**TELANGANA STATE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION: HYDERABAD**
**NOTIFICATION NO. 02/2024, DATED: 19/02/2024**

**GROUP-I SERVICES**

**(GENERAL RECRUITMENT)**

**PARA–1:**

1.1. Applications are invited Online from qualified applicants through the proforma Application to be made available on Commission's website (https://www.tspsc.gov.in) to the posts of **Group-I Services in the State of Telangana.**

1.2. **Chronology of Events**

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| Date of Submission of Online Applications | From: 23/02/2024 To:14/03/2024 |
| Last Date & Time for receipt of Online Applications | 14/03/2024 at 5:00 PM |
| Application Edit Option | From: 23/03/2024 at 10:00 A.M. To: 27/03/2024 at 5:00 P.M. |
| Downloading of Hall Tickets | From 7 days prior to the Examination and up to 4 hours before the commencement of Examination. |
| Schedule of Preliminary Test (Objective Type) | May/June 2024 |
| Schedule of Main Examination (Conventional Type) | September/October 2024. |

1.3.  i)  Submission of ONLINE Applications is mandatory for all candidates.

   ii)  Candidates are advised in their own interest to submit online applications much before the closing date and not to wait till the last date to avoid the possibility of disconnection / inability or failure to login to the TSPSC website on account of heavy load on the website during the closing days.

1.4. The applicant who desires to apply for the posts of Group-I Services shall login to the Commission's website, with his/her registered OTR number. In case, the candidate is applying for the first time to the posts notified by TSPSC he/she shall register his/her bio-data particulars through One Time Registration *(OTR)* on the Commission's website https://www.tspsc.gov.in. Once applicant registers his/her particulars, a user-ID is generated and sent to his/her registered mobile number and email-ID.

   **Note:**

   i)  **One Time Registration (OTR) is not considered as an application for any post under any circumstances.**

   ii)  **The candidates need to submit ONLINE Applications for this Notification specifically.**

   iii)  **The applicants are advised to retain their mobile number and email-ID registered in OTR for receiving OTP/SMS for further communication.**

1.5. Those Candidates who have applied earlier for Group-I Services vide Notification No. 04/2022 Dt. 26/04/2022 (now cancelled) **NEED TO LOGIN** and **RE-APPLY** for this Notification **AFRESH**. Otherwise their candidature will not be considered for this Notification. Further, they **need not pay** any fee again, as they have already paid previously.

1.6. The Preliminary Test (Objective type) will be held in OMR Based offline mode / Computer Based Recruitment Test (CBRT) mode. The Commission reserves the right to conduct the Preliminary Test either in OMR based Offline mode or in CBRT

mode.

1.7. The Commission will normalize the scores of candidates for the Computer Based Tests which are conducted in Multi-sessions to take into account of any variation in the question papers across different sessions. The criteria of Normalization is given in **Annexure-VII.**

1.8. Main Examination would be in Descriptive type. The Commission reserves the right to conduct the Main Examination either through Digital mode of question paper display or Conventional hard copy based question paper.

1.9. The Commission may evaluate the answer scripts of the Main examination on Digital / Online mode in addition to or instead of conventional evaluation.

1.10. Option of Medium for writing the Preliminary Test (Objective type) and Main Examination (Conventional Type) will be taken from the candidates in the Application form itself.

1.11. The applicant is required to visit the Commission's website regularly to keep himself/herself updated until completion of the recruitment process. The information communicated through Commission's website is final for all correspondence. No individual correspondence by any means will be entertained under any circumstances.

1.12. Eligible candidates shall apply online after satisfying themselves as per the terms and conditions of this recruitment Notification. Any application sent through any mode other than the prescribed online mode will not be entertained under any circumstances. Submission of application form by the candidate is construed as he /she has read the Notification and shall abide by the terms and conditions laid down there under.

1.13. **The Preliminary Test (Objective Type) will be held during May/June-2024. The exact schedule of Preliminary Test will be notified separately in due course.**

1.14. **The Main Examination (Conventional Type) will be held during September/October-2024. The exact schedule of Main Examination will be notified after declaration of Results of Preliminary Test.**

1.15. The details of vacancies are as follows:-

| Post code No. | Name of the Post | No. of Vacancies | Age as on 01/07/2024 Min. Max. | Scale of Pay Rs. |
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| 01 | Deputy Collector [Civil Services, (Executive Branch)] | 45 | 18-46 | 58,850-1,37,050/- |
| 02 | Deputy Superintendent of Police Category - II (Police Service) | 115 | 21-35 | 58,850-1,37,050/- |
| 03 | Commercial Tax Officer (Commercial Tax Services) | 48 | 18-46 | 58,850 – 1,37,050/- |
| 04 | Regional Transport Officer (Transport Service) | 04 | 21-46 | 54,220-1,33,630/- |
| 05 | District Panchayat Officer (Panchayat Services) | 07 | 18-46 | 54,220-1,33,630/- |
| 06 | District Registrar (Registration Services) | 06 | 18-46 | 54,220-1,33,630/- |
| 07 | Deputy Superintendent of Jails (Men) (Jails Service) | 05 | 18-35 | 54,220 – 1,33,630/- |
| 08 | Assistant Commissioner of Labour (Labour Service) | 08 | 18-46 | 54,220 – 1,33,630/- |
| 09 | Assistant Excise Superintendent (Excise Service) | 30 | 21-35 | 51,320 – 1,27,310/- |
| 10 | Municipal Commissioner – Grade-II (Municipal Administrative Service) | 41 | 18-46 | 51,320 – 1,27,310/- |
| 11 | District Social Welfare Officer / District Scheduled Caste Development Officer (Social Welfare Service) | 03 | 18-46 | 54,220-1,33,630/- |

| 12 | District Backward Classes Welfare Officer including Assistant Director (District Backward Classes Development Officer) (Backward Classes Welfare Service) | 05 | 18-46 | 54,220-1,33,630/- |
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| 13 | District Tribal Welfare Officer (Tribal Welfare Service). | 02 | 18-46 | 54,220-1,33,630/- |
| 14 | District Employment Officer (Employment Service) | 05 | 18-46 | 51,320-1,27,310/- |
| 15 | Administrative Officer including Lay Secretary & Treasurer Grade II (Medical & Health Services) | 20 | 18-46 | 51,320-1,27,310/- |
| 16 | Assistant Treasury Officer / Assistant Accounts Officer / Assistant Lecturer in the Training College and School (Treasuries and Accounts Service) | 38 | 18-46 | 51,320-1,27,310/- |
| 17 | Assistant Audit Officer (State Audit Service) | 41 | 18-46 | 51,320-1,27,310/- |
| 18 | Mandal Parishad Development Officer (Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Service) | 140 | 18-46 | 51,320-1,27,310/- |
| | **TOTAL** | **563** | | |

**The vacancies will be filled up as per the reservations applicable under Rule-22 and 22(A) of T.S. State & Subordinate Service Rules and Special Rules relating to the posts.**

**NOTE:**

i) The carried forward vacancies are brought forward from previous recruitments. Selection/Appointment to such vacancies will be made first before the fresh vacancies, read with G.O. Ms. No. 277, GA (SC & ST Cell.B) Dept., dated: 22/03/1976. Unfilled / Non-Joining vacancies of this recruitment shall be carried forward to the next recruitment as per G.O. Ms. No.23, Backward Class Welfare (P2) Dept., dated:18/03/1996, G.O.Ms.No.81,G.A.(Ser-A)Dept.,Dt.22/02/1997 and G.O. Ms. No. 544 General Administration (Ser.A) Department, Dated 04/12/1998.

ii) The details of vacancies viz., Community wise, Multi-Zone wise may be seen at Annexure-I.

iii) The number of vacancies and Departments are subject to variation on intimation being received from the Department concerned. Addition of vacancies if any will be accepted only before the date of Preliminary Test and an addendum to that effect will be issued. Deletion of vacancies if any, can be effected up to the declaration of final selection.

## PARA-2: ELIGIBILITY:

i. He/She is of sound health, active habits and free from any bodily defect or infirmity rendering him/her unfit for such service;

ii. His/Her character and antecedents are such as to qualify him / her for such service;

iii. He/She possesses the academic and other qualifications prescribed for the post; and

iv. He/She is a citizen of India.

## PARA-3 EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS:

3.1 **The** candidate should possess the prescribed academic qualification as on the date of Notification i.e.,19/02/2024. In respect of educational qualifications claiming

equivalence for prescribed Educational Qualifications, the orders issued by the competent authority only will be considered**.**

3.2 It shall be noted that the result of requisite educational qualification must have been declared by the concerned University as on the date of Notification. Conduct of the Examination or mere processing of the result by the University by the cut-off date does not fulfil the Educational Qualifications requirement.

| Post Code No. | Name of the Post | Educational Qualifications as specified in the Service Rules of the department. |
|---|---|---|
| 01 | Deputy Collector [Civil Services (Executive Branch)] | Must possess a Bachelor's Degree of any recognized University in India established or incorporated by or under a Central Act, Provincial Act or a State Act or the Institutions recognized by the University Grants Commission or an equivalent qualification. |
| 02 | Deputy Superintendent of Police Category. II (Police Service) | Must possess a Bachelor's Degree of any recognized University in India established or incorporated by or under a Central Act, Provincial Act or a State Act or an Institution recognized by the University Grants Commission or an equivalent qualification. |
| 03 | Commercial Tax Officer (Commercial Tax Services) | Must possess a Bachelor's Degree of a recognized University in India established or incorporated by or under a Central Act or a State Act or any other equivalent recognized qualification. |
| 04 | Regional Transport Officer (Transport Service) | Must possess a Degree in Mechanical Engineering or Automobile Engineering or equivalent qualification of a recognized University in India established or incorporated by or under a Central Act or a Provincial Act or a State Act or Institution recognized by the University Grants Commission (UGC). |
| 05 | District Panchayat Officer (Panchayat Services) | Must possess a Bachelor's Degree from any recognized University in India or incorporated by or under Central Act, Provincial Act or a State Act or Institution recognized by the University Grants Commission or an equivalent qualification. |
| 06 | District Registrar (Registration Services) | Must possess a Bachelor's Degree of a recognized University in India established or incorporated by or under a Central Act, Provincial Act or a State Act or an Institution recognized by the University Grants Commission or any other equivalent qualification. |
| 07 | Deputy Superintendent of Jails (Men) (Jails Service) | Must possess a Bachelor's Degree of a recognized University in India established or incorporated by or under a Central Act, or State Act or other recognized equivalent qualifications. |

| 08 | Assistant Commissioner of Labour (Labour Service) | Must possess a Degree of Bachelor of Arts, Commerce, Science or Engineering of any recognized University in India established or incorporated by or under a Central act or Provincial Act or a State Act or any other equivalent qualification granted by any institution recognized by the University Grants Commission.<br><br>Preference shall be given to those who possess in addition to the above any of the following qualifications "A Post Graduate Degree in Social Work with specialization in Labour welfare and personnel Management / Industrial Labour relations from a recognized University or Institution. |
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| 09 | Assistant Excise Superintendent (Excise Service) | Must possess a Bachelor's Degree of any recognized University in India established or Incorporated by or under a Central Act, Provincial Act or a State Act or of an Institution recognized by the University Grants Commission or an equivalent qualification |
| 10 | Municipal Commissioner – Grade-II (Municipal Administrative Service) | Must Possess a Bachelor's Degree from any recognized University in India established or incorporated by or under a Central Act or a Provincial act or a State Act or an institution recognized by the University Grants Commission. |
| 11 | District Social Welfare Officer / District Scheduled Caste Development Officer (Social Welfare Service) | Must possess a Bachelor's Degree of any recognized University in India or an equivalent qualification. |
| 12 | District Backward Classes welfare Officer including Assistant Director ((District Backward Classes Development Officer) (Backward Classes Welfare Service)) | Must possess a Bachelor's Degree of a recognized University in India established or incorporated by or under a Central Act, a State Act or a Provincial Act or an institution recognized by the University Grants Commission or an equivalent qualification. |
| 13 | District Tribal Welfare Officer (Tribal Welfare Service). | Must possess a Bachelor's Degree of a recognized University in India established or incorporated by or under provincial Act, Central Act, State Act or an institution recognized by the University Grants Commission. |
| 14 | District Employment Officer (Employment Service) | Must possess a Bachelor's Degree from a recognized University in India established or incorporated by or under a Central Act or a State Act or a Provincial Act or any other equivalent qualification recognized by the University Grants Commission. |
| 15 | Administrative Officer including Lay Secretary & Treasurer Grade II (Medical & Health Services) | Must possess a Bachelor's Degree of any recognized University in India established or incorporated by or under a Central Act, Provincial Act or a State Act or the Institutions recognized by University Grants Commission or an equivalent qualification. |

| 16 | Assistant Treasury Officer / Assistant Accounts Officer / Assistant Lecturer in the Training College and School (Treasuries and Accounts Service) | Must possess a Degree in Commerce OR Economics OR Mathematics recognized by the recognized University Grants Commission with at least a Second class in the subject. |
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| 17 | Assistant Audit Officer (State Audit Service) | Must possess a Bachelor's Degree of a recognized University in India established or Incorporated by or under a Central Act or a State Act or any other equivalent qualification. |
| 18 | Mandal Parishad Development Officer (Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Service) | Must possess a Bachelor's Degree from any recognized University in India or incorporated by or under Central Act, Provincial Act or a State Act or Institution recognized by the University Grants Commission or an equivalent qualification. |

3.3 **N.B:- Distance Education:-**The Applicants who have obtained requisite Degrees through Open Universities / Distance Education mode are required to have recognition by the University Grants Commission / AICTE / Distance Education Bureau as the case may be. Unless such Degrees have been recognised by the relevant Statutory Authority, they will not be accepted for purpose of Educational Qualification vide its Public Notice No. F.27-1/2012 (CPP-II), Dt. 27/06/2013. **(A university established or incorporated by or under a State act shall operate only within the territorial jurisdiction allotted to it under its Act and in no case beyond the territory of the State of its location).** The onus of proof of recognition by the relevant Statutory Authority that their Degrees / Universities have been recognised rests with the candidate.

3.4 **Equivalent Qualification:** If the applicant possesses an equivalence of qualification other than prescribed qualification in the Commission's Notification, applicant should produce a copy of the Orders of Equivalence issued by the competent authority. If such evidence is not provided, the candidature of the applicant will not be considered. In case of equivalence in subject related matters, an Expert Committee will be constituted including the Unit Officer by the Commission and the Commission will take a decision based on the report of the Expert Committee.

3.5 G.O. Ms. No: 282, General Administration (Ser-A) department, dated 20/09/2003 on eligibility of candidates with higher qualification is applicable in relevant cases.

3.6 **PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:**

**For Post Code Nos. 02 & 09:** Must be not less than 165 Cms. in height and must be not less than 86.3 Cms. round the chest on full inspiration and has a chest expansion of not less than 5 Cms. on full inspiration; and

Candidate should satisfy a Medical Board in Hyderabad to his Physique, Fitness and Capacity for active outdoor work and is certified by the Ophthalmic Surgeon, Osmania or Sarojini Devi Hospital, Hyderabad that his vision confirms up to the requirements specified below without the use of contact glasses.

Explanation:- For the purpose of this Rule a contact glass or lens is defined as a glass shell, the concavity of which is in contact with the globs of the eye, a layer or liquid being interposed between the lens and the cornea. The meaning of the "glasses" wherever used below is to be interpreted as not covering contact glasses.

Provided that a candidate belonging to Scheduled Tribe category for appointment by direct recruitment shall not be less than 164 Cms. in height and is not less than 83.8 Cms. round the chest with a minimum expansion of not less than 5 cms. on full inspiration.

Provided further that a Women candidate for appointment by direct recruitment shall not be less than 150 cms. in height and not less than 45.5 Kgs in weight.

(a) The examination for determining the acuteness of vision includes two tests, one for distant and the other for near vision. Snellen's test types will be used for the test for distant vision, without glasses at a distance of 6.10 metres, and for the test for near vision, without glasses, at any distance selected by the candidate. The standards of the minimum acuteness of vision which will be used for guidance in the examination of a candidate are as follows:

| STANDARD-I | |
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| <u>Right Eye</u> | <u>Left Eye</u> |
| Distant Vision V–6/6<br>Near Vision-Reads 0.6 | V–6/6<br>Reads 0.6 |
| **STANDARD-II** | |
| <u>Better Eye</u> | <u>Worse Eye</u> |
| Distant Vision V–6/6<br><br>Near Vision Reads 0.6 | V- without glasses – Not below 6/6; and after correction with glasses not below 6/24<br>Reads 1 |
| **STANDARD-III** | |
| <u>Better Eye</u> | <u>Worse Eye</u> |
| Distant Vision- V without glasses – Not below 6/24 and after correction with glasses not below 6/6<br>Near Vision – Reads 0.6 | V- without glasses – Not below 6/24, and after correction with glasses not below 6/12<br>Reads 0.6 |

(b) Each eye must have a full field of vision as tested by and movements.
(c) Squint or any morbid condition of the eyes or of the lids of either eye liable to the risk of aggravation of recurrence will cause the rejection of the candidate.
(d) Each eye will be examined separately and the lids must be kept wide open during the test.
(e) Inability to distinguish the principal colours will not be regarded as cause for rejection, but the fact will be noted in the proceedings and the candidate will be informed.
(f) The degree of acuteness of vision of all candidates for appointment will be entered in the proceedings in the following manner:

V.R.            Reads           with glasses
V.L.            Reads           with glasses

**For Post Code No. 07:** Must not be less than 167.6 Cms in height and 86.3 Cms round the Chest on full inspiration with a minimum expansion of 5.0 Cms.

Provided that in case of candidates belonging to Scheduled Tribes and Aborginal Tribes, where the reserved quota could not be fully utilized for want of sufficient number of such candidates possessing the requisite physical standards, the physical standards shall be as specified below:-

Must not be less than 164.0 Cms. in height and 83.8 Cms round the Chest on full inspiration with a minimum expansion of 5.0 Cms.

**Note:** Request for re-medical examination for physical requirements will not be entertained. The report submitted by Appellate Medical Board constituted for this recruitment at appropriate time will only be considered.

**PARA-4 RESERVATIONS:**

4.1. There will be Reservations in direct recruitment in respect of Scheduled Tribes, Scheduled Castes, Backward Classes and Economically Weaker Sections, Persons with Disabilities and Horizontal Reservation in respect of Women and Meritorious Sportsperson as per Rule 22 & 22(A) of Telangana State and Subordinate Service Rules and G.O.Ms.No.35 General Administration (SER.D) Department, Dt. 13/02/2024.

4.2. The Rule of Reservation will be applicable in terms of General Rule 22 & 22 (A) of Telangana State and Subordinate Service Rules and as per the G.O. Ms. No. 3 Department for Women, Children, Disabled and Senior Citizens (Prog.I) Dt. 10/02/2024, amendment to Rule 22 and 22-A of the rules vide G.O.Ms.No.35 General Administration (SER.D) Department, Dt.13/02/2024. However, for PC.No.07 Men only are eligible as per Departmental Special Rules.

> **NOTE: The candidates belonging to SC, ST, BC, EWS & PBDs and who avail upper age relaxation will also be considered for Open Category (OC) vacancies".**

4.3. As per Circular Memo No. 1987/A2/2022 GA(Ser.D) Department, Dt. 13/04/2022, reservation to disabled persons is applicable for all posts, however posts with PC No. 02, 04, 07 & 09 are exempted as per their respective Departmental Special Rules. For P C No. 03 PH reservation is applicable to HH & OH only as per the Departmental Special Rules. For PC. No. 10, PH reservation is restricted to VH, HH & OH only.

4.4. For Carry Forward PH vacancies, if eligible disabled candidates of that particular category are not available, the same shall be filled up by the method of interchanging as per G.O.MS. No. 96 General Administration (Ser.D) Department, Dt. 22/07/2019. Hence, candidates of all the disabled categories can apply.

4.5. Evaluation of various physical disabilities and procedure for certification will be as per orders contained in G.O.Ms.No.31, WD, CW & (DW) Dept., Dt: 01/12/2009. Physically Challenged candidates who are claiming reservations under Disability quota must note that they will be referred to State Medical Board (Appellate Medical Authority) after completion of certificate verification. The report of State Medical Board is final.

4.6. Request for re-medical-examination for assessment of disability will not be entertained under any circumstances. The report submitted by Appellate Medical Board constituted for this recruitment at appropriate time will only be considered and the report of State Medical Board is final.

> **Note:-**The Certificate formats are available on Commission's website https://websitenew.tspsc.gov.in/certificateformats.jsp

4.7. The reservation to Meritorious Sports Person is applicable as per the amendments made to State and Subordinate Service Rules as per G.O.Ms.No.107, General Administration (Ser.D) Dept., Dt. 27-07-2018 that is in Rule-2, for sub-Rule (20) and in Rule-22 (i) in sub-Rule (2), for Class-D. In implementing the reservation to Meritorious Sports Person, G.O. Ms. No.05 YAT&C(Sports) Department, Dt. 14/05/2018 will be followed.

> **In the event of non-availability of eligible Meritorious Sports persons, two percent (2%) reservation of posts for them stand lapsed.**

4.8. Reservation to BC-E group will be subject to the adjudication of the litigation before the Hon'ble Courts including final orders in Civil Appeal No: 2628-2637 of 2010 in SLP(c). No.7388-7397of 2010, dated. 25/03/2010 and orders from the Government.

4.9. Non-Creamy Layer Certificate for BCs as per Form- VII B vide G.O. Ms.No.34 BC Welfare (OP) Department, Dt.08/10/2015 and G.O.Ms.No.20 BC Welfare (OP)Department Dt.31/10/2017 (Certificate issued in the name of candidate along with Father/Mother name only is acceptable) obtained from Revenue Authority not below the rank of Tahsildar working under Telangana Government. In case of failure to produce the same on the day of verification, the Candidature will be considered against open competition, if he/she is otherwise eligible in all aspects.

4.10. Economically Weaker Sections (EWS) reservation is applicable as per G.O.Ms.No.243 & 244 GA (SER.D) Dept., Dt.24/08/2021.

4.11. As per G.O.Ms.No.130, General Administration (Ser.D) Department, Dt. 09/11/2022, enhancing the reservations for Scheduled Tribes from 6% to 10% read with G.O.Ms.No.135, General Administration (Ser.D) Department, Dt. 23/11/2022.

4.12. Income certificate for the Financial Year prior to the year of application issued by Revenue Authorities not below the rank of Tahsildar working under Telangana government in the name of the Candidate with total income of the family for claiming EWS reservation.

4.13. **Community:**(a) The candidates belonging to SC & ST are required to produce Community Certificate issued by Revenue Authorities of Telangana State not below the rank of Tahsildar who is Competent Authority in terms of G.O.Ms No. 58, SW (J) Dept., dt: 12/5/97 read with G.O. Ms. No. 5 Scheduled Castes Development (POA.A2) Dept., dt. 08/08/2014, G.O. Ms. No. 11 Scheduled Castes Development (POA.A2) Dept., dt. 17/09/2014 and G.O. Ms. No. 2 Scheduled Castes Development (POA.A2) Dept., dt. 22/01/2015. As per Rule-2(29) of T.S. State and Subordinate Service Rules. Explanation: (a) No person who professes a religion different from Hinduism, Sikhism or Buddhism shall be deemed to be as member of a Scheduled Caste. (b)The candidates belonging to Backward Classes are required to produce Community Certificate (BC-A, BC-B, BC-C, BC-D & BC-E) issued by Revenue Authorities not below the rank of Tahsildar working under Telangana Government obtained through E-Seva vide G.O. Ms. No. 16 BCW (OP) Dept., Dt. 11/03/2015.  (c) Income Certificate for claiming EWS Reservation issued by Revenue Authorities not below the rank of Tahsildar working under Telangana Government vide G.O. Ms. No. 244 General Administration (Ser.D) Department, Dt. 24/08/2021 and orders and instructions issued by the Government from time to time.

4.14. In the case of candidates who claim the benefit of reservation or relaxation from upper age limit on the basis of Caste/Tribe or Community/ Category the basic document of proof of Community/Category will be the Certificate issued by the Revenue Authorities not below the rank of Tahsildar working under Telangana government in the case of SC/ST/EWS and Non Creamy Layer Certificate issued by Revenue Authorities not below the rank of Tahsildar working under Telangana government in the case of Backward Classes. The list of Caste/Tribe/Community is as incorporated in Schedule-I of above Rules. The list is also appended at Annexure-III. The candidates have to produce proof of the community claimed in their application at all stages of selection along with the certificates relating to Educational Qualifications and local status certificates etc. Subsequent claim of change of community will not be entertained.

**Note:-**The Applicants belonging to other States are not entitled for any kind of reservation.

## PARA-5: RESERVATION TO LOCAL CANDIDATES:

5.1 Local Reservation (95%) is applicable to all posts notified under Multi Zone-I and Multi Zone-II respectively is applicable as per Para-8 of G.O.Ms.No.124 General Administration (SPF-MC) Department, dated: 30/08/2018.

5.2 **Definition of Local Candidate as per Para-7 of G.O.Ms.No.124 General Administration (SPF-MC) Department, Dated: 30.08.2018:-**
"(1) A candidate for direct recruitment to any post shall be regarded as a local candidate in relation to a local area,-
   (a) in cases where a minimum educational qualification has been prescribed for recruitment to the posts,-
      (i) if he has studied in an educational institution or educational institutions in such local area for a period of not less than four consecutive academic years ending with the academic year in which he appeared or, as the case may be, first appeared for the relevant qualifying examination; or
      (ii) where during the whole or any part of the four consecutive academic

years ending with the academic year in which he appeared or as the case may be first appeared for the relevant qualifying examination he has not studied in any educational institution, if he has resided in that local area for a period of not less than four years immediately preceding the date of commencement of the qualifying examination in which he appeared, or as the case may be, first appeared.

(b) In cases where no minimum educational qualifications has been prescribed for recruitment to the post, if he has resided in that local area for a period of not less than four years immediately preceding the date on which the post is notified for recruitment. Explanations:-For the purpose of this paragraph,-

(i) 'educational institution' means a University or any educational institution recognized by the State Government, a University or other competent authority;

(ii) Relevant qualifying examination in relation to a post means,-

(a) the examination, a pass in which is the minimum educational qualification prescribed for the post;

(b) the Seventh Class examination or an examination declared by the State Government to be equivalent to the Seventh Class examination;

whichever is lower ;

(iii) in reckoning the consecutive academic years during which a candidate has studied, any period of interruption of his study by reason of his failure to pass any examination shall be disregarded;

(iv) the question, whether any candidate for direct recruitment to any post has resided in any local area shall be determined with reference to the places where the candidate actually resided and not with reference to the residence of his parents or other guardian.

(2) A candidate for direct recruitment to any post who is not regarded as a local candidate under sub-paragraph(1)in relation to any local area shall,-

(a) in cases where a minimum educational qualification has been prescribed for recruitment to the post,-

(i) If he has studied in educational institutions in the State for a period of not less than seven consecutive academic years ending with the academic year in which he appeared or as the case may be, first appeared for the relevant qualifying examination be regarded as a local candidate in relation to,-

(A) Such local area where he has studied for the maximum period out of the said period of seven years; or

(B) Where the periods of his study in two or more local areas are equal, such local areas where he has studied last in such equal periods;

(ii) If during the whole or any part of the seven consecutive academic years ending with the academic year in which he appeared or as the case may be first appeared for the relevant qualifying examination, he has not studied in the educational institutions in any local area, but has resided in the State during the whole of the said period of seven years, be regarded as a local candidate in relation to,-

(A) Such local area where he has resided for the maximum period out of the said period of seven years; or

(B) Where the periods of his residence in two or more local areas are equal, such local area where he has resided last in such equal periods;

(b) In cases where no minimum educational qualification has been prescribed for recruitment to the post, if he has resided in the State for a period of not less than seven years immediately preceding the date on which the post is notified for recruitment, be regarded as a local candidate in relation to,-

(i) such local area where he has resided for the maximum period out of the said period of seven years; or

(ii) where the periods of his residence in two or more local areas are equal such local area where he has resided last in such equal periods.

(c) In cases where Visually Handicapped and Hearing Handicapped persons studied in the special schools meant for them, the native place of the parents of such Visually Handicapped and Hearing Handicapped persons."

**3)** The following are the Present Multi Zones in the Telangana State vide G.O.Ms.No.124, G.A (SPF-MC) Dept., Dated: 30/08/2018 and amended vide G.O.Ms. No. 128, G.A. (SPF-I) Dept., Dated: 30/06/2021 read with G.O.Rt.No.74, Revenue (DA-CMRF) Dept.,dt:12/08/2021:

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| **Multi Zone-I** | Asifabad-Kumrambheem, Mancherial, Peddapalli, Jayashankar-Bhupalapalli-, Mulugu Districts |
| | Adilabad, Nirmal, Nizamabad, Jagityal Districts |
| | Karimnagar, Sircilla-Rajanna, Siddipet, Medak, Kamareddy Districts |
| | Kothagudem-Bhadradri, Khammam, Mahabubabad, Hanumakonda (Warangal Urban),Warangal(Warangal Rural) Districts |
| **Multi Zone-II** | Suryapet, Nalgonda, Bhongir-Yadadri, Jangaon Districts |
| | Medchal-Malkajgiri, Hyderabad, Ranga Reddy, Sanga Reddy, Vikarabad Districts |
| | Mahaboobnagar, Narayanpet, Jogulamba-Gadwal, Wanaparthi, Nagar Kurnool Districts |

## PARA-6 AGE:
6.1 The candidates should possess the minimum and maximum age as prescribed for each post at Para-I (1.15) above as on 01/07/2024. The age is reckoned as on 01/07/2024 (Rule- 12(1) (a) (v) of Telangana State and Subordinate Service Rules).

As per G.O.Ms.No. 30, General Administration (Ser.A) Dept., Dt: 08/02/2024 raised the maximum age limit from 44 years to 46 years for services other than uniform Services, G.O.Ms.No.31 General Administration (Ser.A) Dept., Dt: 08/02/2024 the maximum age limit as prescribed in the Special or Ad-hoc rules for appointment by direct recruitment has been raised further by 'two (2) years' in addition to "five (5) years" already raised in the ad-hoc rule issued in G.O.Ms.No.60, General Administration (Ser.A) Dept., Dated: 20/05/2022 for categories of posts of Uniform Services in Police, Fire, Prisons, Special Protection Force, Excise, Transport and Forest Departments.

6.2 <u>For PC. No. 01, 03, 05 to 08 & 10 to 18: Minimum Age (18 years):</u> An applicant should not be born after 01/07/2006.
6.3 For PC. No. 02, 04 & 09 Minimum Age (21 years): An applicant should not be born after 01/07/2003.
6.4 For PC. No. 01, 03 to 06, 08 & 10 to 18: Maximum Age (46 years): An applicant should not be born before 02/07/1978.
6.5 For PC. No. 02, 07 & 09: Maximum Age (35 years): An applicant should not be born before 02/07/1989.

6.6 **Age Relaxations:** The upper age limit prescribed above is however further relaxable in the following cases:

| Sl. No. | Category of candidates | Relaxation of age permissible |
|---|---|---|
| 1. | Telangana State Government Employees (Employees of Corporations, Municipalities etc. are not eligible). | Up to 5 Years based on the length of regular service. |
| 2. | Ex-Servicemen | 3 years & length of service rendered in the armed forces. |
| 3. | N.C.C. (who have worked as Instructor in N.C.C.) | 3 Years & length of service rendered in the N.C.C. |
| 4. | SC/ST/BCs & EWS | 5 Years |
| 5. | Physically Handicapped persons | 10Years |

**Note:** Provided that the age of the persons referred at Sl. No. 2&3 above, after making deductions referred to in Sub Rule–12 (c) (i) & (ii) of Telangana State and Subordinate Service Rules, shall not exceed the maximum age limit prescribed for the post.

i) The age relaxation for Ex-servicemen is applicable for those who have been released from Armed forces other than by way of Dismissal or Discharge on account of misconduct or inefficiency.

ii) The age relaxation for NCC, a Person who was recruited as a whole-time Cadet Corpse Instructor on or after the 1st January, 1963 on his discharge from the NCC either before or after the expiry of the initial or extended tenure of his office in NCC having served for a period of not less than six months prior to his release from the NCC.

**N.B.** However, no person shall be eligible if he/she is at superannuation age after availing the eligible age relaxations as on 01/07/2024

## PARA-7 HOW TO APPLY:

7.1 **HOW TO UPLOAD THE APPLICATION FORM:**

The Applicant has to go through the **User Guide** carefully before filling up/ submission of the online Application Form.

7.2 Those Candidates who have applied earlier for Group-I Services vide Notification No. 04/2022 Dt. 26/04/2022 (now cancelled) **NEED TO LOGIN** and **RE-APPLY** for this Notification **AFRESH**. Otherwise their candidature will not be considered for this Notification. Further, they **need not pay** any fee again, as they have already paid previously.

**Step-I**: a) Before applying, the Applicant has to visit the website (https://www.tspsc.gov.in) and fill the OTR Form to obtain TSPSC ID.

b) If already registered in the OTR, the applicant can directly access the application form using TSPSC ID.

c) The applicant is advised to update all the latest details in the OTR before filling up the Application.

d) The candidates while filling up the application, are advised to upload all the required certificates. (However, original certificates have to be produced for verification at the time of scrutiny before finalizing the selection list).

e) While filling the OTR/Application Form, the applicant has to ensure that there are no mistakes in it. The Commission will not be held responsible for the mistakes, if any, made by the applicants.

f) The applicant is also instructed to fill his/her application form himself/herself with utmost care instead of delegating to others.

**Step-II:-** a) In order to fill the application form, the Applicant has to visit the website (https://www.tspsc.gov.in) and Click on the online Application Link provided on the website, then enter TSPSC ID and Date of Birth and login with OTP received on the registered Mobile number to proceed further.

b) Applicant has to verify the details fetched from OTR database pertaining to Name, Date of Birth, requisite Educational Qualifications, Community, Gender, Disability, Ex-Servicemen & Sports etc., displayed on the screen.

c) If the details are not tallied and need to be changed, he/she should update the details in OTR first and re-login to the application.

d) In addition to the details obtained from OTR database, specific details of Notification such as Examination Centre to be selected, required qualification and declarations etc., should be filled by the applicant.

e) Preview and Edit facility is available to make changes and then click on SAVE & PAYMENT button for proceeding to next step of making online payment of fee through payment gateway.

f) Those applicants who have earlier applied for Notification. No.04/2022 Dt. 26/04/2022, (now Cancelled) and paid the fee, need not Pay the fee again for this Notification.

**Step-III**:-The applicant should pay the prescribed fee as specified through any of the four modes of payment online i.e., Net Banking, Debit Card, Credit Card and UPI duly following the instructions appearing on the screen.

**Step-IV**:-After payment of fee, the PDF application will be generated which contains the particulars furnished by the applicant. The applicant must download a copy of his/her submitted form (PDF). The Reference ID Number in the PDF application form has to be quoted for future reference/ correspondence.

7.3   Applicant shall note that, the details available in OTR database at the time of submitting the application will only be considered for the purpose of this Notification. Hence, the candidate is advised to update / edit the details in OTR form before submitting online application form. The Time and Date of submission of the application will be printed on the application PDF form. Changes made by the applicant in OTR details after submission of application form will not be considered for the purpose of this Notification.

7.4   The Commission is not responsible for any discrepancy in Bio-data particulars submitted in the application form. The applicant is therefore advised to strictly follow the instructions and User guide in his/her own interest before submitting the application.

7.5   Applicant must compulsorily fill-up all relevant columns of the application form. The eligibility of the applicant will be decided based on the particulars given in the online application form in terms of Notification and it is validated by the software and it will be taken as final. For eg: If an applicant fails to update the OTR regarding his/her PH status before applying, the applicant will not be considered for PH vacancies. Applicant should therefore be very careful, while entering the data and uploading / submitting the application form online.

7.6   Incomplete / incorrect application form will be rejected. The information if any furnished by the applicant subsequently in any form will not be entertained by the Commission under any circumstances unless specifically called for by the Commission. Applicant should be careful in filling-up the application form and submission. If any lapse is detected during the scrutiny/verification of certificates, the candidature will be rejected even though he/she comes through the final stage of recruitment process or even at a later stage.

7.7   Before uploading/submission of application form, the applicant should carefully ensure his/her eligibility for this examination. No relevant column of the application form should be left blank, otherwise application form will not be accepted.

7.8   The Commission will not make any corrections in the application form submitted by the applicant.

7.9   Applicant must click on **CONFIRM & SUBMIT** button after filling and checking the preview of the application thoroughly. Otherwise the application particulars will not be saved in the database.

7.10  Handwritten / Typed / Photostat copies/ outside printed Application Form will not be accepted. The Commission will not be held responsible for the applications submitted in any other mode.

7.11  For any Technical problems related to Online submission and downloading of Hall-Tickets please contact 040-23542185 or 040-23542187, Off: 040-22445566 or 040-24746887 (Call Time: 10.30 A.M to1.00P.M & 1.30 P.M to 5.00 P.M on working days) or mail to helpdesk@tspsc.gov.in.

7.12  No correspondence will be entertained to accept application / extend the date after closing the date of submission of application.

**PARA-8: FEE:**

8.1 **Application Processing Fee:-** Each applicant must pay Rs. 200/- (Rupees Two Hundred Only) towards Online Application Processing Fee.

8.2 **Examination Fee:-** Each applicant has to pay 120/- (Rupees One Hundred and Twenty Only) towards Examination Fee, subject to following:

   a) All unemployed candidates are exempted from payment of examination fee, and

   b) All Employees of any Government (Central / State / PSUs / Corporations / Other Government Sector) shall pay the prescribed examination fee.

**Note: Those applicants who have earlier applied for Notification. No.04/2022 Dt. 26/04/2022, (now Cancelled) and paid the fee, need not Pay either of the fees again for this Notification.**

8.3 **Mode of Payment of Fee:** The Fee mentioned at Para-8 (8.1&8.2) is to be paid online **through payment gateway** duly following online instructions once the application form details are submitted.

   The fee once remitted, shall not be refunded or adjusted under any circumstances. Failure to pay the Application Processing fee and Examination fee, wherever applicable, will entail total rejection of application. Unless full payment of both Examination fee **(unless exempted)** and Application fee is made, the candidature of the applicant will not be considered and no correspondence or concession in this regard will be entertained.

**PARA- 9: SCHEME OF EXAMINATION:** The Scheme of examination for Preliminary Test and Main Examination is prescribed as per G.O. Ms. No. 55 General Administration (Ser.A) Department, Dt.25/04/2022 and as amended vide G.O. Ms. No. 29 General Administration (Ser.A) Department, Dt. 08/02/2024. The Syllabus for the examination has been shown in **ANNEXURE-II**

**PARA-10: CENTERS FOR THE PRELIMINARY TEST AND WRITTEN (MAIN) EXAMINATION:**

10.1 Preliminary Test if conducted in the OMR based offline mode, will be held in all the following District centres.

| 1) | Asifabad-Komarambheem | 18) | Warangal |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2) | Mancherial | 19) | Hanumakonda |
| 3) | Peddapalli | 20) | Suryapet |
| 4) | Jayashankar-Bhupalapalli | 21) | Nalgonda |
| 5) | Mulugu | 22) | Bhongir-Yadadri |
| 6) | Adilabad | 23) | Jangaon |
| 7) | Nirmal | 24) | Medchal-Malkajgiri |
| 8) | Nizamabad | 25) | Hyderabad |
| 9) | Jagityal | 26) | Ranga-Reddy |
| 10) | Karimnagar | 27) | Sanga Reddy |
| 11) | Sircilla-Rajanna | 28) | Vikarabad |
| 12) | Siddipet | 29) | Mahaboobnagar, |
| 13) | Medak | 30) | Narayanpet |
| 14) | Kamareddy | 31) | Jogulamba-Gadwal |
| 15) | Bhadradri-Kothagudem | 32) | Wanaparthi |
| 16) | Khammam | 33) | Nagarkurnool |
| 17) | Mahabubabad | | |

10.2 Applicants have to choose any **Ten (10) District Centers** in order of preference for Preliminary Test in OMR based Mode. District Centres once chosen shall be final. The Commission however reserves the right to allot applicants to any District Centre other than the District Centre chosen by the applicant or to remove / create a new Centre for administrative reasons. Request for change of the District Centre will not be entertained.

10.3 If the Preliminary Test (Objective Type) is conducted in COMPUTER BASED RECRUITMENT TEST (CBRT Mode), Preliminary Test will be held in erstwhile 10 districts. Applicants have to choose order of preference of **District Centers from the following erstwhile Districts** for Preliminary Test. District Centres once chosen shall be final.

| 1) | Adilabad | 6) | Ranga Reddy |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2) | Karimnagar | 7) | Nizamabad |
| 3) | Warangal | 8) | Mahaboobnagar |
| 4) | Khammam | 9) | Medak |
| 5) | Hyderabad | 10) | Nalgonda |

10.4  Candidates have to select District Centres in both the Modes of Examination.

10.5  The Written Examination (Main) will be held at **HYDERABAD (including HMDA Jurisdiction)** or any other District Centres as decided by the Commission.

**Note:-** However, the Commission reserves the right either to increase or decrease the number of Centres.

## PARA-11: RESOLVING OBJECTIONS RELATED TO QUESTIONS, PRELIMINARY KEY AND OTHER MATTERS OF PRELIMINARY TEST AND VALUATION OF DESCRIPTIVE TYPE EXAMINATION FOR WRITTEN (MAINS):

11.1  The question paper is set in English and translated in to Telugu/Urdu language. English version will be considered as the authentic version for valuation purpose.

11.2  Invalidation of OMR Answer Sheet:

   a.  If any applicant fails to bubble or wrongly bubbles the Question Booklet Series / Number, Hall Ticket Number on the OMR Answer Sheet, such Answer sheets are invariably invalidated as the answer sheets are valued by Optical Mark Reader. This stipulation is to avoid any sort of human interface in evaluation of the Scripts.

   b.  Tampering of OMR answer sheet by using whitener, eraser, blade and chalk powder etc., and also tampering of barcode by any means leads to invalidation.

   c.  No request for reconsideration of such rejected/invalidated cases will be entertained.

11.3  The Commission publishes the **key** on its website after conduct of the Preliminary Test. Any objections with regard to the questions / Key shall be filed within the stipulated period through the link provided in the TSPSC website, after publication of the key. The objections received physically in the form of representations or through emails are not entertained in any circumstances. Any objection(s) received after the last date for receipt of objections on key would not be entertained.

11.4  The objections received in the prescribed proforma within due date will be referred to Expert Committee for opinion to take appropriate decision thereon by the Commission. Final key will be hosted as per decision of the Commission.

11.5  The marks for the deleted questions, if any, will be awarded to each candidate proportionately and the marks would be considered up to 3 (three) decimal figures, to determine the merit of the candidate.

11.6  Objections on final key will not be entertained. The decision of the expert committee is final.

11.7  **Answer key for Preliminary Test would be published on the website** after completion of Examination. The Images of OMR Sheets will be hosted on the Commission's website https://www.tspsc.gov.in for reference.  Candidates by entering the required Login credentials can download the Images of OMR Sheets. Candidates are advised to retain their Images of OMR Sheets for future purpose until completion of the recruitment process.  Duplicate Images of OMR Sheets will not be issued under any circumstances.

## PARA-12 PROCEDURE OF SELECTION

12.1  Procedure of selection will be as per G.O. Ms. No. 55 General Administration (Ser.A) Department, Dt.25/04/2022 and as amended vide G.O. Ms. No. 29 General Administration (Ser.A) Department, Dt. 08/02/2024.

   (A) There will be a Preliminary Test (Objective type) comprising General Studies and Mental Ability. This Test is meant for short listing the number of

candidates to be admitted to the Written (Main) Examination. The Preliminary Test will be conducted in English, Telugu & Urdu.

(B) The number of candidates to be admitted to the Written (Main) Examination (Conventional Type) would be Fifty (50) times to the total number of vacancies available in each Multi-Zone.

Provided that, in case of any shortfall in respect of candidates in reserved categories as laid down in Rules 22 and 22 (A) of Telangana State and Subordinate Service Rules-1996, action shall be taken to include such number of candidates from the merit list beyond 1:50 ratio as required to meet the shortfall in the respective categories.

(C) The Main Examination will be conducted in English, Telugu & Urdu. The papers, except General English, in the Main Examinations shall be answered in English or Telugu or Urdu only as chosen by the candidates. A candidate is not permitted to write part of the paper in English and Part of it in Telugu or Urdu.

(D) The Paper on General English is a qualifying one and the standard of this paper is that of Secondary School Certificate. The minimum qualifying marks in this paper are: For the candidates belonging to OCs, Sports men & EWS – should not be less than 40%;BCs - not less than 35%; SCs, STs and PH – not less than 30%. The Marks obtained in this paper are not counted for ranking.

12.2 **In case of candidates getting same marks in Preliminary Test (Objective Type):** If the total marks of two or more candidates are equal, then the local status of the candidates is considered for ranking i.e., candidates local to Telangana are given first positions, then other than Telangana candidates are given the next positions. If the total marks and local status of more than two candidates are equal, then date of birth of the candidates is taken for ranking i.e., the elder candidate is given prior rank. If total marks, local status and date of birth of two or more candidates are equal, then the ranks are awarded based on the date of passing of the required qualifying Examination. If then also two or more candidates are equal in all aspects, the percentage of marks in the required qualifying Examination will be taken for awarding the rank i.e., the candidate having higher percentage in the required qualifying examination is given prior rank. If then also two or more candidates are equal in all aspects, their higher qualification will be taken into account. If then also two or more candidates are equal in all aspects, the date of passing of the higher qualification will be taken into account for ranking and even if the ranking is same, the percentage of marks in higher qualification will be taken as criteria for awarding the rank. Commission's decision will be final in all other exceptional cases other than the cases mentioned above

12.3 **In case of candidates getting same marks in Main Examination (Conventional Type):** If the total marks of two or more candidates are equal, then the local status of the candidates is considered for ranking i.e., candidates local to Telangana are given first positions, then other than Telangana candidates are given the next positions. If the total marks and local status of more than two candidates are equal, then date of birth of the candidates is taken for ranking i.e., the elder candidate is given prior rank. If total marks, local status and date of birth of two or more candidates are equal, then the ranks are awarded based on the marks obtained by the candidates, in Paper –I, candidate getting higher marks in Paper-I would be given priority, even then if tie continues then highest marks in Paper –II would be given priority, even then if tie continues then highest marks in Paper –III would be given priority, even then if tie continues then highest marks in Paper –IV would be given priority, even then if tie continues then highest marks in Paper –V would be given priority. If then also two or more candidates are equal in all aspects, the date of passing of the required qualifying examination will be taken into account for consideration for ranking. If then also two or more candidates are equal in all aspects as indicated above, the percentage of marks in the required qualifying examination will be taken for awarding the rank i.e., the

candidate having higher percentage in the required qualifying examination is given prior rank. If then also two or more candidates are equal in all aspects, their higher qualification will be taken into account. If then also two or more candidates are equal in all aspects, the date of passing of the higher qualification will be taken into account for consideration for ranking and even if the ranking is same, the percentage of marks in higher qualification will be taken as criteria for awarding the rank. Commission's decision will be final in all other exceptional cases other than the cases mentioned above.

12.4  Once medium is chosen, the candidate has to write answers in the medium chosen by him/her only. If there is any deviation from paper to paper or part of the paper, the candidature would become invalid. All 06 (Six) papers have to be written in the chosen medium only completely.

12.5  In respect of evaluation of the Mains Examination Answer scripts, the Commission will resort to Digital Evaluation mode or Conventional mode depending upon administrative and operational convenience.

12.6  Those candidates who qualify in the written examination in order of merit will be called for verification of certificates Multi Zone wise, Community wise and category wise for the vacancies available at that time.

12.7  Candidates have to produce Original documents and other particulars on the day of verification itself. If candidate fails to produce any of the required original certificates and if the particulars furnished by him/her in the Application does not tally with the Original documents produced by him / her, then his / her candidature will be rejected /disqualified without any further correspondence. Those candidates who are called for verification of certificates should furnish their order of preference of posts & Multi-zone by exercising Web-Options and submit at the time of verification of certificates, which are final, failing which their candidature shall not be considered for further selection process. The selections will be confined only to the Web Options exercised by the candidates. Under no circumstances he/she will be considered for the posts / Multi-Zone where preference was not indicated.

12.8  **Qualifying Marks in Main Examination: -** The minimum marks to qualify for selection shall be: not less than 40% of the aggregate marks in all papers for the candidates belonging to OC, EWS & Meritorious Sportsperson; not less than 35% for BC and not less than 30% for SCs, STs and PH.

In the event of SC and ST candidates not coming up for selection with the minimum marks prescribed above for selection, their selection shall be considered on the basis of rank with reference to their performance in the written examination irrespective of the marks secured.

N.B.: Mere securing minimum qualifying marks does not vest any right in a candidate for being considered for selection.

12.9  The candidate qualified for the Written (Mains) Examination must appear for all the papers in Written (Mains) Examination. Absence in any paper will automatically render his/her candidature for disqualification.

12.10  The candidates will be selected and allotted to Service /Multi-zone as per their merit in the Written (Mains) Examination and their eligibility to the post according to age and qualification, as per order of Preference (Web-Options) duly following the prescribed reservations and the local status as per the Presidential Orders.

12.11  The appointment of selected candidates will be subject to their being found medically fit in the appropriate Medical Examination, provided he/she is of sound health, active habits free from any bodily defect or infirmity, satisfactory character and conduct.

12.12 The applicant should be willing to serve anywhere in Telangana State.

## PARA-13:IMPORTANT LEGAL PROVISIONS GOVERNING THE RECRUITMENT PROCESS:

13.1 **Vacancies**: The recruitment will be made to the vacancies notified before the preliminary test only. There shall be no waiting list as per G.O. Ms. No. 81 General Administration (Ser.A) Department, Dated 22/02/1997 and G.O. Ms. No. 544 General Administration(Ser.A) Department, Dated 04/12/1998 and as per Rule 6 of TSPSC Rules of Procedure

13.2 Unfilled and Non-Joining vacancies will be Carried Forward to next recruitment

13.3 This Recruitment is entrusted to TSPSC along with Finance Clearance vide G.O.Ms. No.26 Finance (HRM.VII) Department, Dt.23/03/2022, G.O.Ms.No.40 Finance (HRM.VII) Department, Dt.11/04/2022, and G.O.Ms.No.52 Finance (HRM.VII) Department, Dt.20/04/2022, G.O.Ms.No.57 Finance (HRM.VII) Department, Dt.23/04/2022, G.O. Ms. No. 16 Finance (HRM.VII) Department, Dt.03/02/2024

13.4 **Recruitment:-** The Recruitment will be processed as per this Notification and also as per the Rules/G.Os and Instructions issued by the Government and also as decided by the Commission from time to time in terms of respective Special Rules/Adhoc Rules governing the Recruitment vide following G.Os:-

**PC No. 01)** G.O. Ms. No. 1066, Rev. (Ser.) Dept., Dt. 26/10/1992, G.O.Ms.No.120 Revenue (Ser.I) Dept., Dt.01/06/2016, G.O.Ms.No.211, General Administration (SPF-II) Dept., Dt. 04/08/2021.

**PC No. 02)** G.O. Ms. No.137, Home (Police-E) Dept., Dt. 01/06/1998, G.O.Ms.No.55 Home (Legal) Dept., Dt. 12/05/2016, G.O. Ms.No.170, General Administration (SPF-II) Dept., Dt. 04/08/2021. G.O. Ms. No. 7 Department for Women, Children, Disabled & Senior Citizens (PROG.II) Dept.,Dt.20/04/2022, G.O.Ms.No. 19 Home (Legal) Dept., Dt. 20/05/2022.

**PC No. 03)** G.O. Ms. No. 360, Revenue (CT-I) Department, Dt. 23/04/1994 read with G.O. Ms. No.203, Revenue (CT-I) Department, Dt. 10/03/2010, G.O.Ms.No.138, Revenue (Commercial Taxes-I) Department, Dt.01/06/2016, G.O. Ms. No.209, General Administration (SPF-II)Dept., Dt.04/08/2021, G.O.Ms.No.11, DW CD & SC (Prog.II) Dept.,dt:20/04/2022.

**PC No. 04)** G.O. Ms. No. 7 Transport, Roads and Buildings, (TR.SER) Department, Dt.28/01/2021, G.O. Ms. No. 213, General Administration (SPF-I) Dept., Dt. 04/08/2021, G.O.Ms.No.9, Department for Women, Children, Disabled & Senior Citizens (PROG.II) Dept.,Dt.20/04/2022, G.O. Ms. No. 19 Transport, Roads and Buildings, (TR.SER) Department, Dt. 23/04/2022.

**PC No.05)** G.O.Ms.No.347 Panchayat Raj and Rural Development (E.VI) Dept., Dt. 21/11/2001, G.O. Ms. No. 40, Panchayat Raj and Rural Development (Pts.VI) Dept., Dt. 01/06/2016. G.O. Ms. No. 204, General Administration (SPF-II) Dept., Dt.04/08/2021, G.O. Ms. No. 34 Panchayat Raj & Rural Development, Dt.12/09/2022.

**PC No.06)** G.O.Ms.No.525, Revenue (Regn-I), Department, Dt.21/05/2009, G.O.Ms.No.108, Revenue (Registration -I) Dept., Dt.30/05/2016, G.O.Ms.No.208, General Administration (SPF-II) Dept., Dt. 04/08/2021.

**PC No.07)** G.O. Ms. No. 316 Home (Prisons. A) Department, Dt. 17/08/1996, G.O. Ms. No. 166, General Administration (SPF-II) Dept., Dt. 04/08/2021, G.O. Ms. No. 7 Department for Women, Children, Disabled & Senior Citizens (PROG.II) Dept., Dt.20/04/2022.

**PC No. 08)** G.O. Ms. No. 71, Women Development, Child Welfare & Labour (Lab.IV) Department, Dt.08/06/1993 read with G.O.Ms.No.86, Labour, Employment, Training & Factories (Lab.IV) Department,Dt.29/09/2008, G.O. Ms. No. 192, General Administration (SPF-II) Dept., Dt. 04/08/2021.

**PC No. 09)** G.O. Ms. No. 36, Rev (Ex.I) Department, Dt..19/04/2022, G.O. Ms. No. 206, General Administration (SPF-II) Dept., Dt.04/08/2021,G.O.Ms.No.8 Department for Women, Children, Disabled & Senior Citizens (PROG.II) Dept., Dt. 20/04/2022, G.O.Ms.No. 19 Home (Legal) Dept., Dt. 20/05/2022.

**PC No. 10)** G.O. Ms. No. 109, Housing, Municipal Administration and Urban Development (L1), (M.A.) Dept., Dt. 17/02/1990 read with G.O. Ms. No. 280,

Municipal Administration & Urban Development (L2), Dept., Dt. 13/06/2002, G.O.Ms.No. 61, Municipal Administration and Urban Development (MA) Dept.,Dt.26/03/2022. G.O.Ms.No.180, Municipal Administration & Urban Development (A1) Dept., Dt. 02/12/2015, G.O. Ms. No. 195, General Administration (SPF-II) Dept., Dt. 04/08/2021, G.O. Ms No. 15 Department for Women, Children, Disabled and Senior Citizens, (PROG-II) Dept., Dt. 25/04/2022

**PC No. 11)** G.O. Ms. No. 12 SCD (Ser.) Dept., Dt. 16/08/2022, G.O.Ms.No. 212, General Administration (SPF-II) Dept.,Dt.04/08/2021.

**PC No. 12)** G.O. Ms. No. 35, Backward Classes Welfare (P2) Dept., Dt.09/07/1996, G.O.Ms.No.29 Backward Classes Welfare (A) Dept., Dt.30/09/2015, G.O.Ms. No. 148, General Administration (SPF-II) Dept., Dt. 04/08/2021, G.O.Ms. No. 15 BC.W(A) Department Dt. 08/09/2022.

**PC No. 13)** G.O. Ms.No. 123, Social Welfare (TW.SER.I-2) Dept., Dt. 23/12/1999 read with G.O. Ms. No. 69, Social Welfare (TW.SER.I-2) Dept., Dt.27/09/2010 G.O. Ms. No.215, General Administration (SPF-II) Dept., Dt. 04/08/2021, G.O.Ms. No. 22 Tribal Welfare (Ser.I.A1) Department, Dt. 24/08/2022.

**PC No. 14)** G.O. Ms. No. 107, Education (Emp.) Dept., dt. 30/04/1993, G.O. Ms. No. 191, General Administration (SPF-II) Dept., Dt.04/08/2021.

**PC No. 15)** G.O. Ms. No. 458, Health Medical & Family Welfare (C2) Dept., Dt.14/10/1998 read with G.O.Ms.No.129 Health, Medical and Family Welfare (C2) Department, Dt. 25/06/2009, G.O. Ms. No. 177, General Administration (SPF-I) Dept., Dt.04/08/2021.

**PC No. 16)** G.O. Ms. No. 953, General Administration (Rules) Dept., Dt:29/06/1962, G.O.Ms.No.69 Finance (TFR) Dept., Dt. 30/05/2016, G.O. Ms. No. 161, General Administration (SPF-I) Dept., Dt.04/08/2021. G.O.Ms.No.55, Finance (ADMN.I) Department, Dt. 21/04/2022.

**PC No. 17)** G.O. Ms. No. 113, Finance (ADMN.-II) Dept., dt.20/05/2014, G.O. Ms. No. 163, General Administration (SPF-I) Dept., Dt. 04/08/2021. G.O.Ms. No. 54, Finance (ADMN.II) Department, Dt. 21/04/2022.

**PC No. 18)** G.O. Ms. No. 347Panchayat Raj and Rural Development (E.VI) Dept., Dt. 21/11/2001 read with G.O. Ms. No.330, Panchayat Raj and Rural Development (E.VII.2) Dept., Dt. 28/10/2004. G.O. Ms. No.204, General Administration (SPF-II) Dept., Dt. 04/08/2021, G.O.Ms. No 34 PR & RD, Dt. 12/09/2022 and as per Government Orders issued from time to time, and other related G.Os, Rules etc., applicable in this regard.

13.5 **Rules**: All are informed that the various conditions and criteria prescribed herein are governed by State and Subordinate Service Rules-1996, read with the relevant Special Rules applicable to any particular service by respective departments. Any guidelines or clarification is based on the said Rules. In case of any matter which requires clarification will be processed as per the relevant General and Special Rules in force.

13.6 **Constitutional Provisions:-**The Commission is empowered under the provisions of Article 315 and 320 of the Constitution of India read with relevant laws, rules, regulations and executive instructions and all other enabling legal provisions in this regard to conduct examination for appointment to the posts notified herein, duly following the principle of order of merit as per **Rule 3** of the TSPSC Rules of Procedure read with reference to relevant statutory provisions and ensuring that the whole recruitment and selection process is carried out with utmost regard to maintain secrecy and confidentiality so as to ensure that the principle of merit is followed.

13.7 **Local:-**The Local Reservations shall be followed as per Telangana Public Employment (Organization of Local Cadres and Regulation of Direct Recruitment) Order, 2018, G.O.Ms.No.124, General Administration (SPF-MC), Department, Dated 30/08/2018 as amended vide G.O.Ms. No. 128, G.A. (SPF-I) Dept., Dated: 30/06/2021 and other orders issued by the Government of Telangana from time to time and other related G.Os, Rules etc., whichever are applicable.

13.8 **Multi-Zone:-** The posts are classified into Multi-Zone posts. The local reservation is applicable.

13.9 **Employee Details:-**The persons already in Government Service/ Autonomous bodies/Government aided institutions etc., whether in permanent or temporary

capacity or as work charged employees are required to inform in writing to the Head of the Office / Department, that they have applied for this recruitment, as the case may be. They are further required to submit the "No Objection Certificate" from the Head of the Office / Department concerned to the Commission as and when required to do so.

Persons who become employed after submission of application or at any later stage of this recruitment shall also submit "No Objection Certificate" from the Head of the Office /Department concerned to the Commission as and when required to do so.

13.10 **A) Penal Action:-** The Commission is also empowered to invoke the penal provisions of the Telangana State Public Examinations (Prevention of Malpractices and Unfair means) Act, 1997 (Act No.25/1997) for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto and as per the Rules of Procedure of TSPSC published in Telangana Gazette No: 60 dated 28/12/2015 in respect of this Notification.

**B) Disqualification for appointment:** A candidate shall be disqualified at any stage as per Rule-12(4) of Telangana State and Subordinate Service Rules.

## PARA-14 ANNEXURES:

14.1 The candidate shall go through the Annexures before filling the application form.

| Annexure-I | Breakup of Vacancies. |
| Annexure-II | Scheme and Syllabus. |
| Annexure-III | List of Communities. |
| Annexure-IV | List of the recognized sports. |
| Annexure-V | Payment gateway. |
| Annexure-VI | Instructions to candidates. |
| Annexure-VII | Criteria of Normalization. |

## PARA-15 MEMORANDUM OF MARKS:-

15.1 The marks secured in the Preliminary Test will not be counted for Ranking. The marks of the Preliminary Test will not be notified as it is a Screening Test.

15.2 The marks list of Main Examination (total marks) of all the candidates will be displayed on the Commission's website. However**,** Paper wise Memorandum of **Marks of all candidates** can be accessed in their respective Logins for a period of one week.

15.3 Request for recounting of marks will be considered for Conventional Type (Written) Test only within 15 days after publication of Provisional Marks List on payment of Rs. 1000/- (Rupees One Thousand only) for each paper through online payment only.

15.4 The request for recounting shall be submitted only through online.

15.5 Rejected, Invalid, disqualified, ineligible candidates will not be issued any Memorandum of Marks and fees paid by such candidates, if any, will be forfeited to Government account, without entertaining any correspondence in this regard. Request for revaluation will not be entertained under any circumstances as per Rule-3 (ix) (d) of Commission's Rules of Procedure.

## PARA-16: DEBARMENT:

16.1 Candidates should make sure of their eligibility to the posts applied for and that the declaration made by them in the format of application regarding their eligibility is correct in all respects. Any candidate furnishing incorrect information or making false declaration regarding his/her eligibility at any stage or suppressing any information is liable to be debarred from appearing in any of the examinations to be conducted by the Commission in future besides summarily rejecting his/her candidature for this recruitment.

16.2 The Penal Provisions of T.S. Public Examinations (Prevention of Malpractices and Unfair means) Act, 1997 (Act No.25/1997) and as per the Rules of Procedure of

TSPSC published in Telangana Gazette No: 60 dated 28/12/2015 in respect of this Notification shall be invoked if malpractice and unfair means are noticed at any stage of the Recruitment.

16.3 The Commission is vested with the constitutional duty of recruitment and selection as per rules duly maintaining utmost secrecy and confidentiality in the process. Any attempt by anyone causing or likely to cause breach of this constitutional duty in such manner or by such action as to violate or likely to violate the fair practices followed and ensured by the Commission will be sufficient cause for rendering such questionable means as ground for debarment and penal consequences as per law and as may be decided by the Commission.

16.4 Any candidate found to be impersonating or resorting to any other irregular or improper means in connection with his / her candidature for selection or obtaining support of others, such a candidate may in addition to rendering himself/ herself liable to criminal prosecution, will be debarred permanently from any exam or selection held by any Public Service Commission in the country.

16.5 If Candidate himself/herself or through relations or friends or any others has canvassed or endeavored to enlist for his candidature with extraneous support, whether from official or non-official sources for appointment to any State Service or Subordinate Service shall be disqualified.

16.6 ANY ELECTRONIC GADGETS / DEVICES ARE BANNED: The Candidates are not allowed to bring any electronic devices or Gadgets such as Smart / Mobile Phones, Calculators, Tablets, iPad, Bluetooth, Pagers, Programmable Devices or Storage Media like Pen-drive, Smart Watches, Camera etc., or any other equipment or related accessories either in working or switched off mode capable of being used as a communication device during the examination. Loaning and interchanging of stationery articles among the applicants is not permitted in the examination hall and any form of malpractice will not be permitted in the exam hall. Candidates are advised not to bring any of the banned items including mobile phones to the venue of the examination, as arrangement for safe – keeping cannot be assured.

16.7 Any infringement / unfair means of the above instructions as per Act No. 25/1997 shall entail disciplinary action published in State Gazette No. 35, Part-IV-B Extraordinary Dt. 21/08/1997 (as adapted by the Telangana Adaptation of Laws Order, 2016) if noticed, at any stage of the Recruitment shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which shall not be less than three years and may extend up to seven years alongwith fine which shall not be less than Rupees Five Thousand, which may extend up to Rupees One Lakh.

## PARA 17: SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

17.1 Candidates are directed to follow the Commission's website (https://www.tspsc.gov.in) regularly to know the latest developments of this Recruitment and any changes/ Modifications /Addendum / Corrigendum, dates of Examination, calling of candidates for verification of Certificates / Results etc. Candidates may note that no individual communication will be sent. Hence, they must regularly visit the TSPSC website for updates such as Edit option, Merit List, List of candidates shortlisted for Certificate Verification, schedule of certificate verification /Medical board, etc.

**17.2 Candidates are advised to go through the Instructions to Candidates enclosed to this Notification at Annexure-VI**

## PARA- 18: COMMISSION'S DECISION TO BE FINAL:

18.1 The decision of the Commission in all aspects and in all respects pertaining to the application and its acceptance or rejection as the case may be, conduct of examination, and at all consequent stages culminating in the selection or otherwise of any candidate shall be final in all respects and binding on all concerned, under the powers vested with it under Article 315 and 320 of the Constitution of India, Commission also reserves its right to alter or modify conditions laid down in the Notification during the entire process of recruitment and selection or withdraw/ cancel the Notification at any time, duly intimating

details thereof to all concerned, as warranted by any unforeseen circumstances arising during the course of this process, or as deemed necessary by the Commission at any stage.

*Sd/-*

**Place: Hyderabad**                                     *Dr. E. NAVEEN NICOLAS, I.A.S.,*
**Date: 19/02/2024**                                            **SECRETARY**

**ANNEXURE–I**

| | | | | | | | | | | | | PH | | | | EX- | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| PC. | NAME OF THE POST | Multi Zone | OC | EWS | BC-A | BC-B | BC-C | BC-D | BC-E | SC | ST | VH | HH | OH | MH | SER | SPORTS | TOTAL | GRAND TOTAL |
| 1 | Deputy Collector [Civil Services, (Executive Branch)] | MZ1 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | 20 | 45 |
| | | MZ2 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | 25 | |
| 2 | Deputy Superintendent of Police Category - II (Police Service) | MZ1 | 19 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 8 | 5 | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 52 | 115 |
| | | MZ2 | 25 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 9 | 6 | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 63 | |
| 3 | Commercial Tax Officer (Commercial Tax Services) | MZ1 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | - | | 2 | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | 12 | 48 |
| | | MZ2 | 12 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 4 | - | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | 36 | |
| 4 | Regional Transport Officer (Transport Service) | MZ1 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 3 | 4 |
| | | MZ2 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | |
| 5 | District Panchayat Officer (Panchayat Services) | MZ1 | 2 | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 4 | 7 |
| | | MZ2 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 3 | |
| 6 | District Registrar (Registration Services) | MZ1 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 3 | 6 |
| | | MZ2 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | 1 CF | - | - | - | - | 3 | |
| 7 | Deputy Superintendent of Jails (Men) (Jails Service) | MZ1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | 5 |
| | | MZ2 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 3 | |
| 8 | Assistant Commissioner of Labour (Labour Service) | MZ1 | 2 | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 4 | 8 |
| | | MZ2 | 2 | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 4 | |

TELANGANA STATE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION::HYDERABAD
GROUP-I SERVICES (GENERAL RECRUITMENT)
CONSOLIDATED PROVISIONAL VACANCY POSITION

| PC. | NAME OF THE POST | Multi Zone | OC | EWS | BC-A | BC-B | BC-C | BC-D | BC-E | SC | ST | PH | | | | EX-SER | SPORTS | TOTAL | GRAND TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | | | | | | | | VH | HH | OH | MH | | | | |
| 9 | Assistant Excise Superintendent (Excise Service) | MZ1 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | 2 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 11 | 30 |
| | | MZ2 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 19 | |
| 10 | Municipal Commissioner – Grade-II (Municipal Administrative Service) | MZ1 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 3 | 41 |
| | | MZ2 | 14 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | 38 | |
| 11 | District Social Welfare Officer / District Scheduled Caste Development Officer (Social Welfare Service) | MZ1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 CF | - | - | - | - | 2 | 3 |
| | | MZ2 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | |
| 12 | District Backward Classes Development Officer including Assistant Director (District Backward Classes Development Officer) (Backward Classes Welfare Service) | MZ1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | 1 CF | - | - | - | - | - | 3 | 5 |
| | | MZ2 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | |
| 13 | District Tribal Welfare Officer (Tribal Welfare Service) | MZ1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2 |
| | | MZ2 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | |
| 14 | District Employment Officer (Employment Service) | MZ1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 + 1CF | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 3 | 5 |
| | | MZ2 | 1 + 1CF | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | |

| PC. | NAME OF THE POST | Multi Zone | OC | EWS | BC-A | BC-B | BC-C | BC-D | BC-E | SC | ST | VH | HH | OH | MH | EX-SER | SPORTS | TOTAL | GRAND TOTAL |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 15 | Administrative Officer including Lay Secretary & Treasurer Grade II (Medical & Health Services) | MZ1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | 2 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | 9 | 20 |
| | | MZ2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | 2 | 1 | 1 + 1CF | - | - | - | - | - | 11 | |
| 16 | Assistant Treasury Officer / Assistant Accounts Officer / Assistant Lecturer in the Training College and School (Treasuries and Accounts Service) | MZ1 | 6 + 1CF | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | 20 | 38 |
| | | MZ2 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | 3 | 2 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | 18 | |
| 17 | Assistant Audit Officer (State Audit Service) | MZ1 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 CF | - | - | - | - | 24 | 41 |
| | | MZ2 | 6 + 1CF | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | - | 3 | 2 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | 17 | |
| 18 | Mandal Parishad Development Officer (Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Service) | MZ1 | 25+ 2CF | 8 | 7 | 6 | 1 | 5 | 3 | 12 | 8 + 1CF | 1 | 1 + 1CF | 1 | - | - | 1 | 83 | 140 |
| | | MZ2 | 18 + 2CF | 5 | 5 | 4 + 1CF | 1 | 3 | 2 | 8 | 5 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | 57 | |
| | TOTAL | | 209 | 49 | 44 | 37 | 13 | 22 | 16 | 93 | 52 | 13 | 8 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 563 | 563 |

# ANNEXURE-II

## SCHEME AND SYLLABUS FOR RECRUITMENT TO THE POSTS OF GROUP – I SERVICES

### SCHEME OF EXAMINATION
### (HONS. DEGREE STANDARD)

| SUBJECT | DURATION (HOURS) | MAXIMUM MARKS |
|---|---|---|
| **Preliminary Test** <br> General Studies & Mental ability (Objective Type) 150 Questions | 2 ½ | 150 |
| **Written Examination (Main)** <br> General English (Qualifying Test) | 3 | 150 |
| **Paper-I General Essay** <br> It will have to cover the following topics <br> 1. Contemporary Social issues and Social Problems. <br> 2. Issues of Economic Growth and Justice <br> 3. Dynamics of Indian Politics <br> 4. Historical and Cultural Heritage of India <br> 5. Developments in Science and Technology <br> 6. Education and Human Resource Development. | 3 | 150 |
| **Paper-II – History, Culture and Geography** <br> 1. History and Culture of India, with special reference to Modern Period (1757 to 1947 A.D) <br> 2. History and Cultural Heritage of Telangana <br> 3. Geography of India and Telangana | 3 | 150 |
| **Paper –III – Indian Society, Constitution and Governance** <br> 1. Indian Society, Structure, Issues and Social Movements <br> 2. Constitution of India <br> 3. Governance | 3 | 150 |
| **Paper –IV – Economy and Development** <br> 1. Indian Economy and Development <br> 2. Telangana Economy <br> 3. Development and Environmental Problems | 3 | 150 |
| **Paper- V – Science & Technology and Data Interpretation** <br> 1. The role and impact of Science and Technology <br> 2. Modern Trends in application of knowledge of Science <br> 3. Data Interpretation and Problem Solving | 3 | 150 |
| **Paper-VI - Telangana Movement and State Formation** <br> 1. The idea of Telangana (1948-1970) <br> 2. Mobilisational phase (1971 -1990) <br> 3. Towards formation of Telangana State (1991-2014) | 3 | 150 |
| **TOTAL MARKS:** | | **900** |

**SYLLABUS**
**GROUP-I SERVICES**
**GENERAL STUDIES AND MENTAL ABILITY**
**(PRELIMINARY TEST)**

1. Current Affairs – Regional, National & International.

2. International Relations and Events.

3. General Science; India's Achievements in Science and Technology.

4. Environmental Issues: Disaster Management- Prevention and Mitigation Strategies.

5. Economic and Social Development of India.

6. World Geography, Indian Geography and Geography of Telangana state.

7. History and Cultural Heritage of India.

8. Indian Constitution and Polity.

9. Governance and Public Policy in India.

10. Policies of Telangana State.

11. Society, Culture, Heritage, Arts and Literature of Telangana.

12. Social Exclusion: Rights issues such as Gender, Caste, Tribe, Disability etc. and inclusive policies.

13. Logical Reasoning: Analytical Ability and Data Interpretation.

**Written Examination (Main)**
**General English (Qualifying Test)**

***(X CLASS STANDARD)***

1. Spotting Errors – Spelling; Punctuation

2. Fill in the blanks – Prepositions; Conjunctions; Verb tenses

3. Re-writing sentences – Active and Passive voice;

    Direct & Reported Speech; Usage of Vocabulary

4. Jumbled sentences

5. Comprehension

6. Précis Writing

7. Expansion

8. Letter Writing

## PAPER-I: GENERAL ESSAY

*(Candidate should write three Essays, selecting one from each Section compulsorily. Each Section contains three Questions. Each Essay carries 50 marks.)*

**Section-I**

1. Contemporary Social Issues and Social Problems.

2. Issues of Economic Growth and Justice.

**Section-II**

1. Dynamics of Indian Politics.

2. Historical and Cultural Heritage of India.

**Section-III**

1. Developments in Science and Technology.
2. Education and Human Resource Development.

## PAPER-II: HISTORY, CULTURE AND GEOGRAPHY

**I. History and Culture of India, with special reference to Modern Period (1757 to 1947 A.D.)**

1. Early Indian Civilizations-Indus and Vedic; Emergence of Religious Movements in the sixth century BC - Jainism and Buddhism; Indo- Greek Art and Architecture – Gandhara, Mathura and Amaravathi Schools; Social and Cultural condition under the Mauryan, Satavahanas and Guptas .
2. Advent of Islam and its impact on Indian Society – Nature and significance of Bhakti and Sufi Movements; Contribution of Kakatiya, and Vijayanagara rulers to Language, Literature, Art and Architecture: the contribution of Delhi Sultans and Mughals to Language, Literature, Art, Architecture and Fine Arts, Monuments; Emergence of Composite Culture in the Deccan and India.
3. The Establishment of British Colonial Rule in India: Carnatic Wars , Battle of Plassey, Anglo- Mysore, Anglo-Maratha and Anglo-Sikh Wars; Economic Impact of British Colonial Rule: Land Revenue Settlements in British India; -Commercialization of Agriculture; Rise of Landless Agrarian Labour; Famines and Poverty;De-industrialization; Decline of Traditional Crafts; Drain of Wealth; Growth of Trade and Commerce- Economic Transformation of India; Railroads, Transport and Communication Network- Telegraph and Postal Services.
4. Anti – British uprisings: Tribal and Peasant revolts in the Nineteenth Century-Causes and Consequences of 1857 revolt. Factors responsible for the rise of Indian Nationalism; Rise and Growth of Socio- Religious and Anti-Caste Movements: Brahma Samaj, Arya Samaj, Aligarh Movement, Satya Shodak Samaj, Jotiba and Savithribhai Phule, Pandita Ramabai, Narayana Guru, Ayyankali, Annie Beasant; Non- Brahmin, Justice and Self-Respect Movements: Periyar, Mahatma Gandhi, Ambedkar and others.
5. Three Phases of Indian Freedom Struggle, 1885-1947. The rise and growth of All India Kisan Sabha, Workers and Tribal movements; Issue of Gender and Women's movement; Growth of Socialist and Communist Movements; Growth of Communalism; Independence and Partition of India.

**II. History and Cultural Heritage of Telangana.**

1. History and culture of Ancient Telangana – Satavahanas, Ikshvakus and Vishnukundins; Rise and growth of Jainism and Buddhism; Socio-Cultural - Conditions-Language, Literature, Art and Architecture.
2. Medeival Telangana and the emergence of composite culture - Kakatiyas and Velama kingdoms and their contribution to Socio- Cultural Development, Literature, Music, Dance, Art and Architecture; Qutub Shahis and their contribution to Telugu literature, art and architecture. Protest Movements against Kakatiyas and Qutub Shahis- Sammakka Sarakka and Sarvaipapanna
3. The Establishment of Asaf Jahi Dynasty – Salar Jung Reforms and Modernization of Telangana ; Socio- Economic development under the Nizams – Land Tenures and Social System, Jagirdars, Deshmukhs etc.and Vetti– British Paramountcy and Nizam-Revolt of 1857 in Hyderabad and the role of Turre Baz Khan; Socio- Economic Development during the rule of the sixth and seventh Nizams - Growth of Railways, Transport and Communication System, Establishment of Industries, Educational Institutions – Monuments of Asaf Jahi period.
4. Socio-Cultural Awaking in Telangana- Andhra Sarasvath Parishat – Literary and Library Movements; Establishment of Nizam Rashtra Andhra Jana Sangham – Andhra

Mahasabha – Social Reform Movements -Brahma Samaj, Arya Samaj and Adi- Hindu and Dalit Movements, Role of Bhagyareddy Varma- Andhra Mahila Sabha and the growth of Women's Movement. Role of Hyderabad State Congress and Vandemataram Movement.

5. Peoples Movement against the Nizam's Rule – Adivasi revolts – Ramji Gond and Kumaram Bheemu - Telangana Peasants Armed Struggle – Role of Andhra Mahasabha and the Communists –Majlis-Ittehadul-Muslimeen Party, Rajakars and Kasim Razvi – Police Action and the End of Nizam's Rule – Integration of Hyderabad State into Indian Union.

## III. Geography of India and Telangana.

1. India – Physical setting, Physiography, Drainage, Climate- Mechanism of Monsoon, effect of El-Nino and La Niño, Rainfall variability- Floods and Drought, Soils, Vegetation and Wildlife-Degradation and Conservation Measures. Major Minerals and Energy Resources- distribution and conservation, Energy Crisis – role of non-conventional energy resources. Marine Resources – Economic significance, EEZ. Water resources – availability, problems of inter – state Water sharing, Conservation Measures.

2. Agriculture and Irrigation – Major Food and Non-Food crops, Agro Climatic Regions, Green Revolution, recent trends in Agriculture; Major Irrigation Projects and Command Area Development; Industries- Major Industries - Iron and Steel, Cotton Textiles, Cement, Sugar, Automobile, IT, & Food Processing Industries, Localisation Factors, Industrial Corridors & Economic Development; Transportation: Means of Transportation, Role of Road and Rail Network in Economic Development, Highways and Express Highways; Major Ports – changing trends and direction of India's Trade - role of WTO; Strategic location of India in the Indian Ocean; Population – distribution, growth, Demographic characteristics, Demographic dividend and transition, HDI, Population problems and Policies. Urbanisation process- Spatial pattern, growth of Megacities, problems of Urban Growth and Policies, concept of Smart Cities.

3. Geographical extent of Hyderabad State and present Telangana State Physical setting, Relief, Climate, Rivers, Soils, Forest cover and Wild life–distribution, depletion and conservation. Minerals and Energy resources - Coal, Iron and Limestone distribution. Thermal and Hydro Power Projects – Problems and Prospects.

4. Agriculture- Rainfed/Dry land Agriculture, Drought prone areas and Mitigation Measures. Sources of Irrigation: Canals, Tanks and Wells, Depletion of Ground Water and its conservation- Mission Kakatiya. Industries – Cement, Sugar, Pharma, Electronic, Tourism, IT, ITIR, SEZs. Handicrafts and Household Industries and their problems. Road and Rail Network distribution and role in Economic Development. Population - distribution, growth, density, demographic characteristics (sex ratio, age, literacy, etc.,) Tribal Population - distribution, problems of Tribal areas and policies for Tribal Area Development.

5. Urbanisation in Telangana State, Spatio-temporal changes, Urban Growth and Migration. Evolution and phases of Urban Growth of Hyderabad, transformation from historical to modern cosmopolitan Megapolis, Primacy of Hyderabad in Telangana State, City structure, Industries and Industrial estates, urban infrastructure and transport - ORR and Metro - Problems and Planning - role of GHMC and HUDA (Metropolitan Development Plan – 2031, HMDA), Hyderabad as a Tourist Centre and Global city.

## PAPER –III – INDIAN SOCIETY, CONSTITUTION AND GOVERNANCE

### I. Indian Society, Structure, Issues and Social Movements

1. Indian Society: Salient features, Unity in Diversity; Family, Marriage, Kinship, Caste, Tribe, Religion, Language; Rural – Urban continuum; Multi-culturalism.

2. Social Exclusion and Vulnerable Groups: Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Backward Classes, Minorities, Women, Children, Aged and Disabled.

3. Social Issues: Poverty; Unemployment, Child Labour, Violence against Women; Regionalism; Communalism and Secularism; Corruption; Caste Conflicts, Problems of Agricultural Labour; Urbanization; Development and Displacement; Environmental Degradation; Sustainable Development; Population Explosion; Agrarian Distress; Migration.

4. (a) Social Issues in Telangana: Vetti; Jogini and Devadasi System; Girl Child; Flourosis; Child Labour; Migrant Labour; Child Marriages.

   (b) Social Movements in Telangana.

5. Social Policies and Programmes in India and Telangana: Policies for Women, Children, Aged and Disabled; Policies for Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Backward Classes and Minorities; Environmental Policy; Population Policy; Policy on Education; Policy on Health; Poverty Alleviation Programmes; Welfare Schemes for Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Backward Classes, Women, Children, Minorities, Aged and Disabled.

### II. Constitution of India.

1. Evolution of Indian Constitution: Role of the Drafting Committee; Constitutional Philosophy and Preamble; Salient features & Basic Structure; Amendments.

2. Fundamental Rights: Nature and Scope; Expanding horizons of Fundamental Rights; Enforceability against State and others; Welfare State and Distributive Justice under the Constitution; Directive Principles of State Policy - Rule of Law and Fundamental Duties.

3. System of Government: Parliamentary system, Central Government: President, Prime Minister & Council of Ministers; Parliament: Powers and Functions; State Government: Governor, Chief Minister & Council of Ministers; Legislature: Powers and Functions, Legislative Privileges.

4. Judicial System in India: Supreme Court, High Courts & Administrative Tribunals; Subordinate Judiciary; Judicial Review and Judicial Activism; Independence of Judiciary and Judicial Accountability.

5. Federal system: Centre-State Relations- Issues and Challenges pertaining to the Federal Structure; Local Self-Government 73$^{rd}$ and 74$^{th}$ Constitutional Amendments for sharing of powers - Panchayat Raj and Municipal Institutions; Resolution of Inter-State disputes with reference to Water Disputes- Challenges of Implementation.

### III. Governance

1. Governance and Good Governance, E-Governance-Applications and Models; Governance at Union level- Cabinet Secretariat, Prime Minister's Office (PMO), Central Secretariat, Ministries and Departments; Constitutional bodies-Finance Commission, Election Commission, Union Public Service Commission, Comptroller and Auditor General of India, National Human Rights Commission, National Commissions for SCs/ST/Minorities and Women; Parliamentary Committees- Estimates Committee, Public Accounts Committee, Committee on Public Undertakings.

2. Governance at State and District Levels-Secretariat and Directorates and their

relationships; District Administration-Role of Collector, Institutions of Rural and Urban Governance-Powers and Functions, Systems for delivery of Services; Cooperatives, State Finance Commission; Devolution of Powers and Finances-Issues and Challenges. Development Corporations for SCs, STs, B.Cs, Minorities and Disabled Welfare; Control over Administration-Legislative, Executive and Judicial Control.

3. Programmes, Agencies and Institutions working for the development of Urban and Rural Areas; People Centred Participatory Development; Poverty Alleviation Programmes; Women Empowerment and Inclusive Growth; Rights related to Health, Food Security and Education-Issues and Challenges.

4. Debates on Development and Development Processes; State and Provision of Services; State and Market; Involvement of Civil Society-Community Based Organizations (CBOs) and NGOs; Self- Help Groups, (SHGs), Charities and Stakeholders, Public-Private Partnerships (PPP); Corporate Social Responsibility.

5. Ethics and Values of Administration; Neutrality of Civil Services, Committed Bureaucracy, Politician and Civil Servant Relations; Citizen Charters, Gender Sensitization; Transparency and Accountability of Administration; Prevention of Corruption in Administration- Central Vigilance Commission, Central Bureau of Investigation, Lokpal, Lokayuktha, ACB and Consumer Protection Mechanisms; Application and Impact of Right to Information Act-2005; Administrative Reforms.

## PAPER –IV – ECONOMY AND DEVELOPMENT

### I. Indian Economy and Development.

1. National Income -Concepts and Measurement of National Income- Nominal and Real Income; Structure and growth of Indian economy – Sectoral trends in National Income of India

2. Poverty and Unemployment: Concepts of Poverty - Income-based Poverty, non-income Poverty- capability approach (Human Poverty Index), Measurement of Poverty and trends in Poverty; Concepts, estimates and trends of Unemployment

3. Money and Banking: Money supply, Structure of Indian Banking and non-banking financial institutions; Reforms in Banking sector; Regulation of credit by RBI

4. Public Finance: Tax structure, Central and state taxes; Government expenditure in revenue and capital account; Public debt: composition- internal and external debt; Monetary Policy, Fiscal Policy; Union Budget: Budget Analysis.

5. Planning in Indian economy: Objectives, Priorities, Strategies, Achievements of Five Year Plans; 12$^{th}$ FYP - Inclusive growth; NITI Aayog; Liberalization, Privatisation, Globalisation: Features and Implications.

### II. Telangana Economy.

1. Telangana economy in Hyderabad State (Agriculture, Industry and Trade); Telangana economy in United AP (1956-2014)- Deprivation and Under development; Structure and Growth of Telangana economy: Sectoral trends in GSDP ; Per capita income; Income inequalities and Poverty.

2. Human resources: Demographic Structure and Transition , Demographic dividend , (sex ratio, fertility rate, mortality rates) ; Literacy and Occupation structure: Social Sector – Education and Health

3. Land reforms: I generation (1947-1970) and II generation land reforms (1970 onwards)- Abolition of Intermediaries : Zamindari, Jagirdari and Inamdari -Tenancy Reforms : Land ceiling ; Land alienation in Scheduled areas ; Impact of land reforms.

4. Agriculture and Allied sectors: Trends in share of crop and allied sectors in GSDP; Distribution of land holdings; Trends in Irrigation; Problems of dry land Agriculture; Dependence on Agriculture; Cropping pattern Trends ; Trends in productivity; Agricultural Credit, Extension and Marketing; Cooperatives and Producer Companies

5. Industry and Service sectors: Industrial development; Structure and growth of industrial sector, Micro Small and Medium Enterprises (MSME) sector , Revival of sick industries; Industrial infrastructure- Power; Industrial Policy of Telangana; Structure and growth of service sector; employment trends in Industry and Service sectors; Information and Communication Technology (ICT) Policy of Telangana.

### III. Development and Environmental Problems.

1. Environment vs Development: Definition of Environment, Environmentalism; Environmental Protection Policy, Environmental Policy Instruments.

2. Natural resources: Forest resources- Commercialization of forests - Forest Acts vs Forest dwellers/ users; Water: surface water and groundwater, competing demand for water - drinking, industrial and agriculture; Land resources: competing uses of land- food, feed, fuel, and fibre; Mining and Environment; Sustainability of natural resources.

3. Eco systems and Bio-diversity: Ecology and Eco-system; Food chains in Eco systems, Typology of eco system; Bio diversity and its conservation, Types of Bio diversity, threat to Bio diversity.

4. Environment pollution and solid waste management, types of solid waste, factors affecting solid waste generation, impact of solid waste, recycling and reuse.

5. Global Environment Issues: Climate Change, Global Warming and its impact, Sustainable Development.

### PAPER- V – SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY AND DATA INTERPRETATION

### I. The role and impact of Science and Technology.

1. Classical and Emerging areas of Science & Technology : Value addition by Science & Technology, Current Science & Technology developments in India and importance of Science & Technology as an engine for National Development ; Industrial development & Urbanization.

2. National Policy of Science & Technology: changes in Policy from time to time: Technology missions
- ICT: Basics in Computers, Robotics, Nano technology and Communication.

3. Space program in India and its applications with special reference to industrial, agricultural and other rural development activities, INSAT, IRS systems, EDUSAT and Chandrayaan-1 and future programme.

4. Application of Space Technology in India with references to Education, Agriculture and Industry. Climatic change, Floods, Cyclone, Tsunami, Natural and Manmade Disaster Management.

5. Energy Resources: Energy demands, Indian energy scenario- hydel, thermal and nuclear. Importance of renewable resources - Solar, Wind, small/Mini/Micro hydel, Biomass, waste based, geothermal, tidal & fuel cells. Energy security - Role of Science & Technology, Bio-fuel cultivation and extraction.

## II. Modern Trends in application of knowledge of Science.

1.  Crop Science in India; Characteristics of Plants - Crop plants, Forest species, Medicinal Aromatic plants, Useful and Harmful plants and utility for mankind.

2.  Concept of Biotechnology and application of genetic engineering and Stem Cell Research. Biotechnology in Agriculture (bio-fertilizers, bio - pesticides, bio- fuels, tissue culture, cloning) and Environment (Biotechnology in Environmental cleanup process)

3.  Food bio-technology, Food safety and Food quality standards, Food Laws and Regulations. Recent trends in organic farming and farm mechanization. Safe Drinking Water – Defluoridation and other Techniques.

4.  Microbial infections; Introduction to bacterial, viral, protozoal and fungal infections. Basic knowledge of infections caused by different groups of micro organisms- diarrhoea, dysentery, cholera, tuberculosis, malaria, viral infections like HIV, encephalitis, chikungunya, bird flu- preventive measures during out breaks.

5.  Vaccines: Introduction to immunity, Fundamental concepts in vaccination and traditional methods of vaccine production (production of DPT and Rabies vaccine), Production of modern vaccines (production of Hepatitis Vaccine).

## III. Data Interpretation and Problem Solving.

1.  Data Analysis – Analytical Interpretation of statistical Data, Study of Graphs and Charts - Bar graphs, Line graphs and Pie- charts and drawing conclusions.

2.  Problems based on Tabular and Diagrammatical Data - Problems based on Probability Logical Reasoning, Analytical and Mental ability.

3.  Quantitative Aptitude – Number Sequences, Series, Averages, Number Systems, Ratio and Proportion, Profit and Loss.

4.  Time and Work, Speed -Time – Distance, Simple Interest, Analytical and Critical reasoning.

5.  Decision Making and Problem Solving: A duly structured situation will be presented to the candidates and they will be asked to analyze and suggest their own solution to the problem arising out of situations.

## PAPER-VI - TELANGANA MOVEMENT AND STATE FORMATION

### I. The idea of Telangana (1948-1970)

1.  Historical Background: Telangana as a distinctive cultural unit in Hyderabad Princely State, its geographical, cultural, socio, political and economic features- People of Telangana- castes, tribes, religion, arts, crafts, languages, dialects, fairs, festivals and important places in Telangana. Administration in Hyderabad Princely State and Administrative Reforms of Salar Jung and Origins of the issue of Mulkis-Non-Mulkis; Employment and Civil Services Rules under Mir Osman Ali Khan, VII Nizam's Farman of 1919 and Definition of Mulki - Establishment of Nizam's Subjects League known as the Mulki League 1935 and its Significance; Merger of Hyderabad State into Indian Union in 1948; Employment Policies under Military Rule and Vellodi,1948-1952; Violation of Mulki-Rules and Its Implications.

2.  Hyderabad State in Independent India- Formation of Popular Ministry under Burgula Ramakrishna Rao and 1952 Mulki-Agitation; Demand for Employment of Local people and City College Incident- Its importance. Justice Jagan Mohan Reddy Committee Report, 1953 – Initial debates and demand for Telangana State-Reasons for the Formation of States Reorganization Commission (SRC) under Fazal Ali in 1953-Main Provisions and Recommendations of SRC-Dr. B. R. Ambedkar's views on SRC and smaller states.

3.  Formation of Andhra Pradesh, 1956: Gentlemen's Agreement - its Provisions and Recommendations; Telangana Regional Committee, Composition and Functions- Violation of Safeguards-Migration from Coastal Andhra Region and its Consequences; Post-1970 Development Scenario in Telangana- Agriculture, Irrigation, Power, Education, Employment, Medical and Health etc.

4.  Violation of Employment and Service Rules: Origins of Telangana Agitation- Protest in Kothagudem and other places, Fast unto Death by Ravindranath; 1969 Agitation for Separate Telangana. Role of Intellectuals, Students, Employees in Jai Telangana Movement.

5.  Formation of Telangana Praja Samithi and Course of Movement - the Spread of Telangana Movement- Major Events, Leaders and Personalities- All Party Accord – G.O. 36 - Suppression of Telangana Movement and its Consequences-The Eight Point and Five-Point Formulas-Implications.

## II. *Mobilizational Phase (1971 -1990)*

1.  Court Judgements on Mulki Rules- Jai Andhra Movement and its Consequences- Six Point Formula 1973, and its Provisions; Article 371-D, Presidential Order, 1975-Officers (Jayabharat Reddy) Committee Report- G.O. 610 (1985); its Provisions and Violations- Reaction and Representations of Telangana Employees

2.  Rise and Spread of Naxalite Movement, causes and consequences - Anti-Landlord Struggles in Jagityala-Siricilla, North Telangana; Rytu-Cooli Sanghams; Alienation of Tribal Lands and Adivasi Resistance- Jal, Jungle, and Zamin.

3.  Rise of Regional Parties in 1980's and Changes in the Political, Socio-Economic and Cultural fabric of Telangana- Notion of Telugu Jathi and suppression of Telangana identity-Expansion of new economy in Hyderabad and other parts of Telangana; RealEstate, Contracts, Finance Companies; Film, Media and Entertainment Industry; Corporate Education and Hospitals etc; Dominant Culture and its implications for Telangana self respect, Dialect, Language and Culture.

4.  Liberalization and Privatisation Policies in 1990's and their consequences - Emergence of regional disparities and imbalances in political power, administration, education, employment – Madiga Dandora and Tudum Debba movement – Agrarian crisis and decline of Handicrafts in Telangana and its impact on Telangana Society and economy.

5.  Quest for Telangana identity-intellectual discussions and debates- political and ideological efforts – Growth of popular unrest against regional disparities, discrimination and under development of Telangana.

## III. *Towards Formation of Telangana State (1991-2014)*

1.  Public awakening and Intellectual reaction against discrimination- formation of Civil society organisation, Articulation of separate Telanagana Identity; Initial organisations raised the issues of separate Telangana; Telangana Information Trust - Telangana Aikya Vedika, Bhuvanagiri Sabha - Telangana Jana Sabha, Telangana Maha Sabha - Warangal Decleration - Telangana Vidyavanthula Vedika; etc., Efforts of Telangana Congress & BJP in highlighting the issue.

2. Establishment of Telangana Rashtra Samithi in 2001, Political Realignment and Electoral Alliances in 2004 and later Phase of Telangana Movement – TRS in UPA- Girgliani Committee- Telangana Employees Joint Action Committee - Pranab Mukherjee Committee- 2009-Elections-Alliances- Telangana in Election Manifestos- The agitation against Hyderabad as Free-zone - and Demand for separate Statehood- Fast-Unto-Death by K.Chandra Shekar Rao-Formation of Political Joint Action Committee (2009)

3. Role of Political Parties-TRS, Congress, B.J.P., Left parties, T.D.P., M.I.M and other political parties such as Telangana Praja Front, Telangana United Front etc., Dalit-Bahujan Sanghams and Grass roots Movement organisations - Other Joint Action Committees and popular protests- Suicides for the cause of Telangana.

4. Cultural Revivalism in Telangana, other symbolic expressions in Telangana Movement- Literary forms- performing arts and other cultural expressions- writers, poets, singers, intellectuals, Artists, Journalists, Students, Employees, Advocates, Doctors, NRIs, women, Civil society groups, organised and unorganised sectors, castes, communities and other social groups in transforming the agitation into a mass movement - Intensification of Movement, Forms of Protest and Major events: Sakalajanula Samme, Non-Cooperation Movement; Million March, etc.,

5. Parliamentary Process; UPA Government's stand on Telangana- All-Party Meeting- Anthony Committee- Statements on Telangana by Central Home Minister - Sri Krishna Committee Report and its Recommendations, AP Assembly and Parliamentary proceedings on Telangana, Declaration of Telangana State in Parliament, Andhra Pradesh State Reorganization Act, 2014- Elections and victory of Telangana Rashtra Samithi and the first Government of Telangana State.

**ANNEXURE-III**

## LIST OF SCHEDULED CASTES AND SCHEDULED TRIBES

(G.O. MS. NO. 5 Scheduled Castes Development (POA.A2) Dept., Dt. 08/08/2015 read with G.O. Ms. No. 11, Scheduled Castes Development (POA.A2) Dept., Dt. 17/09/2014 and G.O. Ms. No. 2 Scheduled Castes Development (POA.A2) Dept., Dt. 22.01.2015)

## LIST OF SCHEDULED CASTES

1. Adi Andhra
2. Adi Dravida
3. Anamuk
4. Aray Mala
5. Arundhatiya
6. Arwa Mala
7. Bariki
8. Bavuri
9. Beda (Budga) Jangam
10. Bindla
11. Byagara, Byagari
12. Chachati
13. Chalavadi
14. Chamar, Mochi, Muchi, Chamar-Ravidas, Chamar- Rohidas
15. Chambhar
16. Chandala
17. Dakkal, Dokkalwar
18. Dandasi
19. Dhor
20. Dom, Dombara, Paidi, Pano
21. Ellamalawar, Yellammalawandlu
22. Ghasi, Haddi, Relli, Chanchandi
23. Godari
24. Gosangi
25. Holeya
26. Holeya Dasari
27. Jaggali
28. Jambuvulu
29. Kolupulvandlu, Pambada, Pambanda, Pambala
30. Madasi Kuruva, Madari Kuruva
31. Madiga
32. Madiga Dasu, Mashteen
33. Mahar
34. Mala, Mala Ayawaru
35. Mala Dasari
36. Mala Dasu
37. Mala Hannai
38. Malajangam
39. Mala Masti
40. Mala Sale, Nethani
41. Mala Sanyasi
42. Mang
43. Mang Garodi
44. Manne
45. Mashti
46. Matangi
47. Mehtar
48. Mitha Ayyalvar
49. Mundala
50. Paky, Moti, Thoti
51. Pamidi
52. Panchama, Pariah
53. Relli

54. Samagara
55. Samban
56. Sapru
57. Sindhollu, Chindollu
58. Yatala
59. Valluvan

## LIST OF SCHEDULED TRIBES

1. Andh, Sadhu Andh
2. Bagata
3. Bhil
4. Chenchu
5. Gadabas, Bodo Gadaba, Gutob Gadaba, Kallayi Gadaba, Parangi Gadaba, Kathera Gadaba, Kapu Gadaba
6. Gond, Naikpod, Rajgond, Koitur
7. Goudu (in the Agency tracts)
8. Hill Reddis
9. Jatapus
10. Kammara
11. Kattunayakan
12. Kolam, Kolawar
13. Konda Dhoras, Kubi
14. Konda Kapus
15. Kondareddis
16. Kondhs, Kodi, Kodhu, Desaya Kondhs, Dongria Kondhs, Kuttiya Kondhs, Tikiria Kondhs, Yenity Kondhs, Kuvinga
17. Kotia, Bentho Oriya, Bartika, Dulia, Holya, Sanrona, Sidhopaiko
18. Koya, Doli Koya, Gutta Koya, Kammara Koya, Musara Koya, Oddi Koya, Pattidi Koya, Rajah, Rasha Koya, Lingadhari Koya (ordinary), Kottu Koya, Bhine Koya, Rajkoya
19. Kulia
20. Manna Dhora
21. Mukha Dhora, Nooka Dhora
22. Nayaks (in the Agency tracts)
23. Pardhan
24. Porja, Parangiperja
25. Reddi Dhoras
26. Rona, Rena
27. Savaras, Kapu Savaras, Maliya Savaras, Khutto Savaras
28. Sugalis, Lambadis, Banjara
29. Thoti (in Adilabad, Hyderabad, Karimnagar, Khammam, Mahbubnagar, Medak, Nalgonda, Nizamabad and Warangal districts)
30. Yenadis, Chella Yenadi, Kappala Yenadi, Manchi Yenadi, Reddi Yenadi
31. Yerukulas, Koracha, Dabba Yerukula, Kunchapuri Yerukula, Uppu Yerukula
32. Nakkala, Kurvikaran.

## LIST OF SOCIALLY AND EDUCATIONALLY BACKWARD CLASSES

As per G.O. Ms. No. 16 Backward Classes Welfare (OP) Department, Dated:11.03.2015 and read with G.O.MS.No. 34, Backward Classes Welfare (OP) Department, Dated: 08/10/2015, G.O. Ms. No. 4 Backward Classes Welfare (OP) Department, Dated: 30/01/2016, G.O.Ms.No. 3 Backward Classes Welfare (B) Department, Dated: 09-09-2020

### STATE LIST OF BCs
### (List of Backward Classes of Telangana State)
### GROUP-A
### (Aboriginal Tribes, Vimuktha Jathis, Nomadic and Semi-Nomadic Tribes etc.)

1 Agnikulakshatriya, Palli, Vadabalija, Bestha, Jalari, Gangavar, Gangaputra, Goondla, Vanyakulakshatriya (Vannekapu, Vannereddi, Pallikapu, Pallireddi) Neyyala, Pattapu.
2 Balasanthu, Bahurupi
3 *[Bandara]
4 Budabukkala

5 Rajaka (Chakali, Vannar)

6 Dasari (formerly engaged in Bikshatana i.e., Beggary)

7 Dommara

8 Gangiredlavaru

9 Jangam (whose traditional occupation is begging)

10 Jogi

11 Katipapala

12 *[Korcha]

13 Lambada or Banjara in Telangana area (deleted and included in ST list vide. G.O.Ms.No.149, SW, Dt.03.05.1978)

14 Medari or Mahendra

15 Mondivaru, Mondibanda, Banda

16 Nayi-Brahmin/Nayee-Brahmin (Mangali), Mangala and Bhajantri

17 Nakkala (deleted vide. G.O.Ms.No.21, BCW (C2) Dept., Dt.20.06.2011, since it is included in the list of Scheduled Tribes at Sl.No.34 vide. Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Order (Amendment) Act, 2002 (Central Act No.10 of 2003)

18 Vamsha Raj / Pitchiguntla

19 Pamula

20 Pardhi (Nirshikari)

21 Pambala

22 Peddammavandlu, Devaravandlu, Yellammavandlu, Mutyalammavandlu, Dammali / Dammala / Dammula / Damala

23 Veeramushti (Nettikotala), Veerabhadreeya

24 Valmiki Boya (Boya, Bedar, Kirataka, Nishadi, Yellapi, Pedda Boya), Talayari, Chunduvallu (Yellapi and Yellapu are one and the same as clarified vide. G.O.Ms.No.61, BCW (M1) Dept., Dt.05.12.1996)

25 Yerukalas in Telangana area (deleted and included at Sl.No.31 in the list of STs)

26 Gudala

27 Kanjara – Bhatta

28 *[Kalinga]

29 Kepmare or Reddika

30 Mondepatta

31 Nokkar

32 Pariki Muggula

33 Yata

34 Chopemari

35 Kaikadi

36 Joshinandiwalas

37 Odde (Oddilu, Vaddi, Vaddelu), Vaddera, Vaddabhovi, Vadiyaraj, Waddera

38 Mandula

39 Mehtar (Muslim)

40 Kunapuli

41 Patra

42 *[Kurakula]

43 *[Pondara]

44 *[Samanthula /Samantha/ Sountia / Sauntia]

45 Pala-Ekari, Ekila, Vyakula, Ekiri, Nayanivaru, Palegaru, Tolagari, Kavali (area confined to Hyderabad and Rangareddy Districts only)

46 Rajannala, Rajannalu (area confined to Karimnagar, Warangal, Nizamabad and Adilabad Districts only)

47 Bukka Ayyavars

48 Gotrala

49 Kasikapadi / Kasikapudi (area confined to Hyderabad, Rangareddy, Nizamabad, Mahaboobnagar and Adilabad Districts only)

50 Siddula

51 Sikligar/ Saikalgar

52 Poosala (included vide. G.O.Ms.No.16, BCW(C2) Dept., Dt.19.02.2009 by deleting from Sl.No.24 under Group-D)

53 *[Aasadula / Asadula]

54 *[Keuta / Kevuto / Keviti]

55 Orphan and Destitute Children who have lost their parents before reaching the age of ten and are destitute; and who have nobody else to take care of them either by law or custom; and also who are admitted into any of the schools or orphanages run by the Government or

recognised by the Government.

56 Addapuvaru
57 Bagothula/ Bhagavathula
58 Bail Kammara/ Ghisadi/ Gadiya Lohar
59 Enooti/ Yenetivallu
60 Ganjikuti/ Ganjikutivaru
61 Gouda Jetti
62 Kakipadagala
63 Patamvaru/ Masaiahlu
64 Odd/ Od/ Oad
65 Sonnayila/ Sannayila/ Sannayollu
66 Sri Kshatriya Ramajogi/ Ramajogi/ Ramajogula
67 Theracheerala/ Telsoori/ Baikani
68 Tholubommalatavaru/ Boppala

### GROUP-B
### (Vocational Groups)

1 *[Achukatlavandlu]
2 Aryakshatriya, Chittari, Giniyar, Chitrakara, Nakhas
3 Devanga
4 Goud [Ediga, Gouda (Gamalla), Kalalee, Gounda, **[*Settibalija of Visakhapatnam, East Godavari, West Godavari and Krishna districts]** and Srisayana (Segidi)
5 Dudekula, Laddaf, Pinjari or Noorbash
6 Gandla, Telikula, Devathilakula
7 Jandra
8 Kummara or Kulala, Salivahana
9 Karikalabhakthulu, Kaikolan or Kaikala (Sengundam or Sengunther)
10 Karnabhakthulu
11 Kuruba or Kuruma
12 *[Nagavaddilu]
13 Neelakanthi
14 Patkar (Khatri)
15 Perika (Perika Balija, Puragiri kshatriya)
16 Nessi or Kurni
17 Padmasali (Sali, Salivan, Pattusali, Senapathulu, Thogata Sali)
18 Srisayana (Segidi) (deleted vide. G.O.Ms.No.63, BCW (M1) Dept., Dt.11.12.1996 and added to Sl.No.4 of Group-B)
19 Swakulasali
20 Thogata, Thogati or Thogataveerakshatriya
21 Viswabrahmin (Ausula, Kamsali, Kammari, Kanchari, Vadla or Vadra or Vadrangi and Silpis), Viswakarma
22 *[Kunchiti / Vakkaliga / Vakkaligara / Kunchitiga]
23 Lodh/ Lodhi/ Lodha (area confined to Hyderabad, Rangareddy, Khammam and Adilabad Districts only)
24 Bondili
25 Are Marathi, Maratha (Non-Brahmins), Arakalies and Surabhi Natakalavallu
26 Neeli (included vide. G.O.Ms.No. 43, BCW (C2) Dept., Dt.07.08.2008 by deleting from Group D at Sl.No.22)
27 Budubunjala / Bhunjwa / Bhadbhunja (area confined to Hyderabad and Rangareddy Districts only)
28 *[Gudia / Gudiya]

### GROUP-C

Scheduled Castes converts to Christianity and their progeny

### GROUP-D
### (Other Classes)

1 *[Agaru]
2 Arekatika, Katika, Are-Suryavamshi
3 *[Atagara]
4 Bhatraju
5 Chippolu (Mera)

6 *[Gavara]
7 *[Godaba]
8 Hatkar
9 *[Jakkala]
10 Jingar
11 *[Kandra]
12 Koshti
13 Kachi
14 Surya Balija (Kalavanthula), Ganika
15 Krishnabalija (Dasari, Bukka)
16 *[Koppulavelamas]
17 Mathura
18 Mali (Bare, Barai, Marar and Tamboli)
19 Mudiraj, Mutrasi, Tenugollu
20 Munnurukapu
21 *[Nagavasam (Nagavamsa)]
22 Nelli (deleted vide. G.O.Ms.No.43, BCW(C2) Dept., Dt.07.08.2008 and added at Sl.No.26 in Group 'B')
23 *[Polinati Velamas of Srikakulam and Visakhapatnam districts]
24 Poosala caste (deleted vide. G.O.Ms.No.16, BCW(C2) Dept., Dt.19.02.2009 and included at S.No.52 under Group-A)
25 Passi
26 Rangarez or Bhavasara Kshatriya
27 Sadhuchetty
28 Satani (Chattadasrivaishnava)
29 Tammali (Non-Brahmins) (Shudra caste) whose traditional occupation is playing musical instruments, vending of flowers and giving assistance in temple service but not Shivarchakars
30 *[Turupukapus or Gajulakapus]
31 Uppara or Sagara
32 Vanjara (Vanjari)
33 Yadava (Golla)
34 Are, Arevallu and Arollu
35 *[Sadara / Sadaru]
36 *[Arava]
37 Ayyaraka (area confined to Khammam and Warangal Districts only)
38 Nagaralu (area confined to Hyderabad and Rangareddy Districts only)
39 Aghamudian, Aghamudiar, Agamudivellalar and Agamudimudaliar (including Thuluva Vellalas) (area confined to Hyderabad and Rangareddy Districts only)
40 *[Beri Vysya / Beri Chetty]
41 *[Atirasa]
42 Sondi / Sundi
43 Varala
44 Sistakaranam
45 Lakkamarikapu
46 Veerashaiva Lingayat / Lingabalija
47 Kurmi
48 Aheer/ Aheer Yadav
49 Govili/Govlii/ Gouli/Gavli
50 Kulla Kadagi/ Kulle Kadigi/ Chittepu
51 Sarollu/Soma Vamsha Kshatriya

## GROUP-E
### (Socially and Educationally Backward Classes of Muslims)
### (Subject to outcome of Civil Appeal No(s).2628-2637/2010 etc., pending before the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India)

1 Achchukattalavandlu, Singali, Singamvallu, Achchupanivallu, Achchukattuvaru, Achukatlavandlu
2 Attar Saibulu, Attarollu
3 Dhobi Muslim/ Muslim Dhobi/ Dhobi Musalman, Turka Chakla or Turka Sakala, Turaka Chakali, Tulukka Vannan, Tsakalas, Sakalas or Chakalas, Muslim Rajakas
4 Faqir, Fhakir Budbudki, Ghanti Fhakir, Ghanta Fhakirlu, Turaka Budbudki, Darvesh, Fakeer

5 Garadi Muslim, Garadi Saibulu, Pamulavallu, Kani-Kattuvallu, Garadollu, Garadiga

6 Gosangi Muslim, Phakeer Sayebulu

7 Guddi Eluguvallu, Elugu Bantuvallu, Musalman Keelu Gurralavallu

8 Hajam, Nai, Nai Muslim, Navid

9 Labbi, Labbai, Labbon, Labba

10 Pakeerla, Borewale, Deera Phakirlu, Bonthala

11 Qureshi, Kureshi/ Khureshi, Khasab, Marati Khasab, Muslim Katika, Khatik Muslim

12 Shaik/ Sheikh

13 Siddi, Yaba, Habshi, Jasi

14 Turaka Kasha, Kakkukotte Zinka Saibulu, Chakkitakanevale, Terugadu Gontalavaru, Thirugatigantla, Rollaku Kakku Kottevaru, Pattar Phodulu, Chakketakare, Thuraka Kasha

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*omitted vide G.O Ms.No.3, BCW(OP) Dept., Dated:14.08.2014*

N.B.:1)The above list is for information and subject to confirmation with reference to G.O.Ms.No.58, SW(J) Department, dated 12.05.1997 and time to time orders.

2) On account of any reason whatsoever in case of any doubt/ dispute arising in the matter of community status (SC/ST/BC/OC) of any candidate, subject to satisfaction with regard to relevant Rules and Regulations in force the decision of the Commission shall be final in all such cases.

**ANNEXURE-IV**

**List of recognized sports disciplines for Two Percent (2%) reservation in Direct Recruitment in Government Departments / Govt. Institutions as per G.O. Ms. No. 74, Youth Advancement, Tourism & Culture (Sports) Department Dated:09-08-2012**

(1) FOOTBALL

(2) HOCKEY

(3) VOLLEYBALL

(4) HANDBALL

(5) BASKET BALL

(6) TENNIS

(7) TABLE TENNIS

(8) SHUTTLE BADMINTON

(9) KABBADI

(10) ATHLETICS

(11) SWIMMING

(12) GYMNASTICS

(13) WEIGHTLIFTING

(14) WRESTLING

(15) BOXING

(16) CYCLING

(17) ROWING

(18) SHOOTING

(19) FENCING

(20) ROLLER SKATING

(21) SAILING / YATCHING

(22) ARCHERY

(23) CRICKET

(24) CHESS

(25) KHO-KHO

(26) JUDO

(27) TEAKWANDO

(28) SOFTBALL

(29) BODY BUILDING (Uniform Services like Police, Excise etc).

**ANNEXURE-V**

**LIST OF BANKS FOR MAKING ONLINE PAYMENT**

| Sl. No. | Name of the Bank | Sl. No. | Name of the Bank |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Andhra Pragathi Grameena Bank | 35 | Kalyan Janata Sahakari Bank |
| 2 | A U Small Finance Bank | 36 | Karnataka Bank Ltd |
| 3 | Bandhan Bank | 37 | Karnataka Gramin Bank |
| 4 | Bank of Bahrain and Kuwait | 38 | Karnataka Vikas Grameena Bank |
| 5 | Bank of Baroda | 39 | Karur Vysya Bank |
| 6 | Bank of India | 40 | Kotak Bank |
| 7 | Bank of Maharashtra | 41 | Laxmi Vilas Bank |
| 8 | Bassien Catholic Coop Bank | 42 | Maharashtra Gramin Bank |
| 9 | Canara Bank | 43 | Mehsana urban Co-op Bank |
| 10 | Capital Small Finance Bank | 44 | NKGSB Co-op Bank |
| 11 | Catholic Syrian Bank | 45 | North East Small Finance Bank Ltd |
| 12 | Central Bank of India | 46 | Nutan Nagarik Sahakari Bank Limited |
| 13 | City Union Bank | 47 | Punjab & Sind Bank |
| 14 | Cosmos Bank | 48 | Punjab National Bank |
| 15 | DCB Bank | 49 | RBL Bank Limited |
| 16 | Deutsche Bank | 50 | Saraswat Bank |
| 17 | Dhanlakshmi Bank | 51 | SBM Bank India |
| 18 | Digibank by DBS | 52 | Shivalik Mercantile Cooperative Bank Ltd |
| 19 | Equitas Small Finance Bank | 53 | South Indian Bank |
| 20 | ESAF Small Finance Bank | 54 | State Bank of India |
| 21 | Federal Bank | 55 | SVC Co-operative Bank Ltd |
| 22 | Fincare Bank | 56 | Tamil Nadu State Co-operative Bank |
| 23 | Gujarat State Co-operative Bank Limited | 57 | Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Ltd. |
| 24 | HDFC Bank | 58 | The Kalupur Commercial Co-Operative Bank |
| 25 | HSBC Retail Net Banking | 59 | The Surat People's Co-operative Bank Limited |
| 26 | ICICI Bank | 60 | The Sutex Co-op Bank Ltd |
| 27 | IDBI Bank | 61 | T J S B Bank |
| 28 | IDFC FIRST Bank | 62 | UCO Bank |
| 29 | Indian Bank | 63 | Union Bank of India |
| 30 | Indian Overseas Bank | 64 | Utkarsh Small Finance Bank |
| 31 | Indus-Ind Bank | 65 | Varachha Co-operative Bank Limited |
| 32 | Jammu & Kashmir Bank | 66 | YES Bank Ltd |
| 33 | Jana Small Finance Bank | 67 | Zoroastrian Co-Operative Bank Ltd |
| 34 | Janata Sahakari Bank Ltd Pune | | |

## ANNEXURE-VI

## INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

**1 INSTRUCTIONS FOR ONLINE APPLICATION:**

1.1. The applicants are required to go through the user guide and satisfy themselves as to their eligibility for this recruitment carefully before applying and enter the particulars completely online.

1.2. Applicant must compulsorily fill-up all relevant columns of application and submit application through website only. The particulars made available in the website will be processed through computer and the eligibility is decided in terms of Notification and confirmed accordingly.

1.3. The applications received online in the prescribed proforma available in the website and within the time only shall be considered. The Commission will not be held responsible for any kind of delay/discrepancy on part of the candidate.

1.4. Applicants must compulsorily upload his/her own scanned photo and sign on the photo through jpg format.

1.5. The applicants should not furnish any particulars that are false, tampered, fabricated or suppress any material information while making an application through website.

1.6. No separate application is needed for Main Examination. The application submitted for the recruitment is only considered up to the finalization of selection.

1.7. Important:- Handwritten / typed / Photostat copies / printed application form will not be accepted.

1.8. <u>EDIT OPTION TO THE CANDIDATES:-</u>The applicants should utilize the edit option to rectify the mistakes viz., Biodata particulars/Data corrections / Omissions etc., in the application. If the edit option facility is not utilized by the candidates, the TSPSC is not responsible and the data already available is treated as final. After the due date, Data corrections through Online/Paper representations or Corrections on the Nominal Rolls in the examination hall will not be accepted under any circumstances. No correspondence will be entertained in this matter**.**

1.9. The following certificates / documents must be submitted by the candidates at the time of verification of certificates.

    (i) PDF Application form.
    (ii) Hall Ticket.
    (iii) Aadhaar Card /Voter ID / Pass Port / Driving License / Service ID Cards with (Photograph issued by Central/State/PSU/Public Limited Companies) / Passbook with (photograph by Bank / Post Office) / PAN Card.
    (iv) Proof of Educational Qualifications.
    (v) S.S.C / CBSE / ICSE (For Date of Birth).
    (vi) School Study Certificate (1st to 7th Class).
    (vii) Certificate of Residence (where the Candidate has not studied in Educational Institution) (1st to 7th Class period) obtained from competent authority of Telangana Government.
    (viii) Declaration by the Unemployed (For claiming exemption from payment of exam fee).
    (ix) No Objection Certificate from Employer (even if employed at any later stage of recruitment).
    (x) Service Certificate (If any employee claimed Age relaxation).
    (xi) Certificate claiming sports reservation.
    (xii) Certificate claiming Ex-servicemen for age relaxation.
    (xiii) Community Certificate for BCs, SCs & STs (Issued in the name of candidate with Father/Mother Name is only acceptable.) obtained from Revenue Authority not below the rank of Tahasildar working under Telangana Government.
    (xiv) Community, Nativity and Date of Birth Certificate.
    (xv) Non-Creamy Layer Certificate for BCs as per Form- VIIB vide G.O. Ms. No. 34 BC Welfare (OP) Department Dt.08/10/2015 and G.O. Ms. No. 20 BC Welfare

(OP) Department Dt.31/10/2017 (Certificate issued in the name of candidate along with Father's/Mother's name only is acceptable) obtained from Revenue Authority not below the rank of Tahasildar working under Telangana Government.

(xvi) Latest Income Certificate in prescribed format for EWS reservation obtained from Revenue Authority not below the rank of Tahasildar working under Telangana Government in the name of candidate with Parent's name.

(xvii) In case of PH Candidates, Visually Handicapped / Hearing Disability & Hearing Impairment / Orthopedically Handicapped / Multiple disabilities, certificates should be obtained from Competent Medical Authority in SADAREM format relevant to them.

(xviii) Any other certificate required.

## 2. GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

2.1 Candidates are directed to follow the Commission's Website (www.tspsc.gov.in) regularly to know the latest developments regarding the Recruitment, dates of Examination, calling of candidates for verification of Certificates/ Medical Boards/ Results etc.

2.2 These are model instructions and candidates must follow the latest instructions issued from time to time and also go through the Hall Ticket instructions carefully. The latest instructions will prevail.

2.3 The candidate will not be admitted to the examination Hall without going through procedural formalities.

2.4 The Candidate's admission to the Examination hall is provisional, subject to the eligibility, confirmation/satisfaction of conditions laid down in this Notification.

2.5 The candidate should satisfy the Invigilator of his/her identity with reference to the Signature and Photograph available on the Nominal Roll and Hall Ticket.

2.6 The candidate must note that his/her admission to the examination is strictly provisional. The mere fact that an Admission to the examination does not imply that his/her candidature has been finally cleared by the Commission or that the entries made by the candidate in his/her application have been accepted by the Commission as true and correct. The candidates have to be found suitable after verification of original certificates; and other eligibility criteria. The Applicant has to upload his/her scanned recent colour passport photo and signature to the Application Form. Failure to produce the similar photograph, if required, at the time of verification, may lead to disqualification.

2.7 Candidates are not allowed to carry any electronic gadgets, Mobiles/Smart phones, Tablets, iPad, Pen drives, Calculators, Wallets, Handbags, or any kind of wrist Watches, Bluetooth, pagers etc., to the Examination centre.

2.8 Loaning and interchanging of stationery articles among the candidates is not permitted in the Examination hall and any form of malpractice will not be permitted in the exam hall

2.9 Copying or noting down questions/answers/options is not allowed. Severe action will be taken if any candidate is found noting down the questions/answers/options.

2.10 The candidates are expected to behave in an orderly and disciplined manner while writing the Examination. If any candidate takes away the OMR Answer Sheet, his/her candidature will be rejected and penal action including criminal prosecution as per law will be initiated. In case of impersonation /malpractice/ improper behavior during Examination, cases shall be booked in the Police Station concerned, apart from disqualifying his /her candidature.

2.11 Candidates trying to use unfair means shall be disqualified from the selection. No correspondence whatsoever will be entertained from the candidates in this regard.

2.12 The Commission is also empowered to invoke the penal provisions of the T.S. Public Examinations (Prevention of Malpractices and Unfair means) Act, 1997 (Act No.25/1997) for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto and as per the Rules of Procedure of TSPSC published in Telangana Gazette No: 60 dated 28/12/2015 in respect of this Notification.

2.13 The Hall Tickets are issued based on the declaration and the information provided by the applicant in an online application.

2.14 Date and Time of the Examination are mentioned in the Hall Ticket. Candidates should go through the Hall Ticket instructions thoroughly.

2.15 Candidates are liable for rejection at any point of time for submitting false/fake information.

2.16 In case the Hall-Ticket is without photo or too small, he/she should affix a passport size photo on Hall-ticket in the space provided at the bottom and appear by duly getting attested by a Gazetted Officer and giving an undertaking. He/she shall handover similar photo to Chief Superintendent for affixing the same on the Nominal Rolls.

2.17 The candidate should put his/her signature and get the signature of the invigilator at the appropriate place in the OMR Answer Sheet. The candidate should also put his/her signature in the Nominal roll at the place provided for the same.

2.18 All the Instructions of the Commission should be followed scrupulously in the Examination Hall.

2.19 No candidate should leave the Examination hall till expiry of fulltime.

### 3) SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES (PWD's):

The guidelines issued by Government of India, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities vide Office Memorandum F.No. 34-02/2015-DD-III, Dt. 29/08/2018 and Corrigendum F.No. 34-02/2015-DD-III (pt), Dt. 08/02/2019 and Office Memorandum No. F. No. 29-6/2019-DD-III, Dt. 10/08/2022 with regard to providing of Scribe and compensatory time will be implemented. However, TSPSC only shall provide scribes as per eligibility.

### 4) INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES REGARDING OMR BASED PRELIMINARY TEST

4.1 The candidates shall report to the Examination venue one hour before the commencement of Examination, to record their Photo Image/thumb impression on Biometric System etc., The entry gates of venue will be closed Half an hour before the commencement of Examination. No candidates will be allowed into the Examination Hall after closure of the center/venue gate.

4.2 The candidate should go through the instructions given on the OMR sheet and cover page of Question Booklet which will be provided to him/her in the Examination hall and carefully write his/her Question Booklet Series/Number, Subject / Paper Code, Name of the Examination Centre etc., in the OMR Answer Sheet.

4.3 Since the OMR Answer sheets are to be scanned (valued) with Optical Mark Reader/ Scanner, the candidates have to USE BALL POINT PEN (BLUE/BLACK) ONLY. The candidate will be supplied OMR Answer Sheet and is required to use Ball Point Pen (Blue or Black) for filling the relevant blocks in the OMR Answer Sheet including bubbling the answers. After writing the Examination the candidate has to handover the OMR Answer Sheet to the invigilator in the Examination hall. However, the Digital copy of OMR Answer Sheets will be made available on the Commission's website immediately after completion of the image scanning. If any candidate takes away the OMR Answer Sheet, his/her candidature will be rejected and penal action including criminal prosecution as per law will be initiated. Use of whitener / eraser / chalk-powder etc., is strictly prohibited on the OMR Answer sheet. Bubbling by Pencil / Ink Pen / Gel Pen is not permitted in the Examination.

4.4 The candidates should bring Ball Point Pen (Blue/Black) to fill up relevant columns on the Answer Sheet. The candidate must ensure encoding the Hall Ticket Number, Question Booklet Series/Number, Signature of the Candidate and get the signature of the Invigilator, etc., on the OMR Answer sheet correctly, failing which the Answer sheet will be rejected.

4.5 OMR Answer sheets cannot be replaced under any circumstances in case of wrong bubbling. If there is any defect in the Question Booklet or OMR Answer Sheet, please ask the invigilator for replacement immediately.

4.6 The Commission would be analyzing the responses of a candidate with other candidates

to detect patterns of similarity. If it is suspected that the responses have been shared and the scores obtained are not genuine/ valid, the Commission will invalidate the OMR Answer Sheet and cancel their candidature.

## 5).INSTRUCTIONS FOR CANDIDATES REGARDING CBRT BASED PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION

5.1. In the case of CBRT, candidates shall report one and half hour before the scheduled start time of the Examination. Gates will be closed thirty minutes before the scheduled start time of the Examination. No candidates will be allowed into the Examination Hall after closure of the center/venue gate.

5.2. In the case of CBRT, candidates need to undergo the process of registration which includes biometrics & photograph.

5.3. The Examination link with the login screen will already be available on the system allotted to the candidate. If this is not the case he/she has to inform the invigilator.

5.4. Candidate will be prompted to login 10 minutes prior to the exam. Candidate has to type the Login ID (Hall Ticket No.) and the Password (Password for Candidate will be given on exam day) to proceed further.

5.5. Invigilator will announce the password 10 minutes before the commencement of Examination.

5.6. After logging in, the following will be displayed on the Computer screen allotted to the Candidate:
   ➢ Profile Information - Check the details & click on "**I Confirm" or "I Den**y".
   ➢ Detailed exam instructions - Please read and understand thoroughly.
   ➢ Please click on the "**I am ready to Begin**" button.

5.7. After reading the instructions, Candidate has to use the mouse to answer the multiple-choice type questions having FOUR alternative answer choices.

5.8. To answer any numerical answer type question, Candidate needs to use the virtual numeric key pad and the mouse.

5.9. On the online exam question screen, the timer will display the balance time remaining for the completion of exam.

5.10. The question numbers are color coded and of different shapes based on the process of recording the response:

   ➢    White (Square) - For un-attempted questions.
   ➢    Red (Inverted Pentagon) - For unanswered questions.
   ➢    Green (Pentagon) - For attempted questions.
   ➢    Violet (Circle) - Question marked by candidate for review to be answered later.
   ➢    Violet (Circle with a Tick mark) - Question answered but marked by candidate for review.

5.11. After answering a question, he/she has to click the SAVE & NEXT button to save Candidate response and move on to the next question.

5.12. Click on "Mark for Review & NEXT" to mark question for review, and to go to the next question.

5.13. To clear any answer chosen for a particular question, he/she has to click on the CLEAR RESPONSE button.

5.14. A summary of each section, (i.e. questions answered, not answered, marked for review) is available for each section. Candidate has to place the cursor over the section name for this summary.

5.15. In case Candidate wish to view a larger font size, Invigilator has to be informed. On the Invigilator's confirmation, Candidate may select the font size according to the need. The font size will be visible on the top.

5.16. Candidate may view INSTRUCTIONS at any point of time during exam, by clicking on the INSTRUCTIONS button on the screen.

5.17. The SUBMIT button will be activated after the stipulated time of Examination. It will continue for an additional designated time for PH candidates eligible for compensatory time who are allowed for the same as per Rules. Timer on the screen has to be checked by the candidate.

5.18. In case of automatic or emergency log out, for all questions attempted by the Candidate till that time, the responses will be saved. And also, the exam will start from the time where it had stopped and will continue for the remaining period.

5.19. Candidate will be provided a blank sheet for rough work. Candidate has to write his/her Hall ticket Number and sign on the rough sheet. Candidate should ensure that he/she returns it to the invigilator at the end of the exam.

5.20. Candidate shall not touch the key board as Candidate's exam ID will get locked. If Candidate's ID gets locked, the same may be informed to the invigilator who will help in unlocking the ID and then can continue with the exam.

5.21. Candidate should inform the invigilator in case of any technical issues. In case of any technical issues, the candidate should sit at the allocated seat and wait till the issue gets resolved. There won't be any time loss to the candidates due to the technical issue. Candidates will not be allowed to leave the Examination lab/room while the issue / resolution is under progress

5.22. In case of exceptional conditions where disruption of the Examination happens due to unforeseen conditions in any center, in any session, the Examination will be reconducted along with new session for those candidates only whose examination got disrupted.  If the disruption happens in the last session, Examination will be reconducted for those candidates only whose Examination got disrupted and the modality of Normalization of marks of such candidates shall be decided by the Expert Committee to be constituted by the Commission.  Decision of the Expert Committee is final.

## 6. <u>INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES REGARDING WRITTEN EXAMINATION (MAIN)</u>

6.1 The candidates shall report to the Examination venue one hour before the commencement of Examination, to record their Photo Image/thumb impression on Biometric System etc., The entry gates of venue will be closed Half an hour before the commencement of Examination. No candidates will be allowed into the Examination Hall after closure of the center/venue gate. Loaning and interchanging of stationery articles among the candidates is not permitted in the Examination hall. Electronic devices including cell phones and pagers are not allowed in the Examination hall.

6.2 Candidates will not be permitted to leave the Examination hall till the expiry of fulltime. If any candidate leaves the examination hall in the middle, he/she will be disqualified

6.3 If articles, other than the Hall ticket, photo identity proof are carried by the candidates they should be left outside the Examination center / venue.

6.4 The Candidates appearing for Written Examination (Main) Conventional papers will be supplied with answer books attached to OMR / Barcode sheet and the candidates have to answer in the answer book with Blue or Black Ball Point Pen only.

6.5 The candidates should read the instructions carefully given on the backside of OMR / Barcode Sheet which is attached to the Main Answer Book and fill-in the columns legibly and encode properly in Examination Hall. For any Violation, the answer script will be invalidated.

6.6 Procedure to be followed in case of Digital Mode of Question Paper Display in Main Examination.

   (a)    Question paper of Conventional papers (Descriptive Exams) will be displayed on Computer Screen after login.
   (b)    The Candidates appearing for the Descriptive Exams should type the Login ID (Hall ticket No) and the Password (Password for Candidate will be given on exam day) to proceed further.
   (c)    Facility of downloading question paper will be given to the candidates from Commission's website after completion of Examinations.

6.7 In case of Digital Evaluation, the Descriptive Answer Booklets are scanned and uploaded for evaluation.

6.8 The candidates should go through the instructions given on the cover page of Question Booklet and write / encode their Hall Ticket Number, Center etc., carefully in the Answer Sheet, which will be provided in the Examination hall.

6.9 The candidates have to use Ball-Point pen (Blue/Black) only for writing the answers. Otherwise the answer sheets will be invalidated.

6.10 The candidates must ensure encoding the Hall Ticket Number, Paper Code and Question Booklet series/Number etc., on the OMR / Barcode sheet correctly in the columns provided, failing which **the answer sheet will be rejected and it will not be valued.**

6.11 The candidates are instructed to note that the wrong bubbling of any part of OMR / Barcode Sheet cannot be replaced at all. The use of whitener and over writing, if any, and improper bubbling leads to invalidation of answer sheet.

6.12 IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS: WRITING OF SYMBOLS, OR ANY TYPE OF IDENTIFICATION MARKS INCLUDING HALL TICKET NUMBER ETC., ANYWHERE, ON OR INSIDE THE OMR. / BARCODE SHEET / ANSWER SCRIPT, AND USING OF BALL POINT PENS OTHER THAN BLUE OR BLACK INK, AND SKETCH PENS OF ANY COLOUR OR USING OF WHITENER ON THE OMR / BARCODE SHEET / IN ANSWER SCRIPT IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED. IN CASE OF VIOLATION, SUCH ANSWER SCRIPT WILL BE INVALIDATED.

**ANNEXURE-VII**

**The criteria of Normalization**

The Telangana State Public Service Commission (TSPSC) has been using Computer Based Recruitment Test (CBRT) for various recruitments from 2017 onwards. The CBRT involves the Normalization of the Scores of candidates for the Examinations which are conducted in Multi-sessions to take into account any variation in the difficulty levels of the question papers across different sessions. Further, the process of normalization as adopted by major leading organizations at National and State level in the conduct of Recruitment Examinations and Entrance Examinations is also adopted by the Commission.

The Commission has adopted the following formula to calculate final score of candidates in the multi-session CBRT Examinations as recommended by the Experts' Committee constituted by the Commission.

NORMALIZATION FORMULA

$$\widehat{M}_{ij} = \frac{\overline{M}_t^g - M_q^g}{\overline{M}_{ti} - M_{iq}} \left(M_{ij} - M_{iq}\right) + M_q^{gm}$$

Where:

$\widehat{M}_{ij}$ = Normalized marks of jth candidate in the ith shift.

$\overline{M}_t^g$ = is the average marks of the top 0.1% of the candidates considering all shifts (number of candidates will be rounded-up).

$M_q^g$ = is the sum of mean and standard deviation marks of the candidates in the examination considering all shifts.

$\overline{M}_{ti}$ = is the average marks of the top 0.1% of the candidates in the ith shift (number of candidates will be rounded-up).

$M_{iq}$ = is the sum of mean marks and standard deviation of the ith shift.

$M_{ij}$ = is the actual marks obtained by the jth candidate in i[th] shift.

$M_q^{gm}$ = is the sum of mean marks of candidates in the shift having maximum mean and standard deviation of marks of candidates in the examination considering all shifts.

**N.B.** 1. Calculation of normalized marks will be done up to 5 decimal places.

2. Normalized marks of the candidate may vary from the original / absolute marks obtained.

3. Normalized marks of the candidate only shall be taken for General Ranking List (GRL) preparation.

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