

**Government of West Bengal**  
**Finance Department**  
**Audit Branch**

**NOTIFICATION**

No. 1243-F(P), the 2<sup>nd</sup> March , 2016. - In exercise of the power conferred by the proviso to article 309 of the Constitution of India, the Governor is pleased hereby to make, with immediate effect, the following amendment in the West Bengal Services (Compulsory Requirement of Knowledge in Bengali for Recruitment to any post or Service) Rules, 2002, issued with this Department notification No. 10725-F, dated the 13<sup>th</sup> November, 2002 (hereinafter referred to as the said rules) :-

*Amendment*

In the said rules, in rule 2, for the proviso, *substitute* the following proviso:-

“Provided that the said compulsory requirement of knowledge in Bengali including the ability to read, write and speak in Bengali, for recruitment to any post or Service under the State Government, shall not be applicable to those candidates whose mother tongue is Nepali.”.

By order of the Governor,

Sd/- H. K. Dwivedi

Principal Secy. to the Govt. Of West Bengal.

**No. 1243/1(325)-F(P)**

**Dated : 02.03.2016**

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- 1) The Principal Accountant General (A&E) West Bengal, Treasury Buildings,  
Kolkata - 700001.
- 2) The,-----  
-----Deptt./Dte.
- 3) The Commissioner, -----  
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- 4) The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, West Bengal, New India Assurance  
Buildings, 4, Lyons Range, Kolkata – 700 001.
- 5) The Pay & Accounts Officer, Kolkata Pay & Accounts Office-I, 81/2/2, Phears  
Lane, Kolkata-700012.

- 6) The Pay & Accounts Officer, Kolkata Pay & Accounts Office-II, P-1, Hyde Lane, Jawahar Buildings, Kolkata-700 073.
- 7) The Pay & Accounts Officer, Kolkata Pay & Accounts Office-III, I.B. Market, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Salt Lake, Sector-III, Kolkata-700 106.
- 8) The Secretary, Public Service Commission, West Bengal.
- 9) The Secretary, West Bengal Staff Selection Commission.
- 10) The District Magistrate/Judge, -----  
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- 11) The Superintendent of Police, -----  
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- 12) The Sub-Divisional Officer, -----  
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- 13) The Treasury Officer,-----  
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- 14) Sri Sumit Mitra, Network Administrator, Finance Department, for uploading this notification in the Finance Department Website.
- 15) The Superintendent, West Bengal Government Press, Alipore for publication of this notification in the official Gazette.
- 16) Guard File.

*Ans*  
*2/3/16*  
OSD & E.O. Joint Secretary to the  
Government of West Bengal