No.PER(AP)-C-B(15)-3/2024-Loose
Government of Himachal Pradesh
Department of Personnel (AP-III)

Dated: Shimla-171002, the 30th June, 2026

From

The Pr. Secretary (Personnel) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh.

To

1. All the Administrative Secretaries to the Government of Himachal Pradesh.
2. All the Divisional Commissioners in Himachal Pradesh.
3. All the Head of Departments in Himachal Pradesh.
4. All the Deputy Commissioners in Himachal Pradesh
5. All the Chairmen/Managing Directors/Secretaries & Registrars of all the Public Sector Undertakings/ Corporations/Boards/Universities, etc. in H.P.

Subject: Reservation for Economically Weaker Sections (EWSs) in Class-I, II, III & IV posts (now Group-A, B, C & D) in direct recruitment in the services of the State Government.

Madam/Sir,

I am directed to refer to the subject cited above and to say that the State Government has provided reservation to the Economically Weaker Sections (EWSs) in Class-I,II,III & IV posts (now Group-A,B,C & D) in direct recruitment, in the services of the State Government, vide No.PER(AP)-C-B(12)-1/2019, dated 11.06.2019. These instructions provide that the family of regular/contract employees of the Central Government, State Government, Boards, Corporations and autonomous bodies and Public Sector Undertakings etc. shall be excluded from being identified as Economically Weaker Section (EWS).

2. The State Government has issued Trainee and Job Trainee schemes for engagement of workforce vide instruction No. PER(AP)-C-B(15)-3/2024-Loose, dated 14.05.2025 and PER(AP)-C-B(15)-3/2024, dated 19.07.2025, respectively. After careful consideration, it has now been decided that the family of Trainee/Job Trainee engaged under respective schemes shall also be excluded from being identified as Economically Weaker Section (EWS).

3. Therefore, the para-3.1(iv) of the instructions issued vide Department of Personnel's letter No. PER(AP)-C-B(12)-1/2019, dated 11.06.2019 is modified as under:-

iv. "Family of Regular/Contract employees/Trainee/Job Trainee of the Central Government, State Government, Boards, Corporations and autonomous bodies and Public Sector Undertakings etc."

4. These instructions may be followed strictly and also brought to the notice of all concerned under your control for strict compliance.

Yours faithfully,

(Sant Raj Puharta)
Deputy Secretary (Personnel) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh.
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HIMACHAL PRADESH, LALPANI, SHIMLA-171001

Directorate of School Education
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Copy is forwarded for information and necessary action to:-

1. The Pr. Secy.(Personnel) to the Govt. of H.P. w.r.t. letter No. PER(AP)-C-B(15)-3/2024-Loose, dated 30th June, 2026.
2. The Additional Director (Schools), Directorate of School Education, H.P. Shimla-1.
3. The Joint Director (Schools), Directorate of School Education, H.P. Shimla-1.
4. The Joint Controller (F&AS), Directorate of School Education, H.P. Shimla-1.
5. The District Attorney, Directorate of School Education, H.P. Shimla-1.
6. All the Nodal/Branch Officer, Directorate of School Education, Shimla-1.
7. All the Deputy Director of Education (Elementary/Secondary/Quality) in Himachal Pradesh with the directions that these instructions also be brought to the notice of all concerned under their jurisdiction.
8. The Assistant Controller (F&AS), Directorate of School Education, H.P. Shimla-1.
9. All the Branch Superintendent/Incharge, Directorate of School Education H.P. Sml-1.
10. The Section Officer (F&AS), Directorate of School Education, H.P. Shimla-1.
11. The In-charge, IT Cell, Directorate of School Education, Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-1 with the remarks to upload the same on departmental website.
12. P.S. to Director School Education, Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-01.
13. All the P.A. to Additional Director (Admn), Dte. of School Education, H.P.Shimla-1
14. Guard file.

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