NOTIFICATION

In terms of provisions contained under Statutes 5.6(1) of the Statutes of the University, the Vice-Chancellor, Dr. Y.S. Parmar University of Horticulture & Forestry, Nauni (Solan) is pleased to make the Recruitment & Promotion Rules for the post of Storemate, as per annexure attached to this notification, subject to ratification by the Board of Management.

(Sandeep Negi, HPAS)
Registrar

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Copy of the above is forwarded (through e-mail) to the following for information and necessary action:

1. All the Statutory Officers, Dr. YSP UHF, Nauni (Solan).
2. The Officer Incharge, Computer & Instrumentation Centre, Dr. YSP UHF, Nauni (Solan) with the request to get this notification alongwith its annexures uploaded in the University website.
3. The Assistant Controller (Audit), RSA, Dr. YSP UHF, Nauni (Solan).
4. The Assistant Registrar (Establishment-II/GAD), O/O the Registrar, Dr. YSP UHF, Nauni (Solan).
5. Personal Assistant to the Registrar, Dr. YSP UHF, Nauni (Solan).

Registrar
### Annexure-I

**RECRUITMENT & PROMOTION RULES FOR THE POST OF STOREMATE, CLASS-IV (Non-Gazetted), IN Dr. Y S Parmar University of Horticulture & Forestry, Nauni (Solan).**

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<td>1.</td>
<td>Number of posts</td>
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<td>2.</td>
<td>Classification</td>
<td>Class-IV (Non gazetted) Ministerial Services</td>
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| 3. | Pay band/scale | i) Pay scale for regular incumbents: Level-I as per HPCS (RP) Rules, 2022  
ii) Emoluments for Contract employees: ₹ 10,800/- per month [60% of ₹ 18,000 (Cell-1 in Level-I of Pay Matrix in HPCS(RP) Rules, 2022)], per month or as may be applicable in HP Government from time to time, as per details given in Column No.15-A. |
| 4. | Whether "Selection" post or "Non Selection" post: | Not Applicable |
| 5. | Age for direct recruitment | Between 18 to 45 years. |

Provided that upper age limit for direct recruits will not be applicable to the candidates already in service of the Government/University including those who have been appointed on adhoc or on contract basis;

Provided further that if a candidate appointed on adhoc basis or on contract basis had become overage on the date when he/she was appointed, as such, he/she shall not be eligible for any relaxation in the prescribed age-limit by virtue of his/her such adhoc or contract appointment;

Provided further that upper age limit is relaxable for Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribes/Other Backward Classes and Other categories of persons to the extent permissible under the general or special order(s) of the Himachal Pradesh Government.

**NOTE:** Age limit for direct recruitment will be reckoned on the first day of the year in which the post(s) is/are advertised for inviting applications or notified to the Employment Exchange, as the case may be.

|   | Minimum Educational and other qualifications required for direct recruit(s) |  
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| 7. | a) **ESSENTIAL QUALIFICATION(S):**  
Should have passed Matriculation examination from a recognized Board of School Education.  

b) **DESIABLE QUALIFICATION(S):**  
Knowledge of customs, manner and dialects of Himachal Pradesh and suitability for appointment in the peculiar conditions prevailing in the Pradesh. |

|   | Whether age and educational qualification(s) prescribed for direct recruit(s) will apply in the case of the promotee(s) |  
|---|-------------------------------------------------|   |
| 8. | Not Applicable |

|   | Period of probation, if any |  
|---|-------------------------------|   |
| 9. | (i) Two years subject to such further extension for a period not exceeding one year as may be ordered by the competent authority in special circumstances and reasons to be recorded in writing.  
(ii) No probation in case of appointment on contract basis. |
10. **Method(s) of recruitment, whether by direct recruitment or by promotion/secondment, transfer and the percentage of post(s) to be filled in by various methods**  
   100% by direct recruitment on a regular basis or by recruitment on contract basis, as the case may be.

11. **In case of recruitment by promotion/secondment/transfer, grade(s) from which the promotion/secondment/transfer is to be made**  
   Not Applicable

12. **If a Departmental Promotion/Confirmation Committee exists, what is its composition?**  
   Not Applicable

13. **Composition of Selection Committee for direct Recruitment**  
   1. Registrar - Chairman  
   2. Comptroller - Member  
   3. Dean/Director - Member  
   4. Deputy Registrar/Assistant Registrar (to be nominated by Registrar) - Member
   
   Note: The Vice-Chancellor, in addition to the existing composition of Selection Committee may endeavour as far as possible to nominate one officer of Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe Category on selection committee where the candidate(s) belonging to these categories are appearing for interview.

14. **Appointing Authority**  
   Registrar

15. **Selection for appointment to the post by direct recruitment**  
   Selection for appointment to the post in case of direct recruitment shall be made on the basis of merit of prescribed educational qualification followed by evaluation as specified in **Appendix-I** appended to these Rules.

15-A **Selection for appointment to the post by contract appointment.**

Notwithstanding anything contained in these rules, contract appointment to the post will be made subject to the terms and conditions given below:

I. **CONCEPT:**

(a) Under this column/rule, the **Storemate** in Dr. Y.S. Parmar University of Horticulture & Forestry, Nauni (Solan)-173230 (HP) will be engaged on contract basis initially for one year, which may be extendable on year to year basis.

Provided that for extension/renewal of contract period on year to year basis, the concerned Head of the Department shall issue a certificate that the service and conduct of the contract appointee is satisfactory during the year and only then his period of contract is to be renewed/extended.

(b) The selection will be made in accordance with the procedure prescribed in these R&P Rules.

II. **CONTRACTUAL EMOLUMENTS:**

The **Storemate** appointed on contract basis will be paid consolidated fixed contractual amount @ ₹ 10,800/- per month [60% of ₹ 18,000 (Cell-1 in Level-1 of Pay Matrix in HPCS(RP) Rules, 2022)] or as may be applicable in HP Government, from time to time.
III. APPOINING/DISCIPLINARY AUTHORITY:

The Registrar, Dr. V.S. Parmar University of Horticulture and Forestry, Nauni (Solan)-173230 (HP) will be the appointing authority and disciplinary authority.

IV. SELECTION PROCEDURE:

Selection for appointment to the post in case of direct recruitment shall be made on the basis of merit of prescribed educational qualification followed by evaluation as specified in Appendix-I appended to these Rules.

V. COMMITTEE FOR SELECTION OF CONTRACTUAL APPOINTMENTS:

As prescribed in the Recruitment & Promotion Rules for the respective post.

VI. AGREEMENT:

After selection of a candidate, he/she shall sign an agreement as per Appendix-II appended to these Rules.

VII. TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

(a) The contractual appointee will be paid fixed contractual amount @ ₹ 10,800/- per month [60% of ₹ 18,000 (Cell-1 in Level-1 of Pay Matrix in HPCS(RP) Rules, 2022)] or as may be applicable in HP Government, from time to time.

(b) The service of the contract appointee will be purely on temporary basis. The appointment is liable to be terminated in case the performance/conduct of the contract appointee is not found satisfactory.

(c) The contract appointee will be entitled for one day’s casual leave after putting one month’s service, 10 days’ medical leave and 05 days’ special leave, in a calendar year. A female contract appointee with less than two surviving children may be granted maternity leave for 180 days’. A female contract appointee shall also be entitled for maternity leave not exceeding 45 days’ (irrespective of the number of surviving children) during the entire service, in case of miscarriage including abortion, on production of medical certificate issued by the authorized Government Medical Officer. A contract employee shall not be entitled for medical reimbursement and LTC etc. No leave of any other kind except above is admissible to the contract appointee.

Provided that the un-availed casual leave, medical leave and special leave can be accumulated upto the calendar year and will not be carried forward for the next calendar year.

(d) Unauthorized absence from the duty without the approval of the Controlling Officer shall automatically lead to the termination of the contract. However, in exceptional cases where the circumstances for un-authorised absence from duty were beyond his/her control on medical grounds, such period shall not be excluded while considering his/her case for regularization but the incumbent shall have to intimate the controlling authority in this regard well in time. However, the contract appointee shall not be entitled for contractual amount for this period of absence from duty:

Provided that he/she shall submit the certificate of illness/fitness issued by the Medical Officer, as per prevailing instructions of the Government.

(e) An official appointed on contract basis who have completed three years tenure at one place of posting will be eligible for transfer on need based basis wherever required on administrative grounds.
(f) Selected candidate will have to submit a certificate of his/her fitness from a Government/Registered Medical Practitioner or from Medical Officer of the University. Women candidate pregnant beyond 12 weeks will stand temporarily unfit till the confinement is over. The women candidate will be re-examined for fitness from an authorized Medical Officer/Practitioner.

(g) Contract appointee will be entitled to TA/DA if required to go on tour in connection with his/her official duties at the same rate as applicable to regular counterpart official at the minimum of pay scale.

(h) Provisions of service rules like FR, SR, Leave Rules, GPF Rules, Pension Rules & Conduct Rules etc. as are applicable in case of regular employees will not be applicable in case of contract appointees. The Employees Group Insurance Scheme as well as EPF/GPF/CPS will also not be applicable to contract appointee(s).

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<td>17.</td>
<td>Reservation</td>
<td>The appointment to the service shall be subject to orders regarding reservation in the service for Scheduled Castes/Schedules Tribes/Other Backward Classes/other categories of persons issued by the Himachal Pradesh Government, from time to time.</td>
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<td>18.</td>
<td>Departmental Examination</td>
<td>Not applicable.</td>
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<td>19.</td>
<td>Power to relax</td>
<td>In genuine cases, where the Selection Committee is of the opinion that it is necessary or expedient to do so, it may by order for reasons to be recorded in writing can refer such matters to the Vice-Chancellor for relaxation any of the provision of these rules with respect to any class or category of persons or post(s).</td>
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<th>Evaluation of candidate to be made in the following manner:</th>
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<td>ii. Land less family/family having land less than 1 Hectare to be certified by the concerned Revenue Authority</td>
<td>02 Mark</td>
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<td>iii. Non-employment Certificate to the effect that none of the family members is in Government/Semi Government service.</td>
<td>02.50 Mark</td>
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<td>iv. Differently abled persons with more than 40% impairment/disability/infirmity</td>
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<td>v. NSS (atleast one year), certificate holders in NCC/The Bharat Scout and Guide. Medal winner in National level sports competitions.</td>
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<td>vi. BPL family having family annual income (from all sources) below Rs.40,000/- or as prescribed by the Government from time to time.</td>
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Form of contract/agreement to be executed between the Storemate and Dr. Y.S. Parmar University of Horticulture & Forestry, Nauni (Solan)-173230 (HP) through __________________________ (Designation of appointing authority).

This agreement is made on this ___________ day of ___________ in the year ___________ between Shri/Smt. ___________ S/O D/O Shri ___________ R/O __________________________ contract appointee (hereinafter called the FIRST PARTY) and Dr. Y.S. Parmar University of Horticulture & Forestry, Nauni (Solan)-173230 (HP) through __________________________ (Designation of the Appointing Authority), Dr. Y.S. Parmar UHF, Nauni (here-in-after the SECOND PARTY).

Whereas, the SECOND PARTY has engaged the aforesaid FIRST PARTY and the FIRST PARTY has agreed to serve as a Storemate on contract basis on the following terms & conditions:

1. That the FIRST PARTY shall remain in the service of the SECOND PARTY as a Storemate for a period of one year commencing on day of ___________ and ending on the day of ___________. It is specifically mentioned and agreed upon by both the parties that the contract of the FIRST PARTY with SECOND PARTY shall ipso-facto stand terminated on the last working day i.e. on ___________ and information notice shall not be necessary.

Provided that for further extension/renewal of contract period, the Head of the Department shall issue a certificate that the service and conduct of the contract appointee was satisfactory during the year and only then the period of contract is to be renewed/extended.

2. The contractual amount of the FIRST PARTY will be Rs.10,800/- per month or as may be applicable in HP Government, from time to time.

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IN WITNESS the FIRST PARTY and SECOND PARTY have herein to set their hands the day, month and year first, above written.

IN THE PRESENCE OF WITNESS:

1. 
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   ________________________________
   (Name and Full Address) (Signature of FIRST PARTY)

2. 
   ________________________________
   ________________________________
   (Name and Full Address)
   (Signature of SECOND PARTY)

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