

## **Army recruitment rally from October 5 in AP**

After a gap of four years, an Army recruitment rally will be conducted in East Godavari district from October 5 to 15 at the District Sports Authority stadium here. The last round of the selections for the Army was conducted here in 2012 and the one proposed for last year was cancelled at the last minute.

In the current drive, as many as 600 vacancies will be filled, including 400 posts of soldier general duty.

Along with Deputy Director-General of Army Recruitment S.N. Dalvi, Collector H. Arun Kumar addressed a press conference here on Wednesday to announce the details of the drive. Candidates from Srikakulam, Vizianagaram, Visakhapatnam, East Godavari, West Godavari and Krishna districts could attend the rally by registering their details online well in advance, they said.

Applications would be open at the website [www.joinindianarmy.nic.in](http://www.joinindianarmy.nic.in) from August 21 and the last date for applying would be September 19. "We are expecting a turnout of 40,000 from all the six districts and making arrangements accordingly," Mr. Arun Kumar said.

Making it clear that the selections would be done in a transparent manner, Mr. Dalvi said that there was no need of sending applications by post, as everything was made online.