ANDHRA PRADESH AGRICULTURAL SERVICE

(G.O.Ms. No. 937, F & A., dated 1st April, 1965.)

1. Constitution.—The Service shall consist of the following categories of officers, namely:

Special Category.

Additional Director of Agriculture.


A. Selection-Categories.

1. Senior Joint Directors of Agriculture.
2. Joint Directors of Agriculture.
3. Deputy Directors of Agriculture.
4. Agricultural Engineers.

—(Substituted as per G.O.Ms. No. 960, F. & A., dated 27th June, 1972 with effect from 27th June, 1972)

B. Ordinary Categories:

5. Assistant Directors of Agriculture.
6. Assistant Statistician.

—(Substituted as per G.O.Ms.No. 960, F.&A., dated 27th June, 1972 with effect from 27th June, 1972)

C. Special Categories:

7. Assistant Agricultural Engineers.

—(Substituted as per G.O.Ms. No. 960, F.&A., dated 27th June, 1972 with effect from 27th June, 1972)

2. Method of Appointment and Promotion.—(a) Appointment of the categories of the posts mentioned in column (1) of the Table bel
shall be by the method specified in the corresponding entry in column (2) thereof:

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**Special Category:**

Additional Director of Agriculture .. Promotion from category-1.

*(Inserted as per G.O.Ms. No. 1026, F. & A., dated 15th November, 1974 with effect from 1st April, 1973)*

Category-1.

Senior Joint Directors of Agriculture] .. Promotion from category-2.

*(Substituted as per G.O.Ms. No. 960, F. & A., 27th June, 1972, w.e.f. 27th June, 1972).*

Category-2.

Joint Directors of Agriculture. .. Promotion from category-3.

*(Substituted as per G.O.Ms. No. 960, F. & A., dated 27th June, 1972 w.e.f. 27th June, 1972).*

Category-3.

Deputy Directors of Agriculture .. Promotion from category-5.

*(Substituted as per G.O.Ms. No. 960, F. & A., dated 27th June, 1972 w.e.f. 27th June 1972).*

Category-4.

Agricultural Engineers (i) Promotion of Assistant Agricultural Engineer in Category-7, (or)

(ii) By transfer of Assistant Engineers in the A.P. Engg. Service, if no qualified and suitable candidates are available for promotion.

*(Substituted as per G.O.Ms. No. 960, F. & A., dated 27th June, 1972 with effect from 27-6-72)*
1) Category-5.
Assistant Directors of Agriculture Recruitment by transfer from the category of Agricultural Assistants in Class-I and Soil Conservation Assistants in Class III of the Andhra Pradesh Agricultural Subordinate Service and those Agricultural Assistants working as Block Development Officer; or Direct Recruitment.

(Substituted as per G.O.Ms. No. 960, F. & A., dated 27th June 1972 with effect from 27th June 1972)

2) Category-6.
Assistant Statisticians Recruitment by transfer from the category of Agricultural and Statistical Assistants in the Andhra Pradesh Agricultural Subordinate Service; or Direct Recruitment.

(Substituted as per G.O.Ms. No. 960, F.&A., dated 27th June 1972 with effect from 27th June 1972)

3) Category-7.
Assistant Agricultural Engineers (a) Recruitment by transfer from the category of Supervisors in the Andhra Pradesh Agril. Subordinate Service; or
(b) Recruitment by transfer from the category of Supervisors in the Andhra Pradesh Engg. Subordinate Service or in Andhra Pradesh Industries Subordinate Service; or Direct Recruitment.

(Substituted as per G.O.Ms. No. 960, F.&A., dated 27th June 1972 with effect from 27th June 1972)
(b) The proportion of permanent vacancies in posts included in categories 5 and 7 to be filled by direct recruitment and by transfers will be 1:3 and 1:2 respectively.


(c) The posts included in categories 1 to 4 shall be selection posts and appointments there to shall be made on grounds of merit and ability seniority being considered only where merit and ability, are approximately equal.


Notwithstanding anything contained in the General Rules for the Andhra Pradesh State and Subordinate Service the officers holding the posts of Plant protection Officers, Assistant Agricultural Chemists and Assistant Soil Conservation officers in old categories 6, 7 and 8 respectively shall be appointed as Assistant Directors of Agriculture in category 5 and their seniority in that category shall be determined on the basis of their seniority in the category of Assistant Agricultural Officers in the Andhra Pradesh Agricultural Subordinate Service.

(Substituted as per G.O.Ms. No. 1, F. & A., dated 1-1-1976 w.e.f. 27-6-72)

(d) Notwithstanding anything contained in these rules and in General Rules for Andhra Pradesh State and Subordinate Service all the temporary appointments made to the posts of Agronomists, Divisional Soil Conservation Officers, Plant Protection Officers, Assistant Agricultural Chemists and Assistant Soil Conservation Officers prior to the date of merger of all sections into one unit shall for the purpose of regularisation be governed by the rules which were in force immediately before the date of merger.

(Substituted as per G.O.Ms. No. 960, F. & A., dated 27th June, 1972 w.e.f. 27th June 1972).

(f) Notwithstanding anything contained in these rules and in the General Rules for the A.P. State and Subordinate Service, the officers holding the posts of Assistant Fruit Specialist, Superintendent Agricultural Research Station and Superintendent, Sugar Liaison Farm in old category 7 of the service shall be absorbed as Assistant Directors of Agriculture in category 5 and their seniority in that category shall be determined on the basis of their seniority in the category of Agricultural Assistants in the Andhra Pradesh Agricultural Subordinate Service (Inserted as per G.O.Ms. No. 1337, F. & A., Dept., dated 14th September, 1972 w.e.f. 14th September, 1972)
(g) Notwithstanding anything contained in these rules and in the General Rules for the Andhra Pradesh State and Subordinate Service, the officers holding the post of Agronomists and Divisional Soil Conservation Officers in the old categories 3 and 5 respectively shall be appointed as Deputy Directors of Agriculture in category 3 of the Andhra Pradesh Agricultural Service and their seniority in that category shall be determined on the basis of their seniority in the category of Assistant Agricultural Officers in the Andhra Pradesh Agricultural Subordinate Service.

—(Substituted as per G.O.Ms. No. 1, F.&A., Deptt. dated 1st January 1976 w.e.f. 27th June 1972),

3. Reservation of Appointments.—The principle of reservation of appointments (General Rules 22) shall apply to appointments by direct recruitment to the posts in category-5.

—(Substituted as per G.O.Ms. No. 960, F. & A., Deptt. dated 27th June 1972 w.e.f. 27th June 1972)

4. Age, Qualifications.—No person shall be eligible for appointment by direct recruitment to the posts of Assistant Director of Agriculture in category 5 or Assistant Agricultural Engineer in category 7 if he has completed 30 years of age.

(Substituted as per G.O.Ms. No. 960, F. & A., Deptt, dated 27th June 1972 w.e.f. 27th June 1972)

Provided ex-defence personnel duly qualified shall be eligible for appointment if he has not completed 40 years of age and be given preference other things being equal.

The age limit prescribed in this rule shall be reckoned with reference to the first day of July of the year in which the selection made.

5. Other Qualifications:—(a) No person shall be eligible for appointment to the category of posts specified in Column (1) of the Annexure to these rules, by the method specified in column (2) thereof unless he possesses the qualifications prescribed in the corresponding entry in column (3).

In the event of suitable candidates with the required practical experience or training for appointment to the posts in category 7 not becoming available, a person without the practical experience or training can be recruited direct or by transfer to the post of Assistant Agricultural Engineer, as the case may be. The candidate thus selected and
appointed shall be given such training as may be prescribed by the Government. During the period of training, the candidates recruited directly by transfer shall be paid at the rate of Rs. 150 p.m., and the candidates recruited by transfer shall be paid either at the rate of Rs. 150 p.m., or the pay drawn by him prior to his selection and appointment whichever is advantageous. He shall not be entitled to count the period of training for increment in the time scale of pay applicable to the post.

(Substituted as per G.O. Ms. No. 960, F. & A., dated 27th June 1972. w.e.f. 27th June 1972).

(b) No person shall be eligible for appointment by transfer to any category other than category 7 unless he has passed the Account Test for Executive Officers:

[Substituted as per G.O. Ms. No. 960, F. & A., Deptt., dated 27th June 1972. w.e.f. 27th June 1972]

6. Tests and Training.—The following tests are prescribed for probationers:

(a) In the posts coming under category 7,

(1) Account Test for Public Works Department Officers and Subordinates;

(2) Departmental Test.

(Substituted as per G.O. Ms. No. 960, F. & A. Deptt. dated 27 June 1972 w.e.f. 27th June 1972)

Provided that in the case of persons allotted from the Telangana area, they should pass the said tests within a period of two years from the date of appointment to the category.

(b) In other posts, for direct recruits only—

(1) Account Test for Executive Officers.

(2) Departmental Test.

A person recruited direct to the post of Asst. Director of Agriculture shall, within the prescribed period of probation undergo practical training for a period of one year. During the period he shall be paid at the rate of Rs. 125 a month. He shall not be entitled to count this period for increments in the time scale of pay applicable to the post.

(Substituted as per G.O. Ms. No. 960, F. & A., Deptt. dated 27th June 1972, w.e.f. 27th June 1972)

7. Probation.—(a) Every person appointed to any category shall, from the date on which he joins duty, be on probation for a total period of two years on duty within a continuous period of three years, if he
is a direct recruit, or otherwise he shall be on probation for a period of one year within a continuous period of two years;

Provided that in the case of a person who is already appointed to a post in a category in the Service and is a probationer or an approved probationer or a full member in that post or Category, no separate probation is necessary on his appointment to another post in the same or any other category of the same grade:

Provided further that a probationer in a post in a category appointed to another post in the same or another category of the same grade, shall be eligible to count towards his probation the period of duty performed by him in the latter post or category if during such period he would have held the post in the former category or post but for the appointment to the latter category or post.

8. Postings and Transfers.—All postings and transfers shall be made by the Director of Agriculture, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

ANNEXURE

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Category-4.

Agricultural Engineers. Promotion or Transfer. (1) A degree of B.E., (Mech. Branch) of any University in India established or incorporated by or under a Central Act, Provincial Act or a State Act and institutions recognised by the Central University Grants Commission or the degree of B.Sc., (Engg.) of the Benaras Hindu University or the Diploma in Mechanical Engineering of the College of Engineering, Guindy or of the Technological Diploma Examination Board and Practical Experience in a Workshop for a period of not less than one year or B. Tech., in Agricultural Engineering.
Category-4
Agricultural Engineer—(Contd)
Promotion or Transfer—(Contd)

(ii) Experience for a period of not less than one year in the manufacture of Agricultural implements; and

(iii) Familiarity with farming practice in South India.

(Substituted as per G.O.Ms.No. 960, F.&A., dated 27th June 1972 w.e.f. 27th June 1972.)

Category-5
Assistant Directors of Agriculture
Direct Recruitment

(i) This degree of B.Sc., in Agriculture of any University in India established or incorporated by or under a Central Act, Provincial Act or a State Act and Institutions recognised by the Central University Grants Commission or the Diploma in Agriculture of any recognised College of Agriculture; and

(ii) Post-graduate degree in Agriculture; and

(iii) Evidence of ability to plan and organise with experience in agricultural extension or community development.

Transfer
Recruitment by transfer from the category of Agricultural Assistant in Class I and Soil Conservation Assistants in class III of the Andhra Pradesh Agricultural Subordinate Service and those Agricultural Assistants working as Block Development Officers.

Category-6
Assistant Statistician
Direct Recruitment

(i) A first or second class degree in Agricultural Mathematics, Statistics, Economics, or Commerce of any University in India established or incorporated by or under a Central Act, Provincial Act or a State Act.
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<td><strong>Assistant Statistician Direct Recruitment and Institutions recognised by the Central University Grants Commission,</strong></td>
<td><strong>(ii) Post-Graduate work for at least two years in the Indian Agricultural Research Institute in Statistics leading to M.Sc., or its equivalent; and</strong></td>
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<td><strong>(iii) Practical experience in Statistics in field experiments for not less than six months.</strong></td>
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--- [Substituted as per G.O. 'Ms. No. 960 F. & A., dated 27th June 1972, w.e.f. 27th June 1972.] ---

### Transfer

(i) A degree in Agriculture, Mathematics, Statistics, Economics or Commerce of University in India established or incorporated by or under a Central Act, Provincial Act or a State Act; and Institutions recognised by the Central University Grants Commission; and

(ii) Special Training in Agricultural Statistics for a period of one year at the Indian Agricultural Research Institute or Training for a period of not less than five years as Agricultural Assistant in the Andhra Pradesh Agricultural Subordinate Service; or

(iii) Experience as Statistical Assistant in Agriculture Department for a period of three years with not less than five years in the Andhra Pradesh Agricultural Subordinate Service.
Category-7.

Assistant Agricultural Engineers.

Direct Recruitment

(i) The Degree in B. Tech. (Agricultural Engineering) of the Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur or B.E., (Mech. Branch) of a University or a Diploma in Mechanical Engg. of the College of Engineering, Guindy of the Technological Diploma Examination Board in the State or the L.A.E. Diploma of the Technological Diploma Examination Board in the State; and

(ii) Practical Experience in Servicing maintenance and repairs of tractors of Boring Machinery and allied machinery including maintenance of stores and filed work for a period of not less than one year.

[Substituted as per G.O.Ms. No. 960, F. & A., dated 27th June 1972 w.e.f. 27th June 1972].

NOTE.— Agricultural Engineering Graduates will be preferred to Civil Engineering Graduates and Engineering Graduates will be selected only when Agricultural Engineering Graduates are not available.

Transfer

(i) (a) The degree of B. Tech. (Agril. Engineering) of the Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur or B.E., (Mech. Branch) of a recognised University or a Diploma in Mech. Engineering, Guindy or of the Technological Diploma Engineering Board of the LAE Diploma of the Technological Diploma Examination Board in the State; and
NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to article 309 of the Constitution of India, the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby re-assigns the existing categories and posts in rule 2 of the Special Rules for the Andhra Pradesh Agricultural Service issued in G.O.Ms. No. 937, 1965 and Agriculture, dated 1-4-1965 mentioned in the table below in col. 1 as indicated in column 2 thereof.

(Substituted as per G.O. Ms. No. 960, F. & A., dated 27th June 1972 w.e.f. 27th June 1972).

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Category-1
Joint Director of Agriculture...Senior Joint Director of Agriculture.

(Substituted as per G.O.Ms.No. 960 F&A, dated 27-6-1972 w.e.f. 27-6-1972]

Category-2.
Hqrs. Dy. Director of Agriculture (Extension).
Hqrs. Dy. Director of Agriculture (Horticulture)
Senior Soil Conservation Officer.

Category-3.
1. Dy. Cane Commissioner & Cane Development Co-ordination Officer.
2. Principal, Grade-1, Gram Sevaks Training Centre.
3. Agronomist.
4. Soil Correlator-cum-Scientific Development Officer

Category-5
Divisional Soil Conservation Officer.

Category-3
Deputy Director of Agriculture.
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<td>3. Compost Development Officer.</td>
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<td>4. Plant Protection Officer.</td>
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<td>5. Publicity Officer.</td>
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<td>6. Principals, Grade-II, Gram Sevaks Training Centre.</td>
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<th>7. Superintendent, Sugarcane Liaison Farm.</th>
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<td>8. Asst. Fruit Specialist.</td>
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**Category-9.**

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Gazetted Officers - A.P. Agricultural Service - Post of Assistant Agricultural Officer - Adhoc Rules - Issued.

AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION (FP. I) DEPARTMENT


Read the following:-


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ORDER:-

The Commissioner and Director of Agriculture in his letter dated 17th March 1999 has stated that the Hon'ble Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal in its interim orders dated 28-12-1998 in O.A. No. 9111/98 filed by the Andhra Pradesh Agriculture Officers Association have directed the applicant to give a detailed representation to the Respondents i.e., Secretary to Government and Commissioner and Director of Agriculture, Hyderabad to include the category of Agriculture Officer in the Andhra Pradesh Agricultural Service Rules and further directed the respondents to dispose of the same as per rules within 9 months. Accordingly, the Andhra Pradesh Agriculture Officers Association has submitted representation.

2. Referring to this, the Commissioner and Director of Agriculture has stated that the post of Agriculture Officer (previously Assistant Agriculture Officer) is governed by the Andhra Pradesh Agricultural Subordinate Service Rules issued in G.O.No. 2675, Dated 17-11-1964. Subsequently the post was gazetted. Revised rules for the Andhra Pradesh Agricultural Subordinate Service Rules were issued in G.O.No. 167, Agri. & Coop. (Agri.IV) Department, dated 17th, April 1997. The post of Agriculture Officer. Therefore, there are no rules in force to follow in the case of Agriculture Officers at present.

3. Government after careful examination of the matter, decided to issue separate set of Adhoc Rules for the post of Agriculture Officer by constituting the same as a distinct category in the Andhra Pradesh Agricultural Service pending finalization of rules recommended by One Man Commission for Andhra Pradesh Agricultural Service.

The following notification will be published in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette.

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to article 309 of the Constitution of India, the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby makes the following adhoc Rules for the post of

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ant Agriculture Officer constituted in G.O.No. 267 Agriculture Department, dated 17-11-1961 and subsequently re-designated as Agriculture Officer.

5. The rules hereby made shall be deemed to have come into force on and from the 17th, April 1997.

ADHOC RULES

1. CONSTITUTION:- The post of Agriculture Officer shall constitute a distinct category under the Andhra Pradesh Agricultural Service Rules.

2. METHOD OF APPOINTMENT:- The appointment to the post shall be made by:

   i) by direct recruitment
   ii) by appointment by transfer, of Agriculture Extension Officer Grade-I (Sub-Assistant Grade-I of the Andhra Pradesh Agricultural Subordinate Service.)

NOTE:- 60% of the vacancies of Agriculture Officers shall be filled by direct recruitment.

3. RESERVATION OF APPOINTMENT:-

   i) The Principle of Reservation of appointments (General Rule 22) shall apply to appointments by Direct Recruitment to the posts of Agriculture Officers.

   ii) In the matter of direct recruitment to the posts for which women and men are equally suitable, there shall be reservation to women to an extent of 33 1/3% of the posts in each category of Open Competition, and reservation Backward Classes (Group-A), Backward Classes (Group-B), Backward Classes (Group-C), Backward Classes (Group-D), Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Physically Handicapped and Ex-servicemen quota shall be followed.

4. MINIMUM SERVICE FOR PROMOTION:- No person shall be eligible for appointment by transfer unless he has put in not less than 3 (three) years of service in the category from which appointment by transfer is made.

5. AGE:- No person shall be eligible for appointment by direct recruitment to the post of Agriculture Officers if he has completed (30) years of age on the first day of July of the year in which the notification for selection is made.

6. QUALIFICATION:-

   (a) No person shall be eligible for appointment to the post of Agriculture Officer by direct recruitment unless he possesses a degree of Bachelor of Science in Agriculture of a recognised University in the State or any other University recognised by Indian Council of Agricultural Research.

   (b) No person shall be eligible for appointment to the post of Agriculture Officer, by transfer or promotion unless he possesses a degree of Bachelor of Science in Agriculture of a recognised University in the State or any other University recognised by Indian Council of Agricultural Research.

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PRBATION:

(a) Every person appointed by direct recruitment to the post of Agriculture Officer shall from the date on which he commences his probation, be on probation for a total period of two years on duty within a continuous period of 3 (three) years.

(b) Every person appointed by transfer (not by transfer on tenure) to the post of Agriculture Officer shall from the date on which he commences his probation be on probation for a period of one year on duty within a continuous period of two years.

8. 

TRAINING:— Every person appointed by either direct recruitment or by appointment by transfer to the post of Agriculture Officer shall undergo immediately after appointment, two months training course in General Administration, Departmental Programmes, Accounts and Auditing and recent Agricultural Research Developments and all other, subjects prescribed by the Commissioner and Director of Agriculture from time to time.

9. 

TESTS:— Every person appointed by direct recruitment and appointed by transfer to the post of Agriculture Officer shall pass

(i) Agricultural Departmental Test,
(ii) Accounts Test for Executive Officers within the period of probation.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

P. RAMAKANTH REDDY
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To
The Commissioner and Director of Agriculture, Hyderabad.
The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, Hyderabad.
The General Administration (Ser.E) Department.
The Director of Horticulture, Hyderabad.
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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT


AGRICULTURE & COOPERATION (PP.I) DEPARTMENT

D.O.No.259


Read the following:

7. Minutes of the Meeting held on 6-8-2007, headed by Principal Secretary to Government (Agriculture), A&G Department.

ORDER:

The following notification will be published in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette:

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to article 229 of the Constitution of India, the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby makes the following amendment to the Adhoc Rules for the post of Agricultural Officer issued in G.O.Ms.No. 16 Agriculture & Cooperation (PP.I) Department, dated 21.1.2000 and as amended from time to time.

AMENDMENT

1) In rule 1, after the words "post of Agricultural Officer" the following words shall be inserted, namely:

"and Agricultural Officer (Soil Conservation Sub-Division)"

Note: There will not be any future recruitment to the post of Agricultural Officer B.Tech (Agricultural Engineering) i.e., Agricultural Officer (Soil Conservation Sub-Division) treating them as a separate category. The Agricultural Officers with B.Tech (Agricultural Engineering) recruited/appointed under General Category shall be preferably posted against the Agricultural Officer (Soil Conservation Sub-Division) posts in Soil Conservation.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

AJEYA KALLAM
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Commissioner and Director of Agriculture,
Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad,
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The Commissioner,
Printing, Stationery and Store Purchases, Hyderabad

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SECTION OFFICER
GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

AGGREGATE


AGRICULTURE & COOPERATION (FP.I) DEPARTMENT


Read the following:-

8. Minutes of the Meeting held on 6-8-2007 headed by Principal Secretary to Government (Agriculture). A&C Department.

ORDER:

The following notification will be published in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette.

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to article 309 of the Constitution of India, the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby makes the following amendment to the Andhra Pradesh Agricultural Service Rules issued in G.O.Ms.No. 937, Food & Agriculture Department, dated 01.04.1968 and as amended from time to time.

AMENDMENT

In the said Rules :-

(1) In rule 2, in the Table under category-5 "Assistant Director of Agriculture", in column (2), for the existing entry, the following shall be substituted; namely,

"Recruitment by transfer / promotion from the common category of Agricultural Officer and Agricultural Officer (Soil Conservation Sub-Division) working in Andhra Pradesh Agricultural Service".
(2) In the Annexure, under category 5, "Assistant Director of Agriculture", the existing entry in column (3) against method of Recruitment "Transfer", the following shall be substituted; namely:

"Recruitment by transfer / promotion from the common category of Agricultural Officer and Agricultural Officer (Soil Conservation Sub-Division) working in the Andhra Pradesh Agricultural Service".

NOTE: The Agricultural Officers (Soil Conservation Sub-Division) with B.Tech. (Agricultural Engineering) on promotion shall be posted against the posts of Assistant Director of Agriculture (Soil Conservation).

(By Order and in the Name of the Governor of Andhra Pradesh)

Ajeya Kallam
Principal Secretary to Government

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The Commissioner and Director of Agriculture,
Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

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Section Officer.