

**Government of West Bengal**  
**Department of Women and Child Development AND Social Welfare**  
**BikashBhavan, North Block, 10<sup>th</sup> floor, Salt Lake City, Kolkata 700091**

Memo No. 5877 –SW/O/3S-225/05 Pt.

Date :10<sup>th</sup> October,2023

**MEMORANDUM**

**Sub : Revision of eligibility criteria for engagement to the position of AWWs and AWHs for all categories.**

In partial modification of this Department's Memorandum No.4039-SW/3S-225/05, dated 20/12/2013 read with this Department's Memo No.3104-SW/3S-225/05(Pt.II) dated 19/09/2013 and also Memo. No.3487-SW/3S-48/14, dated 15/10/2014 i.e. with respect to the eligibility criteria of minimum educational qualification and age for engagement to the position of AWWs and AWHs for all categories (i.e. General, SC, ST, OBC etc.), the undersigned is directed, by order of the Governor, to say that the Governor, after careful consideration, has been pleased to revise the said criteria, in the public interest, to the following effect :

- (i) The minimum educational qualification for engagement to the position of AWWs and AWHs will be Class-XII(twelve) Pass.
- (ii) Age limit for engagement to the position of AWWs and AWHs will be 18-35 years.

All other contents in the aforesaid Memorandums shall remain unchanged.

This order will take immediate effect.

By Order of the Governor,

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
10/10/23

Additional Secretary to Government of West Bengal

No. 5877/1(29) –SW/O/3S-225/05 Pt.

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1. The Chairman, District Level Selection and Monitoring Committee, Kolkata
2. The Director of ICDS, W.B. Shaishali Complex, Salt Lake, Kolkata-700064.
3. The Principal Secretary, GTA
4. The District Magistrate (All)
5. Smt. Arkaja Das, Deputy Secretary (Anganwadi Services), Ministry of WCD, Govt. of India. ShastriBhawan, New Delhi
6. P.S. to the HMIC of this Department.
7. Sr. P.S. to the Principal Secretary of this Department.

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
10/10/23

Additional Secretary to Government of West Bengal

**Govt. Of west Bengal**  
**Office of the District Magistrate, Malda**  
**(District ICDS Cell)**

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*[Handwritten Signature]*  
12/11/23  
District Programme Officer  
District ICDS Cell, Malda