

33% Quota for Women in Police Force

Why in News?

Recently, the Rajasthan government approved **33% reservation for women** in the police force, along with an additional 5% allowance for pensioners.

Key Points

- The Cabinet approved an amendment to the <u>Rajasthan Police Subordinate Services Rules</u>,
 1989.
- Approval was also given to amend Rules 67 and 87 of the <u>Rajasthan Civil Services Pension</u> <u>Rules</u>, <u>1996</u>, under central government pension rules.
 - A 5% additional allowance was approved for pensioners aged 70 to 75
 - Specially-abled children, dependent parents, and specially-abled siblings can now be permanently added to the <u>Pension Payment Order (PPO)</u> if there is no other eligible member.
 - The <u>gratuity and death gratuity</u> for state employees were increased from Rs. 20 lakh to Rs. 25 lakh.

Note: The **Union government** approved a **33% reservation** for women in direct recruitment for non-gazetted posts (constable to sub-inspector) in Delhi in **March 2015.**

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