

## **CIVIL DEFENCE VOLUNTEERS**

1. Civil Defence volunteer/Corps are expected to be the first responders in case of disaster situations or hostile enemy attacks. It is important that citizens interested in joining the Corps have high integrity, motivation and commitment to the services of the society and nation on volunteer's basis. The process of enrollment should be simple and IT enabled so as to facilitate enrollment of volunteers within a shortest possible time.
2. The Divisional Commissioner, Delhi/Controller, Civil Defence or any other officer authorized by the Govt of NCT Delhi shall be the competent authority to approve enrollment of civil Defence Volunteers under his respective jurisdiction.
3. **Eligibility Criteria:-**
  - (1) **Residence:-** He/She shall be a citizen of India or a subject of Bhutan or of Nepal and should be a resident of Delhi having any one of the following Documents: Voter Identity Card/Aadhar Card/Passport/Driving License/Bank Pass Book/ and other employment identity Card issued by Govt Authority with a photograph.
  - (2) **Age:-** He she should be of 18 years of above, provided that this age limit may be relaxed with the discretion of the controller up to a maximum of 3 years in Civil Defence. There is no maximum age limit for enrollment.
  - (3) **Educational Qualification:-** He/she shall have passed at least Primary standard, and this condition may be relaxed by the Controller at his discretion. The educational qualification shall be as follow:-

(a) House Fire Party (Member)	:	Primary Standard {5 <sup>th</sup> Class}
(b) Sector Warden to Post Warden	:	Middle & above
(c) Dy. Divisional Warden & all	:	Matric & above
4. **Health:-** A person shall not be entitled to be appointed to the Corps unless he/she is found to be physically fit, mentally alert and also with normal vision/corrected vision after wearing spectacles.
5. **N.O.C :-** Aspirant who is in employment shall be required to produce a "No Objection Certificate" from his/her employer agreeing to spare his/her services for training and duty, whenever required.
6. Serving members of the following forces or services are not eligible for enrollment:
  - 1) Armed Forces of the Union,
  - 2) Police Force,
  - 3) Fire Services,
  - 4) Territorial Army or auxiliary Forces of any of the Defence Services,
  - 5) Civilian personnel employed in connection with the armed Forces of the union,

A retired defence person will however be allowed to be enrolled as member of civil defence corps. Any past services in the national volunteer force and in the Armed Force of the Union shall be a special qualification for enrollment.

## **The Volunteer Structure of Civil Defence**

### **District Level**

1. Senior Chief Warden
2. Chief Warden
3. Additional Chief Warden(M)
4. Additional Chief Warden (F)
5. Deputy Chief Warden (HQ)
6. Deputy Chief Warden (Zonal)

### **Division Level {01 Lac Population}**

1. Divisional Warden
2. Dy. Divisional Warden
3. Post Warden
4. Dy. Post Warden
5. Sector Warden
6. Messenger
7. Member House Fire Party

### **Ladies Wing Division Level {01 Lac Population}**

1. Lady Warden
2. Dy. Lady Warden
3. Group Leader
4. Member (Lady Volunteers)

## **CIVIL DEFENCE TRAINING**

Two types of CD training are organized for the Volunteers to make them well trained to meet out the requirements in an Emergency/Disaster. These are:

### **Basic CD Training**

This is imparted at places convenient to the volunteer for eight days either continuously or during eight Sundays. A Basic Training Certificate is awarded on successful completion of the training programme. Civil Defence Training is also imparted to students in schools, colleges, NCC units, universities & other educational institutions, industrial establishments etc.

### **Specialized Courses**

Civil Defence Volunteers are given advance knowledge in CD subjects like rescue, fire fighting, communication, Part Time Instructor, First Aid etc. Specialised courses are conducted at

CTI, Raja Garden, New Delhi.

National Civil Defence College, Nagpur and

Civil Defence Central Training Institute, Bangalore.

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