

**NOTIFICATION**  
**Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation**  
**Gandhinagar**  
**Dated the 30/12/2017**

**GMC/MXM/R.N.148/R.R./14583/2017**

No..... :- In exercise of the powers conferred by the sub section (3) of section 457 of the Gujarat Provincial Municipal Corporation Act, 1949 and insupersession of all the rules made in this behalf, the Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation hereby makes the following rules to provide for regulating recruitment to the post of Legal Officer, class III, in the Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation, namely:-

1. (a) These rules may be called the Legal Officer, class III, in the Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation Recruitment Rules 2017.  
(b) They shall come into force at once.
2. Appointment to the post of Legal Officer, class III, in the Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation shall be made by direct selection.
3. To be eligible for appointment by direct selection to the post mentioned in rule - 2, a candidate shall -
  - (a) not be less than 18 years and not be more than 40 years of age;

Provided that the upper age limit may be relaxed in favour of a candidate belonging to Scheduled Castes or Scheduled Tribes or Socially and Educationally Backward Classes or Economically Weaker Sections or Women in accordance with the provisions of the sub rule (2) of rule 8 of the Gujarat Civil Services Classification and Recruitment (General) Rules, 1967.

Provided further that the upper age limit shall not apply to the candidate who is already in the service of the Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation either as a permanent or temporary servant or previously working in the notified area office, Gandhinagar and absorbed in the Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation and appointed on the regular pay scale and he is officiating continuously for six months or more.

Provided further that the upper age limit may also be relaxed in favour of a candidate who is working in the Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation on contract basis atleast for a period of not less than six months at the time of his application for direct selection and he is in the service of Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation on the date of offer of appointment to the post, in the event of his selection on the post, to the extent of equal number of months for which service has been put in by him.

- (b) possess a degree in Law (special) or degree in Law (integrated) (five years course after Higher Secondary School Certificate Examination) of any of the Universities established or incorporated by or under the Central or State Act in India or any other educational institution recognized as such or declared to be a deemed university under section 3 of the University Grants Commission Act, 1956;
- (c) (i) enrolled the bar council as an advocate and practicing in the High Court or District Court or City Court at Ahmedabad or family Court or Small Cause Court or Industrial Court of atleast two years, or  
(ii) have atleast two years experience of legal matters in Government, or staff working of the establishment of High Court or any court subordinate thereto or staff of office of the Government pleader of the High Court or City Civil Court or District Court, or  
(iii) have atleast two years experience of legal matters in local body or limited company established under the companies Act, 2013,

Explanation: For consideration of above experience; the combined or separate experience shall take into consideration.

- (d) possess the basic knowledge of computer application as prescribed in the Gujarat Civil Services Classification and Recruitment (General) Rules, 1967,
- (e) have sufficient knowledge of Gujarati so as to enable him to speak, read and write in Gujarati and to translate with ease from Gujarati into English and vice-versa. Such knowledge shall be certified –  
(i) in case of an advocate practicing in the High Court, by the Registrar General and in case of an advocate practicing in Courts

subordinate to the High Court, by the concerned Principal Judicial Officer, in case of advocates practicing in the District Courts, Courts in the city of Ahmedabad or by the Principal District Judge of the district concerned or Principal Judge, City Civil Court/Family Court or Chief Judge, Small Cause Court, Ahmedabad or Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Ahmedabad or President, Industrial Court, Ahmedabad, as the case may be.

(ii) a member of staff, by the Head of the Office under whom such candidate is working.

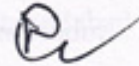
**Explanation:** Practice certificate shall be issued by the Registrar General, High Court of Gujarat, in case of Advocates practicing in the High Court, and in case of Advocates practicing in the District Courts or City Civil Courts at Ahmedabad, such certificate shall be issued by the Principal District Judge or Principal Judge, City Civil Court/Family Court or Chief Judge, Small Cause Court, Ahmedabad or Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Ahmedabad or President, Industrial Court, Ahmedabad, or in case of Advocates practicing in the Court subordinate High Court, such certificate shall be issued by the concerned court, as the case may be.

4. Notwithstanding anything contained in any rules, a candidate selected by direct recruitment shall be appointed on contract basis for five years on such terms and conditions as prescribed by the Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation.
5. A candidate appointed under rule 4 shall be given the prescribed pay scale of the post of Legal Officer, class III, after completion of contractual period, on his performance being found satisfactory during the stipulated period of service on contract basis.
6. A candidate appointed under rule 4, shall during the stipulated period of service on contractual basis, be required to pass the CCC examination for computer knowledge as prescribed in Gujarat Civil Services Computer Competency Training and Examination Rules, 2006 or the examination for

computer knowledge as may be prescribed by the Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation.

7. A candidate appointed in accordance with rule-4 shall, after regular appointment, be required to pass an examination of Hindi or Gujarati or both, as the case may be, in accordance with the rules prescribed by the Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation.
8. A candidate appointed either by direct selection or by promotion shall have to undergo such training and to pass such examination as may be prescribed by the Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation.
9. A candidate appointed by direct selection shall be required to furnish a security and surety bond in such form, for such amount and for such period as may be prescribed by the Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation.

By order and in the name of the Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation.



Commissioner

Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation.



**NOTIFICATION**  
**Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation**  
**Gandhinagar**  
**Dated the 21/10/2020**

GMC/MXM/F.N.148/R.R./12863/2020

No..... :- In exercise of the powers conferred by the sub section (3) of section 457 of the Gujarat Provincial Municipal Corporation Act, 1949, the Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Legal Officer, class III, in the Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation Recruitment Rules, 2017, namely:-

1. These rules may be called the Legal Officer, class III, in the Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation Recruitment (Amendment) Rules, 2020.
2. In the Legal Officer, class III, in the Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation Recruitment Rules, 2017, (hereinafter referred to as "the said rules"), in preamble, in rule 1, in rule 2 and in rule 5, for the words, "**Legal Officer, class III**", wherever they occur, the words, "**Legal Assistant**", shall be substituted.
3. In the said rules, in rule 8, for the words, "**either by direct selection or by promotion**", the words, "**by direct selection**", shall be substituted.

By order and in the name of the Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation.

  
Commissioner

Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation.



The Gujarat  
Provincial  
Municipal  
Corporations Act,  
1949