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Government of India
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change

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Dated: the 16th August, 2024

To,

The One Hundred and Nine (109) no. of candidates of IFS Exam, 2023
(as per list annexed).

Sub: Offer of appointment to the Indian Forest Service on the basis of the result of Indian Forest Service Examination, 2023 (Batch-2024) - reg.

Sir / Madam,

I am directed to offer you appointment to the Indian Forest Service (hereinafter referred to as IFS) in the Junior Scale: Level 10 in the Pay Matrix of 7thCPC (Pay Band-3 of Rs. 15600-39100 plus Grade Pay Rs. 5400/-) on the basis of the results of the IFS Examination conducted by the Union Public Service Commission in 2023.

2 The terms and conditions of the service are laid down in the Rules and Regulations framed from time to time under the All India Services Act, 1951 (hereinafter referred to as AIS). You will be governed by those Rules and Regulations. Some of these terms and conditions are summarized below for your guidance: -

I. ALLOCATION:

Under the rules of the Service you have been allocated to the State/Joint Cadres of the IFS and will mostly be required to serve under the concerned State Government or the Central Government. The Government, however, retains the right to require you to serve anywhere in India or abroad; whether under the Central Government, any State Government or Public Enterprise or a local body substantially owned or controlled by the Central or a State Government.

II. PROBATION:

You will be on probation for a period of two years from the date of joining and will be required to undergo such training and pass such examination(s) as may be prescribed. The Central Government may, however, extend the period of probation further. Failure to pass the prescribed examinations, or to complete the period of probation to the satisfaction of the Central Government will, on the other hand, render you liable to discharge from the service as prescribed in the rules and only if you are already in Government service to reversion to your substantive post, if any, under the Central or State Government on which you may be holding a lien.

III. OTHER CONDITIONS:

You will be subjected to such further conditions of service or to modifications in the existing conditions of service as may be made applicable to officers of the IFS, from time to time. Your attention is also invited to the guidelines issued by the Ministry vide Office Memorandum No.17012/01/2021-IFS-II dated 15-07-2022 regarding acceptance of offer of appointment, extension to join IFS, Year of allotment etc. as may be applicable.

IV(1) AGREEMENT :

On appointment, you will be required to execute an agreement in the prescribed form binding yourself and one surety, jointly and severally, to refund, in the event of your failing to complete probation to the satisfaction of the Central Government, all money paid to you consequent upon your appointment as a Probationer. In the event of your accepting this offer of appointment and joining Lal Bahadur Shastri National Academy of Administration (LBSNAA), Mussoorie / Indira Gandhi National Forest Academy (IGNFA), Dehradun you will have to execute the Agreement and deliver the same to the Director of the Academy for onward transmission to this Ministry.

IV (2) DECLARATION ABOUT MARRIAGE:

Under Rule 5 of the IFS (Recruitment) Rules, 1966, a person having more than one spouse living is not eligible for appointment to the IFS. The Central Government may, however, if satisfied that such marriage is permissible under the personal law applicable to him/her or the other party to the marriage, and there are other grounds for so doing, exempt any person from the operation of this provision. This offer is, therefore, conditional on your signing a declaration in the prescribed form and submitting to the Director, IGNFA, Dehradun, at the time of your joining the Academy for training. In case you have more than one spouse living and you wish to be exempted from the operation of the said provisions, you may furnish the full particulars of your case to this Ministry immediately to enable the Government of India to take a decision in the matter.

IV (3) DECLARATION ABOUT CLOSE RELATIONS:

On appointment, you will be required to furnish information about your close relations in the prescribed form in duplicate and deliver the same to the Director, IGNFA, Dehradun at the time of joining the Academy for training.



IV(4) DECLARATION ABOUT MOVABLE, IMMOVABLE AND VALUABLE PROPERTY:

You shall also furnish information **within forty-five days** in respect of movable, immovable and valuable property in accordance with the provision of Rule 16(1) of AIS (Conduct) Rules, 1968 (in duplicate) and deliver the same to the Director of the Academy.

3. Matters relating to conditions of service for which there is no provision in the Rules and Regulations referred to above shall be regulated in the case of an officer serving under the Central Government, by the Rules and Regulations applicable to officer of the Central Civil Service Group 'A' and in the case of an officer working under the State Government, by the Rules and Regulations applicable to the officers of the State Service Class-I under the State Government concerned.

4. The information provided in this letter for guidance to the prospective new entrants to the service cannot be made the basis of any rights by the appointee and all matters relating to the various conditions of service referred to above shall be governed by the statutory rules and regulations on the subject and the orders of the Central or the State Government, as the case may be.

5. PLEASE NOTE FURTHER THAT:

1. In accordance with Rule 13 of IFS (Appointment by Competitive Examination) Regulations, 1967, the offer of appointment is subject to the satisfaction of Central Government with regard to:
 - (a) Verification of Character & Antecedents by the competent authority.
 - (b) Verification of original degree/post graduate degree certificates, Caste Certificate (if applicable) if not already done by the UPSC.
2. In case, at any stage, it is found that any Certificate/Document/Testimonial etc. as furnished by you having a bearing on your eligibility is not in order, then your appointment is liable to be cancelled forthwith without prejudice to any punitive action under the relevant rules.
3. "The appointment is provisional and is subject to the Income and asset certificate being verified through the proper channels and if the verification reveals that the claim to belong to EWS is fake/false the services will be terminated forthwith without assigning any further reasons and without prejudice to such further action as may be taken under the provisions of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita for production of fake/false certificate."
4. The provisions of Rule 8 of IFS (Probation) Rules, 1968, as amended from time to time may also be noted that "no probationer in the service shall, during the period of training at the Indira Gandhi National Forest Academy, Dehradun, appear in either the Civil Services Examination, or in any other examination for appointment to the Central or State Service by open competitive examination."



6. Attention is drawn to proviso to Rule 3(3)(i) of IFS Seniority Rules, 1997 which is extracted below:

“3(3). The year of allotment of an officer appointed to the Service after the commencement of rules shall be as follows:

- i. the year of allotment of a direct recruit officer shall be the year following the year in which the competitive examination was held:

Provided that if direct recruit officer is permitted to join probationary training under Sub-rule (1) of Rule 6 of the IFS (Probation) Rules, 1968 with the direct recruit officers of subsequent year of allotment, then he/she shall be assigned that subsequent year as the year of allotment.”

7. The candidate who fail to join in the designated Academy on time, he/she will not be permitted to join the Course at a later date. Such candidates will, however, if permitted to join along with the candidates of the next batch, i.e. 2024 Examinees (batch-2025), his/her year of allotment will be in accordance with details at para 6 above.

8. Please convey through a single e-mail about your acceptance to this offer of appointment and your decision regarding either extension of one year to join service with the subsequent batch or exemption from attending the 99th Combined Foundation Course (FC), whichever you wish to avail, **latest by 19.08.2024** failing which no request will be considered thereafter. In all correspondence **(at the e-mail address: ifs@nic.in)** with the Ministry you are required to indicate the title of the Examination prominently as the "Subject" and **also indicate your Roll Number, Rank, Name, before the text of the letter, to ensure' promptness in dealing with the matter.**

9. You must report for joining the service/training at training institutes assigned by the Lal Bahadur Shastri National Academy of Administration (LBSNAA) on the day designated by LBSNAA as per their training schedule. Detailed instructions with regard to joining Foundation Course / Professional Course will be issued separately by LBSNAA / IGNFA. You are directed to keep checking your e-mail / official website of Indian Forest Service i.e. **www.ifs.nic.in** and LBSNAA**www.lbsnaa.gov.in** and IGNFA **http://www.ignfa.gov.in** for further updates in this regard. Further, you are also directed to contact and request the Director, LBSNAA/IGNFAA as the 99th Combined Foundation Course (FC) is tentatively scheduled to be held from 26th August, 2024.

10. This issues with the approval of Competent Authority.

Yours faithfully



(Mahendra Yadaw)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

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e-mail: ifs@nic.in.

Copy for information to: -

1. The Director, Indira Gandhi National Forest Academy (IGNFA), P.O. New Forest, Dehradun with the request to nominate them for attending 99thFC.
2. The Secretary, Union Public Service Commission, Dholpur House, Shahjahan Road, New Delhi-110003 for information & further n.a.
3. The Director, Lal Bahadur Shastri National Academy of Administration (LBSNAA), Mussoorie, with the request to allow them to join the 99th FC.
4. The Director (AIS), DoPT, North Block, New Delhi.
5. NIC, MoEF&CC, New Delhi – for uploading on the IFS website www.ifs.nic.in **and also for e-mailing to concerned candidates/offices.**

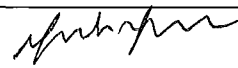


ANNEXURE


List of One Hundred and Nine (109) No. of candidates of IFS Exam, 2023 as under:

S. No.	Rank No.	Roll_No	Name of Candidate
1	1	854468	RITVIKA PANDEY
2	2	3903335	KALE PRATIKSHA NANASAHEB
3	3	853188	SWASTIC YADUVANSHI
4	4	6630295	PANDIT SHIRIN SANJAY
5	5	846696	VIDYANSHU SHEKHAR JHA
6	6	212019	ROHAN TIWARI
7	7	301789	KAVYA Y S
8	8	1907277	ADARSH G
9	9	4100422	PANKAJ CHOUDHARY
10	10	1518913	SHASHANK BHARDWAJ
11	12	1800939	SANA FAYAZ
12	13	1529728	MEDHA SINHA
13	14	5202694	ANKAN BOHARA
14	15	868744	PRINCE KUMAR SINGH
15	16	801836	PRACHI GUPTA
16	17	856301	PATOLIYA RAJ BHIKHUBHAI
17	18	3900058	KRUPA A JAIN
18	19	803449	SHUBHAM VATS
19	21	2633769	AMITEJ PANGTEY
20	22	1033488	POTUPUREDDI BHARGAV
21	23	1416304	VINEET KUMAR
22	25	832156	SAHIL
23	26	804866	PRIYA AGGARWAL
24	27	1212916	JATIN BABU S
25	28	6306425	GAURAV
26	29	415659	AKSHAT PANDEY
27	30	401980	HEMANT PRATAP SINGH
28	31	307681	CHINNA VISHWANATH BHUSARADDI
29	32	6800430	JIGYASU AGRAWAL
30	33	7302147	SOWMYA R A
31	34	6310945	ABHISHEK SANGWAN
32	35	6120680	RAJAT KUMAR SINGH
33	36	814610	LABDHI JAIN
34	37	813325	SINGHAL YASH CHANDRAPRAKASH
35	38	6314049	HIMANSHU

36	39	6315792	SWETA
37	40	706468	ARNAB SAMANTARAY
38	41	4119645	NITISH PRATIK
39	42	335396	PANDURANG S KAMBALI
40	43	802671	PATEL MITULKUMAR ASHWINBHAI
41	44	1042111	MANNEM AJAY KUMAR
42	45	327675	THEJAS N
43	46	801904	RAMANDEEP SINGH
44	47	817525	YADAV MRUGAJA JALINDAR
45	48	4900067	PARAKH SARDA
46	49	844896	INAMDAR ABHISHEK AJIT
47	54	334336	SOURABH KUMAR JAT
48	55	841349	ANURAG BABEL
49	56	813560	EKAM SINGH
50	57	6611455	KUNAL MISHRA
51	58	823533	ATUL TIWARI
52	59	413994	AKSHAY JAIN
53	60	7800887	AMAN GUPTA
54	61	1314322	SANKET ADHAO
55	62	5602025	BHARATH PRADEEV D
56	64	1204761	GOVINTHRAM A
57	65	800188	NIHAL CHAND
58	66	302860	SHASHIKUMAR S L
59	67	2400909	DHINO PURUSHOTHAMAN
60	68	1511926	DIWAKAR SWAROOP
61	69	839421	RONEN SINGH
62	70	6629915	SHINDE SAYALI SATISH
63	71	1101624	SANCHIT VIJAY
64	72	5100366	RAJESH KUMAR
65	75	831130	HARVEER SINGH JAGARWAR
66	76	6500359	KADAM AKASH DHANAJI
67	77	5908277	PRADHUMN SINGH BHITTU
68	79	1220260	VINOTH A R
69	80	1138405	SUMIT DHAYAL
70	84	1527289	SUSHANT KUMAR
71	86	7100123	SHRAWAN LAL
72	87	1214896	VIGNESH S A
73	88	1502803	GAURAV KUMAR
74	89	1419898	VIPUL GARG
75	92	4901877	DHARMENDRA PATEL



76	93	1302751	HINGE HARSHAD PANDURANG
77	94	4110608	RAHUL KUMAR
78	97	1542277	AKASH KUMAR
79	98	1214651	BHUVANESH N R
80	99	6601822	MAMILE KUNAL MAHARUDRA
81	101	856506	ADITYA RANA
82	102	7805132	ANUBHAV JAIN
83	103	859873	RAHUL J PATIL
84	104	841778	P R SARBAJIT
85	105	1125163	PAWAN KUMAR MEENA
86	106	8202037	KOLLI ANUSHA
87	107	864169	ASEEM
88	108	820148	NIHAL NANECHA
89	109	1028225	BONTHALA SAI VINOD KRISHNA
90	112	808548	RAJAN KUMAR
91	117	7301678	CHAKRADHAR S
92	119	5702499	AQUIB JAMAL E
93	120	322115	CHIDHANANDA H V
94	122	1704224	SHIVANI SINGH
95	125	620381	RIMITA SAHA
96	126	312363	AKSHAY DILIP LAMBE
97	127	859573	SHUBHAM KANOUIA
98	129	5203388	SAURABH RAI RATHORE
99	132	330223	SANDEEP C
100	133	870036	RAVINDRA KUMAR VERMA
101	134	6305574	GAUGIN GYANENDRA SINGH
102	138	854429	HAOBIJAM DEVSHREE DEVI
103	139	843357	PRADEEP KUMAR
104	140	1133137	AJAY SINGH MEENA
105	141	2617853	YUKTA MEENA
106	142	301222	ANIRUDH KATTIMANI
107	143	868680	RAHUL RAJ
108	144	806278	HIMANSHU KUMAR
109	145	870045	KHANDRE RAMANAND KISHANRAO


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