communicated by the Indenting Ministries/Departments/ Offices/ Cadres, as per extant Government Orders.

3.3 Vacancies for ESM are reserved for only Group "C" posts.

4 Nationality/Citizenship:

- 4.1 A candidate must be either:
 - 4.1.1 a citizen of India, or
 - 4.1.2 a subject of Nepal, or
 - 4.1.3 a subject of Bhutan, or
 - 4.1.4 a Tibetan refugee who came over to India, before the 1st January, 1962 with the intention of permanently settling in India, or
 - 4.1.5 a person of Indian origin who has migrated from Pakistan, Burma, Sri Lanka, East African Countries of Kenya, Uganda, the United Republic of Tanzania (Formerly Tanganyika and Zanzibar), Zambia, Malawi, Zaire, Ethiopia and Vietnam with the intention of permanently settling in India.
- 4.2 Provided that a candidate belonging to categories (4.1.2), (4.1.3), (4.1.4) and (4.1.5) above shall be a person in whose favour a certificate of eligibility has been issued by the Government of India.
- 4.3 A candidate in whose case a certificate of eligibility is necessary may be admitted to the Examination but the offer of appointment will be given only after the necessary eligibility certificate has been issued to him by the Government of India.

5 Age limit (As on 01-01-2022):

| S No | Age Limit | Remarks |
|---|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| (i) | For the posts for which age limit is | Candidate must have been born not |
| | 18-27 years | earlier than 02-01-1995 and not |
| | | later than 01-01-2004. |
| (ii) For the posts for which age limit is | | Candidate must have been born not |
| | 20-30 years | earlier than 02-01-1992 and not |
| | | later than 01-01-2002. |
| (iii) | For the posts for which age limit is | Candidate must have been born not |
| | 18-30 years | earlier than 02-01-1992 and not |
| | | later than 01-01-2004. |
| (iv) | For the post for which age limit is | Candidate must have been born not |
| | 18-32 years | earlier than 02-01-1990 and not |
| | | later than 01-01-2004. |
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5.1 Requirement of age for various posts is as follows:

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| Code No | Category | Age-relaxation permissible beyond upper age limit |
| 01 | SC/ST | 5 years |
| 02 | OBC | 3 years |
| 03 | PwD (Unreserved) | 10 years |
| 04 | PwD (OBC) | 13 years |
| 05 | PwD (SC/ST) | 15 years |
| 06 | Ex-Servicemen (ESM) | 3 years after deduction of the military service rendered from the actual age as on the closing date. |
| 08 | Defence Personnel disabled in operation during hostilities with any foreign country or in a disturbed area and released as a consequence thereof | 3 years |
| 09 | Defence Personnel disabled in operation during hostilities with any foreign country or in a disturbed area and released as a consequence thereof (SC/ST) | 8 years |
| Ac | ditional permissible relaxation in upper age l | imit for Group 'C' posts |
| 10 | Central Govt. Civilian Employees who have rendered not less than 3 years regular and continuous service as on closing date for receipt of application. | Upto 40 years of age |
| 11 | Central Govt. Civilian Employees(SC/ST) who have rendered not less than 3 years regular and continuous service as on closing date for receipt of application. | Upto 45 years of age |
| 12 | Widows/ Divorced Women/ Women judicially separated and who are not remarried. | Up to 35 years of age |
| 13 | Widows/ Divorced Women/ Women judicially separated and who are not remarried (SC/ST). | Up to 40 years of age |

5.2 Permissible relaxation in upper age limit and category-codes for claiming age relaxation are as follows: