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No. 5-1(176)/2012-PD Dated 03.11.2026

From: Joint Secretary (Admn.)

To

The Director,
CSIR-National Aerospace Laboratories,
HAL Airport Road,
Bengaluru - 560017 (Karnataka).

Sub: Admissibility of cumulative age relaxation for the post of Technical Assistant (Group 'B') in CSIR-NAL – reg.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. A-12024/06/2025-Rect. dated 22.06.2026 and subsequent letters dated 08.07.2026 and 15.07.2026 on the subject cited above, I am directed to clarify that the expression **"In addition"** in Rule 8.3 of the *CSIR Service Rules, 1994 for Recruitment of Technical & Support Staff*, as amended vide CSIR OM No. 4(01)/2013-HR-II dated 22.01.2013, means that the age relaxation admissible to SC/ST/OBC candidates is over and above the age relaxation admissible to departmental candidates under the said rule.

2. Accordingly, eligible departmental candidates belonging to SC/ST/OBC categories shall be entitled to **cumulative age relaxation**, subject to fulfilment of the conditions governing each relaxation. The eligibility of the candidates concerned may be examined accordingly.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority, CSIR.

Yours faithfully,

(Vandana Digvijay Singh)
Deputy Secretary (PD)

Encl.: As above

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Office Memorandum

Sub.: Amendment to Rule-8.3 of 'CSIR Service Rules, 1994 for Recruitment of Technical & Support Staff'

The Governing Body of CSIR in it's 181st meeting held on 04th September,2012 has approved the following amendment to 'CSIR Service Rules, 1994 for Recruitment of Technical & Support Staff':-

Existing Rule 8.3 - Relaxation	Amended Rule 8.3 - Relaxation
"Relaxation in age limit, qualification and/or experience in case of exceptionally meritorious candidates (both departmental and outsiders) would be allowed with the prior approval of DG,CSIR. In addition, relaxation for SC/ST candidates as provided by the Govt. of India will continue. However, age would be : 1. Relaxable for SCs/STs/ OBCs and certain other categories as notified by the Central Govt. from time to time. 2. Relaxable cumulatively with any other age relaxation for SCs/STs/OBCs.	"Relaxation in age limit upto 5 years may be allowed to Council/Government/ Autonomous Bodies / Public Sector Undertaking employees in accordance with the instructions and orders issued by the Government of India from time to time in this regard. In addition, relaxation for SCs/STs/OBCs and certain other categories as provided by the Govt. of India will continue. Relaxation in age limit, qualification and/or experience in cases of exceptionally meritorious candidates would be allowed with the prior approval of Director General, CSIR."

The aforesaid amendment to Rules shall come into force with immediate effect.

Hindi version follows.

(R S Antil)
Sr Dy Secretary (HR-Admn.)

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