "Promotion" means a functional promotion to the next Higher Post as per the respective Recruitment Rules;
- (h) "Competent Authority" means the appointing authority for the post of Higher Standard Pay Scale under these Rules;
- (i) "Service Career" means the service rendered in a particular service to which the employee belongs at the time of grant of 'promotion In-Situ' under these Rules;

- (j) "Structure" means the structure of Higher Standard Pay Scales as indicated in Schedule 1 of these Rules;
- (k) "Regular Satisfactory Service" means actual continuous service under State Government in the present cadre to be reckoned within the same cadre and assessed fit for the purpose of promotion;
- (l) "Employee" means a non-Gazetted Regular Government Servant who is a whole time employee working either in permanent or quasi-permanent or temporary capacity in graded scale.
- (m) any other term used in these Rules, but not defined herein, shall carry the same meaning as assigned to it in J&K Civil Service Regulations.
 - 5. Grant of Higher Standard Pay Scale.—
- (i) (a) An employee covered under these Rules who has not got any promotion or promotional scale/selection scale in his service career and has completed 18 years or more but less than 27 years of regular satisfactory service before 1-1-1995 will be allowed, w.e.f. 1-1-1995, in place of his existing scale the Second Higher Standard Pay Scale specified in Column 4 of Schedule 1 of these Rules;
 - (b) An employee covered under these Rules who completes such regular satisfactory service of 18 years after 1-1-1995 and has not got any promotion or promotional scale/selection scale in his service career will be allowed the Second Higher Standard Pay Scale from the 1st of the month following the month in which he completes such service;
- (ii) (a) An employee covered under these Rules who has not got any promotion or promotional scale/selection scale in his/her service career and has completed 27 years or more of regular satisfactory service before 1-1-1925 will be allowed, with effect from 1-1-1 5, in place of his/her existing scale, the Third Higher Standa Scale specified in Column 5 of Schedule 1 of these R
 - (b) An employee covered under these Rules who completed satisfactory service of 27 years after 1-1-1995 and has not got any promotion or promotional scale/selection scale in his service career will be allowed the Third Higher Standard Pay Scale from the 1st of the month following the month in which he completes such service;
- (iii) (a) Every employee covered under these Rules who has not got any promotion or promotional scale/selection grade in his service career

and has completed nine years or more but less than 18 years of regular satisfactory service before 1-1-1995 will be allowed, w.e.f. 1-1-1995, in place of his existing pay scale the First Higher Standard Pay Scale specified in Column 3 of Schedule 1 of these Rules;

- (b) An employee covered under these Rules who completes such regular satisfactory service of 9 years after 1-1-1995 and has not got any promotion or promotional scale/selection scale in his service career will be allowed the 1st Higher Standard Pay Scale from 1st of the month following the month in which he completes such service;
- (iv) (a) An employee covered under these Rules who after grant of one or more promotions after first entry into the service has stagnated for 9 years or more in the same post before 1-1-1995 will be allowed, w.e.f. 1-1-1995, in place of his/her existing pay scale the 1st Higher Standard Pay Scale as specified in Column 3 of Schedule 1 of these Rules;
 - (b) An employee covered under these Rules who after grant of one or more promotions after first entry into the service completes 9 years of such stagnation in the same post after 1-1-1995, will be allowed w.e.f. 1st of the month following the month in which he/she completes 9 years of such regular satisfactory service, the 1st Higher Standard Pay Scale as specified in Col. 3 of Schedule 1 of these Rules.
- 6. Fixation of Pay.—Even though promotion under this scheme, which is 'IN-SITU', may not involve assumption of higher duties and responsibilities, the benefit of Article 77-B of the Jammu and Kashmir CSRs. will be allowed while fixing pay on promotion 'In-Situ' as a special dispensation:

Provided that such benefit will not be allowed again at the time of the functional promotion of an employee if the functional promotion carries the same scale as has been allowed at the time of promotion 'In-Situ':

Provided further that where an employee is entitled and promoted on 'In-Situ' basis under Rule 5 (i) and 5 (ii) of these Rules, his her pay shall first be notionally fixed under Article 77-B of J&K CSRs. as a special dispensation in the intermediary pay scales(s) i.e. 1st and/or Second Higher Standard Pay Scale(s)-indicated in Columns 3 & 4 of Schedule 1 of these Rules respectively and thereafter his pay fixed in the appropriate Second or Third Higher Standard Pay Scale indicated in Columns 4 & 5 of Schedule 1 of these Rules respectively as the case may be. However, no arrears on account of notional pay fixation in the intermediary pay scale(s) shall be

paid w.e.f. 1-1-1995 to the date of issue of these Rules, but arrears shall be computed and paid as if the concerned official had got promotion 'In-Situ' from the existing pay scale indicated in Column 2 of Schedule 1 to Second or Third Higher Standard Pay Scales as indicated in Columns 4 & 5 of Schedule 1 of these Rules respectively as the case may be.

Note:—The case may arise where an employee granted a Higher Standard Pay Scale on promotion 'In-Situ' under these Rules on or after 1-1-1995 draws a lower rate of pay than another, junior to him.

In order to overcome such situation Govt. Instructions below Article 77-B of J&K Civil Service Regulations shall apply, *mutatis-mutandis*, to such cases of seniors, drawing pay less than juniors in respect of promotion 'In-Situ' under these Rules.

- 7. Date of next increment.—The next increment after pay fixation in Higher Standard Pay Scale under these Rules shall be admissible on completion of 12 months of incremental period.
- 8. Efficiency Bar.—If an employee is eligible for Higher Standard Pay Scale but he is held up at the Efficiency Bar in the existing pay scale the procedure for crossing of Efficiency Bar in the process of fixation of pay in Higher Standard Pay Scale will be the same as laid down in Rule 11 of J&K Civil Service (Revised Pay) Rules, 1992.
 - 9. Exercise of option.—
 - (a) If the employee who has got benefit of senior/selection grade scale, desires, he may exercise option to continue senior/selection grade scale or to accept this Scheme. If he exercises option to join this Scheme, his pay fixation shall be done, as if he had not availed of the senior grade/selection grade scale. As a result, the amount of pay and allowances, due if any, shall be adjusted against the benefit admissible under these Rules.
 - (b) The option must be exercised in writing in the Form as prescribed under Schedule 3 annexed to these Rules and shall have to be furnished to the proper authority i.e. Head of the Department/Office under whom he/she is working, within three months from the date of issue of this Notification.
- 10. Every employee availing the benefit of these Rules shall be required to give an undertaking in writing as per Schedule 2 annexed to these Rules to the effect that as and when he/she will be eligible for functional promotion, he/she will not refuse it. This is because the intention of this Scheme is

to give benefit to those who are stagnating in a post with the relevant pay scale and the benefit of this Scheme cannot be extended to those who have relinquished/foregone the functional promotion for reasons whatsoever. If he/she declines the promotion when it becomes due, he/she shall have to forsake the benefit under this Scheme and he/she shall have to be reverted to his/her original lower grade and shall draw the pay which he/she would have drawn in the original lower grade had he/she not availed the benefit of the Higher Standard Pay Scale under this Scheme:

Provided that due to reversion to the original grade the recovery for the period for which pay plus allowances in Higher Standard Pay Scale have been drawn by the employee, shall not be made.

- 11. The Promotion 'In-Situ' to Higher Standard Pay Scale shall be made against the existing post during the period of such appointment, treating the said post as that of the relevant Higher Standard Pay Scale till it is vacated by the concerned employee by way of normal promotion, retirement etc. Thus the strength of the posts sanctioned for each category, shall never be increased as a result of the 'promotion In-Situ' against the Higher Standard Scale in that category.
- 12. Authority commitment to grant Higher Standard Pay Scale-procedure therefor.—
 - (a) The Appointing Authority for the post of Higher Standard Pay Scale shall be competent to grant Higher Standard Pay Scale to eligible employee(s);
 - (b) At the time of granting Higher Standard Pay Scale the existing screening mechanism for promotion shall be applied;
 - (c) No Higher Standard Pay Scale shall be granted to the employee who is under suspension on the date of eligibility or who is charge-sheeted under provisions of J&K Classification, Control & Appeal Rules, or any other Rules for the purpose. However, when the employee is exonerated in Departmental enquiry against him/her and reinstated on duty, the Higher Standard Pay Scale shall be granted on the basis of eligibility on completion of 9/18/27 years incremental period of service as the case may be;
 - (d) An employee otherwise eligible for grant of 'promotion In-Situ' under these Rules shall be deemed to have been exempted from passing the prescribed departmental/any other examination for purposes of grant of 'promotion In-Situ' only. However if the employee wants to get the actual functional promotion on higher post, he/she shall have to pass the prescribed departmental examination;

- (e) Such period of leave without pay/other allowances as has not been agreed by the Competent Authority to be counted for purposes of annual increments shall not be taken into account for reckoning of the period of 9/18/27 years for Higher Standard Pay Scale as the case may be;
- (f) The service of surplus employee(s) due to discontinuance abolition of post(s) in the former Department/office shall not be taken into account;
- (g) The service of isolated cadre(s) encadred in other cadre(s) without the request of the employee and the earlier service in isolated cadre(s) which may be encadred hereafter or in any cadre where pay scale is equal but nomenclature is changed may be taken into account for sanctioning the Higher Standard Pay Scale.
- 13. The benefit of these rules shall not be available to such employees who relinquished promotion for reasons whatsoever.
- 14. Interpretation.—In case of any dispute and/or doubt with regard to any of the provisions of these Rules, the matter shall be referred to the Government in the Finance Department for clarification and/or interpretation who shall decide the same.

By order of the Governor.

(Sd.) M. S. PANDIT,

Addl. Chief Secretary to Govt., Finance Department.

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Rule 4(b), (d), (f) & (g) of J&K Civil Services (Higher Standard Pay Scale Scheme) Rules, 1996.

Structure for grant of Higher Standard Pay Scale to various categories of Non-Gazetted State Government Employees on completion of the prescribed regular satisfactory service.

S. N	post applicable from 1-4-1987.	First Higher Standard Pay Scale for 9 years of regu- lar satisfactory service in the entry post.	Second Higher Standard Pay Scale for 18 years of regular satisfactory in the entry post.	Third Higher Standard Pay Scale for 27 years of regu- lar satisfactory service in the entry post.
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16.	2000-60-2300-EB-75-3200- 100-3400	2125-75-2800-EB-100-3600	2200-75-2800-EB-100-3800	2500-75-2800-EB-100-4000

Note: A Non-Gazetted Government employee carrying a pay scale higher than that indicated in Column 2 of this Schedule, shall also be entitled to immediate next higher standard pay scale within the approved pay structure of Jammu and Kashmir Civil Services (Revised Pay) Rules, 1992, subject to the fulfilment of the prescribed conditions under relevant provisions of these rules.

Date Name of Employee Designation Office	Place Signature of Employee	2. I further hereby give an undertaking to the effect that I shall not refuse the regular promotion as and when it becomes due to me. If, for any reasons, I decline the promotion when it becomes due to me, I shall forefiet the benefit admissible under the Higher Standard Pay Scale Scheme and shall revert back in original lower grade scale and shall draw the pay in original lower grade which I would have drawn had I not been given the benefit of the Higher Standard Pay Scale Scheme.	the J&K Civil Services (Higher Standard Pay Scale Scheme) Rules, 1996 hereby agree to the terms and conditions as stated therein.	in the	Sir/Madam, Working	The	To	RULE 10 OF J&K CIVIL SERVICES (HIGHER STANDARD PAY SCALE SCHEME) RULES, 1996.	FORM OF UNDERTAKING	SCHEDULE 2	(11)
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SCHEDULE 3

FORM OF OPTION

RULE 9(b) OF J&K CIVIL SERVICES (HIGHER STANDARD PAY SCALE SCHEME) RULES, 1996.

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2. I hereby agree that exce if any, paid to me, on account be adjusted against the benefit Scale Scheme.	of grant of Senior/Sele t to be accrued under	the Higher Standard Pay
3. Option hereby exerci	ised is final and shall	not be modified at an
subsequent date.		
Place	Signature of	Employee
Date	Name of Em	ployee
	Designation (Office
	Signed before	. me
	Signs	ature and Official Seal

Head of Department/Office

GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR, CIVIL SECRETARIAT—FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Errata to SRO-14 dated January 15, 1996.

- 1. In the caption under Rule 12 of the Jammu and Kashmir Civil Services (Higher Standard Pay Scale Scheme) Rules, 1996 promulgated vide SRO-14 dated January 15, 1996, the words "Authority Commitment" may be read as "Authority Competent".
- 2. The last but second word i.e., "shalls" appearing in first line of para-2 in Schedule-2 appended to the Rules ibid may be read as "shall".

This may be deemed to have existed in the said Notification abinitio.

(Sd.) M. J. NAJAR,

Director Codes.

No:A/89(93)-90

Dated: 18-01-1996.

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GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR, FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Notification.

Dated Jammu, the 25th January, 1996.

SRO-28.—In exercise of the powers conferred by proviso to section 124 of the Constitution of Jammu and Kashmir, the Governor is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Jammu and Kashmir Civil Services (Revised Pay) Rules, 1992 namely:—

In Rule 9 of the said Regulations;

under the caption "(a) Drivers" the existing clause shall be renumbered as sub-clause (i) and the following inserted as sub-clause (ii):

- I, (ii) Henceforth the initial appointment to the posts of Drivers shall be made in the pay scale of Rs.950-1500.
 - (b) The existing posts of the Drivers in the pay scale of Rs. 800-1150 shall be upgraded to the pay scale of Rs. 950-1500 and the concerned incumbents shall be placed in the said pay scale with immediate effect.
 - (c) The pay structure of Drivers in the respective Departmental cadre shall be as under :—
 - (i) Drivers (Grade II) Rs. 950-1500 50% of the total number of posts of Drivers.
 - (ii) Drivers (Grade I) Rs. 1200-2040 30% of the total number of posts of Drivers.
 - (iii) Chauffeurs Rs. 1640-2900 20% of the total number of posts of Drivers.

Note:—Drivers (Grade II), on completion of minimum five years service in the pay scale of Rs. 950-1500 shall be eligible for promotion as Drivers (Grade I) in the pay scale of Rs. 1200-2040 subject to availability of posts. However, in case of such of the Drivers as have been appointed initially in the pay scale of Rs. 800-1150 as per provisions of sub-clause (a) (i) above, now upgraded to the pay scale of Rs. 950-1500, the period of service rendered by them in the pay scale of Rs. 800-1150 shall count for computation of minimum service of five years for purposes of their promotion as Drivers (Grade I) in the pay scale of Rs. 1200-2040.

Drivers (Grade II) on completion of minimum five years service in the pay scale of Rs. 1200-2040 shall be eligible for promotion as 'Chauffeurs' in the pay scale of Rs. 1640-2900 subject to the availability of posts.

- II The following shall be inserted as clause (k) under the caption 'Orderlies (Peons)/Jamadars'.
 - (k) Orderlies (Peons)/Jamadars:

The pay structure of 'Orderlies (Peons)/Jamadars' in the respective Departmental cadre shall be as under:

- (i) Orderlies (Peons) Rs. 750-940 50% of the total number of posts of Orderlies (Peons)/
 Jamadars.
- (ii) Jamadars (Grade II) Rs. 775-1025 30% of total number of posts of Orderlies (Peons)/Jamadars.
- (iii) Jamadars (Grade I) Rs. 825-1200 20% of total number of posts of Orderlies (Peons)/Jamadars.

Note:—The eligibility criteria for promotion from a lower scale/category to the higher scale/category as prescribed in case of Drivers under Note below sub-clause (ii) under the caption (a) Drivers, of Rules ibid shall mutatis-mutandis, apply in the case of promotion of Orderlies (Peons) as Jamadars (Grade I) and Jamadar (Grade II), as the case may be.

By order of the Governor.

(Sd.) M. S. PANDIT,

Additional Chief Secretary, (Finance)

No. A/82(82)-133

Dated 25-1-1996.

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