



JOIN TERRITORIAL ARMY AS AN OFFICER (ONLY FOR EX ARMED FORCES COMMISSIONED OFFICERS) PART TIME COMMITMENT AND NOT A FULL TIME CAREER !



ARMY HEADQUARTERS SELECTION BOARD (ASB) - 2018
(DATE OF INTERVIEW: **FEBRUARY 2019**)
(LAST DATE FOR RECEIPT OF APPLICATION: **31 DECEMBER 2018**)
(Official Website : www.indianarmy.nic.in)

Applications are invited from gainfully employed Ex Armed Forces Commissioned Officers for an opportunity of donning the uniform and serving the Nation as Territorial Army Officers (Non Departmental), based on the concept of enabling motivated Ex Service Officers to serve in a military environment without having to sacrifice their primary professions. You can serve the Nation in two capacities – as a civilian and as a soldier. No other option allows you such an expanse of experiences

1. CONDITIONS OF ELIGIBILITY :

- (a) Only Ex Service Officer can apply.
- (b) **Nationality** : Only citizen of India (male and female).
- (c) **Age Limits** : 18 to 42 years on the date of application.
- (d) **Educational Qualifications** : Graduate from recognized university.
- (e) **Physical Standards** : A candidate must be physically and medically fit in all respects.
- (f) **Employment** : Gainfully Employed.

Note : Serving member of the Regular Army/ Navy/ Air Force/ Police/ GREF/ Para Military and like forces are not eligible.

2. DATE OF INTERVIEW : FEBRUARY 2019 (Firm dates will be communicated later by post).

3. LAST DATE OF RECEIPT OF APPLICATION : Application form completed in all respects will be accepted till **31 DECEMBER 2018** at Additional Directorate General Territorial Army, Integrated Headquarters of Ministry of Defence, 'L' Block, Church Road, New Delhi – 110 001.

4. The date of holding the Interview as mentioned above is liable to be changed at the discretion of the competent authority.

5. Ex Service Officers to ensure their eligibility for the examination : The Ex Service Officers applying for the ASB Interview should ensure that they fulfill all eligibility conditions for admission to the interview. Their admission at all the stages of the interview will be purely **provisional** subject to satisfying the prescribed eligibility conditions. **More issue of Admission certificate to the Ex Service Officers will not imply that their candidature has been finally cleared by the competent authority.**

6. Type of Exam : Only Interview.

7. HOW TO APPLY. All desirous Ex Service Officers (Commissioned Officers only) of three services can download **Application Form (IAF (TA)-9 (Revised) Part - 1** from www.indianarmy.nic.in (**FREE OF COST**) and send applications alongwith **Photocopy of Release Order and Photocopy of Release Medical Board Proceedings** to Additional Directorate General Territorial Army, Integrated Headquarters of Ministry of Defence, 'L' Block, Church Road, New Delhi – 110 001.

8. Ex Service Officer should note that no request for change of date of Interview will be granted.

9. The eligible candidates shall be issued a call up letter and will be sent by post by the Territorial Army Directorate.

10. SELECTION PROCEDURE :

(a) The Ex Service Officers will be screened by the Army Headquarters Selection Board (ASB) held at Additional Directorate General Territorial Army, Integrated Headquarters of Ministry of Defence, 'L' Block, Church Road, New Delhi – 110 001.

(b) Recommended Ex Service Officers will undergo Medical Examination at Armed Forces Clinic, New Delhi followed by their Police Verification for final selection.

(c) Vacancies for male and female candidates will be determined as per organizational requirement.

11. EMBODIMENT FOR TRAINING:

- (a) One month Basic Training in the first year of commission.
- (b) Two months Annual Training Camp every year including the first year.

12. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SERVICE :

(a) Territorial Army is part time concept with mandatory two months training in a year and does not provide full time career.

(b) Service in Territorial Army do not guarantee pension and the same is subject to embodied service as per organisational requirement.

(c) Commission is granted in the rank of Lieutenant.

(d) Pay and Allowances and privileges will be same as Regular Army Officers when embodied for training and military service.

(e) Promotions upto Lt Col by time scale subject to fulfilling laid down criteria. Promotion to Colonel and Brigadier by selection.

(f) Officers commissioned in Infantry TA may be called out for military service for longer duration depending on the requirement.

(g) Once previous service is verified from concerned PCDA (O) they are granted Ante-Date Seniority for Pay and Promotion.

(h) Pay Scales (VIIth CPC):

RANK	LEVEL	PAY MATRIX	Military Service Pay
LIEUTENANT	Level 10	56,100 - 1,77,500	15500/-
CAPTAIN	Level 10A	6,13,00 - 1,93,900	15500/-
MAJOR	Level 11	6,94,00 - 2,07,200	15500/-
LT COLONEL	Level 12A	1,21,200 - 2,12,400	15500/-
COLONEL	Level 13	1,30,600 - 2,15,900	15500/-
BRIGADIER	Level 13A	1,39,600 - 2,17,600	15500/-

13. Ex Service Officers are required to bring the following documents in original alongwith attested copies at the time of interview. All those ex service officers whose complete documents are not produced for verifications will not be allowed to attend the interview.

(a) Application Form IAF (TA)-9 (Revised) Part-2 to be downloaded from www.indianarmy.nic.in and filled up in their own hand writing.

- (b) All educational qualification certificates (Matric onwards).
- (c) Latest physical fitness certificate from a registered MBBS Doctor.
- (d) Copy of Identity proof with photographs (Voter ID/PAN Card/Aadhar Card/Passport/Driving license etc).
- (e) Domicile/ Residential proof.
- (f) Certificate for proof of age (Matric/ Senior Secondary mark sheet & certificate for verification of date of birth).
- (g) Service certificate by candidates employed in Central Govt/ Union Territory/ State/Semi Govt/ Private Sector Authenticated by Head Office alongwith No Objection Certificate by the department as per format given at Para 14 (a) below.
- (h) Self employed candidates are required to submit an Affidavit on Non-Judicial stamp paper of minimum value duly attested stating nature of employment and annual income alongwith photocopy of PAN card and self certified character certificate.
- (j) Ex Service Officers whose names vary in documents should submit copy of Gazette notification of India/ State showing the correct name duly supported by newspaper cuttings.
- (k) Copy of Release Order.
- (l) Copy of Release Medical Board Proceedings.
- (m) Latest income proof from the appropriate authority (i.e. Income Tax Revenue Department / Magistrate / Employer).
- (n) Copy of PAN Card.
- (o) Copy of Aadhar Card.
- (p) Copy of Certificates / Reports of all Courses.
- (q) Discharge / Service Particular Booklet.
- (r) Copy of latest Income Tax Return (ITR) filed.

14. THE FOLLOWING APPLICABLE CERTIFICATE BE COMPULSORILY PRODUCED AT THE TIME OF INTERVIEW:

(a) CERTIFICATE TO BE RENDERED BY CANDIDATES EMPLOYED IN CENTRAL GOVT/UNION TERRITORY/ STATE GOVT/ SEMI GOVT DULY AUTHENTICATED BY HEAD OF OFFICE

I certify that Shri/Smt/Kumari _____ S/o D/o W/o _____ employed under me as _____ for the last _____ yrs and that their character as far as known to me is good. He/She is/is not recommended for the grant of commission in Territorial Army. It is also certified that Shri/Smt/Kumari _____ will be made available for Trg/embodiment for service of the Territorial Army as and when required. It is further certified that Shri/Smt/Kumari _____ does not hold and/or is not likely to hold in the foreseeable future a key-post in _____ (Department/ Organisation) which could affect the minimum essential functions of this Department/ Organisation. However, in the event of him/her becoming a key person subsequently the Additional Director General Territorial Army, New Delhi shall be requested immediately to release or discharge him/her from the Territorial Army.

Place _____ Signature _____
Date _____ Designation _____
Stamp/Seal of Office _____

(b) CERTIFICATE TO BE RENDERED BY SELF EMPLOYED PERSONNEL (SELF CERTIFIED BY THE CANDIDATE)

(i) I _____ (Name) S/o D/o W/o _____ certify that I possess good moral character to the best of my belief and knowledge.

Place _____ Signature _____
Date _____ Name _____

(ii) Affidavit on Non-Judicial stamp paper of minimum value duly endorsed by notary. I _____ (Name) S/o D/o W/o _____ resident of _____ do hereby solemnly affirm and declare as follows:-

- (a) That I am a resident of above address.
 - (b) That I am self employed as _____.
 - (c) That my annual income from all sources is approximately Rs _____.
- The above statement is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Deponent _____

Verification : Verified at _____ on this _____ day of _____ 201____ that the contents of above affidavit are true to my knowledge & belief and nothing has been concealed therein.
Deponent _____

(c) CERTIFICATE TO BE RENDERED BY CANDIDATES EMPLOYED IN PRIVATE SECTOR (TO BE AUTHENTICATED BY HEAD OF OFFICE)

Certified that any difference between the civil and military pay and allowances of the applicant Name _____ S/o D/o W/o _____ an employee of this organization will be paid by us for the period of his/her military duties in the Territorial Army. On return from military duty in the Territorial Army Shri/Smt/Kumari _____ will be absorbed in the same or equivalent post which he/she would have held if his/her service in the civil had not been so interrupted and the such military service would count for all benefits in his/her civil job, like seniority for promotion, increment of pay, bonus and provident fund etc. To which he/she would have otherwise been entitled.

Place _____ Signature _____
Date _____ Designation _____
Stamp/ Seal of Office _____

15. LAST DATE: Form completed in all respects will be accepted till **31 DECEMBER 2018** at Additional Directorate General Territorial Army, Integrated Headquarters of Ministry of Defence, 'L' Block, Church Road, New Delhi – 110 001. For more details about Territorial Army visit us at www.indianarmy.nic.in and download **APPLICATION FORM (FREE OF COST)**. This is the only authentic website of Territorial Army.

16. INCOMPLETE/ INELIGIBLE APPLICATION FORM AND THOSE APPLICATION FORM RECEIVED AFTER 31 DECEMBER 2018 WILL BE REJECTED WITHOUT INTIMATION.

17. APPLICATION FORM OF CIVILIAN CANDIDATES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AND WILL BE REJECTED WITHOUT INTIMATION.

APPLICATION FORM FOR COMMISSION IN THE TERRITORIAL ARMY

Warning : Concealment of any information or furnishing of false particulars will result in the cancellation of the candidature
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(e) Address of the Dept/ Firm :																					

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4.5 x 3.5 cm (To be
pasted)

Signature of Candidate

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11. (a) Nationality <input type="text"/>		(b) Citizenship <input type="text"/>		(c) Religion <input type="text"/>									
12. Have you ever served in the Army/ Navy/ Air Force / Territorial Army or NCC in any capacity (Yes / No) : <input type="text"/>													
13. Details of Service in the Armed Forces													
(a) Service : <input type="text"/> Code : Army - 01, Air Force - 02, Navy - 03, TA - 04, NCC - 05		(b) Arm / Service <input type="text"/>		(c) Unit <input type="text"/>									
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16. Please answer in Yes / No													
a) Have you ever been involved in any criminal case ? <input type="text"/>		d) Is any case pending against you in any Court ? <input type="text"/>											
b) Have you ever been arrested/ prosecuted ? <input type="text"/>		e) Is any case pending against you in any Police Station ? <input type="text"/>											
c) Have you ever been convicted by any court ? <input type="text"/>		f) Have you been debarred from appearing at any Examination by Union Public Service Commission/ Government of India/ State Government/ University/ Board or any other Educational Institution ? <input type="text"/>											
g) If the answer to any of the above mentioned question is 'yes' give full details of the case/ duration of arrest / detention / conviction / nature of case pending / punishment awarded etc and reason being debarred by Centre or State Service Commission / University / Educational Authority etc at the time of filling up of this form Copy of Court orders if any may also be enclosed.													
17. <u>DECLARATION</u>													
(a) I hereby declare that information provided by me in this application form is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.													
(b) I also certify that I shall attend Preliminary Interview Board and Service Selection Board on my free will and at my own risk and that I or my legal heirs shall NOT claim any compensation or other relief from the Government of India in respect of any injury which I may suffer in the course of or as a result of any of the tests given to me at the said Interview / Selection Board due to any reason.													
(c) I understand that my selection at Service Selection Board and Medical Examination does not necessarily mean that I have been selected for grant of commission.													
(d) I undertake to inform the additional Director General, Territorial Army, Army HQ, New Delhi immediately in the event of there being any change in my employment during the period of my candidature for TA commission and thereafter during my service to the CO of my unit / superior officer, together with the No Objection Certificate (NOC) from my employer.													
(e) In the event of my selection for commission in the Territorial Army, I am willing to serve anywhere in India whenever required for any duration or as per the rules and orders in force from time to time.													
(f) I clearly understand that if at any time during the period of probation I am not found suitable, I shall have to resign my commission in accordance with the rules and orders in force from time to time and in case I decline to do so I am liable to be discharged / removed from the Territorial Army.													
(g) I am fully aware that if it is found at any stage that I have knowingly furnished any particulars which is / are false or have suppressed material information or I fail to comply with the above undertakings, my candidature will be rejected summarily and if already commissioned, I shall be liable to be discharged / removed from the Territorial Army.													
(h) I certify that I have filled the application form after reading all the instructions.													

Date :

Signature of Candidate

APPLICATION FORM FOR COMMISSION IN THE TERRITORIAL ARMY
(TO BE COMPLETED BY THE CANDIDATE IN HIS OWN HANDWRITING IN BLOCK CAPITAL LETTERS BY BLUE / BLACK BALL PEN)

Warning : Concealment of any information or furnishing of false particulars will result in the cancellation of the candidature and may also debar a candidate from applying for any type of commission for a period of atleast one year
Please read the instructions carefully before filling this application form

1. Certify you have read the instructions for filling this application form		<input type="text"/>
Answer in Yes or No		
2. (a) Candidate's Name	First Name	<input type="text"/>
	Middle Name	<input type="text"/>
	Surname	<input type="text"/>
As given in Matriculation Certificate, in case of variation in name attach Gazette Notification.		
b) Have you applied Earlier for PIB for TA Commission (Yes/ No)		<input type="text"/>
c) If yes then please give month and year of last attempt.		<input type="text"/>

Self attested recent coloured Photograph of the candidate size 4.5 x 3.5 cm (To be pasted)

Signature of Candidate

d) If yes then please give the exact name as given in previous application.	
First Name	<input type="text"/>
Middle Name	<input type="text"/>
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e) Is there any difference in the names in 'a' and 'd' above (Yes / No).	
<input type="text"/>	
f) A difference in the name at 'a' and 'd' above will be explained by giving detailed reasons, if necessary, on a separate sheet of paper attached to the application form with supporting documents otherwise candidature will be cancelled.	

3. (a) Father's Name	First Name	<input type="text"/>	(b) Occupation <input type="text"/>
	Middle Name	<input type="text"/>	
	Surname	<input type="text"/>	
		Code : a) Service-01 c) Professional-03 b) Business-02, d) Others - 04	

(c) Present Address <small>(if dead state his last address)</small>	House No	<input type="text"/>	Block/Pkt	<input type="text"/>
	Village/Town	<input type="text"/>	Post Office	<input type="text"/>
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(d) Mother's Name	First Name	<input type="text"/>	(b) Occupation <input type="text"/>
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(f) State Professional Qualification and Practical Experience if any :-				
Name of the Institutions	Date of Entry	Date of Leaving	Professional Standard Attained	
(g) (i) Are you appearing in any university or technical examination during next six months. (Yes / No) <input type="text"/>				
(ii) If yes please give date of such examination <input type="text"/>				
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10. (a) Are you gainfully employed Yes / No <input type="text"/>	(b) Nature of Employment with Code : <input type="text"/> Code : Central Govt/ Union Territory - 01, State Govt/ Semi Govt - 02, Pvt Sector - 03, Self Employed - 04		(c) Annual Income (in Rupees) <input type="text"/> PAN No. <input type="text"/>	
(d) Name of Department / Firm : <input type="text"/>				
(e) Address of the Dept/ Firm : <input type="text"/>				
(f) Give full particulars of all previous and present employments (State in full details the nature of employment and responsibility)				
Name of Employer	Date of Joining	Date of Leaving with Reasons	Nature of Employments and Appointment held	Salary Per Month
11. (a) Nationality <input type="text"/>	(b) Citizenship <input type="text"/>		(c) Religion <input type="text"/>	
(d) Are you citizen of India by birth and /or by domicile <input type="text"/> Code : By Birth-01, By Birth and Domicile-02, By Domicile - 03				
(e) If you are not a citizen of India to what place do you claim to belong <input type="text"/>				
(f) Is certificate of eligibility for Indian citizenship necessary in your case (Yes / No) <input type="text"/>			(g) If answer to point (f) is yes, do you understand that your final selection will be subject to certificate of eligibility being given in your favour by Government of India (Yes / No) <input type="text"/>	
12. Have you ever served in the Army/ Navy/ Air Force / Territorial Army or NCC in any capacity (Yes / No) : <input type="text"/>				
13. Details of Service in the Armed Forces (please enclosed relevant Gazette Notification and other supporting documents)				
(a) Service : <input type="text"/> Code : Army - 01, Air Force - 02, Navy - 03, TA - 04, NCC - 05	(b) Arm / Service <input type="text"/>		(c) Unit <input type="text"/>	
(d) Service No <input type="text"/>	(e) Date of Enrolment <input type="text"/>		(f) Date of Commission <input type="text"/>	
(g) Date of Retirement / Release <input type="text"/>	(h) Substantive Rank held <input type="text"/>		(j) Medical Categories at the time of retirement / release <input type="text"/>	
(k) Reasons for Discharge / release from service : <input type="text"/> Code : Released - 01, Medical invalidated - 02, Premature Retirement - 03, Superannuation - 04, Removed/ Dismissed - 05, Resigned - 06, Others - 07	(l) Pay Account No. <input type="text"/>			

Signature of Candidate

(m) Record of service in Army/ Navy / Air Force / TA / NCC and appointment held with theater of war in which served with dates :-												
Unit	Period	Appointment held	Remarks									
(n) Army/ Navy / Air Force / TA / NCC courses of instruction if any attended with period of attendance and result obtained :-												
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		(ii) If yes give Type of Commission <input type="text"/>										
		(iii) Date of Application <input type="text"/>										
15. Choice of written exam centre : <input type="text"/>												
Code : Chandigarh - 01, Lucknow - 02, Patna - 03, Kolkata - 04, Shillong - 05, Pune - 06, Bangaluru - 07, Jaipur - 08, Hyderabad - 09, Udampur - 10, Srinagar - 11												
16. Please answer in Yes / No												
a) Have you ever been involved in any criminal case? <input type="text"/>	d) Is any case pending against you in any Court ? <input type="text"/>											
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g) If the answer to any of the above mentioned questions is 'Yes' give full details of the case/ duration of arrest / detention / conviction / nature of case pending / punishment awarded etc and reason being debarred by Centre or State Service Commission / University / Educational Authority etc at the time of filling up of this form. Copy of Court orders if any may also be enclosed.												
17. (a) Have your parents or any other near relative served in the Armed Forces ? (Yes / No) <input type="text"/>												
(b) If yes give full particulars regarding their name rank and Arm / Service together with your correct relationship with them.												
18. (a) Is any relative / intimately known person serving in any of the selection Centers / Services Selection Board (Yes / No) <input type="text"/>												
(b) If yes please give particulars.												
19. Details of particulars in respect of attendance at Service Selection Board, Mobile Selection Board or Air force Selection Board Interview :-												
Type of Commission / Course	Place of Interview	Date of Interview	Result	Roll No								

Signature of Candidate

20. Are you Ex-Civilian Gazetted Officer. (Yes / No) Enclose Gazetted Notification or Certificated copy Discharge Certificate.

21. Are you under debt ? If so, state amount of debt (in Rupees)

22. Are you under any liability to repay any loan / advance (Yes / No) If Yes enclose relevant documents with complete details.

23. Details of NCC certificate A/ B / C passed (Yes / No)

24. (a) Have you ever been in the past to the Indian Military Academy, Dehradun or to an Officers Training School or any other Training Establishment with a view to be trained for an eventual grant of Commission in the Army, Navy or Air Force. (Yes / No).

(b) If yes, give all particulars regarding your resignation / removal / withdrawal from the training in the table shown below :-

Course No	Date of Joining Course	Cadet No	Date of resignation / Removal / Withdrawal	Reason of resignation / removal / withdrawal copy of discharge certificate is to be submitted

Warning : The concealment of this information will result in the cancelation of the candidature and may also debar a candidate either permanently or for specified period from applying all type of commission in the Armed Forces.

25. Give a list of documents enclosed as per Para 11 of the Instructions to Candidates. In the absence of requisite certificates the application will NOT be considered.

26. Name and Address of two references for verification of facts as above

a) Name of 1 st reference	First Name	<input type="text"/>		
	Middle Name	<input type="text"/>		
	Surname	<input type="text"/>		
Address of 1 st reference	House No	<input type="text"/>	Block/Pkt	<input type="text"/>
	Village/Town	<input type="text"/>	Post Office	<input type="text"/>
	Tehsil	<input type="text"/>	District	<input type="text"/>
	State	<input type="text"/>	Pin Code	<input type="text"/>
b) Name of 2 nd reference	First Name	<input type="text"/>		
	Middle Name	<input type="text"/>		
	Surname	<input type="text"/>		
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Signature of Candidate

29. DECLARATION BY THE CANDIDATE

- (a) I hereby declare that information provided by me in this application form is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and I state that I am a :-
- i) Citizen of India.
 - ii) Subject of Nepal and certificate of eligibility is / is not necessary in my case.
 - iii) Person from areas which now form part of Pakistan / Bangladesh and a certificate of eligibility is/is not necessary in my case.
 - iv) Person of Indian origin who has immigrated from Pakistan / Bangladesh, Burma, Sri Lanka, East African Countries of Kenya, Uganda and United Republic of Tanzania with the intention of permanently settling in India.

Strike out the clause not applicable.

- (b) I also certify that I fully understand that I shall attend a Preliminary Interview and Service Selection Board of my free will at my own risk and that I or my legal heirs shall NOT claim any compensation or other relief from the Government of India in respect of any injury which may be sustained by me in the course of or as result of any of the tests given to me at the said Interview / Selection Board due to any reason.
- (c) I understand that any medical examination conducted at any stage of the Selection procedure does not necessarily mean that I have been selected.
- (d) I undertake to inform the Additional Director General, Territorial Army, Army HQ, New Delhi immediately in the event of there being any change in my employment during the period of my candidature for Territorial Army Commission and thereafter during my service to the Commanding Officer of my unit / superior officer, together with the No Objection Certificate (NOC) from my employer.
- (e) In the event of my selection for commission in the Territorial Army, I am willing to serve anywhere in India whenever required for any duration or as per the rules and orders in force from time to time.
- (f) I clearly understand that if at any time during the period of probation I am not found suitable, I shall have to resign my commission in accordance with the rules and orders in force from time to time and in case I decline to do so I am liable to be discharged / removed from the Territorial Army.
- (g) I am fully aware that if it is found at any stage that I have knowingly furnished any particulars which is / are false or have suppressed material information or I fail to comply with the above undertakings, my candidature will be rejected summarily and if already commissioned, I shall be liable to be discharged / removed from the Territorial Army.
- (h) I further declare that:-
- (i) I am unmarried.
 - (ii) I am widower/divorcee.
 - (iii) I am married and have more than one spouse living.
 - (iv) I am married and do not have more than one spouse living, and that I undertake not to contract another marriage without obtaining the prior permission of the Government of India, Ministry of Defence, through proper channel.

Strike out the portions not applicable.

- (j) I certify that I have read the complete instructions regarding filling of this application form and the application form has been filled accordingly.

Place :

Dated :

Signature of Candidate

Witness	First Name																			
	Middle Name																			
	Surname																			
Present Address	House No											Block/Pkt								
	Village/Town											Post Office								
	Tehsil											District								
	State											Pin Code								

Place :

Dated :

Signature of Witness

SECTION 'B' (1)
(For candidates who are employed)

(TO BE COMPLETED BY HEAD OF THE OFFICE/ DEPARTMENT/ INDUSTRIAL OR COMMERCIAL ESTABLISHMENT)

1. I certify that Shri/Smt/Kumaris/o/d/o/w/o..... is employed under me as for the last.....years and that his/her character, as far as known to me, is good. He/She is/is not recommended for the grant of commission in the Territorial Army.

2. It is also certified that Shri/Smt/Kumariwill be made available for training or embodiment for service in Territorial Army as and when required.

3. It is further certified that Shri/Smt/Kumaridoes not hold and/or is not likely to hold in the foreseeable future a key post in(department / organisation) which could affect the minimum essential, functions of the department/ organization. However, in the event of his/her becoming a keyperson subsequently the Additional Director General Territorial Army, New Delhi, shall be requested immediately to release or discharge him/her from the Territorial Army.

Place.....

Signature.....

Date.....

Designation.....

Stamp/Seal of Office.....

(Strike out the words not applicable)

SECTION "B" (2)
(For candidates who are running independent business)

CERTIFICATE TO BE RENDERED BY SELF EMPLOYED PERSONNEL
(SELF CERTIFIED BY THE CANDIDATE)

1. Is/o/d/o/w/o certify that I possess good moral character to the best of my belief and knowledge.

Place

Signature

Date

Name

2. Sample affidavit on Non-Judicial stamp paper of minimum value duly endorsed by notary.

I s/o/d/o/w/o resident of do hereby solemnly affirm and declare as follows:-

- (a) That I am a resident of above address.
- (b) That I am self employed as
- (c) That my annual income from all sources is approximately Rs

The above statement is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Deponent

Verification :

Verified at _____ on this _____ day of _____ 201__ that the contents of above affidavit are true to my knowledge & belief and nothing has been concealed therein.

Deponent

SECTION "B" (3)
(For candidates who are employed in Private Sector)

CERTIFICATE TO BE RENDERED BY CANDIDATES EMPLOYED IN PRIVATE SECTOR
(TO BE AUTHENTICATED BY HEAD OF OFFICE)

Certified that:-

(a) Any difference between the civil and military pay and allowances of the applicant Name..... s/o/d/o/w/o an employee of this organization, will be paid by us for the period of his/her military duty in the Territorial Army.

(b) On return from military duty in the Territorial Army Shri/Smt/Kumari will be absorbed to the same or equivalent post which he/she would have held, if his/her service in the civil had not been so interrupted and that such military services would count for all benefits in his/her civil job, like seniority for promotion, increments of pay, bonus and provident fund etc. to which he/she would have otherwise been entitled.

Place.....

Signature.....

Date.....

Name.....

Designation.....

Stamp/Seal of Office.....

SECTION "C"

(To be completed by the President, Preliminary Interview Board)

RECOMMENDATION OF INTERVIEW BOARD AT COMMAND

*Recommended/ Not recommended for a Commission in the Territorial Army

Place.....

Signature.....

Date.....

(Stamp/ Seal of Office)

*(Strike out whichever is not applicable)

SECTION "D"

(To be completed by the President, Service Selection Board)

Name of candidate.....

Marks awarded (both in words and figures)

Batch No.....

Place.....

Date.....

Signature.....

President
Services Selection Board
(Stamp/ Seal of Office)

SECTION "E"

*Selected/ Not Selected for commission in the Territorial Army

Place.....

Signature.....

Date.....

Additional Director General, Territorial Army
Army Headquarter
(Stamp/ Seal of Office)

*(Strike out whichever is not applicable)

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES FOR COMMISSION IN THE TERRITORIAL ARMY

General

1. The Territorial Army is designed to give our citizens an opportunity for receiving military training in their spare time, so that in the event of a grave national emergency they may be called upon to bear arms for the country' defence. Since service in the Territorial Army does not provide a regular career, candidates who have commensurate means of livelihood in their civil life should apply for commission in the Territorial Army.

Conditions of Eligibility

2. A candidate for commission in the Territorial Army must fulfill the conditions mentioned in paragraphs 3 to 10 below.

Nationality

3. Candidate must either be:-

(a) A citizen of India, or

(b) A subject of Nepal or

(c) A person of Indian origin who has migrated from Pakistan, Myanmar, Sri Lanka and East African Countries of Kenya, Uganda and United Republic of Tanzania (formerly Tanganika and Zanzibar) with the intention of permanently settling in India.

4. Provided that a candidate belonging to categories 3(b) and 3(c) above shall be a person in whose favour certificate of eligibility has been given by the Government of India.

5. Certificate of eligibility will not, however, be necessary in the case of a candidate belonging to any one of the following categories:-

(a) Person who migrated to India from Pakistan before the nineteenth day of July, 1948 and has ordinarily been residing in India since then.

(b) Person who migrated to India from Pakistan on or after the nineteenth day of July, 1948 and has got himself/herself registered as a citizen of India under Article 6 of the constitution.

(c) Gorkha subject of Nepal.

Age Limits

6. Applicants should have attained the age 18 years and not have attained the age of 42 years on the date of application, but the upper age limit may be relaxed at the discretion of the Chief of the Army Staff, in the case of (a) ex-officers, ex-VCOs/JCOs and WOs (or their equivalent) of the three Services, the Indian Territorial Forces, State Forces, Auxiliary Forces and the Reserve, (b) ex-serving JCOs of the Territorial Army (c) Government officials and persons possessing technical and medical qualifications.

Educational Qualifications

7. A candidate for commission of a Non Technical Arm i.e. infantry must hold a degree from a recognized university.

8. A candidate for commission in the Departmental Units must possess the following qualifications.

(a) For Railway Engineers (TA) – Must be a serving Gazetted Officer of the Indian Railways possessing appropriate qualifications required for different types of appointments.

(b) For IOC and ONGC (TA) – Must be serving Gazetted Officer in the concerned department possessing appropriate qualification required for different types of appointments.

- NOTES :**
- (a) For ex-officers of the three services and ex-serving JCOs of the territorial Army, the minimum prescribed qualifications may be relaxed provided they have a creditable record of service is considered adequate by the Selection Board.
- (b) The decision of Army Headquarters as to the eligibility or otherwise of candidate shall be final.

Physical Fitness

9. A candidate must be physically fit in all respects and be in medical category S1H1A1P1E1.

Submission of Application

10. Candidate applying for Territorial Army commission will download Application Form (Part-1) from www.indianarmy.nic.in & www.joinindianarmy.nic.in and will submit filled-in application in their own handwriting to the following:-

- (a) Infantry (Territorial Army).
- (i) For civilian candidates - To the concerned Territorial Army Group Headquarters (as per choice of written examination centre).
- (ii) For Ex-Armed Forces Officers - To the Territorial Army Directorate, New Delhi.
- (b) Railway Engineers (TA). - To the concerned Railway Engineers Regimental Territorial Army Units.
- (c) IOC and ONGC (TA). - To the concerned Oil Sector Territorial Army Units.

Documents to be Produced at the Time of Interview

11. Candidate who qualify in written test of Preliminary Interview Board are required to bring the following documents in original alongwith self attested copies at the time of Interview at respective Territorial Army Group Headquarters:-

- (a) Application Form (Part – 2) downloaded from www.indianarmy.nic.in & www.joinindianarmy.nic.in.
- (b) All educational qualification certificates (Matric onwards).
- (c) Latest physical fitness certificate from a registered MBBS Doctor.
- (d) Copy of Identity proof with photographs (Voter ID/PAN Card/Passport/Driving license etc).
- (e) Domicile/ Residential Address Proof.
- (f) Certificate for proof of age (Matric/ Senior Secondary mark sheet & certificate for verification of date of birth).
- (g) Service certificate by candidates employed in Central Govt/ Union Territory/ State/Semi Govt/ Private Sector authenticated by Head of Office alongwith No Objection Certificate by the department as per format given at Appendix.
- (h) Self employed candidates are required to submit an Affidavit on Non-Judicial stamp paper of minimum value duly attested stating nature of employment and annual income alongwith photocopy of PAN card and self certified character certificate.
- (j) Photocopy of PAN Card.
- (k) Photocopy of Adhar Card.

12. In addition to above, ex-service officers are required to submit the following additional documents:-

- (a) Release Medical Board.
- (b) Release Order/ Certificate.

13. Candidates whose names vary in documents should submit copy of Gazette Notification of India/ State showing the correct name or an affidavit duly supported by newspaper cuttings.

14. Candidates will be required to produce all certificates, in original, at the time of interview by Service Selection Board/ Army Headquarters Selection Board or to Army Headquarters (Territorial Army Directorate) later on.

Procedure for Selection

15. For Civilian Candidates (Non-Departmental).

(a) Candidates whose application forms are found correct will be called for screening (written exam followed by interview only if passed in written exam) by a Preliminary Interview Board (PIB) by the respective Territorial Army Group Headquarters.

(b) Successful candidates will further undergo tests at a Service Selection Board (SSB) and Medical Board and Police Verification for final selection.

16. For Ex-Armed Forces Officers (Non-Departmental).

(a) The candidates will be screened by the Army Headquarters Selection Board (ASB) held at Additional Directorate General Territorial Army, New Delhi.

(b) Recommended candidates will undergo Medical Examination at Armed Forces Clinic, New Delhi and Police Verification for final selection.

17. For Non-Departmental Candidates (Railway and Oil Sector Territorial Army Units).

(a) Candidates desirous of seeking commission in Departmental Territorial Army units should submit application form alongwith recommendation of their parent department to concerned unit.

(b) Candidates whose application forms are found correct will be called for interview by the respective Territorial Army Group Headquarters followed by medical examination for final selection.

18. **Traveling Concessions.** Candidate when called up for final interview before a Service Selection Board or Army Headquarters Selection Board will be entitled for TA/ DA admissible as per rules.

Note : Any attempt on the part of the candidate , directly or indirectly, to enlist support for their selection or to suppress material information while filling the application form or otherwise, will disqualify them for the grant of commission.

SALIENT TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SERVICE

Confirmation - Period of Probation

19. Officers are commissioned in the Territorial Army, as Lt and remain on probation for 3 years or till such time as they pass the Retention Examination, whichever is later. Ex-service officers with more than three years service will be exempted from probation. If an officer is found unsatisfactory during the probationary period, the officer may be called upon to resign their commission and in case they declines to do so, they will be liable to be removed from the Territorial Army.

Retention Examination

20. All officers except those belonging to Departmental TA officers are required to pass the Retention Examination within 4 years from the date of commissioning, otherwise their commissions are liable to be terminated. Ex-service officers with more than three years service will be exempted from the requirement.

Promotion Examination

21. All officer of Non Departmental Territorial Army Officers are required to pass Part A, B, C & D Promotion Examination within the time limit as laid down for promotion examination, failing which their commissions are liable to be terminated and for late passing of promotion examination, penalty of loss of seniority will be imposed. Promotion Exam Part 'A' and Part 'B' are required to be passed for promotion to rank of Major and Promotion Exam 'C' and 'D' are required to be passed for promotion to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel).

22. Departmental Territorial Army are required to pass Departmental Promotion Examination for promotion from Captain to Major within 08 years of commissioned service. Liabilities for late passing/ failing to pass promotion examination are same as in case of Non Departmental Territorial Army Officers.

Pay and Allowances

23. Officers of the Territorial Army will receive Pay and Allowance on embodiment for training / military service at rates similar to those admissible to Regular Army Officers.

Leave

24. Officers of the Territorial Army will be entitled leave on embodiment for training/ military service as applicable vide existing rules.

Discipline

25. Officers of the Territorial Army when embodied for any purpose, are subject to the Army Act and to the Rules and Regulations of the Regular Army read in conjunction with the Territorial Army Regulations. They are also expected to conform to the customs and traditions of the service.

Medical Treatment

26. Officers, when suffering from an injury or disease whilst on training / military service will be entitled to free medical treatment as in the Regular Army.

Substantive Promotion

27. Promotions upto rank of Lieutenant Colonel will be by time scale subject to fulfilling laid down criteria. Promotion to the rank of Colonel and Brigadier will be by selection grade. The following service limits have been laid down for substantive promotion to higher ranks:-

- | | | |
|-----|---------------------------|--|
| (a) | Lieutenant | : Commission is granted in the rank of Lieutenant. |
| (b) | Captain | : 04 years of Commissioned Service. |
| (c) | Major | : 08 years of Commissioned Service. |
| (d) | Lieutenant Colonel | : 15 years of Commissioned Service. |
| (e) | (i) Colonel | : By Selection Grade. |
| | (ii) Colonel (Time Scale) | : 28 years of Commissioned Service. |
| (f) | Brigadier | : By Selection Grade. |

Note : (a) Previous full pay commissioned service in the Regular Army, Navy and Air Force counts towards the above periods.

(b) Territorial Army officer are eligible for acting promotion to higher ranks subject to fulfillment of minimum service limits in Railway, IOC and ONGC units may be granted acting ranks in keeping with their civil status within the authorized establishment of their respective units.

Permanent Staff Appointments

28. A limited number of permanent staff appointments in Territorial Army units with a tenure which may be extended to a maximum period of five years may be offered to Territorial Army Officers who possess the necessary experience and qualifications.

Pensionary Benefits

29. Territorial Army Officers are eligible to terminal gratuity on retirement provided they have completed minimum of 4 years of aggregate embodied service. Disability family pensions are also admissible to them under certain conditions.

Retirement

30. Territorial Army Officers are compulsorily retired as follows:-

- | | | |
|-----|------------------------|--|
| (a) | Major and below | : 54 years of age. |
| (b) | Lieutenant Colonel and | : 56 years or 04 years tenure in present rank whichever is Colonel earlier but not before 54 years of age. |
| (c) | Brigadier | : 58 years or 04 years tenure in present rank whichever is earlier but not before 56 years of age. |

Discharge

31. A Territorial Army Officer is liable to be discharged dismissed or removed from service in the same manner as Regular Army Officer and/or in accordance with the Territorial Army rules/ orders in force.

Liability for Service

32. Officers of the Territorial Army are, under the Territorial Army Act liable to embodiment for military service with their units or with the Regular Army in accordance with Rules and Regulations as prescribed from time to time. However, they will not be required to serve beyond the limits of India, save under a general or special order of the Government of India.

33. All terms and conditions of service will be applicable in accordance with the Territorial Army Regulations and / or rules/ orders in force from time to time.

IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING THE APPLICATION FORM

34. Candidate must read instructions carefully and fill in the application form only if they are eligible in all respects.

35. The application form must be completed in the candidate's own handwriting and all answers should be given fully in words and not by dashes or dots.

36. Candidates are warned that they should not furnish any false particulars nor suppress any material information while filling the application form. If they do so, their application will be rejected summarily or if is found out later, they are liable to be removed/discharged from the Territorial Army.

37. The candidates should write their name in full in block letters. They should not use any initials for their name. The spellings of the name should tally with those of their signature at the end of the application form and with that given in each of their educational or other certificates. In case there is any discrepancy in the spellings of their name, they should furnish an affidavit duly signed by a first class magistrate to the effect that they are generally known by the name given in this application for commission in the Territorial Army and that the educational certificate (mentioned No. examination and year) issued by (mention the education authority concerned) in the name of (give the names shown in the certificate actually pertains to them.