

# **161. The Andhra Pradesh Police (Armed Reserve) Service Rules**

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In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India and of all other powers hereunto enabling and in supersession of the rules issued in G.O.Ms.No 2437, Home Department, dated 8-11-1996 and G.O.Ms.No. 322 Home Department, dated 8-3-1968, the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby makes the following Special Rules for the Andhra Pradesh Police (Armed Reserve) Service :—

**Rule 1. Short title** :—These rules may be called the Andhra Pradesh Police (Armed Reserve) Service Rules.

**Rule 2. Constitution** :—The Service shall consist of the following categories of posts in the Andhra Pradesh (Armed Reserve) Service Rules :—

- Category (1) : Commandant (Armed Reserve) including Commandant, Home Guards and Principal, Police Training College.
- Category (2) : Deputy Superintendent of Police (Armed Reserve) including Assistant Commandant (City Armed Reserve), Assistant Commissioner of Police, Headquarters (City Armed Reserve), Assistant Commissioner (SAR, CPL)

Vice-Principal, P.T.C., Anantapur, Deputy Superintendent of Police (Home Guards), Assistant Inspector of Arms, Deputy Superintendent of Police (Armed Reserve) (Intelligence Security Wing), Deputy Superintendent of Police (Armed Reserve), Chief Office Stores.

Category (3) : Reserve Inspector (Armed Reserve) including Store Keeping and Chief Drill instructor.

**Rule 3. Method of appointment** :—Subject to the other provisions in these rules, the method of appointment for the several categories shall be as follows :—

<i>Category</i> (1)	<i>Method of appointment</i> (2)
1. Commandant	By promotion of Deputy Superintendent of Police (Armed Reserve).
2. Deputy Superintendent of Police	By promotion of Reserve Inspector (Armed Reserve).
3. Reserve Inspector (Armed Reserve)	By appointment, by transfer of Reserve Sub-Inspector (Armed Reserve).

**Rule 4. Minimum service** :—No person shall be eligible for appointment to the various posts in this service unless he has put in service as indicated below in the feeder category concerned.

<i>Promotion to the Category of</i> (1)	<i>Feeder Category i.e. promotion from the Category of</i> (2)	<i>Minimum Service</i> (3)
i. Commandant (Armed Reserve)	Deputy Superintendent of Police (Armed Reserve)	5 years
ii. Deputy Superintendent of Police (Armed Reserve)	Reserve Inspector (Armed Reserve)	6 years
iii. Reserve Inspector (Armed Reserve)	Reserve Sub-Inspector (Armed Reserve)	6 years

**Rule 5. Probation** :—(1) Every person appointed by promotion or transfer to any of the categories in this service shall be on probation for a total period of one year on duty within a continuous period of two years, from the date on which he commences probation.

(2) A probationer in all categories in this service shall be eligible to count, for purpose of his probation, the duty rendered by him in any post, the duties and responsibilities

of which are declared by a general or special order of the Government, to be equivalent to those attached to the posts in the respective categories.

**Rule 6. Unit of appointment :—**For purposes of recruitment, appointment, discharge for want of vacancy, reappointment, seniority, promotion, transfer and posting and appointment as full member to the post specified in column (2) of the Table below, the unit of appointment shall be as specified in column (3) thereof.

TABLE

<i>Category</i> (1)	<i>Post</i> (2)	<i>Unit of Appointment</i> (3)
(3)	Reserve Inspector (Armed Reserve)	<p><b>Unit - I :</b> Comprising Srikakulam, Vizianagaram, Visakhapatnam (Urban), Vishakhapatnam (Rural), East Godavari, West Godavari, Krishna, Vijayawada (Urban), Guntur, Prakasam and Nellore Districts.</p> <p><b>Unit - II :</b> Comprising Chittoor, Cuddapah, Anantapur, Kurnool, Adilabad, Karimnagar, Warangal, Khammam, Hyderabad, Nizamabad, Mahabubnagar, Medak, Nalgonda and Ranga Reddy Districts.</p> <p><b>Unit - III :</b> Hyderabad City.</p> <p><b>Unit - IV :</b> Special Armed Reserve.</p>

**Rule 7. Transfer and postings :—**(1) A member of the service shall be liable to serve in any part of the State of Andhra Pradesh or when so ordered by the State Government in any part of India outside the said State.

Provided that nothing contained in this sub-rule shall affect the operation of the provisions of Chapter XII in Part VII of the Fundamental Rules in regard to transfer of officers on foreign service:

Provided further that no such member shall be posted or transferred to any post unless he possesses such special qualifications and has passed such special test as may be prescribed for such posts in these rules. ¶

(2) The transfers and postings in the case of Commandant (Armed Reserve) shall be made by the Government and in the case of Deputy Superintendent of Police (Armed Reserve) the transfers and postings shall be made by the Director General and Inspector General of Police. The Reserve Inspector (Armed Reserve) shall be transferable within each of the units specified in rules subject to sub-rule (1) of this rule.