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**Recruitment of Probationary Officers in JMGS-I
 upon passing Post Graduate Diploma in Banking
 & Finance (PGDBF) - Project No. 2022-23/3
 Notice dated 01.02.2023**

BANK OF INDIA, a leading Public Sector Bank having Head Office in Mumbai, invites applications for recruitment of Officers as mentioned below:

Submission of on – line application commencing from	11.02.2023
Last date for submission of on – line application	25.02.2023
Relevant date for Age and Qualification	01.02.2023
Tentative Date of Online Examination	Will be advised separately

A. DETAILS OF THE POST / VACANCIES/ RESERVATIONS :

Name of the Post	Stream	Scale	Category wise distribution of vacancies to be declared						Out Of which			
			SC	ST	OBC	EWS	GEN	TOTAL	HI	VI	OC	ID
Credit Officer in General Banking stream	GBO	JMGS-I	53	30	97	35	135	350	5	5	4	5
IT Officer in Specialist stream	SPL	JMGS-I	23	10	41	13	63	150	2	1	1	1
Total			76	40	138	48	198	500	7	6	5	6

Note:

The above vacancies are inclusive of backlog. The number of vacancies and also the number of reserved vacancies is provisional and may vary according to actual requirements of the Bank.

The designation / name of the post are only indicative as per respective scale and same does not intend to confer any special advantages to the selected candidate. The bank reserves the right to change the name of post / designation at any time without notice.

Abbreviations stand for:

SC - Scheduled Caste, ST – Scheduled Tribe, OBC - Other Backward Classes, EWS- Economically Weaker Section, GEN – General/Unreserved Category, PWD – Persons with Disabilities/ Persons with Benchmark Disabilities, OC / VI / HI / ID – As mentioned in para B.IV below, XSM – Ex-Servicemen, GBO- General Banking Officer, SPL- Specialist Officer

PAY SCALE: Basic pay as below and other allowances and perquisites as applicable:

Present Scale of Basic Pay for regular positions (in Rs.) –

SCALE	SCALE OF PAY
Junior Management Grade Scale – I (JMGS I)	36000-1490/7-46430-1740/2-49910-1990/7-63840

(The above Scale of Basic pay is subject to amendments of appropriate provisions in the Bank of India Officers' Service Regulations, 1979).

B. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA (as on 01.02.2023)

Candidates, intending to apply for above post should ensure that they fulfil the minimum eligibility criteria specified by Bank for respective post:

Please note that the eligibility criteria specified herein are the basic criteria for applying for the post. Candidates must necessarily produce the relevant documents pertaining to category, nationality, age, educational qualifications, work experience etc. in original along with a photocopy thereof in support of their identity and eligibility as indicated in the online application form at the time of interview and any subsequent stage of the recruitment process as required by the Bank. Please note that no change of category as well as any other details will be permitted at any stage after registration of the online application. Merely applying / appearing and being shortlisted in the interview and/or subsequent processes does not imply that a candidate will necessarily be offered employment. No request for considering the candidature under any category other than the one in which one has applied will be entertained.

I. Nationality / Citizenship:

A candidate must be either -

- (i) a Citizen of India or
- (ii) a subject of Nepal or
- (iii) a subject of Bhutan or
- (iv) a Tibetan Refugee who came over to India before 1st January 1962 with the intention of permanently settling in India or
- (v) a person of Indian origin who has migrated from Pakistan, Burma, Sri Lanka, East African countries of Kenya, Uganda, the United Republic of Tanzania (formerly Tanganyika and Zanzibar), Zambia, Malawi, Zaire, Ethiopia and Vietnam with the intention of permanently settling in India, provided that a candidate belonging to categories (ii), (iii), (iv) & (v) above shall be a person in whose favour a certificate of eligibility has been issued by the Government of India.

II. Age / Educational Qualifications/ Experience etc. (As on 01.02.2023):

Name of the Post	Age	Educational Qualifications
Credit Officers As GBO – JMGS-I	20 to 29 years	A Degree (Graduation) in any discipline from a University recognised by the Govt. Of India or any equivalent qualification recognized as such by the Central Government. The candidate must possess valid Mark-sheet / Degree Certificate that he/ she is a graduate on the day he / she registers and indicate the percentage of marks obtained in Graduation while registering online
IT Officer As Specialist in JMGS-I	20 to 29 years	a) 4 year Engineering/ Technology Degree in Computer Science/ Computer Applications/ Information Technology/ Electronics/ Electronics & Telecommunications/ Electronics & Communication/ Electronics & Instrumentation OR b) A graduate degree in any discipline AND Post Graduate Degree in Electronics/ Electronics & Tele Communication/ Electronics & Communication/ Electronics & Instrumentation/ Computer Science/ Information Technology/ Computer Applications OR C) A Graduate degree in any discipline AND having passed DOEACC 'B' level

All the educational qualifications mentioned should be from a University/ Institution/ Board recognised by Govt. Of India/ approved by Govt. Regulatory Bodies and the final result should have been declared on or before 01.02.2023

Bank has right to post/transfer such officers anywhere in India as per its requirements.

Note:

- (1) Candidate should indicate the percentage obtained in Graduation calculated to the nearest two decimals in the online application. Where CGPA / OGPA is awarded, the same should be converted into percentage and indicate the same in online application. The fraction of percentage will be ignored i.e. 59.99% will be treated as less than 60% and 54.99% will be treated as less than 55%.
- (2) Calculation of Percentage: The percentage marks shall be determined as per norms of respective Universities.
- (3) Candidates who were holding the similar post in Bank of India in the past are not eligible, hence need not apply.
- (4) Candidates ready to work anywhere in India should apply.
- (5) Candidates having the requisite qualification stipulated for the post can only apply.
- (6) The candidates can apply only for one post.

III. Relaxation of Upper age limit

Sr. No.	Category	Age relaxation
1.	Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe	5 years
2.	Other Backward Classes (Non-creamy layer)	3 years
3.	Persons With Benchmark Disabilities as defined under "The Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016"	10 years
4.	Ex-Servicemen, Commissioned Officers including Emergency Commissioned Officers (ECOs)/ Short Service Commissioned Officers (SSCOs) who have rendered at least 5 years military	5 years

	service and have been released on completion of assignment (including those whose assignment is due to be completed within one year from the last date of receipt of application) otherwise than by way of dismissal or discharge on account of misconduct or inefficiency or physical disability attributable to military service or invalidment	
5.	Persons affected by 1984 riots	5 years

NOTE:

- (i) The maximum age limit specified in (II) above is applicable to General Category and EWS candidates.
- (ii) The relaxation in upper age limit to SC/ST/OBC candidates is allowed on cumulative basis with only one of the remaining categories for which age relaxation is permitted as mentioned above in Point No. III (3) to III (5).
- (iii) Candidates seeking age relaxation will be required to produce the original and submit copies of necessary certificate(s) at the time of Interview and at any subsequent stage of the recruitment process as required by BANK.
- (iv) If an ex-serviceman applies for various vacancies before joining any civil employment, he/she can avail of the benefit of reservation as ex-serviceman for any subsequent employment. However, to avail of this benefit, an ex-serviceman as soon as he/she joins any civil employment, should give self-declaration/ undertaking to the concerned employer about date-wise details of application for various vacancies for which he/she had applied for before joining the initial civil employment. Further, this benefit would be available only in respect of vacancies which are filled on direct recruitment and wherever reservation is applicable to the ex-serviceman. There is no reservation for Ex-servicemen in Officers' Cadre.

IV. Reservation for Persons with Benchmark Disabilities

Under section 34 of "The Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016", persons with benchmark disabilities are eligible for Reservation. The post is identified suitable for the Persons under categories of disabilities as defined in the Schedule of RPWD Act 2016 and notified by the Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan) from time to time.

A. "OC" category:

A person's inability to execute distinctive activities associated with movement of self and objects resulting from affliction of musculoskeletal or nervous system or both, including Cerebral Palsy, Leprosy Cured, Dwarfism, Muscular Dystrophy and Acid Attack Victims. Orthopedically challenged persons are covered under locomotor disability with following benchmark:

- a. "Leprosy cured person" means a person who has been cured of leprosy but is suffering from:
 - i. Loss of sensation in hands or feet as well as loss of sensation and paresis in the eye and eye-lid but with no manifest deformity;
 - ii. Manifest deformity and paresis but having sufficient mobility in their hands and feet to enable them to engage in normal economic activity;
 - iii. extreme physical deformity as well as advanced age which prevents him/her from undertaking any gainful occupation, and the expression "leprosy cured" shall be construed accordingly;
- b. "Cerebral palsy" means a Group of non-progressive neurological conditions affecting body movements and muscle coordination, caused by damage to one or more specific areas of the brain, usually occurring before, during or shortly after birth;
- c. "Dwarfism" means a medical or genetic condition resulting in an adult height of 4 feet 10 inches (147 centimetres) or less;

d. "Muscular dystrophy" means a group of hereditary genetic muscle disease that weakens the muscles that move the human body and persons with multiple dystrophy have incorrect and missing information in their genes, which prevents them from making the proteins they need for healthy muscles. It is characterised by progressive skeletal muscle weakness, defects in muscle proteins, and the death of muscle cells and tissue;

e. "Acid attack victims" means a person disfigured due to violent assaults by throwing of acid or similar corrosive substance.

B. Visual Impairment ("VI" Category) : Only those Visually Impaired (VI) persons who suffer from any one of the following conditions, after best correction, are eligible to apply.

a. Blindness:

i. Total absence of sight; OR

ii. Visual acuity less than 3/60 or less than 10/200 (Snellen) in the better eye with best possible correction; OR

iii. Limitation of the field of vision subtending an angle of less than 10 degree. OR

b. Low Vision:

i. Visual acuity not exceeding 6/18 or less than 20/60 upto 3/60 or upto 10/200 (Snellen) in the better eye with best possible corrections; OR

ii. Limitation of the field of vision subtending an angle of less than 40 degree up to 10 degree.

C. Hearing Impaired ("HI" Category):

a. Deaf: means person having 70 DB hearing loss in speech frequencies in both ears.

b. Hard of Hearing: means person having 60 DB to 70 DB hearing loss in speech frequencies in both ears.

D. "ID" Category: Only those persons, who suffer from any one of the following types of disabilities, are eligible to apply under this category:

1. Intellectual disability.

a. Autism Spectrum disorder (ASD) means a neuro-developmental condition typically appearing in the first three years of life that significantly affects a person's ability to communicate, understand relationships and relate to others, and is frequently associated with unusual or stereotypical rituals or behaviours.

b. "Specific Learning Disability" (SLD) means a heterogeneous group of conditions wherein there is a deficit in processing language, spoken or written, that may manifest itself as a difficulty to comprehend, speak, read, write, spell, or to do mathematical calculations and includes such conditions as perceptual disabilities, dyslexia, dysgraphia, dyscalculia, dyspraxia and developmental aphasia.

c. "Mental Illness" (MI) means a substantial disorder of thinking, mood, perception, orientation or memory that grossly impairs judgment, behaviour, capacity to recognise reality or ability to meet the ordinary demands of life, but does not include retardation which is a condition of arrested or incomplete development of mind of a person, specially characterised by sub normality of intelligence

2. "Multiple Disabilities" means multiple disabilities amongst clause "A"; "B"; "C"; "D (1)".

Note: Only those persons with benchmark disabilities would be eligible for reservation. "Benchmark disability" means a person with not less than 40% of a specified disability where specified disability has not been defined in measurable terms and includes the persons with disability, where disability has been defined in a measurable terms, as certified by the certifying authority.

A person who wants to avail benefit of reservation will have to submit a disability certificate issued by a Competent Authority as per Government of India guidelines. Such certificate will be subject to verification/ re-verification as may be decided by the competent authority.

(i) Guidelines for Persons with Benchmark Disabilities using a Scribe

The visually impaired candidates and candidates whose writing speed is adversely affected permanently for any reason can use their own scribe at their cost during the online examination. In all such cases where a scribe is used, the following rules will apply:

- The candidate will have to arrange his / her own scribe at his/her own cost.
- The scribe should be from an academic stream different from that stipulated for the post.
- Both the candidate as well as scribe will have to give a suitable undertaking confirming that the scribe fulfils all the stipulated eligibility criteria for a scribe mentioned above. Further in case it later transpires that he/she did not fulfil any laid down eligibility criteria or suppressed material facts the candidature of the applicant will stand cancelled, irrespective of the result of the this recruitment.
- Those candidates who use a scribe shall be eligible for compensatory time of 20 minutes or otherwise advised for every hour of the examination.
- The scribe arranged by the candidate should not be a candidate for the online examination under this Recruitment Project 2021-22/3. If violation of the above is detected at any stage of the process, candidature of both the candidate and the scribe will be cancelled. Candidates eligible for and who wish to use the services of a scribe in the examination should invariably carefully indicate the same in the online application form. Any subsequent request may not be favourably entertained.
- Only candidates registered for compensatory time (at the time of online registration) will be allowed such concessions since compensatory time given to candidates shall be system based, it shall not be possible for the test conducting agency to allow such time if he / she is not registered for the same. Candidates not registered for compensatory time shall not be allowed such concessions.
- During the exam, at any stage, if it is found that scribe is independently answering the questions, the exam session will be terminated and candidate's candidature will be cancelled. The candidature of such candidates using the services of a scribe will also be cancelled if it is reported after the examination by the test administrator personnel that the scribe independently answered the questions. In such cases, the Candidate and scribe may also be debarred from all bank examinations for two years.

(ii) Guidelines for candidates with locomotor disability and cerebral palsy

A Compensatory time of twenty minutes per hour or otherwise advised shall be permitted for the candidates with locomotor disability and cerebral palsy where dominant (writing) extremity is affected to the extent of slowing the performance of function (minimum of 40% impairment).

(iii) Guidelines for Visually Impaired candidates

- Visually Impaired candidates (who suffer from not less than 40% of disability) may opt to view the contents of the test in magnified font and all such candidates will be eligible for compensatory time of 20 minutes for every hour or otherwise advised of examination.
- The facility of viewing the contents of the test in magnifying font will not be available to Visually Impaired candidates who use the services of a Scribe for the examination.

(iv) Guidelines for Candidates with Intellectual Disability (ID)

A Compensatory time of twenty minutes per hour of examination, either availing the services of a scribe or not, shall be permitted to the candidates with more than 40% Intellectual Disability (autism, intellectual disability, specific learning disability and mental illness).

These guidelines are subject to change in terms of GOI guidelines/ clarifications, if any, from time to time.

C. EWS (Economically Weaker Section)

1. Persons who are not covered under the existing scheme of reservations to the Scheduled Castes, the Schedule Tribes and the Other Backward Classes and whose family has gross annual income below Rs.8.00 lakh (Rupees eight lakh only) are to be identified as EWSs for benefit of reservation. The income shall include income from all sources i.e. salary, agriculture, business, profession etc. and it will be income for the financial year prior to the year of application. Also persons whose family owns or possesses any of the following assets shall be excluded from being identified as EWSs, irrespective of the family income:
 - i.) 5 acres of Agricultural Land and above;
 - ii.) Residential flat of 1000 sq. ft. and above;
 - iii.) Residential plot of 100 sq. yards and above in notified municipalities;
 - iv.) Residential plot of 200 sq. yards and above in areas other than the notified municipalities.
2. The property held by a "Family" in different locations or different places / cities would be clubbed while applying the land or property holding test to determine EWS status.
3. The benefit of reservation under EWS can be availed upon production of an Income and Asset Certificate issued by a Competent Authority. The Income and Asset Certificate issued by any one of the Authorities as notified by the Government of India in the prescribed format shall only be accepted as proof of candidate's claim as belonging to EWS. The candidates shortlisted for document verification/interview shall be required to bring the requisite certificate as specified by the Government of India at the time of appearing for the process of document verification/interview.
4. The term "Family" for this purpose will include the person who seeks benefit of reservation, his/her parents and siblings below the age of 18 years as also his/her spouse and children below the age of 18 years.
5. The instructions issued by the Government of India in this regard from time to time shall be adhered to.

Disclaimer: EWS Vacancies are tentative and subject to further directives of Government of India and outcome of any litigation.

NOTE: These guidelines are subject to change in terms of GOI guidelines/ clarifications, if any, from time to time.

SELECTION PROCEDURE

Selection will be through online test, GD and personal interview.

I. ONLINE EXAMINATION:

The structure of online examination will be as under:

Sr. No.	Name of the Tests	No. of questions	Maximum Marks	Duration
1.	English Language	35	40	40 minutes
2.	Reasoning and Computer Aptitude	45	60	60 minutes
3.	General/ Economy/ Banking awareness	40	40	35 minutes
4.	Data Analysis & Interpretation	35	60	45 minutes
4.	English Descriptive paper (Letter Writing & Essay)	2	25	30 minutes

Bank reserves the right to modify the structure of the examination which will be intimated through its authorised website. Other detailed information regarding the examination will be given in an Information Handout, which will be made available for the candidates to download along with the call letters from the authorised website www.bankofindia.co.in

The above tests except the Test of English Language and English Descriptive paper will be available bilingually, i.e. English and Hindi. The test of English Language and English Descriptive Paper will be of qualifying nature i.e. Marks obtained in English Language and English Descriptive Paper will not be added while preparing merit List.

Minimum qualifying marks will be 40% for General/EWS category. Candidates belonging to the Category SC/ST/OBC/PWD, filling in vacancies reserved for the relevant category, will be entitled to a relaxation of 5% marks in relation to that stipulated for General/EWS category candidates. Bank may at its discretion may change minimum qualifying marks.

Penalty for Wrong Answers :

There will be penalty for wrong answers marked in the Objective Tests. For each question for which a wrong answer has been given by the candidate one fourth of the marks assigned to that question will be deducted as penalty to arrive at corrected score. If a question is left blank, i.e. no answer is marked by the candidate; there will be no penalty for that question.

II. INTERVIEW :

Bank will conduct the personal interviews of all the selected candidates. Total marks allotted for Interview will be 60. Minimum qualifying marks will be 40% for General/EWS category candidates and 35% for SC/ST/OBC/PWD category candidates.

III. Group Discussion (GD) :

Group Discussion will be conducted for the candidates selected through online test at some selected centres. Total marks allotted for Group Discussion will be 40. Minimum qualifying marks will be 40% for General/EWS category candidates and 35% for SC/ST/OBC/PWD category candidates.

IV. Final Selection :

Final selection of the candidates will be based on the marks obtained by the candidates in Online Examination, Personal Interview and Group discussion. The final list will be prepared in descending order for the respective categories i.e. SC/ST/OBC/EWS/GEN.

In case of equal marks obtained by two or more candidates while preparing the final merit list, order of such group of candidates will be on the basis of marks obtained in Online examination i.e. candidate securing higher marks in Online exam will be placed higher in the merit list. If

the marks obtained in the online exam are also equal the merit order will be on the basis of Date of Birth i.e. Candidate senior by age will be placed higher in the merit List.

Final selection of candidates will be subject to the candidate being found fit medically to the satisfaction of the Bank.

Admission for Post Graduate Diploma in Banking & Finance (PGDBF)

After final selection of the candidates as above, they to mandatorily pass the Diploma course (PGDBM) before getting inducted/ absorbed in the Bank.

Course Fee: The Fee for the above said PGDBF course of one year is Rs. 3,50,000/- + GST which can be made by the selected candidate as per the following schedule

1	On or before the commencement of the Training Program for respective Batch <i>Tentatively training programme will start in 1st week of April, 2023</i>	Rs.1,20,000/- (Indian Rupees One Lakh Twenty Thousand only) Plus GST
2	On or before the commencement of 2 nd trimester for a particular Batch of the Training Program	Rs.1,20,000/- (Indian Rupees One Lakh Twenty Thousand only) Plus GST
3	On or before the commencement of 3 rd trimester for a particular Batch of the Training Program.	Rs.1,10,000/- (Indian Rupees One Lakh Ten Thousand only) Plus GST

The aforesaid course fee of Rs.3,50,000/- (Rupees Three Lakh Fifty Thousand only) includes the in-person classroom and computer lab facilities, advanced library facilities, residential accommodation on sharing basis, all boarding facilities (breakfast, lunch, dinner), shuttle transport for candidates between hostel to classroom training facility during the Classroom Training. The training fee however, does not cover Candidate's personal expenses, any other expenses unless specifically agreed, Boarding and lodging expenses incurred during on the job training and communication expenses. Any other expenses as mandated in the PGDBF course like certification examination, books etc. will be borne by the candidates.

The selected candidates will have the option to pay the course fee from their own sources or by availing Education Loan from our Bank subject to eligibility.

If any discrepancy is found in the documents / credentials of the candidate after joining the course, the candidature of such candidate shall be cancelled and course fee paid by the candidate shall be forfeited. Also in case of such an eventually, if the candidate has availed Education Loan from the Bank towards payment of Course Fee, the same has to be repaid fully with up to date interest. If any candidate discontinues during the course period, the fees paid by the candidate is not refundable and loan if any availed for the same form the Bank, shall be fully repaid by the candidate with up to date interest along with other charges, if any.

Education Loan: Bank may grant Education Loan to the candidate subject to eligibility as per the education loan scheme of our Bank regarding quantum of finance, margin, security, documentation , Rate of interest, repayment etc. The maximum loan amount granted to the candidate will be equal to course fee.

If the candidate wishes to avail loan for purchase of Laptop, Loan quantum for Laptop shall be limited to Rs.50,000/- or actual cost of the Laptop, whichever is lower over and above the education loan.

Reimbursement of Course Fee: After successful completion of 5 years' service in the Bank as a regular employee, Bank will reimburse the total course fee to the candidates. Candidates who have availed education loan towards payment of Course Fees, the loan amount will be reimbursed in the loan account which is subsequently lead to closure of the account.

Agreement /Security Bond: The selected candidates at the time of joining the course have to execute an Agreement to serve the Bank for a minimum period of three (3) years of service.

Course Curriculum: The course period of the above said PGDBF course would be one year and will be divided into four trimesters with assessment at the end of each trimester. Out of total four trimester, first three trimesters will be of on-campus and the last trimester will be on the job training at Bank's own Branches/Offices.

Emoluments/Stipend during the course period: During the first three trimesters i.e. Training period at institute, stipend of Rs.2500/- per month and during the last trimester, stipend of Rs.15,000/-per month will be paid to the candidate.

EXAMINATION CENTERS

(i) The examination will be conducted online at the following centres

State	City
Gujarat	Ahmedabad-Gandhinagar, Rajkot, Surat, Vadodara
Karnataka	Bengaluru, Hubli-Dharwad, Mysuru (Mysore), Belagavi(Belgaum)
Madhya Pradesh	Bhopal, Indore, Ujjain, Jabalpur
Odisha	Bhubaneswar, Cuttack, Rourkela
CHANDIGARH	Chandigarh-Mohali
Tamilnadu	Chennai, Coimbatore, Erode, Madurai, Nagercoil, Salem
Uttarakhand	Dehradun, Haldwani, Roorkee
Delhi	Delhi/New Delhi/ Delhi NCR
Telangana	Hyderabad, Karimnagar, Khammam, Warangal
Rajasthan	Jaipur, Udaipur, Jodhpur
Jammu & Kashmir	Jammu, Samba
West Bengal	Kolkata, Siliguri, Durgapur, Kalyani
Uttar Pradesh	Lucknow, Kanpur, Varanasi, Gorakhpur
Maharashtra	Mumbai/Navi Mumbai/Thane/MMR, Pune, Aurangabad, Nagpur
Goa	Panaji, Madgaon, Mapusa
Bihar	Patna, Bhagalpur, Muzaffarpur, Purnea
Chhattisgarh	Raipur, Bilai Nagar
Jharkhand	Ranchi, Jamshedpur,
Himachal Pradesh	Bilaspur, Solan
Kerala	Thiruvananthapuram, Ernakulam, Thrissur, Kozhikode

- (ii) No request for change of centre for Examination shall be entertained.
- (iii) Bank, however, reserves the right to cancel any of the Examination Centres and/or add some other Centres, at its discretion, depending upon the response, administrative feasibility, etc.
- (iv) BANK also reserves the right to allot the candidate to any centre other than the one he/she has opted for.
- (v) Candidate will appear for the examination at an Examination Centre at his/her own risks and expenses and Bank will not be responsible for any injury or losses etc. of any nature.

While appearing for the Interview, the candidate should produce valid prescribed documents given below.

List of Documents to be produced at the time of interview

The following documents in original together with a self-attested photocopies in support of the Candidate's eligibility and identity are to be invariably submitted at the time of interview **failing which the candidate may not be permitted to appear for the interview :**

- (i) Printout of the valid Interview Call Letter
- (ii) Valid system generated printout of the online application form
- (iii) Proof of Date of Birth (Birth Certificate or SSLC/ Std. X Certificate with DOB)
- (iv) Photo Identify Proof as indicated in para "IDENTITY VERIFICATION"
- (v) Mark sheets & certificates for educational qualifications. Proper document from Board /University for having declared the result on or before 01.02.2023 has to be submitted.
- (vi) Caste Certificate issued by competent authority in the prescribed format as stipulated by Government of India in case of SC / ST / OBC category candidates. In case of candidates belonging to OBC category, certificate should specifically contain a clause that the candidate does not belong to creamy layer section excluded from the benefits of reservation for Other Backward Classes in Civil post & services under Government of India. **OBC caste certificate containing the 'Non-creamy layer' clause should be issued** on or after 01.04.2022. **Caste Name mentioned in certificate should tally letter by letter with Central Government list / notification.** Candidates belonging to OBC category but coming under creamy layer are not entitled to OBC reservation. They should indicate their category as General in the online application form.
- (vii) Income and Asset Certificate issued by any one of the Authorities as notified by the Government of India in the prescribed format in case of EWS category candidates.
- (viii) Disability Certificate in prescribed format in case of PWD category. If the candidate desires to use the services of a Scribe at the time of online examination the duly filled in Bio data of the scribe in the prescribed format is to be submitted.
- (ix) An Ex-serviceman candidate has to produce a copy of the Service or Discharge Book / pension payment order and documentary proof of rank last / presently held (substantive as well as acting) at the time of interview.
- (x) Candidates serving in Government / quasi Govt. offices/ Public Sector Undertakings (including Nationalised Banks and Financial Institutions) are required to produce a "No Objection certificate" from their employer at the time of interview, in the absence of which their candidature will not be considered and travelling expenses, if any, otherwise admissible, will not be paid.
- (xi) Persons eligible for age relaxation under B III (5) must produce a certificate from the District Magistrate to the effect that they are eligible for relief in terms of the Rehabilitation Package for 1984 Riot Affected Persons sanctioned by the Government and communicated vide Ministry of Finance, Dept. of Financial Services communication No.F.No.9/21/2006-IR dated 27.07.2007.

- (xii) Experience certificates, if any.
- (xiii) Persons falling in categories (ii), (iii), (iv) and (v) of Point B (I) should produce a certificate of eligibility issued by the Govt. Of India
- (xiv) Any other relevant documents in support of eligibility

List of Documents to be produced at the time of GD

- (i) Printout of the valid GD Call Letter
- (ii) Photo Identify Proof as indicated in para "IDENTITY VERIFICATION"
- (iii) Valid system generated printout of the online application form

Note:- Candidates will not be allowed to appear for the interview/GD if he/ she fails to produce the relevant eligibility documents as mentioned above. Non-production of relevant eligibility documents at the time of interview/GD shall make the candidate ineligible for further process of recruitment. No documents shall be directly sent to Bank by candidates before or after the interview/GD.

The Competent Authority for the issue of the certificate to SC / ST / OBC / Economically Weaker Section / PERSONS WITH BENCHMARK DISABILITIES is as under (as notified by GOI from time to time):

For Scheduled Castes / Scheduled Tribes / Other Backward Classes: (i) District Magistrate / Additional District Magistrate / Collector / Deputy Commissioner / Additional Deputy Commissioner / Deputy Collector / First Class Stipendiary Magistrate / City Magistrate / Sub-Divisional Magistrate (not below the rank of First Class Stipendiary Magistrate) / Taluk Magistrate / Executive Magistrate / Extra Assistant Commissioner (ii) Chief Presidency Magistrate/ Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/ Presidency Magistrate (iii) Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar (iv) Sub-divisional officer of the Area where the candidate and/or his family normally resides.

Economically Weaker Section :(i) District Magistrate/Additional District Magistrate/ Collector/ Deputy Commissioner/Additional Deputy Commissioner/1st Class Stipendiary Magistrate/ Sub-Divisional Magistrate/ Taluka Magistrate/ Executive Magistrate/ Extra Assistant Commissioner, (ii) Chief Presidency Magistrate/ Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/ Presidency Magistrate, (iii) Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar and (iv) Sub-Divisional Officer or the area where the candidate and/or his family normally resides.

For Persons with Benchmark Disabilities: Authorised certifying authority will be the Medical Board at the District level consisting of Chief Medical Officer, Sub-Divisional Medical Officer in the District and an Orthopaedic / Ophthalmic / ENT Surgeon or any person designated as certifying authority by appropriate government.

Candidates belonging to SC, ST, OBC, EWS, PWD categories have to submit certificates in support of it at the time of interview.

Prescribed Formats of SC, ST, OBC, EWS, PWD certificates to be submitted at the time of interview are available at the end of the Notice. Candidates belonging to these categories are required to produce the certificates strictly in these formats only.

IDENTITY VERIFICATION

In the examination hall as well as at the time of interview, the call letter along with a photocopy of the candidate's photo identity (**bearing exactly the same name as it appears on the call letter**) such as PAN Card/ Passport/ Driving Licence/ Voter's Card/ Bank Passbook with photograph/ Photo identity proof issued by a Gazetted Officer/

People's Representative along with a photograph / Identity Card issued by a recognised college/ university/ Aadhar card with a photograph/ Employee ID should be submitted to the invigilator for verification. The candidate's identity will be verified with respect to his/her details on the call letter, in the Attendance List and requisite documents submitted. **If identity of the candidate is in doubt the candidate may not be allowed to appear for the Examination/ interview.**

- Ration Card and Learner's Driving License will not be accepted as valid ID proof.
- In case of candidates who have changed their name will be allowed only if they produce Gazette notification/their marriage certificate/affidavit, in original.

Note: Candidates have to produce, in original, the same photo identity proof bearing the name as it appears on the online application form/ call letter and submit photocopy of the photo identity proof along with Examination call letter as well as the Interview Call Letter while attending the examination/ interview respectively, without which they will not be allowed to take up the examination/ interview. To avoid any dispute, name recorded at the time of registration should be similar and identical to authorized identity proof.

Social Distancing Related Instructions for the Exam

1. Common reporting time will be printed on the call letters of candidates. Candidate must report much before the Reporting time to avoid crowding.
2. Candidates should report at least 15 minutes before the Reporting time indicated on the call Letter.
3. Items permitted into the venue for Candidates
Candidates will be permitted to carry only certain items with them into the venue.
 - a. Mask (WEARING A MASK is COMPULSORY)
 - b. Gloves
 - c. Personal transparent water bottle
 - d. Personal hand sanitizer (50 ml)
 - e. A simple pen
 - f. Exam related documents (Call Letter/Admit Card, ID card in Original, Photocopy of ID Card, etc)
 - g. Call Letter/Admit Card should be brought with the Photocopy of the Photo ID stapled with it. Original ID (same as Photocopy) is also to be brought for verification. The name on the ID and on the Call Letter/Admit Card should be exactly the same.
 - h. In case of Scribe Candidates – Scribe form duly filled and signed with Photograph affixed.No other Items are permitted inside the venue.
*Candidates are advised to bring their own water bottle.
4. Candidate should not share any of their personal belonging/material with anyone
5. Candidate should maintain safe social distance with one another.
6. Candidate should stand in the row as per the instructions provided at venue.
7. If candidate is availing the scribe, then scribe also may bring their own Gloves, N95 Mask, sanitizer (50ml) and water bottle. Wearing a mask is compulsory. Both candidate and Scribe will require to be wearing N95 Mask.
8. On completion of a shift, the candidates should move out in an orderly manner without crowding as instructed by the venue staff.

(Some more instructions related to exam may be added or modified depending on the situation during the scheduled date of exam)

D. HOW TO APPLY

DETAILED GUIDELINES/PROCEDURES FOR

- A. APPLICATION REGISTRATION
- B. PAYMENT OF FEES
- C. PHOTOGRAPH & SIGNATURE SCAN AND UPLOAD

Candidates can apply only online **from 11.02.2023 to 25.02.2023** and no other mode of application will be accepted.

IMPORTANT POINTS TO BE NOTED BEFORE REGISTRATION

Before applying online, candidates should-
Scan their:

- Photograph (4.5cm x 3.5cm)
- Signature (with black ink)
- Left thumb impression (on white paper with black or blue ink)
- A hand written declaration (on a white paper with black ink) (text given below)
Ensuring that the all these scanned documents adhere to the required specifications as given in Annexure III to this Advertisement.

- (i) Signature in CAPITAL LETTERS will NOT be accepted.
- (ii) The left thumb impression should be properly scanned and not smudged. (If a candidate is not having left thumb, he/she may use his/ her right thumb for applying.)
- (iii) The text for the hand written declaration is as follows –
“I, _____ (Name of the candidate), hereby declare that all the information submitted by me in the application form is correct, true and valid. I will present the supporting documents as and when required.”
- (iv) The above mentioned hand written declaration has to be in the candidate’s hand writing and in English only. If it is written and uploaded by anybody else or in any other language, the application will be considered as invalid. (In the case of Visually Impaired candidates who cannot write may get the text of declaration typed and put their left hand thumb impression below the typed declaration and upload the document as per specifications.)
- (v) Keep the necessary details/documents ready to make Online Payment of the requisite application fee/ intimation charges
- (vi) Have a valid personal email ID and mobile no., which should be kept active till the completion of this Recruitment Process. Bank may send intimation to download call letters for the Examination etc. through the registered e-mail ID. In case a candidate does not have a valid personal e-mail ID, he/she should create his/her new e-mail ID and mobile no. before applying on-line and must maintain that email account and mobile number.

(vii) APPLICATION FEES/ INTIMATION CHARGES (NON REFUNDABLE)

PAYMENT OF FEE ON LINE: 11.02.2023 to 25.02.2023 (Both days inclusive)

a. Application fees & Intimation charges for GENERAL/ EWS/ OBC candidates	Rs. 850/-
b. Intimation charges for SC/ST/PWD candidates	Rs. 175/-

Bank Transaction charges for Online Payment of application fees/intimation charges will have to be borne by the candidate

[A] Application Procedure

Candidates are required to go to the Bank's website www.bankofindia.co.in and click on the 'CAREER' and then click on the link "**Recruitment of Probationary Officers in JMGS-I Project No. 2022-23/3 Notice dated 01.02.2023**". This will open a new window. In this window click on "APPLY ONLINE"

- (i) Option "APPLY ONLINE" which will open a new screen.
- (ii) To register application, choose the tab "Click here for New Registration" and enter Name, Contact details and Email-id. A Provisional Registration Number and Password will be generated by the system and displayed on the screen. Candidate should note down the Provisional Registration Number and Password. An Email & SMS indicating the Provisional Registration number and Password will also be sent.
- (iii) In case the candidate is unable to complete the application form in one go, he / she can save the data already entered by choosing "SAVE AND NEXT" tab. Prior to submission of the online application candidates are advised to use the "SAVE AND NEXT" facility to verify the details in the online application form and modify the same if required. Visually Impaired candidates should fill the application form carefully and verify/ get the details verified to ensure that the same are correct prior to final submission.
- (iv) Candidates are advised to carefully fill and verify the details filled in the online application themselves as no change will be possible/ entertained after clicking the 'COMPLETE REGISTRATION' BUTTON.
- (v) The Name of the candidate or his /her Father/ Husband etc. should be spelt correctly in the application as it appears in the Certificates/ Mark sheets. Any change/alteration found may disqualify the candidature.
- (vi) Validate your details and Save your application by clicking the 'Validate your details' and 'Save & Next' button.
- (vii) Candidates can proceed to upload Photo & Signature as per the specifications given in the Guidelines for Scanning and Upload of Photograph and Signature detailed under point "C".
- (viii) Candidates can proceed to fill other details of the Application Form.
- (ix) Click on the Preview Tab to preview and verify the entire application form before 'COMPLETE REGISTRATION'.
- (x) Modify details, if required, and click on 'COMPLETE REGISTRATION' ONLY after verifying and ensuring that the photograph, signature uploaded and other details filled by you are correct.
- (xi) Click on 'Payment' Tab and proceed for payment.

[B] PAYMENT OF FEES (ONLINE MODE ONLY)

1. *The application form is integrated with the payment gateway and the payment process can be completed by following the instructions.*
2. *The payment can be made by using only Master/ Visa /RuPay Debit or Credit cards or Internet Banking.*
3. *After submitting your payment information in the online application form, PLEASE WAIT FOR THE INTIMATION FROM THE SERVER. DO NOT PRESS BACK OR REFRESH BUTTON IN ORDER TO AVOID DOUBLE CHARGE*
4. *On successful completion of the transaction, an e-Receipt will be generated.*
5. *Non-generation of 'E-Receipt' indicates PAYMENT FAILURE. On failure of payment, Candidates are advised to login again using their Provisional Registration Number and Password and repeat the process of payment.*
6. *Candidates are required to take a printout of the e-Receipt and online Application Form. Please note that if the same cannot be generated online transaction may not have been successful.*

7. *For Credit Card users: All charges are listed in Indian Rupee. If you use a non-Indian credit card, your bank will convert to your local currency based on prevailing exchange rates.*
8. *To ensure the security of your data, please close the browser window once your transaction is completed.*

[C] Guidelines for scanning and Upload of Documents

Before applying online, a candidate will be required to have a scanned (digital) image of his/her photograph, signature, left thumb impression and the hand written declaration as per the specifications given below.

- i) **Photograph Image: (4.5cm × 3.5cm)**
 - Photograph must be a recent passport style colour picture.
 - Make sure that the picture is in colour, taken against a light-coloured, preferably white, background.
 - Look straight at the camera with a relaxed face
 - If the picture is taken on a sunny day, have the sun behind you, or place yourself in the shade, so that you are not squinting and there are no harsh shadows
 - If you have to use flash, ensure there's no "red-eye"
 - If you wear glasses make sure that there are no reflections and your eyes can be clearly seen.
 - Caps, hats and dark glasses are not acceptable. Religious headwear is allowed but it must not cover your face.
 - Dimensions 200 x 230 pixels (preferred)
 - Size of file should be between 20kb–50 kb
 - Ensure that the size of the scanned image is not more than 50kb. If the size of the file is more than 50 kb, then adjust the settings of the scanner such as the DPI resolution, no. of colours etc., during the process of scanning.
 - ii) **Signature:**
 - The applicant has to sign on white paper with Black Ink pen.
 - Dimensions 140 x 60 pixels (preferred)
 - Size of file should be between 10kb – 20kb
 - Ensure that the size of the scanned image is not more than 20kb
 - iii) **Left thumb impression:**
 - The applicant has to put his left thumb impression on a white paper with black or blue ink.
 - File type: jpg / jpeg
 - Dimensions: 240 x 240 pixels in 200 DPI (Preferred for required quality) i.e. 3 cm * 3 cm (Width * Height)
 - File Size: 20 KB – 50 KB
 - iv) **Hand-written declaration Image:**
 - The applicant has to write the declaration in English clearly on a white paper with black ink.
 - File type: jpg / jpeg
 - Dimensions: 800 x 400 pixels in 200 DPI (Preferred for required quality) i.e. 10 cm * 5 cm (Width * Height)
 - File Size: 50 KB – 100 KB
- The signature, left thumb impression and the hand written declaration should be of the applicant and not by any other person.

- If the Applicant's signature on the attendance sheet or Call letter, signed at the time of the examination, does not match the signature uploaded, the applicant will be disqualified.

NOTE:

- Signature / Hand written declaration in CAPITAL LETTERS shall NOT be accepted.
- Ensure that Photo, Signature, Thumb impression and Hand written declaration are uploaded at the specified spaces only in the online application form.

Procedure for Scanning the documents:

- Set the scanner resolution to a minimum of 200 dpi (dots per inch)
- Set Colour to True Colour
- File Size as specified above
- Crop the image in the scanner to the edge of the photograph/signature/left thumb impression/hand written declaration, then use the upload editor to crop the image to the final size (as specified above).
- The image file should be JPG or JPEG format. An example file name is: image01.jpg or image01.jpeg. Image dimensions can be checked by listing the folder files or moving the mouse over the file image icon.
- Candidates using MS Windows/MsOffice can easily obtain documents in .jpeg format by using MS Paint or MsOffice Picture Manager. Scanned documents in any format can be saved in .jpg / .jpeg format by using 'Save As' option in the File menu. Size can be adjusted by using crop and then resize option.

Procedure for Uploading the documents:

- While filling in the Online Application Form the candidate will be provided with separate links for uploading Photograph, signature, left thumb impression and hand written declaration
- Click on the respective link "Upload Photograph / signature / Upload left thumb impression / hand written declaration"
- Browse and Select the location where the Scanned Photograph / signature / left thumb impression / hand written declaration file has been saved.
- Select the file by clicking on it
- Click the 'Open/Upload'
- If the file size and format are not as prescribed, an error message will be displayed.
- Preview of the uploaded image will help to see the quality of the image. In case of unclear / smudged, the same may be re-uploaded to the expected clarity /quality.

Your Online Application will not be registered unless you upload your Photograph, signature, left thumb impression and hand written declaration as specified.

After completing the procedure of applying on-line including payment of fees, the candidate should take a printout of the system generated on-line application form, ensure the particulars filled in are accurate and retain it along with Registration Number and Password for future reference. They should not send this printout to Bank.

Please note that all the particulars mentioned in the online application including Name of the Candidate, Category, Date of Birth, Post Applied for, Address, Mobile Number, Email ID, Qualifications, Centre of Examination etc. will be considered as final and no change/modifications will be allowed after submission of the online application form. Candidates are hence requested to fill in the online application form with the utmost care as no correspondence regarding change of any details will be entertained. Bank will not be responsible for any consequences arising out of furnishing of incorrect and incomplete details in the application or omission to provide the required details in the application form.

It is for the candidate to ensure that he / she has met with the eligibility criteria and complied with the requirements and adhered to the instructions contained in this advertisement as well as in the application form. Candidates are, therefore, urged to carefully read the advertisement and complete the application form and submit the same as per instructions given in this regard.

Even if the last date of registration is changed due to technical reasons, the valid dates for payment of application fee will not be changed. Payment of fee by Demand Draft / Cheque / Money Orders / Postal Orders etc. will not be accepted. After registration the application printout need not be sent to the Bank. The said application and copies of required documents mentioned above should be kept ready for submission at the time of interview.

Candidates serving in Government / Public Sector Undertakings will be required to submit “No Objection Certificate” from their employer, in the absence of which their candidature will not be considered and will be cancelled for non-submission of NOC.

Please note that all the particulars mentioned in the online application including Name of the Candidate, Category, Date of Birth, Post Applied For, Address, Mobile Number, Email ID, Centre of Examination etc. will be considered as final and no change/modifications will be allowed after submission of the online application form. Candidates are hence requested to fill in the online application form with the utmost care as no correspondence regarding change of details will be entertained.

An email/ SMS intimation with the Registration Number and Password generated on successful registration of the application will be sent to the candidate's email ID/ Mobile Number specified in the online application form as a system generated acknowledgement. If candidates do not receive the email and SMS intimations at the email ID/ Mobile number specified by them, they may consider that their online application has not been successfully registered.

An online application which is incomplete in any respect such as without photograph and signature uploaded in the online application form will not be considered as valid. Candidates are advised in their own interest to apply on-line much before the closing date and not to wait till the last date of registration of application to avoid the possibility of disconnection/ inability/ failure to log on to the BANK website on account of heavy load on internet/website jam. Bank does not assume any responsibility for the candidates not being able to submit their applications within the last date on account of the aforesaid reasons or for any other reason beyond the control of the Bank. Please note that the above procedure is the only valid procedure for applying. No other mode of application or incomplete steps would be accepted and such applications would be rejected.

Any information submitted by an applicant in his/ her application shall be binding on the candidate personally and he/she shall be liable for prosecution/ civil consequences in case the information/ details furnished by him/ her are found to be false at a later stage.

D. GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

- (1) Candidates will have to invariably produce and submit the requisite documents such as valid call letter, a photocopy of photo-identity proof bearing the same name as it appears on the online submitted application form etc. at the time of examination and interview respectively.
- (2) **Before applying for the mentioned posts, the candidate should ensure that he/she fulfils the eligibility and other norms mentioned in this advertisement.** Candidates are therefore to carefully read this advertisement and follow all the instructions given for submitting online application. It is the primary responsibility of the candidate to ensure that he/she belongs to the Caste/Tribe as mentioned by him/her in online application.
- (3) **A Candidate's admission to the examination/ shortlisting for interview and/ subsequent process is strictly provisional. The mere fact that the call letter(s) has been issued to the candidate does not imply that his/ her candidature has been finally cleared by Bank. Bank would be free to reject any application, at any stage of the process, cancel the candidature of the candidate in case it is detected at any stage that a candidate does not fulfil the eligibility norms and/or that he/she has furnished any incorrect/false information/certificate/documents or has suppressed any material fact(s). If candidature of any candidate is rejected for any reasons according to the terms and conditions of this advertisement, no further representation in this regard will be entertained. If any of these shortcomings is/are detected after appointment his/her services are liable to be summarily terminated.**
- (4) Decision of Bank in all matters relating to selection process will be final and binding on the candidate. No correspondence or personal enquiries shall be entertained by the Bank in this behalf.
- (5) Not more than one application should be submitted by any candidate. In case of multiple Applications only the latest valid (completed) application will be retained and the application fee/ intimation charges paid for the other multiple registration(s) will stand forfeited. The scribe arranged by the candidate should not be a candidate for the examination. If violation of the above is detected at any stage of the process, candidature of both the candidate and the scribe will be cancelled. Multiple attendance/ appearances in the online examination and/or interview will be summarily rejected/ candidature cancelled.
- (6) Online applications once registered will not be allowed to be withdrawn and/or the application fee/ intimation charges once paid will not be refunded nor be held in reserve for any other examination.
- (7) Any resulting dispute arising out of this advertisement including the recruitment process shall be subject to the sole jurisdiction of the Courts situated at Mumbai.
- (8) Canvassing in any form will be a disqualification.
- (9) No request for change of address, or changes in any other details mentioned in the online application form will be entertained.
- (10) In case any dispute arises on account of interpretation of clauses in any version of this advertisement other than English, the English version available on Banks website shall prevail.
- (11) A candidate should ensure that the signatures appended by him/her in all the places viz. in his/her call letter, attendance sheet etc. and in all correspondences with the Bank in future should be identical and there should be no variation of any kind. Signature in CAPITAL LETTERS will not be acceptable.
- (12) A recent, recognizable photograph should be uploaded by the candidate in the online application form and the candidate should ensure that copies of the same are retained for use at various stages of the process. Candidates are also advised not to change their appearance till the process is completed. Failure to produce the same photograph at various stages of the process/ doubt about identity at any stage could lead to disqualification.

- (13) The possibility of occurrence of some problem in the administration of the examination cannot be ruled out completely which may impact test delivery and/or result from being generated. In that event, every effort will be made to rectify such problem, which may include movement of candidates, delay in test. Conduct of a re-exam is at the absolute discretion of Bank. Candidates will not have any claim for a re-test. Candidates not willing to move or not willing to participate in the delayed process of test delivery shall be summarily rejected from the process.
- (14) Candidates will have to appear for the interview/GD at their own expense. However, eligible outstation SC/ST/Persons with Benchmark Disabilities category candidates called for interview will be paid IInd class to & fro railway/ bus fare or actual expenses incurred, whichever is less, by shortest route on production of proof of travel (rail/ bus ticket etc.). The above concession will not be admissible to SC/ST/Persons with Benchmark Disabilities category candidates who are already in service in Central / State Government, Corporations, Public Undertakings / Local Government, Institutions and Panchayats etc.
- (15) Bank shall not be responsible for any application made/ wrong information provided by an unauthorized person / institution. Candidates are advised not to share their application details with anyone.
- (16) Appointment of provisionally selected candidates is subject to his/her being declared medically fit, as per any other requirements of the Bank and also subject to service and conduct rules of the Bank. Decision of Bank will be final and binding on candidates.
- (17) Bank reserves the right to change (cancel/ modify/add) any of the criteria, method of selection etc. with or without assigning any reason.
- (18) Intimations will be sent by email and/ sms only to the email ID and mobile number registered in the online application form. Bank shall not be responsible if the information/ intimations do not reach candidates in case of change in the mobile number, email address, technical fault or otherwise, beyond the control of Bank. Candidates are advised to keep a close watch on the authorised Bank website www.bankofindia.co.in for latest updates.
- (19) The candidates are required to follow all the Guidelines regarding Social Distancing Mode of Exam given in this advertisement and subsequently. Any violation may result in cancellation of candidature.
- (20) Use of Mobile Phones, pagers, calculator or any such devices:
 - (a) Mobile phones, pagers or any other communication devices are not allowed inside the premises where the examination is being conducted. Any infringement of these instructions shall entail cancellation of candidature and disciplinary action including ban from future examinations.
 - (b) Candidates are advised in their own interest not to bring any of the banned items including mobile phones/ pagers to the venue of the examination, as arrangement for their safekeeping cannot be assured.
 - (c) Candidates are not permitted to use or have in possession calculators in examination premises.

E. ACTION AGAINST CANDIDATES FOUND GUILTY OF MISCONDUCT/ USE OF UNFAIR MEANS

Candidates are advised in their own interest that they should not furnish any particulars that are false, tampered with or fabricated and should not suppress any material information while submitting online application. At the time of interview or in a subsequent selection procedure, if a candidate is (or has been) found guilty of –

- (i) using unfair means or
- (ii) impersonating or procuring impersonation by any person or
- (iii) misbehaving in the interview hall or disclosing, publishing, reproducing, transmitting, storing or facilitating transmission and storage of contents or any information therein in whole or part thereof in any form or by any means, verbal or written, electronically or mechanically for any purpose or

- (iv) resorting to any irregular or improper means in connection with his/ her candidature or
- (v) obtaining support for his/ her candidature by unfair means, or
- (vi) carrying mobile phones or similar electronic devices of communication in the examination /interview hall, such a candidate may, in addition to rendering himself/ herself liable to criminal prosecution, be liable:
 - (a) to be disqualified from the interview for which he/ she is a candidate
 - (b) to be debarred either permanently or for a specified period from any examination conducted by Bank.
 - (c) for termination of service, if he/ she has already joined the Bank.

F. CALL LETTERS:

The Centre, venue address, post applied for, date and time for examination, GD and interview shall be intimated in the respective Call Letters. An eligible candidate should download his/her call letter from the Bank's website www.bankofindia.co.in by entering his/her details i.e. Registration Number and Password/Date of Birth. No hard copy of the call letter/ Information Hand-outs etc. will be sent by post/ courier. Intimations will be sent by email and/ sms to the email ID and mobile number registered in the online application form. Bank will not take responsibility for late receipt / non-receipt of any communication e-mailed/ sent via sms to the candidate due to change in the mobile number, email address, technical fault or otherwise beyond the control of Bank. Candidates are hence advised to regularly keep in touch with the authorised Bank website www.bankofindia.co.in for details, updates and any information which may be posted for further guidance as well as to check their registered e-mail account from time to time during the recruitment process.

G. CONFIRMATION IN BANK'S SERVICE:

Bank may conduct separate written/online test prior to confirmation of Direct Recruit Officers in JMGS-I in General Banking stream on regular basis and his/her confirmation in the Bank's services shall be subject to qualifying the said test as per the norms of the Bank.

H. SECURITY DEPOSIT :

Candidates selected on regular basis will be required to deposit a specified amount as security deposit refundable after 3 years of satisfactory service (the said amount shall be forfeited in case he/she leaves the Bank before completion of 3 years) as under :

Officers in JMGS-I	Rs.1,00,000/-
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I. ANNOUNCEMENTS:

All further announcements/ details pertaining to this process will only be published/ provided on Bank's website www.bankofindia.co.in from time to time.

J. DISCLAIMER:

Instances for providing incorrect information and/or process violation by a candidate detected at any stage of the selection process, will lead to disqualification of the candidate from the selection process and he/she will not be allowed to appear in any of the recruitment process in the future. If such instances go undetected during the current selection process but are detected subsequently, such disqualification will take place with retrospective effect. Clarifications / decisions given / to be given by the Bank, regarding this process for recruitment of Officers in General Banking Stream shall be final and binding.

Date: 01.02.2023
Place : Mumbai

(NAKULA BEHERA)
GENERAL MANAGER (HR)

FORM OF CERTIFICATE TO BE PRODUCED BY A

**CANDIDATE BELONGING TO SCHEDULED CASTE OR
SCHEDULED TRIBE IN SUPPORT OF HIS / HER CLAIM.**

**1. This is to certify that Sri / Smt / Kumari* _____ son / daughter*
of _____ of village / town* _____
in District / Division* _____ of the State / Union Territory* _____ belongs to the
_____ Caste/Tribe* which is recognized as a Scheduled Caste/ Scheduled Tribe* under :**

- * The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Order, 1950 ;
- * The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Order, 1950 ;
- * The Constitution (Scheduled Castes)(Union Territories)Orders, 1951 ;
- * The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes)(Union Territories)Order, 1951 ;

[as amended by the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes lists Modification) Order,1956; the Bombay Reorganisation Act, 1960; the Punjab Reorganisation Act 1966, the State of Himachal Pradesh Act, 1970, the North-Eastern Areas (Reorganisation)Act, 1971, the Constitution (Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes) Order (Amendment) Act,1976, The State of Mizoram Act, 1986, the State of Arunachal Pradesh Act, 1986 and the Goa, Daman and Diu (Reorganization) Act, 1987.]:

- * The Constitution (Jammu and Kashmir) Scheduled Castes Order,1956 ;
- * The Constitution (Andaman and Nicobar Islands) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1959 as amended by the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Orders (Amendment) Act, 1976 ;
- * The Constitution (Dadra and Nagar Haveli) Scheduled Castes Order, 1962 ;
- * The Constitution (Dadra and Nagar Haveli) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1962 ;
- * The Constitution (Pondicherry) Scheduled Castes Order 1964;
- * The Constitution (Uttar Pradesh) Scheduled Tribes Order,1967;
- * The Constitution (Goa, Daman and Diu) Scheduled Castes Order, 1968 ;
- * The Constitution (Goa, Daman and Diu) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1968 ;
- * The Constitution (Nagaland) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1970 ;
- * The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Castes Order, 1978 ;
- * The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1978 ;
- * The Constitution (Jammu and Kashmir) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1989 ;
- * The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Orders (Amendment)Act, 1990;
- * The Constitution (ST) Orders (Amendment) Ordinance, 1991 ;
- * The Constitution (ST) Orders (Second Amendment) Act,1991 ;
- * The Constitution (ST) Orders (Amendment) Ordinance, 1996;
- * The Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes Orders (Amendment) Act 2002;
- *The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Order (Amendment) Act, 2002;
- *The Constitution (Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes) Order (Amendment) Act, 2002;
- *The Constitution (Scheduled Caste) Order (Second Amendment) Act, 2002].

2. Applicable in the case of Scheduled Castes / Scheduled Tribes persons , who have migrated from one State / Union Territory Administration.

**This certificate is issued on the basis of the Scheduled Castes / Scheduled Tribes* Certificate issued to Shri / Smt / Kumari* _____ Father /Mother* of Sri / Smt / Kumari* _____
_____ of village / town _____ in
District/Division* _____ of the State/Union Territory* _____ who
belong to the _____ Caste / Tribe* which is recognized as a Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe* in
the State/Union Territory* issued by the _____ [Name of the authority] vide their
order No. _____ dated _____.**

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3. Shri/Smt/Kumari* _____ and/or* his/her* family ordinarily reside(s) in village/town* _____ of _____ District / Division* of the State / Union Territory* of _____

Signature _____

Designation _____

Place:

[With seal of Office]

Date :

State/Union Territory

Note : The term "Ordinarily resides" used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the Representation of the Peoples Act, 1950.

* Please delete the words which are not applicable.

Delete the paragraph which is not applicable.

List of authorities empowered to issue Caste / Tribe Certificates:

1. District Magistrate / Additional District Magistrate / Collector / Deputy Commissioner / Additional Deputy Commissioner / Deputy Collector / I Class Stipendiary Magistrate / Sub-Divisional Magistrate / Extra-Asst. Commissioner / Taluka Magistrate / Executive Magistrate.
2. Chief Presidency Magistrate / Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate / presidency Magistrate.
3. Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar.
4. Sub-Divisional Officers of the area where the candidate and / or his family normally resides.

Note : The Certificate is subject to amendment/modification of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes lists from time to time

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FORM OF CERTIFICATE TO BE PRODUCED BY
OTHER BACKWARD CLASSES APPLYING FOR APPOINTMENT
TO POSTS UNDER THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

This is to certify that Sri / Smt. / Kumari _____ son/daughter of
_____ of village/Town _____ District/Division
_____ in the State/ Union Territory _____ belongs to the
_____ community which is recognized as a backward class under the Government of
India, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment's Resolution No. _____ dated _____.
Shri/Smt./Kumari _____ and/or his/her family ordinarily reside(s) in the
_____ District/Division of the _____ State/Union Territory. This is also to
certify that he/she does not belong to the persons /sections (Creamy Layer) mentioned in column 3 of the Schedule to
the Government of India, Department of Personnel & Training OM No.36012/22/93- Estt.[SCT], dated 8-9-1993 **.

Dated :

District Magistrate
Deputy Commissioner etc.

Seal

* - the authority issuing the certificate may have to mention the details of Resolution of Government of India, in which the caste of the candidate is mentioned as OBC.

** - As amended from time to time.

Note:- The term "Ordinarily" used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the Representation of the People Act, 1950.

The Prescribed proforma shall be subject to amendment from time to time as per Government of India Guidelines.

INCOME & ASSET CERTIFICATE TO BE PRODUCED BY ECONOMICALLY WEAKER SECTIONS

Certificate No.

Date :

VALID FOR THE YEAR

This is to certify that Shri/Smt./Kumari son/daughter/wife of permanent resident of Village/Street Post Office..... District..... in the State/Union Territory Pin Code whose photograph is attested below belongs to Economically Weaker Sections, since the gross annual income* of his/her family** is below Rs. 8 lakh (Rupees Eight Lakh only) for the financial year His/her family does not own or possess any of the following assets*** :

- I. 5 acres of agricultural land and above;
 - II. Residential flat of 1000 sq. ft. and above;
 - III. Residential plot of 100 sq. yards and above in notified municipalities;
 - IV. Residential plot of 200 sq. yards and above in. areas other than the notified municipalities
2. Shri/Smt./Kumari belongs to the caste which is not recognized as a Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe and Other Backward Classes (Central List)

Signature with seal of Office

Name

Designation



*Note 1 : Income covered all sources i.e. salary, agriculture, business, profession, etc.

Note 2 :The term 'Family**' for this purpose include the person, who seeks benefit of reservation, his/her parents and siblings below the age of 18 years as also his/her spouse and children below the age of 18 years.

***Note 3 : The property held by a 'Family' in different locations or different places/cities have been clubbed while applying the land or property holding test to determine EWS status.

NOTE :-

The Income and Asset Certificate issued 'by anyone of the following authorities in the prescribed format as given above shall only be accepted as proof of candidate's claim as 'belonging to EWS : -

- (i) District Magistrate/Additional District Magistrate/ Collector/ Deputy Commissioner/Additional Deputy Commissioner/1st Class Stipendiary Magistrate/ Sub-Divisional Magistrate/ Taluka Magistrate/ Executive Magistrate/ Extra Assistant Commissioner,
- (ii) Chief Presidency Magistrate/Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/ Presidency Magistrate,
- (iii)Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar and
- (iv) Sub-Divisional Officer or the area where the candidate and/or his family normally resides.

FORM-I

Certificate of Disability

(In cases of amputation or complete permanent paralysis of limbs or dwarfism and in cases of blindness)

(Prescribed proforma subject to amendment from time to time)

(NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE MEDICAL AUTHORITY ISSUING THE CERTIFICATE)

Recent passport size attested photograph (Showing face only) of the person with disability

Certificate No. :

Date :

This is to certify that I have carefully examined

Shri/Smt./Kum. _____ son/wife/daughter of Shri _____ Date of Birth (DD / MM / YY) _____

Age _____ years, male/female _____ registration No. _____ permanent resident of House No. _____ Ward/Village/Street _____ Post Office _____

District _____ State _____, whose photograph is affixed above, and am satisfied that :

(A) he/she is a case of :

- locomotor disability
- Dwarfism
- Blindness

(Please tick as applicable)

(B) The diagnosis in his/her case is _____

(A) He/She has _____ % (in figure) _____ percent (in words) permanent locomotor disability/ dwarfism /blindness in relation to his/her _____ (part of body) as per guidelines (.....number and date of issue of the guidelines to be specified)

2. The applicant has submitted the following documents as proof of residence :-

Nature of Document	Date of Issue	Details of authority issuing certificate

(Signature and Seal of Authorised Signatory of notified Medical Authority)

Signature/Thumb impression of the person in whose favour disability certificate is issued.

FORM - II

Certificate of Disability

(In case of multiple disabilities)

(Prescribed proforma subject to amendment from time to time)

(NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE MEDICAL AUTHORITY ISSUING THE CERTIFICATE)

Recent PP size
Attested Photograph
(Showing face only)
of the person with
disability

Certificate No. :

Date :

This is to certify that we have carefully examined

Shri/Smt./Kum. _____ son/wife/daughter of Shri _____ Date
of Birth (DD / MM / YY) _____

Age _____ years, male/female _____ registration No. _____ permanent
resident of House No. _____ Ward/Village/Street _____ Post Office

_____ District _____ State _____, whose photograph is affixed above,
and am satisfied that :

- (A) He/she is a Case of Multiple Disability. His/her extent of permanent physical impairment/disability has been evaluated as per guidelines ((.....number and date of issue of the guidelines to be specified) for the disabilities ticked below, and is shown against the relevant disability in the table below :

Sr. No.	Disability	Affected Part of Body	Diagnosis	Permanent physical impairment/mental disability (in %)
1	Locomotor disability	@		
2	Muscular Dystrophy			
3	Leprosy cured			
4	Dwarfism			
5	Cerebral Palsy			
6	Acid Attack Victim			
7	Low vision	#		
8	Blindness	#		
9	Deaf	£		
10	Hard of Hearing	£		
11	Speech and Language Disability			
12	Intellectual Disability			
13	Specific Learning Disability			
14	Autism Spectrum disorder			
15	Mental-illness			
16	Chronic Neurological Conditions			
17	Multiple sclerosis			
18	Parkinson's disease			
19	Haemophilia			
20	Thalassemia			
21	Sickle Cell disease			

- (B) In the light of the above, his/her over all permanent physical impairment as per guidelines (.....number and date of issue of the guidelines to be specified), is as follows :-

In figures :- _____ percent

In words :- _____ percent

2. This condition is progressive/non-progressive/likely to improve/not likely to improve.

3. Reassessment of disability is :

(i) not necessary,

Or

(ii) is recommended / after _____ years _____ months, and therefore this certificate shall be valid till (DD / MM / YY) _____

@ - e.g. Left/Right/both arms/legs

- e.g. Single eye

£ - e.g. Left / Right / both ears

4. The applicant has submitted the following documents as proof of residence :-

Nature of Document	Date of Issue	Details of authority issuing certificate

5. Signature and Seal of the Medical Authority

Name and seal of Member	Name and seal of Member	Name and seal of Chairperson

Signature/Thumb impression of the person in whose favour disability certificate is issued.

FORM - III

Certificate of Disability

(In cases other than those mentioned in Form I and II)

(Prescribed proforma subject to amendment from time to time)

(NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE MEDICAL AUTHORITY ISSUING THE CERTIFICATE)

Recent passport size Attested Photograph (Showing face only) of the person with disability

Certificate No. :

Date :

This is to certify that I have carefully examined

Shri/Smt./Kum. _____ son/wife/daughter of Shri

_____ Date of Birth (DD / MM / YY) _____

Age _____ years, male/female _____ Registration No. _____ permanent resident of

House No. _____ Ward/Village/Street _____ Post

Office _____ District _____ State _____, whose photograph is affixed

above, and am satisfied that he/she is a Case of _____ disability. His/her extent of percentage physical impairment/disability has been evaluated as per guidelines (.....number and date of issue of the guidelines to be specified) and is shown against the relevant disability in the table below :

Sr. No.	Disability	Affected Part of Body	Diagnosis	Permanent physical impairment/mental disability (in %)
1	Locomotor disability	@		
2	Muscular Dystrophy			
3	Leprosy cured			
4	Cerebral Palsy			
5	Acid Attack Victim			
6	Low vision	#		
7	Deaf	€		
8	Hard of Hearing	€		
9	Speech and Language Disability			
10	Intellectual Disability			
11	Specific Learning Disability			
12	Autism Spectrum disorder			
13	Mental-illness			
14	Chronic Neurological Conditions			
15	Multiple sclerosis			
16	Parkinson's disease			
17	Haemophilia			
18	Thalassemia			
19	Sickle Cell disease			

(Please strike out the disabilities which are not applicable.)

2. The above condition is progressive/non-progressive/likely to improve/not likely to improve.

3. Reassessment of disability is :

(i) not necessary,

Or

(ii) is recommended / after _____ years _____ months, and therefore this certificate shall be valid till (DD / MM / YY) _____

@ - e.g. Left/Right/both arms/legs

- e.g. Single eye / both eyes

£ - e.g. Left / Right / both ears

4. The applicant has submitted the following documents as proof of residence :-

Nature of Document	Date of Issue	Details of authority issuing certificate

(Authorised Signatory of notified Medical Authority)
(Name and Seal)

Countersigned

{Countersignature and seal of the
CMO/Medical Superintendent/Head of
Government Hospital, in case the
certificate is issued by a medical
authority who is not a government
servant (with seal)}

Signature/Thumb
impression of the
person in whose
favour disability
certificate is issued.