

**F. No. I-14011/15/2021-IPS.I (E)**

Government of India  
Ministry of Home Affairs

North Block, New Delhi  
Date: 02.03.2021

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- (i) The Secretary,  
Union Public Service Commission,  
Dholpur House, Shahjahan Road, New Delhi.
- (ii) The Chief Secretary,  
Govt. of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla.  
(Kind Attn : Shri Rakesh Sharma, Special Secretary (Home))

Subject:- Determination of vacancies for appointment by promotion of State Police Officers of Himachal Pradesh to Indian Police Service of Himachal Pradesh Cadre from the Select List of the year 2020.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the State Govt. of Himachal Pradesh's letter no. Home-D-B(2)-1/2020 dated 18.01.2021 on the subject cited above and to say that the authorized promotion quota in **Himachal Pradesh Cadre** of IPS as on 01.01.2021 was 28, whereas 26 officers were in position on the due date which makes a total of 02 vacancies. Out of these 02 vacancies, 01 vacancy has arisen due to retirement of Smt. Punita Bhardwaj on 31.12.2020 & other 01 vacancy has arisen due to transfer of Sh. Ajay Krishan Sharma to AGMUT Cadre on grounds of marriage.

2. Therefore, in terms of the provisions contained in Rule 4 (2) of the IPS Recruitment Rules, 1954 read with IPS (Appointment by Promotion) Regulations, 1955, **02** vacancies are determined for the Select List of the year **2020** for appointment by promotion of State Police Officers of Himachal Pradesh to Indian Police Service of Himachal Pradesh Cadre.

3. The State Govt. and the Commission are requested to take further necessary action as required under the IPS Appointment by Promotion Regulations 1955.

Yours faithfully

  
(Sanjeev Kumar)

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