

West Bengal Police Recruitment Board Araksha Bhawan (5th floor), 6th Cross Road, Block -DJ, Salt Lake City, Kolkata - 700 091

RECRUITMENT TO THE POSTS OF SUB-INSPECTOR/SUB-INSPECTRESS (UNARMED BRANCH) AND SERGEANT IN KOLKATA POLICE – 2023

NOTICE

No. WBPRB/NOTICE - 2023/29 (SI_KP-23)

Applications are invited from eligible Indian citizens having following eligibility criteria for recruitment to the posts of Sub-Inspector/Sub-Inspectress (Unarmed Branch) and Sergeant in Kolkata Police – 2023.

Eligibility Criteria: -

1. <u>Age</u>: - The applicant must not be less than 20 (twenty) years old and must not be more than 27 (Twenty Seven) years old as on 01.01.2023. Upper age limit shall be relaxed by 05 (five) years for the candidates belonging to the categories of Scheduled Castes (SC) & Scheduled Tribes (ST) and by 03 (three) years for the candidates belonging to the categories of Other Backward Classes (OBC) and by 03 (three) years in case of Transgender person.

Upper age limit is also relaxable upto **35** (thirty five) years for departmental candidates of Kolkata Police only having requisite qualification. The upper age limit shall further be relaxed for the departmental candidates by **05** (five) years in case of Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe candidates and by **03** (three) years in case of Other Backward Classes candidates.

10% of total vacancies are reserved for Economically Weaker Sections.

Transgender persons are eligible to apply for the posts of Sub-Inspector of Police (Unarmed Branch) only. "Transgender person" means a transgender person as defined in clause (k) of section 2 of the 'Transgender Persons (Protection of Rights) Act, 2019 (40 of 2019).

- **2.** <u>Educational Qualifications</u>: The applicant must have a bachelor's degree in any discipline from a recognized university or its equivalent.
- 3. <u>Language</u>:- (i) The applicant must be able to speak, read and write Bengali Language. However, this provision will not be applicable to the persons who are permanent residents of hill sub-divisions of Darjeeling and Kalimpong Districts. (ii) For the applicant of hill sub-divisions of Darjeeling and Kalimpong District, the provisions laid down in the West Bengal Official language Act, 1961 (24 of 1961) will be applicable.
 - Applicants must visit the websites of West Bengal Police (https://wbpolice.gov.in) or Kolkata Police (www.kolkatapolice.gov.in) or West Bengal Police Recruitment Board (https://prb.wb.gov.in) to ascertain the eligibility criteria in detail, method of selection, application and/or Processing fees, scheme of examination, procedure for submission of application and other terms & conditions.

Application Form must be submitted through **on-line** only during the period from **29.08.2023 (00:01 hrs.)** to **18.09.2023 (till 23:59 hrs.)** for which the link will be available in the above mentioned websites.

Applicants are advised to read the 'Information to Applicants' before applying. An editing window will be available for the applicants want to edit/rectify their personal information already submitted in their Application Form for 07 (seven) days w.e.f. 21.09.2023 (00:01 hrs.) to 27.09.2023 (till 23:59 hrs.). To edit the personal information, the applicant will have to provide (i) His/Her Application Sl. No. or Registered Mobile Number and (ii) Date of Birth (DOB) as entered in the Application Form. On providing these information, the applicant will get an OTP to their Mobile Number. On successful verification of OTP the applicant will be allowed to edit his/her information (except permanent State). Applicants can change their category but change from non-paying category (SC & ST) to paying category (UR, EWS, OBC-A & OBC-B) [Application Fees] will not be allowed.

The selection process by the West Bengal Police Recruitment Board is transparent and purely merit based. Hence, the candidates are advised to beware of the unscrupulous elements, racketeers, touts who may misguide them with false promises of getting them selected for the job on illegal consideration.