

SPICES BOARD
(Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Govt. of India)
“Sugandha Bhavan” N.H.By Pass, Palarivattom P.O, Cochin – 682025, Kerala, India
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Notification No:04/2026

**WRITTEN TEST FOR SELECTION OF TRAINEE ANALYST IN CHEMISTRY
AT SPICES BOARD, QUALITY EVALUATION LABORATORY(QEL), KOCHI.**

[Exclusively for Scheduled Caste (SC) and Scheduled Tribe(ST) candidates]

Trainee Analyst Chemistry	Two (02) Nos. (A panel will be prepared for future requirements)
Category	SC/ST
Stipend	Rs.20,000/- per month
Training Location	Quality Evaluation Laboratory, Kochi
Method of selection	Written Test
Age	Not more than 30 years as on the date of written test
Tenure of Training	One year from the date of joining (extendable upto one more year)
Leave eligibility	One day per month
Qualification	<u>Essential:-</u> Bachelor of Science Degree with Chemistry as one of the subject or Bachelor degree in Chemistry from a recognized university or equivalent. Candidates undergone training in any office of Spices Board are not eligible to apply, regardless of whether the training is completed or not.
Subject of training	Training on chemical analysis of Spices and Spice products

Venue, Date and time of Written test	Venue: QUALITY EVALUATION LABORATORY, SPICES BOARD HEAD OFFICE, SUGANDHA BHAVAN, N.H BY PASS, PALARIVATTOM, KOCHI-682025, KERALA, PH:0484-2333610-616 Date: 11.08.2026 Time:10:00 AM (Before appearing for the written test, candidates may ensure that the application is submitted online. Last date for submitting online application is 10/08/2026)
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Instructions to candidates:	1. Eligible candidates shall submit the application online at http://spicesboard.in/recruitment/. The candidates reporting after the specified time or fail to submit their application online will not be permitted to participate in the test. 2. Candidates are required to report at the venue at least 30 minutes prior to the scheduled time for certificate verification. They must bring all original documents and certificates, along with one set self attested copies each, pertaining to identity, age, educational qualifications for verification purpose 3. The number of trainees indicated is provisional and may vary at the time of selection. 4. The selection as Trainee Analyst in Spices Board is only a training and under no circumstances are linked to regular appointments and cannot be regularized at any stage. 5. Before applying, candidates should ensure that they fulfill the eligibility criteria for the training as mentioned above. 6. In case it is detected at any stage of recruitment that a candidate does not fulfill the eligibility norms and / or that he/she has furnished any incorrect / false information or has suppressed any material fact(s), his / her candidature will stand cancelled. If any of these shortcomings is/are detected even after selection, his/her services are liable to be terminated. 7. Decisions of the Spices Board in all matters regarding eligibility, conduct of test, detailed test and selection procedure would be final and binding on all candidates. No representation or correspondence will be entertained by the Board in this regard. 8. Canvassing in any form will be a disqualification. 9. No TA/ DA will be given to candidates who attend the written test. 10. Candidates are advised to check notification/opportunities in Board's website www.indianspices.com for updates and not to rely on information from 3rd party websites.
Validity of rank list	Rank list shall be maintained for the trainees and shall be operated only in the event of occurrence of requirement caused by non joining of a candidate from the rank list within the date of joining as stipulated in the offer of selection issued to the candidate OR, where a candidate joins as trainee and in the event of separation of a person on account of death or resignation from the

	trainee during the period of one year from the date of joining. The validity period of the rank lest shall be up to one year from the date of publication of results, unless a refresh notification for the same training is issued. Requirement which arose as stated above shall not be treated as a fresh requirement and the actual number of requirements filled up against this notification shall under no circumstances exceed the number of requirements indicated in this notification
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Date: 22nd July, 2026.

Director(Admn.)i/c

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