

**PART III**

**GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB**  
**DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL ADMINISTRATION**  
(A.D.O.-I BRANCH)

**NOTIFICATION**

The 10th May, 2016

**No.G.S.R. 38/Const./Art.309/Amd.(15)/2016.**—In exercise of the powers conferred by the provision to article 309 of the Constitution of India and all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Governor of Punjab is pleased to make the following rules further to amend the Punjab Government Houses (General Pool) Allotment Rules, 1983, namely:-

**RULES**

1. (1) These rules may be called the Punjab Government Houses (General Pool) Allotment (First Amendment) Rules, 2016.

(2) They shall come into force on and with effect from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. In the Punjab Government Houses (General Pool) Allotment Rules, 1983, for rule 7-A, the following rule shall be substituted, namely:-

"7-A. (1) If in the opinion of the Government that it is expedient so to do in public interest, it may allot fifteen Government houses at the State level and four Government houses at the District Level, as the case may be, to Accredited Press Correspondents, for a period of three years.

(2) Out of fifteen Government houses at the State level,-

(i) Five houses of Type VIII, shall be allotted to such Accredited Press Correspondents, who have not less than ten year's experience of working as such;

(ii) three houses of Type IX, shall be allotted to such other Accredited Press Correspondents, who have not less than eight year's experience of working as such; and

(iii) seven houses of Type III or II, as the case may be, shall be allotted to the remaining Accredited Press Correspondents.

(3) The four Government houses at the district level shall be allotted to the Accredited Press Correspondents, as per the existing policy followed at the district level.

(4) An Accredited Press Correspondents can make an application for re-allotment of such Government house within a period of one month from the date of expiry of the aforesaid period of three years.

(5) An Accredited Press Correspondents shall not be eligible to make an application for allotment of a Government house under these rule, at a particular station, if he owns a house either in his own name or in the name of his spouse or any of his dependent children, as the case may be, at such station.

(6) No Accredited Press Correspondents shall be allowed to retain a Government house allotted to him, after attaining the age of sixty years."

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