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Now recruiting: Gujarat constables for Delhi

AHMEDABAD: After Gujarat CM Narendra Modi was elected Prime Minister in 2014, speculation was rife that dhokla-khaman will be served and Gujarati will be spoken in the PMO. Come 2017, Gujarati will be heard on streets of New Delhi as Delhi police will recruit 4,669 constables -- men and women -- to police the capital.

Joint Commissioner of Police (administration) R J Savani, who has been appointed nodal officer for the recruitment drive, said candidates from across Gujarat including Daman, Diu and Dadra Nagar Haveli are eligible for application. Last date for filling online forms is October 10.

"Physical test will be held at police stadium at Shahibaugh and an online written test will be held in March 2017 at Ahmedabad, Vadodara, Surat, Rajkot, Bhavnagar and Kutch-Bhuj," said Savani.

Suvashish Chaudhary, DCP Delhi, said, "Delhi police comes under Union home ministry which recruits personnel from across India. For first time we will be conducting recruitment drive in Gujarat."

Delhi police is recruiting 3,115 men between 18-21 years and 1,554 women constables between 18-25 years of age who are at least class 12 pass. For SC/ST, the age limit is relaxed by five years for SC,ST and three years for OBCs. For men, weight should not be less than 50 kg while women should not weigh less than 40 kg.