PRASAR BHARATI (INDIA'S PUBLIC SERVICE BROADCASTER) AKASHVANI

REGIONAL NEWS UNIT: PUDUCHERRY

Empanelment of Casual News Editor(Tamil) and Casual News Reader cum Translator(Tamil) in Regional News Unit, Akashvani, Puducherry

Applications in the prescribed proforma are invited from interested candidates residing in Puducherry for the empanelment of News Editor (Tamil) and News Reader cum Translator (Tamil) on casual assignment basis in the Regional News Unit, Akashvani (All India Radio), Puducherry.

Post	Essential	Desirable	Nature of duties
	Qualifications	Qualifications	
Casual News Editor (Tamil)	1. Graduate of a recognised university. 2. Degree or Post Graduate Diploma in Journalism with a duration of at least one year from a recognized university/institution or 5-year experience in reporting/editing work	 Experience of journalistic work in Radio/TV. Knowledge of basic computer applications. 	To translate, edit and format news stories and prepare News bulletins Identify news worthy inputs for the bulletins. Write, plan and produce news magazines, special
	in Print/Electronic Media. 3. Proficiency in Tamil language.		programs and conduct interviews as per requirement of Newsroom.
Casual News Reader cum Translator(Tamil)	 Graduate of a recognised university. Proficiency in Tamil Language. Having a voice of good quality suited to broadcasting. 	 Experience of journalistic work in Radio/TV. Knowledge of basic computer applications. 	To translate, edit, and format news stories Reading news stories in impactful and interesting way for audio medium.

Age

21 - 50 years (as on the last date for application)

Terms & Conditions

The applicant may note that working on casual assignment basis for Akashvani will not confer any right for regularization of services in this organization. The booking will be offered from time to time on the basis of the requirements of the organization and will not normally exceed six days in a month and 72 assignments in a year.

Application Fee:

The candidates are required to deposit application processing fee (non-refundable) at the following rates, along with the applications, through Account Number: 10476542131, Account Name: PRASAR BHARATI BROADCASTING CORPN. OF INDIA, AIR, IFSC Code: SBIN0000965, Branch Name: SBI MYLAPORE BRANCH, Bank Name: STATE BANK OF INDIA.

General Category – ₹ 354 SC/ST/OBC – ₹ 266

Method of Selection:

Casual News Editor(Tamil)

The Selection procedure comprises of two stages: written test and an interview. Each test carries 100 marks. The written test will seek to assess the journalistic and professional capability as well as the knowledge of the candidate in concerned language. Candidates securing 50 marks and above in the written examination will be called for interview to assess the suitability of the candidate for radio news.

Casual News Reader cum Translator (Tamil)

The Selection procedure comprises of three stages: written test, voice test & an interview to assess the professional competence and knowledge of the candidate in concerned language. Each test carries 100 marks. The syllabus for the written test include translation from English to Tamil and vice versa, short notes on current affairs and general knowledge etc. All questions are to be answered in Tamil. Duration of test will be three hours. Candidates securing 50 marks and above in the written test will be called for voice test. In the voice test, the following are to be adjudged. 1. Voice Quality, 2. Modulation, 3. Diction, 4. Pronunciation, 5. Accent. Voice test may be followed by interview to assess the suitability of the candidate for the RNU Job.

Applications should reach "The RNU Head, All India Radio, Indira Nagar, Gorimedu, Puducherry 605006 by post/hand on or before 15.11.2025. The envelope containing the application in the prescribed format should be super scribed with "Application for Casual News Editor(Tamil)/Casual News Reader cum Translator(Tamil) in RNU Puducherry". Candidates applying for more than one post are required to submit separate applications along with separate processing fee.

Applications received after the prescribed date and time will not be considered. For any late receipt or non-receipt of the applications, this division shall not be held responsible and no further correspondence in this regard shall be entertained. Candidates working in Govt./Autonomous bodies should obtain a 'No Objection Certificate' from their employers.

The list of eligible candidates scrutinised from the applications received along with the time, date & venue etc. for the written examination will be put on the NSD AIR website: www.newsonair.gov.in. All the applicants are requested to check the website on regular basis after the closing date for the submission of the application. No call letter will be delivered to candidates for the written examination and audition/voice test.

The results of the written test in respect of the qualifying candidates as well as the date for their Voice test and the schedule of interview will be put on the website. The final results will also be available on the NSD:AIR website www.newsonair.gov.in

The applicant may please note that the written, Voice tests & Interview will be held in Puducherry. No TA/DA will be admissible to the candidates attending the written/voice-test/interview etc. The applicants are required to submit their applications in the prescribed format given in the advertisement only.

For any enquiry, please contact: 0413-2272643 (From Monday to Friday 10.00 AM to 6.00 PM)

Email: rnupondicherry@gmail.com

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APPLICATION PROFORMA FOR ENGAGEMENT AS

Affix Passport size photograph

Name (in Capital letters) :
 Father's/Husband's Name :
 Address for Communication :

4. Mobile No. 5 Email. address Date of birth 6. 7. Aadhar Number 8. Category (whether SC/ST/OBC/General) 9. Marital status 10. **Nationality Educational Qualifications** 11. **Professional Qualifications** 12. 13. Fee paid particulars

Declaration

I hereby declare that all the statements made in this application herein above are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that in the event of any information being found false, incorrect or incomplete or if I am found ineligible due to non-fulfilment of eligibility criteria, my candidature is liable to be cancelled/rejected at any stage without notice.

Signature of Applicant

Place:

Enclosures required:

- 1. Proof of age (Class 10th mark list / 10th certificate issued by State Board / CBSE ICSE/Copy of birth certificate)
- 2. Proof of essential and desirable qualifications mentioned against the category applied for (academic qualification, professional qualification and work experience)
- 3. Proof of residence (AADHAR card / Passport / Driving License /Voter Id/ Rental Lease Agreement carrying Name / Residence certificate issued by Tehsildar)
- 4. Community Certificate (applicable for SC/ST/OBC category) for claiming concession in application fee.
- 5. No Objection Certificate from employer to be produced by those in Government Service/autonomous bodies.
- 6. One passport size photograph to be pasted on the designated spaces in the application form
- 7. Transaction Id & Proof of Application fee