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**GOVERNMENT OF GOA****Goa State Council of Educational Research and Training****Notification**

GSCERT/ADM/Framing RRs Posts/118/2025/11194

Date : 28-Apr-2026

In exercise of the powers conferred by rule 17 of the Rules of Goa State Council of Educational Research and Training (GSCERT) and with the previous approval of Government, the Executive Committee of the Goa State Council of Educational Research and Training hereby makes the following

Regulations, to regulate the method of Recruitment and Conditions of the Service of Officers and staff of the Council and all other matters incidental thereto.

1. *Short title, application and commencement.*— (1) These regulation may be called the Goa State Council of Educational Research and Training (Recruitment Rules and Conditions of the Service) Regulations, 2026.

(2) They shall apply to posts specified in column (2) of the Schedule to these regulations (hereinafter called as the “said Schedule”).

(3) They shall come into force from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. *Definitions.*— In these regulations unless the context otherwise requires.—

(a) “Rules” means the Rules of Goa State Council of Educational Research and Training,

(b) ‘State’ means the State of Goa,

(c) ‘Government’ means the Government of Goa,

(d) “Council” means the Goa State Council of Educational Research and Training,

(e) The ‘Executive Committee’ means the Executive Committee of Goa State Council of Educational Research and Training,

(f) The ‘President’ means the President of the Executive Committee of Goa State Council of Educational Research and Training,

(g) The ‘Chairperson’ means the Chairperson of Goa State Council of Educational Research and Training,

(h) The ‘Director (GSCERT)’ means the Director of Goa State Council of Educational Research and Training,

(i) “Regulations” means the regulations made by the Council,

(j) “Schedule” means Schedule appended to the regulations.

Words and expressions used herein but not defined but defined in the Rules, shall have the same meaning respectively assigned to them in the Rules.

3. *“Constitution of Service”.*— The service shall consist of the following persons namely:—

(a) Persons recruited to the service before the commencement of these rules, and

(b) Persons recruited to the services in accordance with the provisions of these rules.

4. *Method of recruitment, number, classification and level in the pay matrix etc.*— The number of posts, classification of the said posts, level in the pay matrix, method of recruitment, age, etc. of the various posts in the Council shall be as specified in the said Schedule.

Provided that the Executive Committee, with prior approval of the Government, may vary the number of posts specified in column (3) of the said Schedule from time to time subject to exigencies of work.

5. *Appointment to the service.*— All appointments to the service on the commencement of these regulations for the posts of Professor, Associate Professor, Assistant Professor, Principal, Vice Principal, Senior Lecturer, Lecturer and Examination Co-ordinator, shall be made by the Chairperson of the Governing Council of GSCERT and for the posts of Programme Officer (IT), Technical Assistant (IT), Network Engineer (Hardware), Programme Assistant (Software), Audio-Video Editor, Librarian Grade I, Librarian Grade II, Laboratory Assistant, Junior Engineer (Civil), shall be made by the President of the Executive Committee of GSCERT and no such appointment shall be made except after selection by one of the methods of recruitment as specified in the said schedule.

6. Composition of Departmental Selection Committee and the Departmental Promotion Committee for various posts shall be as specified by way of Orders from time to time.

7. *Interpretation.*— If any question arises relating to the interpretation of these regulations, it shall be referred to the Government whose decision thereon shall be final.

8. *Disciplinary Authorities.*— (a) In case of Professor, Associate Professor, Assistant Professor, Principal, Vice Principal, Senior Lecturer, Lecturer and Examination Co-ordinator, Chairperson of the Governing Council of GSCERT shall be the Disciplinary Authority.

(b) In the case of Programme Officer (IT), Technical Assistant (IT), Network Engineer (Hardware), Programme Assistant (Software), Audio-Video Editor, Librarian Grade I, Librarian Grade II, Laboratory Assistant, Junior Engineer (Civil), President of Executive Committee of the Council shall be the Disciplinary Authority.

(c) In case of the person who has been appointed by transfer on deputation in the Council from other Departments, the Council shall forward its inquiry report to the Government/concerned employer to initiate disciplinary proceedings against such person.

(d) Every appeal against the order passed by the disciplinary authority, in case of officers mentioned at point 8(b) of the Council, shall be made to the Chairperson of the Governing Council of GSCERT. Whereas, every appeal against the order passed by the disciplinary authority, in case of officers/officials mentioned at point 8(a) of the Council, shall be made to the Chief Minister. If Chief Minister happens to be the Minister-in-charge of the Department, where the penalties are imposed by Chief Minister, then the appeal shall be made to the Governor.

(e) The inquiring authority shall have powers to issue notices to the witnesses or the concerned persons, as the case may be. He shall also compel them to appear before him to produce evidence or the records and conduct the inquiry as per the procedure laid down in the Central Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1965.

9. *Other service conditions of Employees of the Council.*— With regard to matters not specifically covered by or under these Regulations, including the service conditions shall be governed by Law, Rules and Regulations or norms as applicable to the State Government employees, in general, in so far as these are not inconsistent with or repugnant to these Regulations.

10. *Disqualification.*— No person who has entered into or contracted a marriage with a person having a spouse living or who, having a spouse living, has entered into or contracted a marriage with any person, shall be eligible for appointment to the service:

Provided that the Council may, if satisfied that such marriage is permissible under the personal law applicable to such person and the other party to the marriage and that there are other grounds for so doing, exempt any person from the operation of this provision with the approval of the Government.

11. *Power to relax.*— Where the Executive Committee is of the opinion that it is necessary or expedient so to do, it may, by order, for reasons to be recorded in writing and with the approval of the Government, relax any of the provisions of these regulations with respect to any class or category of persons.

12. *Saving.*— Nothing in these regulations shall affect reservation, relaxation of age limit and other concessions required to be provided for Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Other Backward Classes, Ex-servicemen and other special categories of persons in accordance with the orders issued by the Government from time to time in that regard.

For and on behalf of the Council.

Meghana Shetgaonkar, Director/Member Secretary (GSCERT).

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SCHEDULE

Serial No.	Name/ /Designation of the post	Number of posts	Classifi- cation	Level in the Pay Matrix	Whether selection post or non- selection post	Age limit for direct recruits	Educational and other qualifications required for direct recruits	Whether age and educational qualifications prescribed for the direct recruits will apply in the case of promotees	Period of probation, if any	Method of recruitment, whether by direct recruitment or by promotion or by deputation/ /absorption and percentage of the vacancies to be filled by various methods	In case of recruit- ment by promotion/ /deputation/ /absorption, grades from which promotion/ /deputation/ absorption is to be made	If a D.P.C./ /D.S.C. exist, what is its composition
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
1.	Professor.	05 (2026) (Subject to variation depending on workload).	Group 'A'.	Level- 14.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	By Deputation.	Deputation: Professor from Teachers Training College OR Associate Professor of Teacher Training College having Ph.D. degree in Education or relevant discipline with 15 years of total regular service.	Group 'A', D.S.C.
2.	Associate Professor.	13 (2026) (Subject to variation depending on workload).	Group 'A'.	Level- 13A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	Age: No. Educational Qualifica- tions: To the extent as indicated in column No. (12).	N.A.	By promotion, failing which, by deputation.	Promotion: Assistant Professor with: 1. Twelve years of regular service in the grade. 2. A Ph.D. degree in Education or relevant discipline. 3. Completed two courses/programmes from amongst the categories of	Group 'A', D.P.C./ D.S.C.

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											Refresher Courses/ /Research or Teaching Methodology Workshop/Syllabus Up-gradation Workshop/Teaching- -Learning-Evaluation Technology Progra- -mme/Faculty Devel- -opment Programme of at least one week (five days);		
											OR		
											3. Completed one MOOCs course (with e-certification);		
											<i>Deputation:</i> Associate Professor from Teachers Training College		
											OR		
											Assistant Professor of Teacher Training College having Ph.D. degree in Education or relevant discipline with 10 years of total regular service.		
											OR		
											Principal of Higher Secondary School with 8 years service.		



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4. Vice Principal.	01 (2026) (Subject to variation depending on workload).	Group 'A'.	Level-12.	Selection.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	By promotion, failing which, by deputation.	<i>Promotion:</i> Senior Lecturer with 5 years service in the grade and having completed two of the Courses/Programmes from among the categories of Refresher Courses/Research Methodology Course/Workshops/Syllabus Up Gradation Workshop/Teaching-Learning-Evaluation/Technology Programmes/Faculty Development Programme/Syllabus Up-gradation Workshop/Teaching-Learning-Evaluation/Technology Programmes/Faculty Development Programmes of at least two weeks (ten days) duration (or completed two courses of at least one week (five days) during the service in the grade of Senior Lecturer.	Group 'A', D.S.C./D.P.C.
											<i>Deputation:</i> Principal of Higher Secondary School with 5 years service.	
											OR	
											Headmaster of High School with 8 years service.	

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5. Senior Lecturer.	06 (2026) (Subject to variation depending on workload).	Group 'A'.	Level-Selection.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	By promotion, failing which, by deputation.	<p><i>Promotion:</i> Lecturer with five years service in the grade and having completed one of the Courses/Programmes from among the categories of Refresher Courses/Research Methodology course/Workshops/Syllabus Up Gradation Workshop/Teaching-Learning-Evaluation/Technology Programmes/Faculty Development Programme/Syllabus Up-gradation Workshop/Teaching-Learning-Evaluation/Technology Programmes/Faculty Development Programmes of at least two weeks (ten days) duration (or completed two courses of at least one week (five days) during the service in the grade of Lecturer.</p> <p><i>Deputation:</i> Headmaster of the School/Vice Principal of Higher Secondary School with 5 years regular service in the grade.</p>	Group 'A', D.S.C./ DPC.

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6. Assistant Professor.	10 (2026) (Subject to variation depending on workload).	Group 'A'.	Level-10.	N.A.	Not exceeding 45 years (Relaxable for the employees of the Council and Government Servants upto five years).	Essential: (1) At least 55% marks or an equivalent grade at the Master's degree in Education from an Indian University or an equivalent degree from a foreign University. (2) At least 55% marks or equivalent grade at Master's Degree in the relevant subject from an Indian University or an equivalent degree from a foreign University. (3) Must have Cleared National Eligibility Test (NET) OR State Eligibility Test (SET) OR similar test accredited by the UGC OR have been awarded Ph.D. Degree in accordance with University Grants Commission (Minimum Standards and Procedure for	N.A.	Two years.	50% by direct Recruitment and 50% by deputation, failing which, by direct recruitment.	Deputation: Assistant Professor from Teachers Training College. OR Headmaster of High School/Vice Principal of Higher Secondary School. OR Teacher Grade I with 5 years regular Service in the grade OR Asstt. Teacher with 8 years regular service in the grade.	Group 'A', D.S.C.	

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7. Lecturer.	17 (2026) (Subject to variation depending on workload).	Group 'A'.	Level- 10.	N.A.	Not exceed- ing 45 years (Relaxable for the employ- ees of the Council and Govern- ment Servants upto five years).	<i>Essential:</i> (1) At least 55% marks or an equivalent grade at the Master's degree in Education from an Indian University or an equivalent degree from a foreign University. (2) At least 55% marks or equiva- -lent grade at Master's Degree in the relevant subject from an Indian University or an equivalent degree from a foreign University. (3) Must have Clea- -red National Eligibility Test (NET) OR State Eligibility Test	N.A.	Two years.	50% by direct recruitment and 50% by deputation, failing which, by direct recruitment.	<i>Deputation:</i> Assistant Professor from Teachers Training College. OR Headmaster of High School/Vice Principal of Higher Secondary School. OR Teacher Grade I with 5 years regular Service in the grade OR Asstt. Teacher with 8 years regular service in the grade.	Group 'A', D.S.C.	
							Award of Ph.D. Degree), Regu- -lation 2009 or 2016. (4) Knowledge of Konkani. <i>Desirable:</i> (1) Ph.D. in the relevant subject. (2) Knowledge of Marathi.					



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9. Programme Officer (IT).	02 (2026) (Subject to variation depending on workload).	Group 'B'.	Level-7.	Selection. Not exceeding 45 years (Relaxable for the employees of the Council and Government Servants upto five years).	<i>Essential:</i> (1) Degree in Engineering from a recognized University in the branch of Information Technology. OR (1) Master's Degree in Computer Applications/ /Master of Science (Information Technology). (2) Three years' experience in the relevant field. (3) Knowledge of Konkani. <i>Desirable:</i> Knowledge of Marathi.	N.A.	Two years. By failing which, by direct recruitment.	<i>Promotion:</i> Programme Assis- -tant (Software)/ /Network Engineer (Hardware)/ /Technical Assistant (IT), with 5 years regular service in the grade.	Group 'B', D.S.C./ /D.P.C.			
10. Technical Assistant (IT).	03 (2026) (Subject to variation depending on workload).	Group 'C'.	Level-6.	Selection. Not exceeding 45 years (Relaxable for the employees of the Council and Government Servants upto five years).	<i>Essential:</i> (1) Degree in Engineering from a recognized University in the branch of Information Technology/ /Computer. OR (1) Master's Degree in Computer Applications/ /Master of Science in Information Technology.	N.A.	Two years. By direct recruitment.	N.A.	Group 'C', D.S.C.			

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						(2) Knowledge of Konkani. <i>Desirable:</i> Knowledge of Marathi.						
11. Network Engineer (Hardware).	01 (2026) (Subject to variation depending on workload).	Group 'C'.	Level-6.	N.A.	Not exceeding 45 years (Relaxable for the employees of the Council and Government Servants upto five years).	<i>Essential:</i> (i) Degree in Engineering or Technology from a recognized University in the branch of Information Technology/ /Electronics and Telecommunication. (ii) Knowledge of Konkani. <i>Desirable:</i> Knowledge of Marathi.	N.A.	Two years.	By direct recruitment.	N.A.	Group 'C', D.S.C.	
12. Programme Assistant (Software).	01 (2026) (Subject to variation depending on workload).	Group 'C'.	Level-6.	N.A.	Not exceeding 45 years (Relaxable for the employees of the Council and Government Servants upto five years).	<i>Essential:</i> (i) Master degree in Computer Science/Computer Application/ /Master of Science (Information Technology). (ii) Knowledge of Konkani. <i>Desirable:</i> Knowledge of Marathi.	N.A.	Two years.	By direct recruitment.	N.A.	Group 'C', D.S.C.	

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13. Librarian Grade I.	02 (2026) (Subject to variation depending on workload).	Group 'C'.	Level- 5.	Selection. Not exceed- ing 45 years (Relaxable for the employ- ees of the Council and Govern- ment Servants upto five years).	<i>Essential:</i> (1) Bachelor Degree in Library & Information Science of a recognised University or its equivalent. (2) Three years experience in a Library recog- -nised by the Government. (3) Knowledge of Konkani.	N.A.	Two years.	50% by promotion, failing which, by direct recruitment and 50% by direct recruit- ment.	<i>Promotion:</i> Librarian Grade-II with five years regular service in the grade.	Group 'C', D.S.C./ D.P.C.		
14. Junior Engineer (Civil).	01 (2026) (Subject to variation depending on workload).	Group 'C'.	Level- 5.	Selection. Not exceed- ing 45 years (Relaxable for the employ- ees of the Council and Govern- ment Servants upto five years).	<i>Essential:</i> (1) Degree or Diploma in Civil Engineering, from a recognised University/ /Institutions. (2) Knowledge of Konkani. <i>Desirable:</i> Knowledge of Marathi.	N.A.	Two years.	By direct recruitment.	N.A.	Group 'C', D.S.C.		

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15. Audio-Video Editor.	02 (2026) (Subject to variation depending on workload).	Group 'C'.	Level-4.	N.A.	Not exceeding 45 years (Relaxable for the employees of the Council and Government Servants upto five years).	<p><i>Essential:</i></p> <p>i) Bachelor's degree from recognized University.</p> <p>b) Diploma in Graphics/ Animations/ Video Editing.</p> <p>ii) Minimum two years of relevant experience in reputed media organizations/ industry/ Educational TV.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>i) Graduate degree in Media Production and Management/Mass Communication.</p> <p>ii) Minimum two years of relevant experience in reputed media organizations/ industry/ Educational TV.</p> <p>iii) Knowledge of Konkani.</p> <p><i>Desirable:</i></p> <p>i) Experience of development and dissemination of media/IT content.</p> <p>ii) Experience of working with media/ICT for education.</p> <p>iii) Knowledge of Marathi.</p>	N.A.	Two years.	By direct recruitment.	N.A.	Group 'C', D.S.C.	

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16. Librarian Grade II.	01 (2026) (Subject to variation depending on workload).	Group 'C'.	Level- 4.	N.A.	Not exceed- ing 45 years (Relaxable for the employ- ees of the Council and Govern- ment Servants upto five years).	<i>Essential:</i> (1) Bachelor Degree in Library & Information Science of a recognised University or its equivalent. (2) Knowledge of Konkani. <i>Desirable:</i> Knowledge of Marathi.	N.A.	Two years.	By direct recruitment.	N.A.	Group 'C', D.S.C.	
17. Laboratory Assistant.	01 (2026) (Subject to variation depending on workload).	Group 'C'.	Level- 4.	N.A.	Not exceed- ing 45 years (Relaxable for the employ- ees of the Council and Govern- ment Servants upto five years).	<i>Essential:</i> (1) Degree in Science from a recognised University or equivalent. (2) Knowledge of Konkani. <i>Desirable:</i> Knowledge of Marathi.	N.A.	Two years.	By direct recruitment.	N.A.	Group 'C', D.S.C.	

V. No. PAS012605650/2026.

**Department of Home**

Home-General Division

**Notification**

9/10/2025-HD(G)/1283

Date : 22-Apr-2026

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 59 of the Prisons Act, 1894 (Central Act 9 of 1894) and all other powers enabling it in this behalf, the Government of Goa hereby makes the following rules so as to further amend the Goa Prisons Rules, 2021 as follows, namely:—

1. *Short title and commencement.*— (1) These rules may be called as the Goa Prisons (Second Amendment) Rules, 2026.

(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. *Substitution of rule 663.*— In the Goa Prisons Rules, 2021 (hereinafter referred to as the “principal Rules”), for rule 663 the following rule shall be substituted, namely:—

“663. The provisions of this rule may be relaxed in the case of prisoners willing to receive help from the local Discharged Prisoners' Aid Society on release, and for habitual and police registered prisoners.”.

3. *Amendment of rule 1341.*— In rule 1341 of the principal Rules, for Clause (1) the following clause shall be substituted, namely:-

“(1) Prisoners suffering from contagious and infectious disease such as leprosy, tuberculosis etc., upon obtaining the medical opinion from the specialized Medical Officer for such sicknesses.”.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

*Manthan Manoj Naik*, Under Secretary (Home-I).

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**Department of New and Renewable Energy****Order**

1-1/2020/Admn/DNRE/2026-27/58

Date : 04-May-2026

Sanction of the Government is hereby accorded for the creation of 06 (six) posts and the revival of 04 (four) posts, as detailed in the table below, in the Department of New and Renewable Energy.

Sr. No.	Designation of Post	Pay Level	Proposal for creation of Posts	Proposal for revival of Posts
5	Assistant Engineer	Level-7	01	-
7	Accountant(Deputation from Directorate of Accounts cadre)	Level-6	01	-
9	Junior Engineer (NRE)	Level-5	02	-
10	Upper Division Clerk	Level-4	-	01
11	Investigator(Deputation from DPSE)	Level-4	01	-
12	Lower Division Clerk	Level-2	-	02
13	Driver	Level-2	01	-
14	Peon/MTS	Level-1	-	01
	Total		06	04

This issues with the approval of the Administrative Reforms Department vide U.O. No. 5399/F dated 02-09-2025, the Personnel Department vide U.O. No. 7074/F dated 14-10-2025, and the Finance Department vide U.O. No. 12077/F dated 02-03-2026, and in pursuance of the decision taken by the Council of Ministers at Table Item No. 9 of the One Hundred and First Cabinet Meeting held on 22-04-2026 at 12:00 noon.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Shri *Sohan A. Uskaikar*, GCS, Director, NRE & ex officio Jt. Secretary.

Panaji.



### Department of Power

Office of the Chief Electrical Engineer



#### Order

CEE/Elect/Tech/Solar-1/2026-27/06

Date : 29-Apr-2026

Subject: Extension of solar energy tariff validity for balance agreement period for existing grid connected Solar PV system

Power Purchase Agreements (PPA) are executed between Electricity Department, Goa & respective Solar producers cum consumer (Prosumer) for all the grid connected solar PV systems installed in the State.

As per JERC Net Metering Regulations, 2019, “the validity of PPA is 25 years from the date of commercial operation of the plant” and solar feed-in tariff does not change during this period. However, the validity period of solar feed-in tariff of certain earlier executed PPAs was limited to 5 years.

In order to ensure uniformity of governing conditions for all prosumers within the State, the validity period of solar feed-in tariff of all earlier PPAs (where tariff validity is presently limited to 5 years) stands extended for the balance agreement period up to 25 years in alignment with “JERC Net Metering Regulations, 2019”.

This issues with the approval of the Government vide reference No. 5465/F dated 23-04-2026.

*Stephen Fernandes*, Chief Electrical Engineer & ex officio Additional Secretary.

Panaji.



### Department of Tribal Welfare

Directorate of Tribal Welfare



#### Notification

1-349-2025-26/ADMN/DTW/Part-I/503

Date : 27-Apr-2026

Read: “Financial Assistance for Construction, Re-construction and Repairs of house under Atal Asha Yojana”.

Whereas, the Government has notified a scheme “Financial Assistance for Construction/Re-construction and Repairs of house under Atal Asha Yojana” vide Notification No. DTW/STAT/PC/2012-13/51/5879 notified in Official Gazette, Series I No. 41 dated 09-01-2014, amended Notification No. DTW/STAT/PC/2012-13/51/3316 notified in Official Gazette, Series I No. 14 dated 2-07-2015, amended Notification No. DTW/STAT/PC/2012-13/51/2014 notified in Official Gazette, Series I No. 32 dated 05-11-2015, amended Notification No. DTW/STAT/PC/2017-18/51 notified in Official Gazette, Series I No. 45 dated 08-02-2018, amended Notification No. 1-349-2018-19/ADMN/DTW/Part-I/6896 notified in Official Gazette, Series I No. 39 dated 27-12-2018, amended Notification No. 1-349/2018-

19/ADMN/DTW/Part/7287 notified in Official Gazette, Series I No. 42 dated 17-01-2019 and amended Notification No. 1-349/2019-20/ADM/DTW/Part-I/24 notified in Official Gazette, Series I No. 4 dated 23-04-2020 & No. 1-349-2025-26/ADMN/DTW/Part-I/929 notified in Official Gazette, Series I No. 10 dated 5th June, 2025.

And whereas, Government desires to revise the existing scheme namely Atal Asra Yojana, to read as under:—

1. *Introduction.*— Housing is one of the basic requirements of human survival. Own house provides significant economic and social security and status in the society. Cost of construction/reconstruction/repairs of housing has gone very high in the State of Goa. There are many tribal families who do not have Pucca house and many others do not even have their own house. Therefore, need is arisen to extend further financial assistance over and above the assistance provided by any of the State or Central Government scheme. However, Assistance under the scheme will be processed and decided from case to case independently. This scheme shall be continued to be called as “Atal Asra Yojana”.

2. *Objectives.*— The objective of the scheme is to provide financial assistance for construction, reconstruction and repairs of houses to ST population which is in addition and irrespective to the amount already sanctioned under any of the State and Central Government Scheme.

3. *Eligibility Criteria.*— (a) The scheme will be applicable to any individual from Scheduled Tribes community of Goa, State of Goa having Family Income upto Rs. 5.00 Lakhs p.a. for Repairs, Reconstruction and New construction.

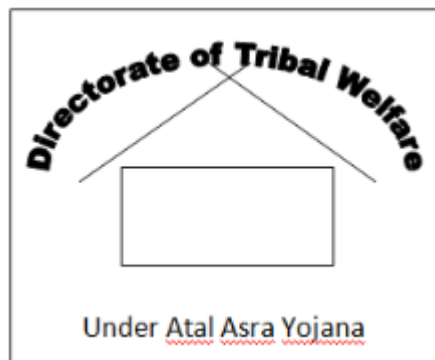
(b) Family Income Certificate issued by V. P. Secretary or by Chief Officer of concerned Municipal Council in case of Municipal jurisdiction showing family income upto Rs. 5.00 Lakhs p.a. for Repairs, Reconstruction and New construction from all sources shall be required for the scheme, for the purpose of this scheme, family means father/mother/spouse/unmarried son and unmarried daughter. However, if the son is major of age married and is residing separately, he should not be considered as the part of the family for the purpose of income of the family.

4. *Benefit under the scheme.* (a) (i).— Financial Assistance will be provided for Construction of new house/Re-construction of existing house of Rs. 5.00 lakhs and for repairs of existing house upto Rs. 3.00 lakhs. Amount shall be disbursed in two installments i.e. 75% and 25% through direct benefit transfer.

No second time sanction shall be given to same applicant (if the applicant is owner of more than one house) or for same house with same number or to applicant’s family members (family members those who are included in applicant’s ration card).

(ii) License fees for the purpose of issue of construction or re-construction license under the scheme will be exempted to the beneficiaries subject to maximum of Rs. 1,050/- (Rupees one thousand fifty only) for which area of house falls in the jurisdiction of Village Panchayat and Rs. 3,000/- (Rupees three thousand only) for which area of house falls in the jurisdiction of Municipalities. However, Village Panchayat/Municipalities may submit their claim/bill along with license copy and sanction order to the Director of Tribal Welfare for the reimbursement of license fees on the amount sanctioned under Atal Asra Yojana Scheme.

(b) The Prescribed Logo of the scheme titled “Atal Asra Yojana” shall be as under: PRESCRIBED LOGO Size: Length:2 feet Breadth: 1.5 feet



5. *Priority in selection of beneficiaries.*— The priority for selection of beneficiary target group coming under any of the following:—

- (a) BPL families will be considered on first priority.
- (b) Household headed by widow or unmarried or divorcee women.
- (c) Physically disabled person.
- (d) Household affected by flood, fire and other natural calamities.
- (e) Forest dwelling applicant.
- (f) Others.

6. *Condition of sanction.*— (a) Construction of the House in accordance with the plan, prepared by the registered Engineer/Architect/Contractor who are registered under PWD/GSIDC/Government Departments or Autonomous bodies etc.

(b) Under this scheme every beneficiary shall be eligible for benefits maximum to the extent indicated in clause 4 of the scheme.

(c) Applicant seeking financial assistance for the construction of house should be owner of the land on which he plans to construct house or should have irrevocable NOC of the landlord or should produce evidence to prove that he is Mundkar or any other evidence that can be accepted by the under the scheme.

(d) Applicant seeking financial assistance for the re-construction of house shall produce the house tax receipt on his own name or irrevocable NOC from the house owner, Form I & XIV and declaration of the relationship of the family member whose name is reflected in Form I & XIV.

(e) Applicant seeking financial assistance for the repairs of house shall produce the house tax receipt on his own name or irrevocable NOC from the house owner.

7. *Submission of application & procedure for sanctioning amount.*— (a) Application in the Prescribed Form along with the required documents shall be submitted in the Office of Directorate of Tribal Welfare & Office of Deputy Director Tribal Welfare (South) .

(b) Application should be supported with the detailed estimate of the construction/reconstruction or of the repairs of the existing house in respect of which financial assistance is sought.

(c) Estimate generally should be prepared for New Construction, Re-construction & Repairs by registered Engineer/Architect/Contractor who are Registered under PWD/GSIDC/Government Departments or Autonomous bodies etc. However, for repair estimate shall be accepted if it is prepared by local mason/local contractor.

(d) Affidavit in prescribed proforma.

(e) All the relevant documents mentioned in the Application Form.

8. *Procedure of Verification of the Application.*— (a) After receipt of the application complete in all respect, Field Assistant of Directorate of Tribal Welfare shall verify the correctness of the application and submit the verification report as prescribed under the scheme. It shall be ensured that no columns should be left blank in the application form.

(b) Field Assistant of Directorate of Tribal Welfare shall forward the application along with documents and verification report for sanctioning.

9. *Sanction of the benefit.*— (a) Directorate of Tribal Welfare shall sanction the application after scrutiny. 75% of the sanctioned amount shall be released in the form of First installment and balance 25% shall sanctioned in the form of 2nd Installment.

10. *Procedure to release of 2nd installment.*— (a) After release of 1st installment the beneficiary shall utilize the amount within the period of two years. Applicant shall put the logo prescribed under the scheme

on the front side or prominent place of the house after completion of the Construction/Reconstruction/Repairs of the house and apply for final installment along with Utilization of 1st installment, completion certificate & two photographs in the Directorate of Tribal Welfare.

(b) After receipt of application for release of final installment, Field Assistant of Directorate of Tribal Welfare shall do the inspection of said house and shall submit inspection report, utilization certificate of 1st installment, Completion certificate issued by registered Engineer/Architects/Contractor who are registered in PWD/GSIDC/Government Department/Autonomous bodies etc., logo Certificate, two Photographs (one photograph for logo along with the applicant and second photograph of the site of work undertaken for Repairs/Re-construction/New construction). The 2nd/final installment of 25% of the sanctioned amount shall be released to beneficiary through Direct Benefit Transfer by the Directorate of Tribal Welfare.

(c) If in case of death of applicant after utilization of 1st installment, next kin of deceased shall apply for 2nd/final installment.

(d) If incase the beneficiary does not utilize the 1st installment within period of 2 years then the Directorate of Tribal Welfare shall recover the amount released from the beneficiary.

(e) If the beneficiary has utilized the 1st installment and does not apply for 2nd installment within period of 2 year, then the beneficiary shall not be eligible for 2nd installment. However, the beneficiary shall submit the utilization certificate of 1st installment failing which the amount sanctioned as 1st installment shall be recovered from the beneficiary by the Directorate of Tribal Welfare.

(f) All the beneficiaries who were sanctioned and released 1st installment of 75% under the existing scheme shall be eligible for 2nd installment of 25% as per earlier sanction i.e. Rs. 37,500/- incase of house repair and Rs. 75,000/- incase of construction/re-construction under the revised scheme on submission of utilization certificate of 1st installment, Completion certificate issued by registered Engineer/Architects/Contractor who are registered in PWD/GSIDC/Government Department/Autonomous bodies etc., logo Certificate, two Photographs (one photograph for logo along with the applicant and second photograph of the site of work undertaken for Repairs/Re-construction/New construction).

(g) The amount available with the Goa Scheduled Tribe Finance and Development Corporation in respect of the beneficiaries sanctioned before revised scheme came into the force shall be deposited in the State Treasury within 30 days and the Saving Account opened in the Bank in respect of Atal Asra Yojana shall be closed.

11. *Evaluation of the scheme.*— The scheme namely “Financial Assistance for construction/Re-construction and Repairs of house under Atal Asra Yojana” will be implemented for the further period of three years from the date of publication of this Notification in the Official Gazette.

12. *Removal of difficulties & Relaxation.*— Government shall be empowered to remove any difficulties arising out of implementation of this Scheme and also empowered to relax any or all clauses or conditions of the scheme in genuine cases or case to case basis for release of financial assistance under the scheme.

13. Application form is as per Annexure “A”.

The Revised scheme shall come into force from the date of publication of this notification in the Official Gazette.

This has been issued with Administrative Approval of the Government vide U.O. No. 136/F dated 09-02-2026 and the concurrence of Finance (Exp.) Department vide U.O. No.1400059025 dated 16-04-2026.

By order and in the name of Governor of Goa.

*Nilesh Dhaigodkar*, Director of Tribal Welfare & ex officio Jt. Secretary.

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## “Annexure A”

**GOVERNMENT OF GOA**  
**DIRECTORATE OF TRIBAL WELFARE**  
**PANAJI - GOA**

**Application for availing Financial Assistance under “Atal Asra Yojana”**

- For Construction of New House  
 For Re- construction of Existing House  
 For Repairs to existing House

1. Full Name (in block letters)

Surname: \_\_\_\_\_

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Middle Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Affix a self-  
attested  
Passport size  
Photograph

2. Father's/Husband Name: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Permanent Address for correspondence:

i. House No. \_\_\_\_\_

ii. Ward No./ Street/ Road/ Ward name: \_\_\_\_\_

iii. City/Town/Village: \_\_\_\_\_

iv. VP/Municipality: \_\_\_\_\_

v. Taluka: \_\_\_\_\_ vi. District: \_\_\_\_\_

vii. Assembly Constituency: \_\_\_\_\_

viii. State: \_\_\_\_\_ ix. Pin Code: \_\_\_\_\_

x. Telephone/Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_ xi. Email: \_\_\_\_\_

5. Date of Birth (DD/MM/YYYY): \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

6. Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ District: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

7. Gender (Tick Appropriate): Male/Female

8. Nationality: Indian Marital Status (Tick Appropriate): Married/Unmarried/Widowed

9. Scheduled Tribe Community (Tick Appropriate): Gawda/ Kunbi/ Velip

10. ST Certificate No. & Date: \_\_\_\_\_

11. Aadhar Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Details of Family Members in the household

Sr. No.	Name	Gender	Age	Occupation	Relationship with Applicant

## 13. Applicants Category

- a) BPL Household (Yes/No) (if Yes, provide details): \_\_\_\_\_
- b) Household headed by Widow/Single women (Yes/No) (if Yes, provide details): \_\_\_\_\_
- c) Physically Handicapped (Yes/No) (if Yes, provide details): \_\_\_\_\_
- d) Household Affected by calamity, fire etc. (Yes/No) (if yes, type): \_\_\_\_\_
- e) Forest Dwelling Scheduled Tribe (Yes/No) (if yes, which area): \_\_\_\_\_
- f) Other Household eligible under the scheme: \_\_\_\_\_

## 14. Whether applicant is a Beneficiary of any housing scheme under

- i. Any State Scheme (Tick Appropriate): (YES/NO)
- ii. Any Central Scheme (Tick Appropriate): (YES/NO)
- iii. Ashray Aadhar Yojana (Tick Appropriate): (YES/NO)

If Yes Provide details: \_\_\_\_\_

## 15. Details of Housing Benefit if already sanctioned(if answer is yes to item No. 13):

- i) Name of the Scheme \_\_\_\_\_
- ii) Sanction Order No. and Date \_\_\_\_\_
- iii) Sanctioning Authority: \_\_\_\_\_
- iv) Benefit amount Sanctioned \_\_\_\_\_
- v) Balance Amount yet to be Released \_\_\_\_\_

## 16. If BPL, Sr. No. in the BPL List: \_\_\_\_\_

## 17. Amount of Benefit claimed under Atal Asra Yojana: \_\_\_\_\_

## 18. Annual Family Income of the Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

## 19. Location Details of New House to be constructed.

Survey No.	Sub Div	Village	Taluka	Area	Owner of the Land	If not owner in what capacity land is possessed	Area of the land in possession of the Applicant

OR

## 19. Location Details of Reconstruction of existing House.

House No. as per house tax receipt	Name of the Person in whose name House is Registered in the Village Panchayat	Survey No. Village Taluka	Plinth area of the House	Owner of the Land	Whether Mundkar of the House	If not the owner of the house in what capacity occupying the house	Area of the land in possession of the Applicant

OR

## 19. Location Details of House to be Repaired

House No. as per House Tax receipt	Name of the Person in whose name House is Registered in the Village Panchayat	Survey No. Village Taluka	Plinth area of the House	Owner of the Land	Whether Mundkar of the House	If not the owner of the house in what capacity occupying the house	Area of the land in possession of the Applicant

## 20. Details of bank account of Beneficiary:

i) Name of the Bank: \_\_\_\_\_

ii) Bank Branch : \_\_\_\_\_ Full Address: \_\_\_\_\_

iii) Bank Account Number: \_\_\_\_\_

iv) MICR Code of Bank : \_\_\_\_\_ (v) IFSC Code of Bank: \_\_\_\_\_

## 21. Documents enclosed with the application.

For construction of New House	For Repairs for existing house	For Reconstruction of existing house
1. Affidavit 2. Detailed Estimate of the Registered Engineer/Architect who are registered with PWD/GSIDC/Government Departments or autonomous bodies. 3. Any Ownership Documents:-Such as Sale Deed/Form I & XIV, Mundkar Certificate/NOC from Land Owner/Any other documents proving ownership. 4. Construction License issued by Competent Authority. 5. Photographs of land with applicant on which the house to be built. 6. Income Certificate 7. ST Certificate issued by competent authority of State of Goa. 8. Bank Pass Book Copy	1. Affidavit 2. Detailed Estimate of the Registered Engineer/Architect/Contractors who are registered with PWD/GSIDC/Government Departments or autonomous bodies. 3. House Tax receipt. 4. Photograph of the existing house along with the applicant. 5. Income Certificate 6. ST Certificate issued by competent authority of State of Goa. 7. Bank Pass Book Copy 8. Mandate form	1. Affidavit 2. Detailed Estimate of the Registered Engineer/Architect who are registered with PWD/GSIDC/Government Departments or autonomous bodies. 3. Any Ownership Documents:-Such as Sale Deed/Form I & XIV, Mundkar Certificate/ NOC from Land Owner/Any other documents proving ownership. 4. House Tax receipt. 5. Reconstruction License issued by competent authority. 6. Photograph of the existing house along with the applicant. 7. Income Certificate 8. ST Certificate issued by competent authority of State of Goa.

9. Mandate form	9. Copy of Ration card	9. Bank Pass Book Copy
10. Copy of Ration card	10. Copy of Aadhar card	10. Mandate form
11. Copy of Aadhar card		11. Copy of Ration card
		12. Copy of Aadhar card

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Declaration

I Shri/Smt. \_\_\_\_\_ do hereby declare that I shall comply to all the requirements of construction/norms of constructions and further declare that if it is found that I am granted benefit upon giving any false information, the sanctioning authority shall recover the amount as an arrears of Land Revenue besides any other action that may be taken against me as per the law in force, including penal action.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Place: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of the Applicant

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(To be typed on Rs. 50/- Non Judicial Stamp paper)

AFFIDAVIT

I Shri/Smt. \_\_\_\_\_ Son/Daughter/Wife of \_\_\_\_\_, aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, Indian National, Resident of House No. \_\_\_\_\_, Wado/Ward \_\_\_\_\_ of Village \_\_\_\_\_ within the jurisdiction of \_\_\_\_\_ Village Panchayat in \_\_\_\_\_ Taluka in \_\_\_\_\_ Goa District, do hereby state on Oath as under:-

1. I say that I have applied for financial assistance under the Atal Asra Yojana for doing repairs/reconstruction to my existing House having House No. \_\_\_\_\_ for House tax purpose.

OR

1. I say that I have applied for financial assistance under the Atal Asra Yojana for construction of New House.  
2. I say that I have already availed benefit for housing purpose under Central/State scheme \_\_\_\_\_ from the Department of \_\_\_\_\_ under Sanction Order No. \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ However, It may be sanctioned additional financial assistance under the scheme Atal Asra Yojana for an amount of Rs. \_\_\_\_\_/-.

OR

2. I say that I have not availed any benefit for housing purpose under any Central/State scheme from any Government Agency/ Department. I therefore may be sanctioned financial assistance under the scheme Atal Asra Yojana for an amount of Rs. \_\_\_\_\_/-.  
3. I say that my family annual income is Rs. \_\_\_\_\_ from all sources and I belong to \_\_\_\_\_ community which is notified as Scheduled Tribe Community in the State of Goa. My family is in a need of Pucca housing shelter and I would like to avail financial assistance under Atal Asra Yojana.  
4. I say that the land under Survey No. \_\_\_\_\_ Village \_\_\_\_\_, Taluka \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_ belongs to me where I propose to construct/reconstruct/ repair the house.

OR

4. I say that the land under Survey No. \_\_\_\_\_ Village \_\_\_\_\_, Taluka \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_ belongs to my Brother/ Mother/ Father/ \_\_\_\_\_ Where I propose to construct/reconstruct/repair the house.

It is in the name of Shri/Smt. \_\_\_\_\_ He/She is related to me as \_\_\_\_\_ NOC from \_\_\_\_\_ is produced by me where I propose to construct/reconstruct/repair the house.

5. I say that House tax receipt is in my name for the house No. \_\_\_\_\_.

OR

5. I say that house tax receipt for the House No. \_\_\_\_\_ is in the name of Shri/Smt. \_\_\_\_\_. He/She is related to me as \_\_\_\_\_. NOC from \_\_\_\_\_ to carry out Reconstruction/repairs is produced by me.

OR

5. I say that house tax receipt for house No. \_\_\_\_\_/under Survey No. \_\_\_\_\_ Village \_\_\_\_\_, Taluka \_\_\_\_\_ District land belonging to \_\_\_\_\_ who is related to me as Father/Mother/Grand Mother/Grand Father who expired and the same is in my possession and no other family member will claim for the same. If at all, if there is any claim from my Family members, I shall be sole responsible for such case.

6. I say that the house No. \_\_\_\_\_ does not fall in the Government Property.

7. I say that I shall carry out the construction in total compliance to the requirements/norms of construction.

8. I say that whatever stated in my application made for financial assistance under the scheme “Atal Asra Yojana” is fully correct and I would abide by all the conditions laid down in the scheme Atal Asra Yojana by the Department from time to time.

9. I say that I shall be liable for recovery of benefit sanctioned to me under the scheme as an arrears of Land Revenue and for such other criminal proceedings against me if any fact stated by me above is not true or is found to be incorrect or suppressed material fact that would make me ineligible for the benefit under the scheme.

10. I say that whatever stated above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Solemnly affirmed at \_\_\_\_\_ on this day of the month of \_\_\_\_\_ of the year \_\_\_\_\_.

Deponent

Before me

Identified by

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**Directorate of Tribal Welfare**

**“Atal Asra Yojana”**

**MANDATE FORM**

1. Name of the Applicant : .....
2. Address of the Applicant : .....
3. Mobile No./Phone No. of the Applicant : .....
4. Particulars of Bank Account
  - a) Name of the Bank : .....
  - b) Name of the branch : .....
  - c) Address of the branch : .....

- d) 9 digit code No. of the bank and branch as appearing on MICR cheque : .....
- e) IFSC code (11 digit) of the branch : .....
- f) Type of account : .....
- g) Account No.(as appearing on cheque book) : .....

(In lieu of the bank certificate to be obtained as under, please attach a blank cancelled cheque or photocopy of the cheque issued by your bank of verification for the above particulars)

I hereby declare that the particulars given above are correct and complete. If the transaction is delayed or not effected at all for reasons of incomplete or incorrect information, I would not hold the user institution responsible. I agree to discharge the responsibility expected of me as a participant under the scheme.

Signature of the Applicant

Certified that the particulars furnished above are correct as per our records

Bankers Stamp

Date:

Signature of the authorized  
Official of the Bank

Note: All columns/dates should be filled in block/capital letters.

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Note

In the Official Gazette, Series I No. 5 dated 30-04-2026, Notification No. DHE/STAT/Sec.7 Notification/84/2023/5500 dated 16-09-2025 of Department of Education, Directorate of Higher Education on page No. 30, the second last line may be corrected to read as:-

“probation officer of such institution: or

(v) In respect of a foreign national—” instead of

“probation officer of such institution: or In respect of a foreign national—”.

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