Joint Plant Committee (JPC) is looking for talented, innovative and dynamic Professionals for recruitment as **Young Professionals (YPs)** on contract basis. Details of the same are given below:-

1. Details of vacancy:

Work Area	No of vacancy
Economics	2
AI/ML	2

- 2. Job Posting: JPC Head Office, New Delhi
- Job Description: Detailed job description including qualification and experience is in Annexure A.
- **4. Terms and Conditions:** The Terms and Conditions for engagement of Young Professionals may be seen at **Annexure-B.**
- 5. Submission of Applications & Mode of Recruitment:
 - I. Eligible Candidates are required to send filled up application form (Annexure-C) along with self attested photocopies of educational qualification, work experience etc. in sealed envelopes to JPC office at 301-306, Aurobindo Place, Hauz Khas, New Delhi 110016, addressed to DGM (HR&A), I/c, JPC, with the envelopes marked as "Application for the post of Young Professionals in Joint Plant Committee (JPC)".
 - II. The last date for submission of the completed application is 20th January 2026.
 - III. Any application received after the due date/time shall be summarily rejected.
- IV. Candidates may note that scanned copy of applications, complete in all respects, may also be mailed to <u>jpc.hiring2025@qmail.com</u>
- V. All the applications received within the stipulated date shall be scrutinized and shortlisted by an Internal Committee for selection as **Young Professionals** in JPC.
- VI. Only the candidates who are selected for the program shall be intimated.
- VII. The decision of the Internal Committee shall be final and binding and no queries shall be entertained in this regard.



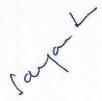
- VIII. The Internal Committee may devise its own method for selection of suitable candidates as per the requirement. It may also recommend a panel of names for keeping in reserve list with a validity period of one year from the date of recommendation.
- IX. The candidature will be considered on the basis of the information declared in the application and supporting documents submitted at the time of application. If at any stage in the future, it is found that any information furnished in the application is false /incorrect or if according to the JPC, the candidate does not satisfy the eligibility criteria, his/her candidature/engagement is liable to be cancelled/terminated.



Annexure-A: Detailed job description including qualification and experience

Work Area	No of vacancy	Essential Qualification	Essential Experience	Job Description
Economics	2	Masters in Economics with specialization in Econometrics, or related field from a recognized university/institution.	Minimum 2 years of post-qualification experience in policy research, data analysis, or related roles in government, think tanks, consulting, or industry. Strong analytical and drafting skills required.	 Provide analytical and drafting support for policy matters such as green steel taxonomy, emissions tracking, carbon pricing, CBAM, and CCTS. Support trade competitiveness analysis including WTO issues, FTAs/CEPAs, and import-export monitoring via SIMS. Coordinate with DGTR, DGFT, and Department of Commerce. Assist in preparing replies to Parliament Questions, speeches, reports, notes for high-level meetings, and briefing material for senior officials and ministers for interministerial meetings, G20, BRICS, and bilateral dialogues. Conduct data analysis and maintain datasets to support decisions on raw material security, royalty and auction trends, logistics, pricing, and industrial initiatives like PLI, Make-in-India, and capacity expansion.
AI/ML	2	B.E./B.Tech in Computer Science / IT / Electronics or equivalent Or M.Sc. in Data Science / Computer Science Or MCA; Preferably with PG/Diploma in AI/ML/Data Science	Minimum 2 years of post-qualification experience in data analytics, machine learning, and model deployment. Handson experience with Python, SQL, Tensor Flow/PyTorch, and cloud-based analytics platforms.	 Develop AI/ML models for predictive analytics, including forecasting models, anomaly detection, and chatbots for intelligent user queries. Prepare advanced forecasts, indices, and pricing benchmarks to support datadriven decisions for policymakers and industry. Lead product innovation through stakeholder feedback, pilot data formats, and collaboration with tech teams to build digital tools tailored for government and industry use.

Note: Preferred Experience: Basic knowledge of steel industry, analytical ability and communication skills



Annexure-B: General Terms and Conditions

- 1. Tenure: The Young Professionals will be engaged initially for a period of three years which may be extended by one year at a time upto a maximum tenure of five years (i.e. 3+1+1) based on evaluation of satisfactory Annual Performance Review at the end of 2.5 years and at the end of 3.5 years of work in JPC, based on clearly defined Key Performance Indicators. The engagement of Young Professionals is of a temporary nature and the JPC can cancel the engagement at any time without providing any reasons thereof.
- 2. Age: Candidate should be below 32 years of age as on 1st January, 2026.
- 3. Remuneration: Selected candidates will be paid a consolidated remuneration of Rs 70,000/- per month (inclusive of all applicable taxes and no other facility or allowance will be allowed) with an annual increment system as detailed below:

Performance [#]	Annual increment (%)	
Young Professionals performed only routine/assigned work	Nil	
Young Professionals who made significant contribution in their domain and have shown exceptional quality in providing the desired output as expected by higher authorities on the assigned/specific task.	Upto 5% of the remuneration	
In exceptional cases, where any Young Professional has demonstrated exemplary performance in his/her domain and has made significant contribution in policy making and his or her articles have been published in reputed journals / magazine / newspaper or has authored books etc.	Upto 10% of the remuneration	

#Performance not to be judged merely on the grading obtained on the Annual Performance Report forwarded by the respective Wing Heads. Publications of articles in reputed journals/magazine/newspaper or books authored by the Young Professionals will be given extra weightage while evaluating/deciding cases for enhancement in remuneration.

- 3.1 Total enhancements in remuneration shall not exceed 10% annually in any case.
- 3.2 Notwithstanding anything mentioned above, in no case shall the remuneration of any Young Professional shall exceed 1.35 times of the initial remuneration.
- 3.3 Engagement criteria may further be defined for specific positions depending on the specific requirements and circumstances.



- 4. TA/DA: Domestic tours would be subject to approval of Executive Secretary, JPC and reimbursement of travel by Air in Economy Class or by Rail in AC two tier is allowed, and hotel accommodation of upto Rs 2250/- day, taxi charges of up to Rs. 338/- per day for travel within the city and food bills not exceeding Rs. 900/- per day shall be allowed subject to furnishing of relevant documents.
- Payment: The payment will be released by JPC within one week after completion of the month based on the attendance registered by the Young Professionals and on certification by concerned reporting officer.
- 6. Leave: The Young Professionals shall be entitled to leave at the rate of 1.5 days of each completed month with no accumulation of leave beyond a calendar year on pro-rata basis. Further, the absence up to one month may be considered without remuneration with the approval of Executive Secretary, JPC. However, in exceptional cases for professional development, training etc., this condition may be relaxed with the approval of Executive Secretary, JPC.
- 7. Tax Deduction at Source: The Income Tax or any other tax liable to be deducted as per the prevailing rules will be deducted at source before effecting the payment, for which the JPC will issue TDS Certificate/s, Goods and Service Tax, as applicable shall be admissible to the Young Professionals. JPC undertakes no liability for taxes or other contribution payable by the Young Professionals on payments made under this Consultancy Contract.
- 8. **Police Verification:** Police verification of the Young Professionals shall be done as per the latest instructions issued by MHA. In case the police verification is received as negative, the contract of the Young Professional shall cease to exist with immediate effect without any notice.
- 9. **Training**: After joining, a minimum of three days of induction training (not to be paid) may be organized for all Young Professionals.
- 10. Probation: The selected candidates will be on a probation period of six months, effective from date of joining and will be confirmed in their respective posts, consequent upon successful completion of probation period.

Contractual Terms and Conditions

11. **Legal Status:** The Young Professional shall have the legal status of an independent Consultant vis-a-vis JPC and shall not be regarded, for any purposes, as being either a "staff member" or an "official" of the JPC. Accordingly, nothing within or relating to the contract shall establish the relationship of employer and employee, or of principal and agent, between JPC and the Young Professional.



- 12. Standards of Conduct: The Young Professional shall neither seek nor accept instructions from any authority external to JPC in connection with the performance of its obligations under the Contract. The Young Professional shall not take any action in respect of performance of the Contract or otherwise related to obligations under the Contract that may adversely affect the interests of JPC, and the Young Professional shall perform its obligations under the Contract with the fullest regard to the interests of the Ministry. The Young Professional warrants that it has not and shall not offer any direct or indirect benefit arising from or related to performance of the Contract of the award thereof to any representative, official, employee or other agent of JPC. The Young Professional shall comply with all laws, ordinances, rules and regulations bearing upon the performance of its obligations under the Contract. In the performance of the Contract, the Young Professional shall comply with the standards of Conduct. Failure to comply with the same is grounds for termination of the Young Professional for the cause.
- 13. Prohibition of Sexual Exploitation and Abuse: In the performance of the Contract, the Young Professional shall comply with the "Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013. The Young Professional acknowledges and agrees that any breach of any of the provisions hereof shall constitute a breach of an essential term of Contract, and, in addition to any other legal rights or remedies available to any person, shall give rise to grounds for termination of the Contract. In addition, nothing herein shall limit the right of JPC to refer any alleged breach of the foregoing standards of conduct to the relevant national authorities for appropriate legal action.
- 14. Title Rights, Copyrights, Patents and Other Proprietary Rights: Title to any equipment and supplies that may be furnished by the JPC to the Young Professional for the performance of any such obligation under the Contract shall rest with the JPC and any such equipment shall be returned to the JPC at the conclusion/termination of contract or when no longer needed by the Young Professional. Such equipment, when returned to the JPC shall be in the same condition as when delivered to the Young Professional, subject to normal wear and tear, and the Young Professional shall be liable to compensate the JPC for any damage or degradation of the equipment that is beyond normal wear and tear. JPC shall be entitled to all intellectual property and other proprietary rights, including, but not limited to, patents, copyrights and trademarks, with regard to products, processes, inventions, ideas, know-how or documents and other materials which the Young Professional has developed for JPC under the Contract and which bear a direct relation to or are produced or prepared or collected in consequence of, or during the course of, the performance of the Contract, and the Young Professional acknowledges and agrees that such products, documents and other materials constitute works made for hire for the JPC. Subject to the foregoing provisions, all maps, drawings, photographs, mosaics, plans, reports, estimates, recommendations, documents and all other data compiled by or received by the Young Professional under the Contract shall be the property of the JPC, shall be made available for use or inspection by the JPC at reasonable times and in reasonable places, shall be treated as confidential and shall be delivered only to the JPC authorized officials on completion of work under the Contract.



- 15. Confidential nature of Documents and Information: The Young Professional would be subject to the provisions of the Indian Official Secrets Act, 1923. The Young Professional shall not, except with the previous sanction of the JPC or in the bona fide discharge of his or her duties, publish a book or a compilation of articles or participate in radio broadcast or contribute an article or write a letter in any newspapers or periodical either in his own name or anonymously or pseudonymously in the name of any other person, if such book, article, broadcast or letter related to subject matter assigned to him by the JPC.
- 16. Use of Name, Emblem or official seal of the JPC: The Young Professional shall not advertise or otherwise make public for purposes of commercial advantage that it has a contractual relationship with the JPC, now shall he/she, in any matter whatsoever, use the name, emblem or official seal of the JPC or any abbreviation of the name of the JPC, in connection with its business or otherwise without the written permission of the JPC.
- 17. **Insurance:** The Young Professional shall be solely responsible for taking out and for maintaining adequate insurance required to meet any of its obligations under the contract, as well as for arranging, at the Young Professional's sole expense, such life, health and other forms of insurance as the Young Professional may consider to be appropriate to cover the period during which the Young Professional provides services under the Contract.
- 18. Travel, Medical Clearance and service incurred death, injury or illness: JPC may require the Young Professional to submit a Statement of Good Health from a recognized physician prior to commencement of work in any offices or premises of JPC. In the event of the death, injury or illness of the Individual Young Professional which is attributable to the performance of services on behalf of JPC under the terms of the Contract while the Young Professional is travelling at JPC's expense or is performing any services under the Contract in any office or premise of JPC, the Young Professional or the Young Professional's dependents, as appropriate, shall not be entitled to any compensation.
- 19. Force Majeure and other Conditions: Force majeure as used herein means any unforeseeable and irresistible act of nature, any act of war(whether declared or not), invasion, revolution, insurrection, or any other acts of a similar nature or force, provided that such acts arise from causes beyond the control and without the fault or negligence of the Young Professional. The Young Professional acknowledges and agrees that, with respect to any obligations under the Contract that the Young Professional must perform in or for any areas in which JPC is engaged in, preparing to engaged in, or disengaging from any peacekeeping, humanitarian or similar operations, any delay or failure to perform such obligations arising from or relating to harsh conditions within such areas or to any incidents of civil unrest occurring in such areas shall not, in and of itself, constitute force majeure under the contract.



- 20. **Termination:** JPC can terminate the contract at any time without prior notice and without providing any reason for it. However, in the normal course it will provide one month's notice to the Young Professional. The Young Professional can also seek for termination of the contract upon giving one month's notice to JPC.
- 21. Audits and Investigation: Each remuneration paid by the JPC shall be subject to a post-payment audit by auditors, whether internal or external, of JPC or by other authorized and qualified agents of JPC at any time during the term of the Contract and for a period of two (2) years following the expiration or prior termination of the Contract. JPC shall be entitled to a refund from the Young Professional for any amounts shown by such audits to have been paid by the JPC other than in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Contract. The Young Professional acknowledges and agrees that, from time to time, JPC may conduct investigations relating to any aspect of the Contract or the award thereof, the obligations performed under the Contract, and the operations of the JPC to conduct an investigation and the Young Professional's obligation to comply with such an investigation shall not lapse upon expiration or prior termination of the Contract. The Young Professional shall provide its full and timely cooperation with any such inspections, post-payment audits or investigations. Such cooperation shall include, but shall not be limited to, the Young Professional's obligation to make available its personnel and any relevant documentation for such purposes at reasonable times and on reasonable conditions and to grant to JPC access to the Young Professional's premises at reasonable times and on reasonable conditions in connection with such access to the Young Professional's personal and relevant documentation.
- 22. **Settlement of Disputes:** JPC and the Young Professional shall use their best efforts to amicably settle any dispute, controversy or claim arising out of the Contract or the breach, termination or invalidity thereof. Work related grievances, if any, should be processed as per the redressal mechanism established at the JPC.
- 23. **Governing Law:** The Consultancy shall be governed by the laws of India and is subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the Courts at Delhi.
- 24. **Conflict of interest**: The Young Professional shall be expected to follow all the rules and regulations of the JPC which are in force. He/she will be expected to display utmost, honesty, secrecy of office and sincerity while discharging his/her duties. In case the services of the Young Professional are not found satisfactory or found in conflict of the interests of the JPC, his/her services will be liable for discontinuation without assigning any reason.
- 25. **Relaxation**: Where the Executive Secretary, JPC is of the opinion that it is necessary or expedient so to do, it may by order and for reasons to be recorded in writing, relax any of the provisions of these terms and conditions.



Annexure-C: Application for the post of Young Professional in Joint Plant Committee (JPC)

Advertisement No.: JPC/HR&A/YP/2025-26

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1.	AI/ML	
2.	Economics	

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- 1. Name in full (in Block letters)
- 2. Father's Name
- 3. Permanent Address
- 4. Correspondence Address
- 5. Candidate's Date of Birth (DD/MM/YYYY format)
- 6. Mobile No.
- 7. E-mail ID
- 8. Nationality
- 9. Aadhaar No.
- (a) Educational Qualifications in chronological order beginning from Matriculation (10th Onwards)

Name the Examination passed	Year of passing	Name of Board/University	Subjects Studied	Division/%age of marks obtained (If CGPA Score, put equivalent percentage as per formula of institute)



10. (b) Professional/Technical Qualifications:

Name the Examination passed	Year of passing	Name of Board/University	Subjects Studied	Division/%age of marks obtained (If CGPA Score, put equivalent percentage as per formula of institute)

11. Work Experience in chronological order, starting with the first job

Name & address of	Period	of service	Designation of	Total	Nature of work &
Employer	From	То	post & Salary drawn per month	length of service	level of responsibilities
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Declaration & Certificate

I hereby declare and certify that all the statements made in this application are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. If any of the particulars furnished by me are found to be incorrect or suppressed, my candidature is liable to be rejected at any stage during or after the selection process. Further, I understand that this position is purely temporary on contract basis, if it is found after my appointment that the particulars furnished by me are incorrect or suppressed, my services are liable to be terminated without any notice.

	Signature of the Candidate
Place	
Date	



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