

**No. 22/10/2013-1HR-III  
Government of Haryana  
Human Resources Department  
(Human Resources-III Branch)**

**Dated Chandigarh, the 24<sup>th</sup> November, 2022**

To

1. All the Additional Chief Secretaries/Administrative Secretaries to Government Haryana.
2. All the Heads of Departments in the State of Haryana.
3. All the Divisional Commissioners in Haryana State.
4. All the CAs/MDs of all Boards/Corporations/Public Sector Undertakings in Haryana.
5. The Registrar General of Punjab & Haryana High Court, Chandigarh.
6. All the Deputy Commissioners in the State of Haryana.
7. The Registrars of all the Universities in the State of Haryana.

**Subject: Grant of reservation to Outstanding Sports Persons and Eligible Sports Persons against Group C posts.**

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to invite your attention to Government instructions bearing No. 22/10/2013-1HR-III, dated 14.03.2022 regarding discontinuation of the benefit of horizontal reservation in direct recruitment to Eligible Sports Persons (ESP).

2. Now on reconsideration, Government has decided to grant a separate quota of 3% to eligible OSP and ESP (3% of total Group C posts advertised by the Haryana Staff Selection Commission in any given year). For this purpose, the Department of Sports and Youth Affairs, Government of Haryana shall create a separate quota and send a requisition to Haryana Staff Selection Commission for a separate recruitment drive for eligible OSP and ESP to the tune of 3% of total Group C posts advertised by the Haryana Staff Selection Commission in any given year. These quota posts will exist within selected few departments, namely,

- a) Home Department,
- b) Department of Sports and Youth Affairs,
- c) School Education Department, and
- d) Elementary Education Department.

Thus, while the calculation of number of such posts will be as 3% of total Group C posts advertised by the Haryana Staff Selection Commission, these posts will be advertised for only the selected few departments mentioned above.

3. Within this separate quota (of 3% of Group C posts advertised by H.S.S.C in a given year) for OSP and ESP, first preference will be given to Outstanding Sports Persons appointed to Group C posts under the Notification of Haryana Government, Department of Sports and Youth Affairs No. G.S.R. 4/Const./Art.309/2021 dated 26-02-2021, namely, the Haryana Outstanding Sportspersons (Group A, B, C) Service Rules, 2021.

4. Once the candidates appointed to Group C posts under Haryana Outstanding Sportspersons (Group A, B, C) Service Rules, 2021 have been accounted for, for the remaining posts in this separate quota (of 3% of Group C posts advertised by H.S.S.C in a given year), the Department of Sports and Youth Affairs shall create a separate roster register for these posts as per the existing instructions of Government of Haryana at the time, and also send a requisition to Haryana Staff Selection Commission to be advertised separately by a selection process in which only OSP and ESP candidates will be allowed to apply.

5. For the purpose of these instructions, "ESP" means a person who has obtained a Sports Gradation Certificate of Grade 'C' or above under Sports & Youth Affairs Department, Haryana's Notification dated 25.05.2018 or as amended from time to time. Similarly, "OSP" means a person who has obtained a Sports Gradation Certificate for appointment to Group 'C' post or above under Sports & Youth Affairs Department, Haryana's Notification dated 26.05.2021.

6. These instructions may please be brought to the notice of all concerned for strict compliance.

Yours faithfully,

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Superintendent Human Resources-III,  
for Chief Secretary to Government, Haryana

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A copy is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:-

1. The Secretary, Haryana Public Service Commission, Panchkula.
2. The Secretary, Haryana Staff Selection Commission, Panchkula.

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