

**CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, WESTERN COMMAND  
PIN- 908543, C/O 56 APO  
DRAFT EMPLOYMENT NOTICE**

1. Applications on prescribed format are invited for the post of CSBO (Civilian Switch Board Operator) Gde-II, Group 'C' from citizens of India on probation for a period of two years followed by permanent absorption subject to found suitable during the probation period, with all India service liability of the following stations **Patiala, Dalhousie, Ferozepur, Delhi & Yol Cantt**. Applications completed in all respect alongwith all the requisite documents, duly attested be forwarded to **9 Corps Signal Regiment PIN- 176052, Yol Cantt (Dharmshala), Himachal Pradesh**.
2. **Pay Band**. Rs 21,700/- + allowances (Level -3, Cell-1) as per new pay matrix of 7<sup>th</sup> CPC.
3. Details of Vacancies:-

SC	ST	OBC	UR	UR			Total	Remarks
				EWS	PHC	ESM		
04	01	04	05	02	-	01	17	Appointing authority reserves all the rights for Change in No of vacancies.

4. **Qualifications:-**
- (a) Essential (i) Matric or equivalent from recognized Board.  
(ii) Proficiency in handling Private Board Exchange (PBX) board.
- (b) Desirable (i) Fluency in spoken English and Hindi.
5. **Terms of engagement:-**
- (a) New entrants to Government service, entering on or after 01 Jan 2004 are governed by National Pension System.
- (b) The appointment will be on probation for a period of two years followed by permanent absorption subject to found suitable during the probation period.
- (c) As per the Govt orders retention of Govt servant beyond 55 yrs of age/30 yrs of qualifying service (whichever is applicable) will be carried out by screening committee, if found suitable. Govt servants whose integrity is doubtful will not be retained.
- (d) If found suitable for retention, the Government servant will retire from service on attaining age of 60 years.
- (e) The candidate will disqualify for Govt Service in case he or she has more than one spouse living.

6. **Age limit:-**
- (a) Between 18 to 25 yrs.
- (b) Extent of age concession:-
- (i) OBC - Three years over and above the prescribed age limit.
- (ii) SC & ST - Five years.
- (iii) PHC - Ten years (15 years for SC/ST and 13 years for OBC)
- (iv) Ex- Servicemen - Service rendered in Army, Navy and Air Force plus three years.
- (c) Cut off date for determining age will be last date of receipt of application. The age relaxation will be applied only in case candidate produce valid caste certificates.

7. **Photographs**. One recent passport size photograph (not more than three months old) is to be pasted on the space earmarked in the application duly Self attested. Two additional photographs duly self attested (on front side) are to be attached separately with application.

8. **Closing date for receipt of applications**. 30 days from the date of publication of this advertisement in newspapers.

9. **Scheme of Examination**. The selection will be made strictly on the basis of merit which will be decided as per marks obtained in Written Test comprising of 100 Marks. Applicants shortlisted for written test will also have to undergo a skill test which will be of qualifying in nature and carries no separate marks.

(a) **Written Test**. The written Test will comprise of Four parts as given below:-

Ser No	Paper	Remarks
(i)	Paper-I	General Intelligence & Reasoning (Objective Multiple Choice Type).
(ii)	Paper-II	General Awareness (Objective Multiple Choice Type).
(iii)	Paper-III	General English (Objective Multiple Choice Type).
(iv)	Paper-IV	Numerical Aptitude (Objective Choice Type).

**Note:-**The question paper will be bilingual i.e English and Hindi. However, the question of English Language subject will be in English only. No extra weightage will be given for additional/ extra/ higher qualification for recruitment.

- (b) **Skill Test**. Skill test will be conducted to check candidate's proficiency in handling exchange operation and this will be conducted for qualifying purpose only.
- (c) If the number of applications received in response to the advertisement are large and it is not convenient or possible to arrange the examination for all the candidates, the selection board reserves the right to restrict the number of candidates to a reasonable limit on the basis of percentage of marks obtained in the prescribed minimum essential qualification i.e Matric or equivalent.

10. **Important instructions for the Applicants:-**

- (a) Merely fulfilling the basic selection criteria does not automatically entitle a person to be called for test.
- (b) Only shortlisted candidates based on performance in written examination (Top Ten or Ten times of number of vacancies in each category will be called for **Skill test by the selection board**).
- (c) The date of written test and skill test will be intimated to eligible applicants only.
- (d) Persons working in Central/State Govt/PSU must apply through proper channel alongwith the certificate from their establishment that no disciplinary action is contemplated/pending against them and that they have no objection to release them in case of selection.
- (e) The selection board shall not be responsible for any postal delay/failure.
- (f) The candidates must clearly super-scribe "**APPLICATION FOR THE POST OF CSBO GDE-II**" on the top of the envelope in capital letters. The reserved category candidates should also write their category on the left hand corner of the envelope.
- (g) Candidates applying for the post must enclose following supporting documents:-
- (i) Self attested copies of Birth certificate (Matriculation Certificate/Mark Sheet can be produced in lieu).
- (ii) Educational Qualification/Technical Qualification.
- (iii) Experience certificate
- (iv) Residential Certificate.
- (v) Caste Certificate in support of their claim of belonging to the reserve category.
- (vi) Two Self addressed envelopes duly affixed postage stamp of Rs 10/- on each envelope must be enclose with the application.
- (h) Applications with following deficiencies will be rejected summarily and no correspondence in this regard will be entertained.
- (i) Incomplete or unsigned application and without Left/Right Thumb Impression on application form.
- (ii) Late receipt of application i.e after closing date.
- (iii) Submission of supporting documents without duly self attested.
- (iv) Non submission of two additional photographs duly self attested and mismatch of submitted photographs.
- (v) Non submission of self addressed 12 x 24 cms envelopes duly affixed postal stamp of Rs. 10/- on each.
- (vi) Mismatch information filled in application with regards to their supporting documents.
- (j) The application can be filled by the candidates either in English or Hindi.
- (k) For any enquiry individual may contact Tele No **01892234117 (Civil Help Line No) Mob No 9805025556, Naib Subedar RP Singh (9402424564) and Subedar Naib Singh (9149490980) (Enquiry between 0800hrs to 1400hrs)**.
- (l) No TA/DA will be paid for appearing in the test.
- (m) Candidates should be prepared to come to **Yol Cantonment (Dharmshala) (HP)** (station) for a stay of 4-5 days under own arrangements.