TAMIL NADU PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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Applications are invited only through online mode up to 23.06.2023 for direct recruitment to the posts included in the Combined Geology Subordinate Service Examination.

Examination for this post shall be conducted in Computer Based Test (CBT) Method.

WARNING

- All recruitments by the Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission are purely merit based.
- The Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission hereby cautions the applicants against touts and agents who may cheat, by making false promises of securing jobs through unfair means.
- The Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission shall not be responsible or liable for any loss that may be caused to any applicant on account of indulging in any sort of dealings with such unscrupulous elements.
- Applicants are solely responsible for their claims in the online application. They cannot blame service providers like internet cafes/browsing centres / Common Service centres for the mistakes made while applying online for recruitment. Applicants are advised to check the filled in online application along with required documents (see Annexure III) before finally submitting the same.
- The applicants shall mandatorily upload the certificates / documents (in support of all the claims made / details furnished in the online application) at the time of submission of online application itself. It shall be ensured by the applicants that the online application shall not be submitted without uploading the required certificates.
- Applicants are directed to read all the information / instructions / guidelines given in this notification and the Commission's "Instructions to applicants" before applying for this recruitment. Clarification if any required, may be obtained over phone and email well ahead of the last date for submission of online application. Candidates should follow the instructions given in the online application also.

1. ONE TIME REGISTRATION:

It is mandatory for applicants to register their basic particulars through one-time online registration system on payment of Rs.150/- (Rupees One Hundred and Fifty only) towards registration fee and then they should apply online for this recruitment. [The one-time registration will be valid for five years from the date of registration. Thereafter, the registration should be renewed by paying the prescribed fee] One Time Registration will not be considered as an application for any post. For further details refer para 2 of the "Commission's Instructions to Applicants".

2. DETAILS OF VACANCIES:

Name of the Post and Post Code	Name of the Service and Service Code.	No. of vacancies	Scale of Pay
Assistant Geologist in **Ground water wing of Water Resources Department** (Code No.1750)	Tamil Nadu Engineering Subordinate Service (Code No.029)	**11**	**Rs.37,700 – 1,19,500 (Level 20)**
Assistant Geologist **in Geology and Mining Department** (Post Code:1863)	Tamil Nadu Geology & Mining Subordinate Service (Code No:038)	**29**	

Note:-

Unless and otherwise specified, the number of vacancies notified is approximate and liable for modification as indicated in Para 11 A of Instructions to applicants.

3. DISTRIBUTION OF VACANCIES:-

Name of the Posts/Category	GT(G)	GT(G)(PSTM)	GT(W)	GT(W)(HH/HI)	BC(OBCM)(G)	BC(OBCM)(G)(PSTM)	BC(OBCM)(W)	BCM(G)	MBC/DC(G)	MBC/DC (G)(PSTM)	MBC/DC (W)	MBC/DC(W)(PSTM)	SC(G)	SC(G)(PSTM)	SC(W)	SC(W)(PSTM)	SC(A)(G)	TOTAL
Assistant Geologist in Ground water wing of Water Resources Department	1	1	1	-	2	-	1	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	**11**
Assistant Geologist in Geology and Mining Department	6	1	1	1	4	1	2	1	4	-	2	-	2	1	1	1	1	**29**

Abbreviation:- GT-General Turn; BC (OBCM)– Backward Classes (Other than Backward Class Muslim); BCM-Backward Classes Muslim; MBC/DC-Most Backward Classes/Denotified Communities; SC–Scheduled Castes; SC(A)-Scheduled Castes (Arunthathiar); G-General; W-Women; PSTM- Persons Studied in Tamil Medium; HH/HI – Hard of Hearing(with Assistive device)/Hearing Impaired.

4. IMPORTANT DATES AND TIME

Date of Notification	**25.05.2023**	
Last date for submission of online application	**23.06.2023**	
Application Correction Window Period	**From 28.06.2023 12.01 AM to 30.06.2023 11.59 PM**	
Date of Written Examination(CBT Mode)		
PAPER – I: **Geology** (Subject Paper) (P.G. Degree Standard)	**18.08.2023 FN**	**09.30 A.M. to 12.30 P.M**
PAPER – II: **PART A:** Tamil Eligibility Test (SSLC Standard) and **PART B :** General Studies (Degree Standard)	**18.08.2023 AN**	**02.30 P.M. to 05.30 P.M**

Note

Refer Annexure-VIII of this notification regarding tentative timeline for the recruitment process.

5. QUALIFICATIONS:

(A) AGE LIMIT (as on 01.07.2023):

S.No.	Category of Applicants	Minimum Age	Maximum Age
1.	SCs, SC(A)s, STs, MBCs/DCs, BC(OBCM)s, BCMs and Destitute Widows of all Categories	18 Years	No maximum Age limit
2.	'OTHERS' [i.e. candidates not belonging to SCs, SC(A)s, STs, MBCs/DCs, BC(OBCM)s and BCMs]	18 Years	32 years.* (Should not have competed)

Note:-

1. *G.O (Ms).No.91, Human Resources Management (S) Department, dated 13.09.2021, the Maximum Age Limit prescribed for appointment by direct recruitment is enhanced by 2 year.[i.e., from 30 to 32 years].
   Explanation: No maximum age limit shall mean that the applicants should not have completed 60 years of age either on the date of notification or at the time of selection /appointment to the post.
2. "Others" [i.e., Applicants not belonging to SCs, SC(A)s, STs, MBCs/DCs, BC(OBCM)s, BCMs] who have put in five years and more of service in the State/Central Government are not eligible even if they are within the age limit. For further details refer to para 3(F) of "Instructions to Applicants", Section 3(r) of Tamil Nadu Government Servants (Conditions of Service) Act, 2016.

AGE CONCESSION:

1. **For Persons with Benchmark Disability(Others):-**

   For the posts of Assistant Geologist **in Geology and Mining Department**:

   Persons with Benchmark Disability are eligible for age concession up to 10 years over and above the maximum age limit prescribed above. (Section 64 of the Tamil Nadu Government Servants (Conditions of Service) Act, 2016.)
2. **For Ex-servicemen (Others):-**
   1. The maximum age limit for Ex-servicemen is 50 years. (Section 63 of the Tamil Nadu Government Servants (Conditions of Service) Act, 2016 and as per G.O. (Ms) No. 91, Human Resources Management (S) Department, dated 13.09.2021).
   2. The above mentioned age concession will not apply to the Ex-servicemen applicants who have already been recruited to any class or service or category. (Section 3(j) of the Tamil Nadu Government Servants (Conditions of Service) Act, 2016).

(B) EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION (As on 25.05.2023)

Applicants should possess the following or its Equivalent qualification as on the date of this Notification.

Name of the post	Educational Qualification
Assistant Geologist in Ground water wing of Water Resources Department	Master of Science degree in Geology or Master of Science degree in applied Geology or Master of Science (Technology) in Hydrogeology of any University recognized by the University Grants Commission.
Assistant Geologist inGeology and Mining Department	Must possess M.Sc., degree in Geology of any University. * Other things being equal preference will be given to Candidates who possess practical experience in field work.

***Explanation: Assistant Geologist in Geology and Mining Department:-**

1. Practical Experience in conducting Geological mapping, Mineral Reserve Estimation and preparation of Technical report for grant of Mining/Quarry lease.
2. When all other qualifications and criteria being equal, preference may be given to those who have at least one year experience as Assistant Geologist/ Geologist / equivalent post in
   a. Offices of Director of Geology and Mining of other states.
   b. Government of India Exploration agency Viz., Geological survey of India, Mineral Exploration Corporation of India, KIOCL, ONGC. (As per Annexure V in the notification)

Note

1. The Post Graduate Degree qualification prescribed for these posts should have been obtained by passing the required qualification in the order of studies, viz., SSLC+ HSC or its equivalent +UG Degree+ PG Degree from the recognised Institutions as required under Section 25 of Tamil Nadu Government Servants (Conditions of Service) Act, 2016.**(Results of the Examination should have been declared on or before the date of this Notification)**
2. Candidates claiming Equivalence of qualification to the prescribed qualification should submit evidence for Equivalence of qualification in the form of Government Order issued on or before the date of this Notification, failing which their application **will be summarily rejected after due process.** The Government Orders issued declaring Equivalence of prescribed qualification after the date of this Notification will not be accepted. A list of Equivalence of qualification in the related subject is available in **Annexure-I** to this Notification. (Refer also to the Disclaimer annexed to this Notification)**[For further details regarding Equivalence of Qualification refer para 9 of the** "Instructions to Applicants"**]**

(C) KNOWLEDGE IN TAMIL:-

Applicants should possess adequate knowledge in Tamil.

[For further details refer para 10 of 'Instructions to Applicants']

(D) CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICAL FITNESS: -

Applicants selected for appointment to the said post will be required to produce a certificate of physical fitness in the form prescribed below. The model format is enclosed with **Annexure-IV** of the notification. The said Certificate should be submitted by the selected candidate to the Appointing Authority at the time of joining to the said post.

Name of post	Standard of Vision	Form of Certificate of Physical Fitness
Assistant Geologist in Ground water wing of Water Resources Department	Standard III or Better Colour blindness is considered as a disqualification for appointment to this post.	Form prescribed for Executive Posts
Assistant Geologist in Geology and Mining Department	Standard – III or Better	Form prescribed for Other than Executive and Ministerial Posts

6. (A) FEES:-

a)	**Registration Fee:** For One Time Registration (Revised with effect from 01.03.2017 vide G.O. (Ms) No.32, Personnel and Administrative Reforms Department, dated 01.03.2017) **Note**: Applicants who have already registered in One Time Online Registration System and within the validity period of 5 years are exempted.	Rs.150/-
b)	**Examination Fee** **Note:** The Examination fee **should be paid** at the time of submitting the online application for this recruitment if they are not eligible for the concession noted below at 6(B) of the Notification.	Rs.150/-

Note:

1. Linking Aadhaar number with One Time Registration (OTR) is mandatory for applicants. [For further details refer para 2B of 'Instructions to Applicants'].
2. One Time Registration is valid for five years from the date of registration. After completion of five years, the applicant must renew the One Time Registration by paying the fee prescribed. An applicant should make an online application separately for each and every examination for which he intends to appear. [Refer para 2C of 'Instructions to Applicants'].

(B) EXAMINATION FEE CONCESSIONS:-

Category	Concession
Scheduled Castes / Scheduled Caste (Arunthathiyars)	Full Exemption
Scheduled Tribes	Full Exemption
Most Backward Classes / Denotified Communities	Three Free Chances
Backward Classes (other than Muslim) / Backward Classes (Muslim)	Three Free Chances
Ex-Servicemen	Two Free Chances
Persons with Benchmark Disability	Full Exemption
Destitute Widow	Full Exemption

Note:

(i) The total number of free chances availed, will be calculated on the basis of claims made in previous applications.

(ii) The number of free chances availed by the applicant will be verified by the Commission at any stage of the selection process.

(iii) In case an applicant who makes a false claim for exemption from payment of application fee by suppressing information regarding his previous application(s) his candidature shall be rejected after due process and he shall be debarred for a period of one year from appearing for examinations and selections conducted by the Commission.

(iv) Applicants are directed to carefully choose the options 'Yes' or 'No' regarding availing the fee concession.

(v) Applicants are advised in their own interest, to keep an account of the number of times fee concession availed, irrespective of the information displayed in the <Application History> of the applicant dashboard.

(vi) An application (irrespective of the post applied for) claiming fee concession will operate to exclude one chance from the number of free chances allowed.

(vii) Applicants who have availed the maximum number of free chances permitted / applicants who do not wish to avail of the fee concession / applicants who are not eligible for fee concession, shall choose the option 'No' against the query regarding fee concession. Such applicants shall thereafter pay the requisite fee through the prescribed mode of payment.

(viii) Failure to pay the prescribed fee in time along with the online application, will result in the rejection of application after due process. (For further details regarding examination fee concessions refer to Para 6 of 'Instructions to Applicants')

7. MODE OF PAYMENT OF EXAMINATION FEE:

1. CBT Examination fee of Rs.150/- (Rupees One hundred and fifty only), is payable by online mode through Net Banking / Credit card / Debit card on or before the last date of submission of online application by choosing the option in the online application.
2. Applicants have to pay the service charges also as applicable.
3. Applicants can avail exemption from paying examination fee as per eligibility criteria.
4. **Offline mode of payment in the form of Demand Draft / Postal Order etc. will not be accepted and the applications of candidates with such modes of payment will be summarily rejected after due process**. (For further details regarding the Examination fee, refer para. 2(J) of "Instructions to Applicants").

8. CONCESSIONS:

1. Concessions in the matter of age and / or examination fees allowed to SCs, SC(A)s, STs, MBCs/DCs, BCs(OBCM), BCMs, Destitute Widows, DAP and Ex-Servicemen are given in para's 3D, 5 and 6 of the 'Instructions to Applicants'.
2. Persons claiming concessions referred to above have to produce evidence for such claims when called for, otherwise their application will be rejected after due process.

   Note:
   In all cases, an Ex-Serviceman once recruited to a post in any class or service or category, cannot claim the concession of being called an Ex-Serviceman for his further recruitment. [Section 3(j) of the Tamil Nadu Government Servants (Conditions of Service) Act, 2016].

9. SCHEME OF EXAMINATION: OBJECTIVE TYPE (CBT) AND ORAL TEST:-

Subject	Duration	Maximum marks	Minimum qualifying marks for selection	
			SCs, SC(A)s, STs, MBCs/DCs BC(OBCM)s & BCMs	Others
Paper –I:- **Geology (Code No.395)** (PG Degree Standard) (200 Questions)	**3 Hours**	**300**	**153**	**204**
Paper – II:- **Part-A** Tamil Eligibility Test (SSLC Standard) (100 questions/150 marks)	**3 Hours**	**150** **Note:** *Minimum qualifying marks – 60 marks (40% of 150) Marks secured in Part-A of Paper-II will not be taken into account for ranking.*		
Part-B **(General Studies)**(Code No:003) (100 questions/150 marks) **General Studies** (Degree Standard–75 questions) and **Aptitude and Mental Ability Test** (SSLC Standard-25 questions)		**150**		
Interview and Records		**60**		
Total		**510**		

Note:-

a) Answer sheets of Paper-I and Part B of Paper II of the candidates will be evaluated, only if the candidates secure minimum qualifying marks in Part-A of Paper-II.

b) Marks secured in Paper-I and Part-B of Paper-II will only be considered for ranking.

c) **The questions in Paper - I will be set in English only** and questions for Part B in Paper - II will be set both in English and Tamil.

d) The candidate should appear for all the papers in the CBT Method examination for his / her answers to be evaluated and in case the candidate absents himself / herself for any of the papers, the papers attended will not be evaluated.

e) If answers of a candidate for one paper is declared deemed not fit for valuation, the answers of the candidate for the remaining papers will not be evaluated.

f) As per the orders issued in G.O.(Ms) No.49, Human Resources Management (M) Department, dated 23.05.2022, the differently abled candidates can avail exemption from writing Part-A in Paper-II (Objective Type) (Tamil Eligibility Test). Such candidates have to furnish the required details in the online application without fail. Subsequent claim will receive no attention. The candidates need to upload Disability Certificate as prescribed in G.O. (Ms) No. 08, Welfare of Differently Abled Persons (DAP-3.2) Department dated 21.09.2021. Model format enclosed with Annexure –VI of this notification.

Instructions to the candidates who are claiming exemption for Tamil Eligibility Test:

i. As per the orders issued in G.O. (Ms.) No.49, Human Resource Management (M) Department, dated 23.05.2022, read along with G.O. Ms.No.8, Welfare of Differently Abled Persons (DAP 3.2) Department, dated 21.09.2021, the differently-abled candidates who are even below the 40% of disability can also avail the exemptions from writing Tamil Eligibility Test i.e., Part-A in Paper-II of examination if they have claimed such exemptions in their online application.

ii. The candidates who have been exempted to write Tamil Eligibility Test shall be allowed to write only **General Studies Paper** i.e. Part-B in Paper-II.

iii. Part-A of Paper-II Tamil Eligibility Test shall contain 100 questions from 1 to 100. Part-B of Paper-II the General Studies paper contains 100 questions from 101 to 200 and time duration to write each part of the said examination shall be given 1 Hour and 30 minutes.

iv. All the exempted candidates with disability who have physical limitation with regard to writing, including that of speed and not availing the services of a scribe shall also be allowed compensatory time of a minimum of thirty minutes for an examination of one and a half hours (1 Hour and 30 minutes.) duration in the General Studies paper as per G.O.Ms.No.8, Welfare of Differently Abled Persons (DAP 3.2) Department, dated 21.09.2021.

v. The said exempted candidates must also enter into the examination hall in the A.N. session half an hour before the commencement of examination (i.e. till 1.30 P.M).

vi. In the case of OMR method of examination, they shall be allowed to write the examination from 2.00 P.M. to 4.00 P.M., and in the case of CBT method, they shall be allowed to write the examination from 2.30 P.M. to 4.30 P.M. All the candidates are permitted to leave the examination hall only after the closure of examination even though they are exempted to write Tamil Eligibility Test.

vii. The disability certificate as prescribed in the Appendix to G.O. (Ms.) No. 8, Welfare of Differently Abled Persons (DAP 3.2) Department, dated 21.09.2021, should be obtained from the competent authority (viz. Chief Medical Officer / Civil Surgeon / Medical Superintendent /Notified Medical Authority of a Government Health Care Institution) and it has to be produced / uploaded along with the online application failing which, the application of the candidate (who claims exemption from Tamil Eligibility Test) will be rejected after due process.

viii. The exemption from Tamil Eligibility Test, Compensatory time and scribe will be provided only if the candidates have made such claims in their online application and uploaded the Medical Certificate as prescribed in Appendix to the G.O. (Ms.) No. 8, Welfare of Differently Abled Persons (DAP 3.2) Department, dated 21.09.2021.

g) Refer para 17 of "Instructions to Applicants" in regard to instructions to be followed while appearing for competitive examinations conducted by the Commission.

h) The syllabus is available in **Annexure-*II*** *to* this Notification and also available in the Commission's website www.tnpsc.gov.in

i) **Instructions to candidates appearing for Computer Based Test (CBT)**

The candidate has to appear for the examination where he has been allotted to the examination. Change of centre or venue is not permitted. He has to carry the Hall Ticket (Admission Card) and same has to be produced at the examination venue. Each candidate will be assigned a Computer to take up the examination. Candidates will be provided with a user name and password to login the system. Necessary instructions will be displayed on screen. Kindly read all the instructions carefully.

- Candidates are not permitted to carry any electronic and / or communication device into the examination hall. They are advised not to bring the electronic gadgets with them.
- Computer Based online Test (CBT) is similar to paper pen shading test.
- In Computer Based online Test, questions with five options each will be displayed in the computer screen.
- Candidate can use only the mouse to select the correct answers and proceed with answering the questions.
- Candidates will be provided with a paper for doing rough work. After closure of the examination, rough sheet will be collected.
- Candidates have to click the best answer to the question. Candidates can proceed to the next question by clicking next button. Or previous question by clicking previous button.
- Candidates can review any question and the answers, and the answers can be changed at any time before the closure of examination. They can skip the questions also, if they desire so.
- The Question and optional answers will be shuffled randomly and displayed to the candidate.
- Candidate can submit their answers at any time during the examination.

- Once the answers are submitted, the candidates have no option to proceed further.
- If the candidate fails to submit their answers, the system will automatically submit the answers to the server, at the closure of the examination.

➢ No computer knowledge is required to take up the Computer Based online Test. Knowledge in Mouse operation would suffice to take up the Computer Based online Test.

➢ The question and answers can be zoomed to the required level for the candidates with visual impairment. Candidates have to sign the attendance sheet and affix thumb impression for verification of his/her identity. All the activities of the candidates with the mouse will be recorded in the server and a log file will be created for future reference. The Examination Hall will be under camera surveillance. To acquaint with the operation of Mouse and the CBT, the candidates can take up the mock test available in the Commissions website (www.tnpsc.gov.in) and they can practice the usage of mouse in the mock test. Mock test is similar to the CBT to be held on the day of examination. In the Mock test, all the steps are given similar to the CBT. Candidate can practice the mock test as many times as he/she likes.

➢ Answer sheet answered other than the subject mentioned by the candidate in the online application /specified in the Hall Ticket will be invalidated.

➢ Additional instruction for Computer Based Test (CBT) is provided at Annexure VII

10. EXAMINATION CENTRES:-

The CBT Examination will be held at 4 district centres.

Sl. No.	Name of the Centre	Centre Code
1.	Chennai	0101
2.	Madurai	1001
3.	Coimbatore	0201
4.	Tirunelveli	2601

Note:

1. Applicants should choose any two of the above centres for writing the examination. Applicants will be allotted a venue in one of these two centres. However, applicants with benchmark disability (differently-abled applicants), shall be permitted to choose only one district centre. (for further details refer para 2-Q of Instructions to Applicants)
2. **Request for change of examination centre will not be permitted (For further details refer para 17(A)(ii) of "Instructions to Applicants")**

3. The Commission reserves the right to increase or decrease the number of examination centres and to re-allot the applicants accordingly.
4. Applicants should appear for the CBT examinations / certificate verification at their own expenses.

11. SELECTION PROCEDURE:-

Selection will be made in two successive stages i.e., (i) Written Examination and (ii) Oral Test in the form of an interview. Final selection will be made on the basis of total marks obtained by the candidates in the Written Examination and Oral Test taken together subject to the rule of reservation of appointment. Candidate's appearance in both the papers of the Written Examination and in the Oral Test is compulsory. A candidate who has not appeared in any one of the papers in Written Examination or Oral Test will not be considered for selection, even if he/she secures qualifying marks in the Written Examination or Oral Test. Based on the marks obtained by the candidates in the Written Examination, the tentative list of eligible candidates for Certificate Verification will be announced in the Commission's website. After verification of the original certificates, the eligible candidates will be summoned for Oral Test following the rule of reservation of appointment.

[For further details refer paragraph 18B of "Instructions to Applicants"]

12. (A) EMPLOYMENT DETAILS:

Candidates who are in the service of the Indian Union or a State in India or in the employment of Local Bodies or Universities or Quasi Government Organisations or Public Sector Units constituted under the authority of the Government of India or of a State in India, whether in regular service or in temporary service must inform the Commission of such fact, at the time of applying. Suppression of the fact of employment by candidates shall result in rejection of candidature after due process. Candidates should produce No Objection Certificate when called for. [For further details refer para. 14 (P) of "Instructions to Applicants']

(B) DECLARATION REGARDING CRIMINAL CASES (OR) DISCIPLINARY CASES:

(i) Candidates who have declared pending criminal or disciplinary cases in their online application, must upload the copy of First Information Report (FIR) or memorandum of charges / show cause notice, as the case may be. Failure to upload such papers along with online application, shall result in rejection of candidature after due process.

(ii) Candidates who have declared conviction in criminal cases or punishment in disciplinary cases, in their online application, must upload the relevant court orders and/or release orders or memorandum of proceedings, as the case may be, along with online application. Failure to upload such papers, shall result in rejection of candidature after due process.

(iii) In case of any criminal case is filed / disciplinary action is taken against or conviction / punishment is imposed on a candidate after submission of the on-line application at any stage of the recruitment process before the completion of entire selection process such candidates should report this fact to the Commission in the next immediate stage. Failure to comply with these instructions shall result in rejection of candidature after due process and debarment for a period of one year. [Para. 14 (S) & 2W of "Instructions to Applicants'] Any violation of instruction therein will result in rejection of application and forfeiture of his/her candidature after due process.

13. GENERAL INFORMATION:

(A) The rule of reservation of appointments is applicable to this recruitment.

As per Sections 26 and 27(c) of the Tamil Nadu Government Servants (Conditions of Service) Act, 2016, reservation of appointment to "Destitute Widows" and "Ex- servicemen" will not apply to this recruitment.

(B) PERSONS WITH BENCHMARK DISABILITY (DAP):

1. For the post of Assistant Geologist in Ground water wing of Water Resources Department:-

As per G.O. (Ms.) No. 20, Welfare of Differently Abled Persons (DAP.3.2) Department, dated 20.06.2018 the post of Assistant Geologist in Ground water wing of Water Resources Department has not been identified for 4% reservation of Differently Abled Persons.

2. For the post of Assistant Geologist in Geology and Mining Department:-

As per G.O. (Ms.) No. 20, Welfare of Differently Abled Persons (DAP.3.2) Department, dated 20.06.2018, the following post is classified under Group B" categories and identified with suitable differently Abled Categories as detailed below:

LV, HI, HH, LD (with mobility), LC, DF, AC.

[LV- Low vision; HI-Hearing Impaired; HH-Hard of Hearing; LD(with mobility)- Loco-motor disability(with mobility); LC- Leprosy cured; DF-Dwarfism; AC- Acid attack victims].

Persons with Benchmark Disability should submit / upload a copy of Disability Certificate obtained from the competent authority [in the format as prescribed in Forms V, VI & VII, in the Government of India Rights of Persons with Disabilities Rules, 2017 as specified in G.O. Ms No.28, Welfare of Differently Abled Persons (DAP 3.1) Department, dated 27.07.2018]. (For Further details refer Para 14 (M) of „Instructions to Applicants").

3. **Persons Studied in Tamil Medium**

(i) As per Section 2(d) of the Tamil Nadu Appointment on preferential basis in the services under the State of Persons Studied in Tamil Medium Act, 2010, as amended by Act 35 of 2020, Person studied in Tamil medium means a person who has studied through Tamil medium of instruction upto the educational qualification prescribed for direct recruitment in the rules or regulations or orders applicable to any appointment in the services under the State.

(ii) Candidates claiming to be Persons studied in Tamil Medium (PSTM) must upload / produce evidence for the same in the form of SSLC, HSC, Transfer Certificate, Provisional Certificate, Convocation Certificate, Degree Certificate, PG Degree Certificate, Mark Sheets, Certificate from the Board or University or from the Institution, as the case may be, with a recording that he/she had studied the entire duration of the respective course(s) through Tamil Medium of instruction.

(iii) Candidates must upload / produce documents as evidence of having studied in the Tamil Medium, all educational qualification upto the educational qualification prescribed.

Example:

If the prescribed educational qualification is Post Graduate Degree, then the candidate should have studied from the First Standard to SSLC, Higher Secondary Course, Degree and Post Graduate Degree through Tamil Medium of instruction. (Refer para 14 (R) of Instructions to Applicants).

(iv) If no such document as evidence for 'PSTM' is available, a certificate from the Principal / Head Master / District Educational Officer / Chief Educational Officer / District Adi Dravidar Welfare Officer / Controller of Examinations / Head / Director of Educational Institution / Director / Joint Director of Technical Education / Registrar of Universities, as the case may be, in the prescribed format must be uploaded at time of submission of online application for each and every educational qualification up to the educational qualification prescribed.

(v) Failure to upload / produce such documents at time of submission of online application as evidence for 'Persons Studied in Tamil Medium' for all educational qualification up to the educational qualification prescribed, shall result in the rejection of candidature after due process.

(vi) Documents uploaded at time of submission of online application as proof of having studied in Tamil medium, for the partial duration of any course / private appearance at any examination, shall not be accepted and shall result in the rejection of candidature after due process. **(For further details refer to para. 14 (R) and 2 (w) of the "Instructions to Applicants").**

(D) The selection for appointment to the posts is purely provisional subject to the final orders in the Writ Petitions, if any, pending on the files of the Hon'ble High Court of Madras and Madurai Bench of Madras High Court.

(E) If no qualified and suitable women applicants are available for selection against the vacancies reserved for them, those vacancies will be filled by male applicants belonging to the respective communal categories. **[Section 26(5) of the Tamil Nadu Government Servants (Conditions of Service) Act, 2016].**

(F) Wherever vacancies are reserved for Arunthathiyars on preferential basis, even after filling the vacancies reserved for SC (Arunthathiyars) on preferential basis, if more number of qualified Arunthathiyars are available, they shall be entitled to compete with the Scheduled Castes other than Arunthathiyars in the inter-se merit among them and if any posts reserved for Arunthathiyars remain unfilled for want of adequate number of qualified applicants, it shall be filled by Scheduled Castes other than Arunthathiyars.**[Section 27 of the Tamil Nadu Government Servants (Conditions of Service) Act, 2016].**

(G) Evidence for all the claims made in the online application should be uploaded / submitted in time when documents are called for. Any subsequent claim made after submission of online application will not be entertained. Failure to upload/ submit the documents within the stipulated time limit will entail rejection of application after due process.

(H) Suppression of following material information in the online application regarding (i) free chances availed (ii) Employment in the Service of the Indian Union or a State in India or in the employment of Local Bodies or University or Quasi Government Organization or Public Sector units constituted under the authority of the Government of India or of a State in India in regular service or temporary service (iii) Wilful suppression of criminal cases / disciplinary action pending / punishments if any, against the applicant (iv) violation of undertaking given by the applicant in the online application etc., may invite suitable penal action including debarment for a specific period as decided by the Commission for various recruitments/ selections conducted by the Commission, besides rejection of application after due process.

(I) Correct and true information regarding arrest, convictions, criminal or any disciplinary proceedings initiated / pending or finalised, debarment / disqualification by any recruiting agency, if any, should also be furnished to the Commission at the time of application. The details thereof, i.e. originals of the judgement / order / G.O. dropping further action in the departmental proceedings or any document that may prove the suitability of such applicants for appointment in such cases must be produced at the stage / time of certificate verification without fail. All such events that occur after the submission of application and till the date of his / her selection and appointment shall be reported to the Commission forthwith. Failure to report on the part of the applicant will be considered as suppression of material information and will attract suitable penal action.

[For further details refer para 12 of the "Instructions to applicants"].

(J) Incomplete applications and applications containing wrong claims or incorrect particulars relating to category of reservation / eligibility / age /gender / communal category / educational qualification / medium of instruction / physical qualification / other basic qualifications and other basic eligibility criteria will be summarily rejected after due process.

(K) One Time Registration is not an application for any post / recruitment. Though the details/particulars have already been furnished by the applicants under One Time Registration system, the claims made in the online application for this recruitment alone will be taken into consideration. The Commission will not be responsible for any consequences arising out of furnishing of incorrect and incomplete details in the application or omission to provide the required details in the application for this recruitment.

(L) **DETERMINATION OF COMMUNITY FOR TRANSGENDER:**

(i) The Transgender candidates, who do not possess any community certificate may choose to be considered under Most Backward Classes as per G.O.(Ms.) No.28, Backward Classes, Most Backward Class and Minorities Welfare Department, dated 06.04.2015 or under 'Others'.

(ii) The Transgender candidates who belong to Scheduled Caste / Scheduled Caste (Arunthathiyar) / Scheduled Tribe community and possess community certificate as such, shall be considered as per their respective community.

(iii) The Transgender candidates who belong to the communities other than Scheduled Caste/ Scheduled Caste (Arunthathiyar) / Scheduled Tribe and possess community certificate as such are permitted to choose to be considered as belonging to their own community or as Most Backward Class whichever is advantageous to them, at the time of One Time Registration itself. Once the individual opts to be considered as a particular community, it shall be crystallized and this option shall not be changed in future. {Refer G.O.(Ms.) No.90, Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme [SW8(2)] Department, dated 22.12.2017 and Para. 14 (F) (vi–xi) of "Instructions to Applicants"}

(M) **RESERVATION IN EMPLOYMENT FOR TRANSGENDER:**

(i) The Transgender candidates who identify themselves as 'Female' shall be considered against both 30% reservation for women as well as 70% reservation for the General category (both Men & Women).

(ii) The Transgender candidates, who identify themselves as 'Male' or 'Transgender', shall be considered against the 70 % reservation for General category (both Men & Women).

(iii) The above concessions shall be granted subject to production of certificate identifying them as Transgender or Transgender (Male) or Transgender (Female), as the case may be, issued by the Tamil Nadu Transgender Welfare Board (TNTGWB)."

14. OTHER IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS:

(a) **Applicants should ensure their eligibility for the examination.** Before applying for / appearing for the examination, the applicants should ensure their eligibility for such examination and that they fulfil all the conditions in regard to age, educational qualifications, number of chances for fee concession, etc., as prescribed by the Commission's notification. Their admission to all stages of the examination will be purely provisional, subject to their satisfying the eligibility conditions. Mere admission to the written examination / certificate verification / oral test / counselling or inclusion of name in the selection list will not confer on the candidates any right to appointment. The candidature is therefore, provisional at all stages and the Commission reserves the right to reject candidature at any stage, after due process even after selection has been made, if a wrong claim or violation of rules or instructions is confirmed. **[Refer Para. 11 (B) (C) and (D) of "Instructions to Applicants']**

(b) The memorandum of admission (hall ticket) for eligible applicants will be made available in the Commission's website **www.tnpscexams.in** / **www.tnpsc.gov.in** for downloading by applicants. The memorandum of Admission will **not** be sent by post. The applicants must comply with each and every instruction given in the memorandum of admission. **[Refer in Note (g) under Para 2(V) of "Instructions to applicants"].**

(c) **ONLINE CORRESPONDENCE :** Applicants requiring clarification, can contact the office of the Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission in person or over the Toll-Free No.**1800 419 0958** on all working days between 10.00 A.M and 5.45 P.M. Queries relating to One Time Registration/ online application may be sent to helpdesk@tnpscexams.in. Other queries may be sent to grievance.tnpsc@tn.gov.in **[Refer in Note (h), (i), (j) under Para 2(V) of "Instructions to applicants"].**

(d) **COMMUNICATION TO APPLICANTS:** Individual communication regarding the date and time of Certificate Verification, Oral Test and Counselling (as applicable) will not be sent to the applicants by post. The details will be made available on the Commission's website. **Applicants will be informed of the above fact only through SMS and e-mail and they should watch the Commission's website in this regard. Commission is not responsible for non-delivery of SMS / e-mail due to any reasons.**

(e) **During the process of recruitment from Notification till completion of selection process, No information / clarification on the selection particulars / details will be furnished to any particulars /**

representation including petitions received under Right to Information Act, CM Cell Petitions, GRC would be furnished.

MOBILE PHONES AND OTHER ARTICLES BANNED:

(f) (i) Except the permitted writing material (Black ball point pen), applicants are not allowed to bring cellular phones, electronic or any other type of calculators, watches and rings with inbuilt memory notes, recording devices either as a separate piece or part of something used by the applicant such as watch or ring etc., or any other electronic devices and non-electronic devices such as P&G design data book, mathematical and drawing instruments, log tables, stencils of maps, slide rules books, notes, loose sheets, rough sheets, hand bags etc., into the examination hall / room.

(ii) If they are found to be in possession of any such things or instruments, they will not be allowed to write the examination further, besides invalidation of answer paper and / or debarment. If it is considered necessary, they will be subjected to thorough physical search including frisking on the spot.

(iii) Applicants are advised, in their own interest, not to bring any of the banned items including mobile phones to the venue of the examination, as arrangements for safekeeping of the same cannot be assured. (For further details refer Para 17-E to "Instructions to Applicants").

(g) Applicants applying for the examination should ensure that they fulfil all the eligibility conditions for admission to the examination. Their admission at all the stages of examination for which they are admitted by the Commission will be purely provisional, subject to their satisfying the prescribed eligibility conditions. **If, on verification at any time before or after the CBT examination /certificate verification / oral test, it is found that they do not fulfil any of the eligibility conditions, their candidature for the recruitment will be summarily rejected after due process.**

(h) If any of their claims is found to be incorrect, it will lead to rejection of their candidature after due process and suitable penal action including debarment.

(i) **UNFAIR MEANS STRICTLY PROHIBITED**: No applicant shall copy from the papers of any other applicant or permit his / her papers to be copied or give or attempt to give or obtain or attempt to obtain irregular assistance of any description.

(j) **CONDUCT IN THE EXAMINATION HALL**: No applicant should misbehave in any manner or create a disorderly scene in the examination hall or harass the staff employed by the Commission for the conduct of the examination. Any such misconduct will be viewed seriously and penalised.

(k) For violation of "Instructions to Applicants" in any manner, suitable penalty will be imposed as per Para 17-E to "Instructions to Applicants" or as deemed fit by the Commission.

(l) Tentative answer keys will be hosted in the Commission's website within 6 working days from the date of conduct of objective type examination. Candidates can challenge the tentative answer keys of the objective type

examination through the 'Answer Key Challenge' window available in the Commission's website [Results → Answer Keys].

Representations, if any, challenging the tentative answer keys shall be submitted only through online mode **within seven days from the date of publication of tentative answer keys**. Representations received by post or e-mail will receive no attention.

Detailed instructions, procedures to challenge the tentative answer keys have been made available in the Commission's website. Representations made online / offline after the closure of the window will also receive no attention.

The challenges submitted on time, through the online mode, shall be referred to a committee comprising of experts in each subject. The decision on the final answer key shall be made, based on the recommendations of the expert committee and paper evaluation shall commence thereafter.

The Commission shall not publish the final answer key until the completion of the entire selection process.

Requests from candidates for furnishing of their marks or answer paper copy before the completion of the entire selection process, will not be entertained by the Commission.

After conclusion of the entire selection process, relevant particulars of all candidates who had applied for recruitment to the post shall be made available on the Commission's website. [Refer Para 17(D) (iv) to (xii) of "Instructions to Applicants"]

15. HOW TO APPLY:

(1) Applicants should apply only through online mode in the Commission's websites www.tnpsc.gov.in or www.tnpscexams.in

(2) "One Time Registration" using Aadhaar is mandatory before applying for any post. Applicant should register only once in the One Time Registration by paying Rs.150/- as registration fee. Successfully registered One Time Registration is valid for five years from the date of registration. All the applications should be submitted using the One Time Registration ID and password registered by the applicant.

(3) To apply under One Time Registration System, applicants should have a scanned image of their photograph, certificates specified, if any, and signature in CD/DVD/Pen Drive to upload the same, as per the specifications given in the guidelines for scanning and uploading of photograph and signature.

(4) No applicant is permitted to create more than one registration ID under One Time Registration System.

(5) Applicants should enter the Unique ID and Password to view the already available information and update them. They shall not share the ID / PASSWORD with any other Person or Agency.

(6) **One Time Registration is not an application for any post.** It is just a collection of information from the applicants and provides a separate

dashboard to each applicant to facilitate maintenance of their own profile. Applicants who wish to apply for this recruitment shall click "Apply" against the recruitment notified in the Commission's website using the same USER ID and PASSWORD given for ONE TIME REGISTRATION.

(7) Applicants should select the name of the post for which the applicant wishes to apply.

(8) Online applications uploaded without the photograph, signature and the documents specified in the Annexure-III will be rejected after due process.

(9) **Online Application Correction Window**:

After the last date for submission of online application, the candidates are allowed to edit their online application during the Online Application Correction Window period as mentioned in Para 4 of the Notification (Important Date and Time). After the last date of Correction Window period, no modification is allowed in the online applications. The applications will be processed as per the details finally furnished by the candidates. It is the responsibility of the candidates and the Commission has no liability for subsequent rejection of application caused due to editing the details already submitted in online application. Request / representation addressed to the Commission for modification of claims in the online application, in any mode, will not be entertained.

(10) **PRINT OPTION:**

a) After submitting the application, applicants can save / print their application in PDF format.
b) On entering user ID and password, applicants can download their application and print, if required.
c) Applicants need not send the printout of the online application or any other supporting documents to the Commission. [For further details refer para 2 of "Instructions to Applicants"]

16. UPLOAD OF DOCUMENTS:

1. In respect of recruitment to this post, the applicants shall mandatorily upload the certificates / documents (in support of all the claims made / details furnished in the online application) at the time of submission of online application itself. It shall be ensured that the online application shall not be submitted by the applicants without mandatorily uploading the required certificates.

The applicants shall have the option of verifying the uploaded certificates through their OTR. If any of the credentials have wrongly been uploaded or not uploaded or if any modifications are to be done in the uploading of documents, the applicants shall be permitted to upload / re-upload the documents till two days prior to the date of hosting of hall tickets for this post (i.e. twelve days prior to the date of examination (CBT Method)) [Refer Annexure III for the list of documents to be uploaded by the Applicants. For further details refer para 2W of "Instructions to Applicants".]

2. Intimation to the Candidates: Individual Communication regarding the Date and Time of Certificate Verification (CV), Oral Test (OT) and Counselling will not be sent to the applicants by Post, the details will be made available in the Commission's website. However, the Commission provides an additional facility to the candidates by informing the above said date and time of Certificate Verification and Oral Test etc., via SMS and e-mail through their registered Mobile Number and email ID. Candidates are directed to watch the Commission's website periodically for all updates and intimations. Commission is not responsible for failure / delay in delivery of SMS / email to the candidates due to any reason including technical issues. Any representation from the candidates for non-receipt of SMS or e-mail will receive no attention.

17. LAST DATE FOR SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION:

Online application can be edited/ submitted up to 23.06.2023 till 11.59 p.m., after which the link will be disabled. Online application correction window period is from 28.06.2023 - 12.01 AM to 30.06.2023 - 11.59 PM. The applicants are permitted to upload / re-upload the documents up to 05.08.2023 till 11.59 P.M, after which the link will be disabled. ***(For detailed information, applicants may refer to the "Instructions to Applicants" at the Commission's website www.tnpsc.gov.in).***

DISCLAIMER

"The Government orders relating to Equivalence of qualification are available on the Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission's website. However, if the applicant possesses an equivalence of qualification other than one mentioned in the Commission's website and if Government orders to this effect have been issued on or before the date of this notification, applicants should furnish the details of the same while applying and should produce a copy of the Government orders, when called for by the Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission, failing which their application will be rejected after due process. The Government orders regarding equivalence of qualification issued after the date of this notification will not be considered for this recruitment".

Secretary

ANNEXURE-I

The following qualifications are declared as Equivalent to the prescribed Educational Qualification.

S.No.	Educational Qualification	G.O
1.	M.Sc., Applied Geology and Geomatics awarded by Gandhigram Rural Institute (Deemed University) is equivalent to M.Sc., Geology.	G.O.(Ms).No.212, Higher Education (K2) Department, dated 17.12.2014.
2.	M.Sc., Applied Geology awarded by Periyar University is equivalent to M.Sc., Geology.	G.O.(Ms).No.232, Higher Education (K2) Department, dated 18.11.2016.
3.	M.Sc., (Applied Geology) awarded by Pondicherry University is equivalent to the qualification prescribed for the post of Assistant Geologist.	G.O.(Ms).No.27, Industries (E1) Department, dated 02.03.2005.
4.	M.Sc., (Applied Geology) awarded by any University recognized by the UGC as equivalent to M. Sc., Geology	G.O.(Ms).No.156, Industries (E1) Department, dated 28.12.2016
5.	M.Sc Geosciences (5 year Integrated Course) Degree awarded by Bharathidasan University is equivalent to M.Sc Geology for the purpose of employment in Public services.	G.O.(Ms).No.323, Higher Education (K2) Department, dated 13.11.2017.

ANNEXURE-II

TAMIL NADU PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

SYLLABUS

Geology Code : 395

(Post Graduate Degree Standard)

UNIT I - GENERAL GEOLOGY AND GEOMORPHOLOGY

Origin, Evolution, Age and Interior of the Earth - Principles of geodesy – Rock cycle – Isostasy - Continental drift, Seafloor spreading, Plate tectonics - Paleomagnetism and its application for determining paleoposition of continents – Orogeny and Epeirogeny – Volcanoes and earthquakes – Effects and causes – Seismic Hazard zonation of India - Tectonic deformation and seismicity in the Extra Peninsular, Indogangetic plains and Peninsular India - Applications of geomorphology in mineral prospecting and coastal studies - Weathering – processes and products - Geomorphic cycles and their interpretation - Morphology and its relation to structures and lithology - geomorphic landforms formed by action of rivers, wind, glaciers, waves and groundwater - Features of ocean floor - continental shelf, slope and rise - concepts of landscape evolution, major geomorphic features of India – coastal, peninsular and extra peninsular - Classification of shorelines and their evolution - submarine canyons, Geosynclines and Island arcs.

UNIT-II – STRATIGRAPHY

Principles of stratigraphy - Code of stratigraphic nomenclature of India - lithostratigraphy – biostratigraphy – chronostratigraphy – magnetostratigraphy, sequence stratigraphy - Principles of stratigraphic correlation; Indian stratigraphy and economic importance - Cratons of India – Dharwar, Bastar, Singhbhum, Aravalli and Bundelkhand Cratons - Proterozoic mobile belts – Eastern Ghats Mobile Belt, Southern Granulite Terrain, Central Indian Tectonic Zone, Aravalli – Delhi Belt, North Singhbhum Mobile Belt - Proterozoic sedimentary basins – Cuddapah, Delhi, Vindhyan, Kurnool and Kaladgi - Phanerozoic stratigraphy – Paleozoic - Spiti, Kashmir and Kumaon - Mesozoic - Spiti, Kutch, Narmada Valley and Tiruchirapalli erstwhile Trichinopoly - Gondwana Supergroup, Deccan Traps - Cenozoic Assam, Bengal basins, Garhwal-Shimla Himalayas – Siwaliks – boundary problems in Indian stratigraphy Precambrian-Cambrian boundary - Permian-Triassic boundary - Cretaceous-Paleogene (K-Pg) formerly Cretaceous-Tertiary (K-T) boundary - Paleogene-Neogene and Neogene-Quaternary boundary.

UNIT III – PALEONTOLOGY

Fossil record and geological time scale - modes of preservation of fossils and concept of taphonomy – Body and ichno-fossils, species concept, organic evolution, Ediacara Fauna - morphology and time range of Graptolites, Trilobites, Brachiopods, Lamellibranchs, Gastropods, Cephalopods, Echinoids and Corals - Evolutionary trends in Trilobites, Gastropods, Cephalopods; and Graptolites - Micropaleontology – methods of preparation of microfossils, morphology of microfossil groups (Foraminifera, Ostracoda), Fossil spores and pollen - Application of micropaleontology in oil exploration - Gondwana plant fossils and their age and climate significance - Vertebrate life through ages, evolution in Proboscidea, Equidae and Hominidae - Dinosaurs – their classification and extinction - Applications of paleontological data in stratigraphy, paleoecology, and paleoclimatology - Mass Extinctions.

UNIT IV - STRUCTURAL GEOLOGY

Mechanical principles of rocks – Strain markers in deformed rocks - Mohr's circle – V rules and outcrop patterns – Stereographic Projections of structural elements - Mechanics and causes of folding and faulting - Classification of folds and faults - Recognition of folds and faults in the field - Joints – Cleavage and Schistosity types and origin – Secondary lineation - Types of unconformity and their recognition in the field – Introduction to Petrofabric analysis – Tectonites, their classification and geological significance.

UNIT V- MINERALOGY AND CRYSTALLOGRAPHY

Definition, Classification and elements of minerals and Crystallography – Optical, Electrical and Magnetic Properties of minerals - Physical, chemical and optical properties of Quartz, Feldspars, Feldspathoids, Pyroxene, Amphibole, Olivine, Garnet, Mica, Zeolites and Carbonate groups - Stereographic and Gnomonic projections of natural crystals of normal classes. 14 Bravais lattices and their derivation - Derivation of 32 classes of symmetry - Elements of X-ray crystallography - Napier's theorem - Equations of a normal - Bragg's law - X-ray diffraction method - Identification of minerals from X-ray diffractogram – Concept of optical mineralogy – Identification of minerals using petrological microscope.

UNIT VI - IGNEOUS AND METAMORPHIC PETROLOGY

Classification of Igneous rocks: Mineralogical, Chemical and IUGS classification – Structures and textures - Petrography and petrogenesis of Granites, Alkaline rocks, Anorthosites, Carbonatites, Dolerites, Ultramafics - Study of binary and ternary system of crystallisation - Bowen's reaction series - Diversity of Igneous rocks – variation diagrams - Crystallisation of Basaltic magma - Metamorphism – Agents and kinds of metamorphism –

UNIT VII - SEDIMENTOLOGY

Sedimentary depositional environments – Important clastic and non-clastic rocks – Heavy minerals and Provenance – Tectonics and Sedimentation – Sedimentary Basins of India – Paleo currents and Basin Analysis - Classification of sedimentary rocks - sedimentary textures grains size, roundness, sphericity, shape and fabric - grain size analysis - sediment transport and deposition - sedimentary structures Pen contemporaneous deformation structure and biogenic structures - principles and application of paleo current analysis - composition and significance of different types of sedimentary rocks Sandstone, Limestone, Banded Iron Formation, Mudstone and Conglomerate - carbonate diagenesis and dolomitisation - sedimentary environments and facies-models - fluvial, glacial, deltaic, siliciclastic shallow and deep marine environments - carbonate platforms - types and facies models; sedimentation in major tectonic settings; Application of sequence stratigraphy in basin analysis.

UNIT VIII - ECONOMIC GEOLOGY

Classification of mineral deposits – Process of formation of mineral deposits - Magmatic, Hydrothermal, Sedimentary, Metamorphic, Sublimation, Evaporation, Oxidation and Supergene enrichment - Metallogenic Epochs and provinces of India - Introduction of ore microscopy – Physical and optical properties of ore minerals – Textures and microstructures of ores – Controls of ore Localisation – Fluid inclusion in ore mineral assemblages – Origin, Occurrences, Indian distribution and uses of the following ores - Iron, Manganese, Copper, Lead, Zinc, Aluminium, Chromium, Gold, Barite, Graphite, Asbestos and Silica, Uranium, Thorium and Industrial Minerals. Origin of coal and petroleum - Physical and Chemical Properties of coal and petroleum – Deposits of coal and Petroleum in India – Distribution of Gondwana and Tertiary coal fields of India. Gas hydrates and Coal bed methane, Petroliferous basins of India – Lignite deposits in India – Strategic, Critical and essential minerals – National mineral policy 2019 – Conservation and Utilization of mineral resources.

UNIT-IX: HYDROGEOLOGY

Occurrence of groundwater – Aquifers - Major Basins and Drainage systems of Tamil Nadu – Groundwater flow - Darcy's Law - Hydraulic conductivity and Hydrological parameters - Transmissibility, Permeability - Specific yield and retention - Hydrogeological characters of different types of rocks - Rock water interaction - Types of wells - Drilling methods and methods of construction, Design and development and Well logging methods - Pumping test methods - Estimates of groundwater potential and recharge - Managed Aquifer recharge – Rainwater Harvesting techniques and methods - Aquifer recharge methods - Seawater intrusion - Study and methods - Electrical methods of groundwater exploration - Tracer – Isotope techniques.

UNIT-X: APPLIED GEOLOGY

Geophysical methods of prospecting – Electrical, Magnetic, Gravity and Seismic – Radioactive methods – Geochemical classification of elements and anomaly – Geochemical cycle – Geochemical prospecting – Engineering properties of Rocks – Geological investigations pertaining to Dams, Reservoirs, Tunnels, Bridges and Roads – Rock sampling techniques – Ore reserve estimation and UNFC. Mining Methods: Surface and Sub surface – Coal and Alluvial – Prominent mines and mineral legislations of India – Environmental impacts (EIA) due to mining and mineral processing – Role of Geologist in mining industries. Natural Hazards - Floods, Landslides, Earthquakes and Tsunami – Causes and Mitigation. Renewable and non renewable resources. Applications of Remote sensing - GIS and GPS in Geological studies classification of metamorphic Rocks – Textures and Structures – Different grades and depth Zones – Metamorphic facies – Metamorphic differentiation – Thermal – Clastic and Regional Metamorphism – Origin of Eclogites – Charnockitisation – Granitisation – Metasomatism.

PAPER -II

SYLLABUS FOR WRITTEN EXAMINATION

Part-A

கட்டாய தமிழ்மொழி தகுதித் தேர்விற்கான பாடத் திட்டம்

(கொள்குறி வினாவிற்கான தலைப்புகள்)

பத்தாம் வகுப்பு தரம்

1. பிரித்தெழுதுதல் / சேர்த்தெழுதுதல்.
2. எதிர்ச்சொல்லை எடுத்தெழுதுதல்.
3. பொருந்தாச் சொல்லைக் கண்டறிதல்.
4. பிழைதிருத்தம் (i) சந்திப்பிழையை நீக்குதல் (ii) மரபுப்பிழைகள், வழூஉச் சொற்களை நீக்குதல் / பிறமொழிச் சொற்களை நீக்குதல்.
5. ஆங்கிலச் சொல்லுக்கு நேரான தமிழ்ச் சொல்லை அறிதல்.
6. ஒலி மற்றும் பொருள் வேறுபாடறிந்து சரியான பொருளையறிதல்.
7. ஒரு பொருள் தரும் பல சொற்கள்.
8. வேர்ச்சொல்லைத் தேர்வு செய்தல்.
9. வேர்ச்சொல்லைக் கொடுத்து / வினைமுற்று, வினையெச்சம், வினையாலணையும் பெயர், தொழிற்பெயரை / உருவாக்கல்.
10. அகரவரிசைப்படி சொற்களை சீர் செய்தல்.
11. சொற்களை ஒழுங்குப்படுத்தி சொற்றொடராக்குதல்.
12. இரு வினைகளின் பொருள் வேறுபாடு அறிதல்.
    (எ.கா.) குவிந்து-குவித்து
13. விடைக்கேற்ற வினாவைத் தேர்ந்தெடுத்தல்.
14. எவ்வகை வாக்கியம் எனக் கண்டெழுதுதல் - தன்வினை, பிறவினை, செய்வினை, செயப்பாட்டு வினை வாக்கியங்களைக் கண்டெழுதுதல்.
15. உவமையால் விளக்கப்பெறும் பொருத்தமான பொருளைத் தேர்ந்தெழுதுதல்
16. அலுவல் சார்ந்த சொற்கள் (கலைச்சொல்)
17. விடை வகைகள்.
18. பிறமொழிச் சொற்களுக்கு இணையான தமிழ்ச் சொற்களைக் கண்டறிதல் (எ.கா.) கோல்டு பிஸ்கட் – தங்கக்கட்டி.
19. ஊர்ப் பெயர்களின் மரூஉவை எழுதுக (எ.கா.) தஞ்சாவூர் – தஞ்சை
20. நிறுத்தற் குறிகளை அறிதல்.
21. பேச்சுவழக்கு, எழுத்துவழக்கு (வாரான் – வருகிறான்).
22. சொற்களை இணைத்து புதிய சொல் உருவாக்கல்.
23. பொருத்தமான காலம் அமைத்தல்
    (இறந்தகாலம், நிகழ்காலம், எதிர்காலம்).
24. சரியான வினாச்சொல்லைத் தேர்ந்தெடு.
25. சரியான இணைப்புச் சொல்
    (எனவே, ஏனெனில், ஆகையால், அதனால், அதுபோல).

26. அடைப்புக்குள் உள்ள சொல்லைத் தகுந்த இடத்தில் சேர்க்க.
27. இருபொருள் தருக.
28. குறில் – நெடில் மாற்றம், பொருள் வேறுபாடு.
29. கூற்று, காரணம் – சரியா? தவறா?
30. கலைச் சொற்களை அறிதல் :-
    எ.கா. – Artificial Intelligence – செயற்கைநுண்ணறிவு
    Super Computer – மீத்திறன் கணினி
31. பொருத்தமான பொருளைத் தெரிவு செய்தல்
32. சொற்களின் கூட்டுப் பெயர்கள் (எ.கா.) புல் –புற்கள்
33. சரியான தொடரைத் தேர்ந்தெடுத்தல்
34. பிழைதிருத்துதல் (ஒரு-ஓர்)
35. சொல் – பொருள் – பொருத்துக
36. ஒருமை-பன்மைபிழை
37. பத்தியிலிருந்து வினாவிற்கான சரியான விடையைத் தேர்ந்தெடு.

PAPER – II – Part - B

GENERAL STUDIES (DEGREE STANDARD)

OBJECTIVE TYPE

UNIT-I: GENERAL SCIENCE

(i) Scientific Knowledge and Scientific Temper - Power of Reasoning - Rote Learning vs Conceptual Learning - Science as a tool to understand the past, present and future.

(ii) Nature of Universe - General Scientific Laws – Mechanics - Properties of Matter, Force, Motion and Energy - Everyday application of the Basic Principles of Mechanics, Electricity and Magnetism, Light, Sound, Heat, Nuclear Physics, Laser, Electronics and Communications.

(iii) Elements and Compounds, Acids, Bases, Salts, Petroleum Products, Fertilisers, Pesticides.

(iv) Main concepts of Life Science, Classification of Living Organisms, Evolution, Genetics, Physiology, Nutrition, Health and Hygiene, Human Diseases.

(v) Environment and Ecology.

UNIT-II: CURRENT EVENTS

(i) History - Latest diary of events - National symbols - Profile of States - Eminent personalities and places in news – Sports - Books and authors.

(ii) Polity - Political parties and political system in India - Public awareness and General administration - Welfare oriented Government schemes and their utility, Problems in Public Delivery Systems.

(iii) Geography - Geographical landmarks.

(iv) Economics - Current socio - economic issues.

(v) Science - Latest inventions in Science and Technology.

(vi) Prominent Personalities in various spheres – Arts, Science, Literature and Philosophy.

UNIT-III: GEOGRAPHY OF INDIA

(i) Location – Physical features - Monsoon, Rainfall, Weather and Climate - Water Resources - Rivers in India - Soil, Minerals and Natural Resources - Forest and Wildlife - Agricultural pattern.

(ii) Transport - Communication.

(iii) Social Geography – Population density and distribution - Racial, Linguistic Groups and Major Tribes.

(iv) Natural calamity – Disaster Management – Environmental pollution: Reasons and preventive measures – Climate change – Green energy.

UNIT–IV: HISTORY AND CULTURE OF INDIA

(i) Indus Valley Civilization - Guptas, Delhi Sultans, Mughals and Marathas - Age of Vijayanagaram and Bahmani Kingdoms - South Indian History.

(ii) Change and Continuity in the Socio-Cultural History of India.

(iii) Characteristics of Indian Culture, Unity in Diversity – Race, Language, Custom.

(iv) India as a Secular State, Social Harmony.

UNIT-V: INDIAN POLITY

(i) Constitution of India - Preamble to the Constitution - Salient features of the Constitution - Union, State and Union Territory.

(ii) Citizenship, Fundamental Rights, Fundamental Duties, Directive Principles of State Policy.

(iii) Union Executive, Union Legislature – State Executive, State Legislature – Local Governments, Panchayat Raj.

(iv) Spirit of Federalism: Centre - State Relationships.

(v) Election - Judiciary in India – Rule of Law.

(vi) Corruption in Public Life – Anti-corruption measures – Lokpal and Lok Ayukta - Right to Information - Empowerment of Women - Consumer Protection Forums, Human Rights Charter.

UNIT-VI: INDIAN ECONOMY

(i) Nature of Indian Economy – Five year plan models - an assessment – Planning Commission and Niti Ayog.

(ii) Sources of revenue – Reserve Bank of India – Fiscal Policy and Monetary Policy - Finance Commission – Resource sharing between Union and State Governments - Goods and Services Tax.

(iii) Structure of Indian Economy and Employment Generation, Land Reforms and Agriculture - Application of Science and Technology in Agriculture - Industrial growth - Rural Welfare Oriented Programmes – Social Problems – Population, Education, Health, Employment, Poverty.

UNIT-VII: INDIAN NATIONAL MOVEMENT

(i) National Renaissance – Early uprising against British rule - Indian National Congress - Emergence of leaders – B.R.Ambedkar, Bhagat Singh, Bharathiar, V.O.Chidambaranar Jawaharlal Nehru, Kamarajar, Mahatma Gandhi, Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, Thanthai Periyar, Rajaji, Subash Chandra Bose, Rabindranath Tagore and others.

(ii) Different modes of Agitation: Growth of Satyagraha and Militant Movements.

(iii) Communalism and Partition.

UNIT-VIII: History, Culture, Heritage and Socio - Political Movements in Tamil Nadu

(i) History of Tamil Society, related Archaeological discoveries, Tamil Literature from Sangam Age till contemporary times.

(ii) Thirukkural : (a) Significance as a Secular Literature
(b) Relevance to Everyday Life
(c) Impact of Thirukkural on Humanity
(d) Thirukkural and Universal Values - Equality, Humanism, etc
(e) Relevance to Socio - Politico - Economic affairs
(f) Philosophical content in Thirukkural

(iii) Role of Tamil Nadu in freedom struggle - Early agitations against British Rule - Role of women in freedom struggle.

(iv) Evolution of 19th and 20th Century Socio-Political Movements in Tamil Nadu - Justice Party, Growth of Rationalism - Self Respect Movement, Dravidian Movement and Principles underlying both these Movements, Contributions of Thanthai Periyar and Perarignar Anna.

UNIT-IX: Development Administration in Tamil Nadu

(i) Human Development Indicators in Tamil Nadu and a comparative assessment across the Country – Impact of Social Reform Movements in the Socio - Economic Development of Tamil Nadu.

(ii) Political parties and Welfare schemes for various sections of people – Rationale behind Reservation Policy and access to Social Resources - Economic trends in Tamil Nadu – Role and impact of social welfare schemes in the Socio - Economic Development of Tamil Nadu.

(iii) Social Justice and Social Harmony as the Cornerstones of Socio-Economic Development.

(iv) Education and Health Systems in Tamil Nadu.

(v) Geography of Tamil Nadu and its impact on Economic growth.

(vi) Achievements of Tamil Nadu in various fields.

(vii) e-Governance in Tamil Nadu.

UNIT-X: APTITUDE AND MENTAL ABILITY

(i) Simplification – Percentage - Highest Common Factor (HCF) - Lowest Common Multiple (LCM).

(ii) Ratio and Proportion.

(iii) Simple interest - Compound interest - Area - Volume - Time and Work.

(iv) Logical Reasoning - Puzzles-Dice - Visual Reasoning - Alpha numeric Reasoning – Number Series.

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ANNEXURE-III

LIST OF DOCUMENTS TO BE SCANNED AND UPLOADED ALONG WITH THE ONLINE APPLICATION

(Size of each document should be less than 200 KB in PDF format (Single page or Multiple page))

1.	SSLC Mark Sheet
2.	HSC Mark Sheet or its equivalent
3.	Educational qualification: U.G. Degree / P.G. Degree / IPG Degree certificate / Consolidated Mark Sheet. (As mentioned in Para 5(B) of this Notification)
4.	G.O. for Equivalence of qualification to the prescribed qualification (if applicable)
5.	Community Certificate from Competent authority (In case of women candidates, mentioning father name)
6.	**For the post of Assistant Geologist in Geology and Mining Department:-** 1. Differently Abled person certificate in prescribed format (If claimed in the online application). 2. Disability Certificate as prescribed in Appendix-I of the G.O.(Ms) No.8, Welfare of Disability Persons (DAP 3.2) Department, dated:21.09.2021 (for persons claiming exemption from Tamil eligibility test / scribe / compensatory time) (If claimed in the online application) As per Annexure VI in the notification. 3. Experience certificate (If claimed in the online application) (As per Annexure V in the Notification)
7.	Destitute Widow Certificate (if applicable)
8.	Ex–Servicemen Certificate (if applicable) (P.P.O, Bonafide Certificate)
9.	Transgender ID Card with Gender (if applicable)
10.	Gazetted copy for name change (if applicable)
11.	No Objection Certificate (mentioning the Disciplinary cases if any) (if applicable)
12.	Documents / Court Orders proving Acquittal / Conviction or FIR in case of pending cases for Criminal cases registered (if applicable)
13.	PSTM Certificate upto prescribed entire qualification(i.e., 1st STD to PG Degree)(if applicable)
14.	Other Documents (if any)

ANNEXURE-IV

A SINGLE MEDICAL OFFICER
THE CIVIL MEDICAL BOARD

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICAL FITNESS BY

Signature of Candidate____________________________

I/We do hereby certify that I/We have examined (full name) Thiru / Thirumathi / Selvan / Selvi ______________________ a Candidate ____________ for employment under the Government as __________ in the ______________ Office in the ______________________ Department and whose signature is given above and cannot discover that he / she has any disease, communicable or otherwise, constitutional affliction or bodily infirmity / except that his / her weight is in excess of / below the standard prescribed, or except

I / We do not consider this a disqualification of the employment he / she seeks.
His / Her age is according to his / her own statement ________ years and by appearance about ___ / ___ years.

I/We also certify that he / she has marks of Small Pox / Vaccination.

Chest measurement in Inches
On full Inspiration
On full expiration
Difference expansion

Height in ft.
Weight in kg.
Cardio–Vascular System
Respiratory System
His / Her vision is normal
Hypermetropic/ Myopic/ Astigmatic/
[Here enter the degree of defect and the strength of correction glasses]
Hearing is normal / defective (much or slight)
Urine - Does chemical examination show
(i) Albumen (ii) Sugar State specific gravity:
Personal marks (at least two should be mentioned) For Identification
1.
2.

SIGNATURE:
RANK:
DESIGNATION:

PRESIDENT:
Member (I)
(II)

STATION:
DATE:

STATION:
DATE:

The candidate must make the statement required below prior to his / her Medical Examination and must sign the declaration appended thereto. His attention is specially directed to the warning contained in the note below:-

1. State your name in full:

2. State your age and birth place:

3. (a) Have you ever had small pox, intermittent or any other fever, enlargement or suppuration of glands spitting of blood, asthma, inflammation of lungs, heart disease, fainting attacks, rheumatism, appendicitis?

OR

(b) any other disease or accident requiring confinement to bed and medical or surgical treatment?

4. When, where your last vaccinated

5. Have you or any of your near relations been afflicted with consumption, serefula gout, asthma, fits, epilepsy or insanity?

6. Have you suffered from any form of nervousness due to over work or any other cause?

7. Furnish the following particulars concerning your family:

Father's age, if living and state of health	Father's age at death and cause of death	No. of brothers living, their ages, state of health	No. of brothers dead, their ages at and cause of death
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)

Mother's age, if living and state of health	Mother's age at death and cause of death	No. of Sisters living, their ages and state of health	No. of Sisters dead, their ages at and cause of death
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)

I declare all the above answers to be to the best of my belief, true and correct.

CANDIDATE'S SIGNATURE

Note:- The candidate will be held responsible for the accuracy of the above statement by willfully suppressing any information he will incur the risk of losing the appointment and if appointed, of forfeiting all claim to superannuation allowance or gratuity.
MedI. I-68.

ANNEXURE- V

FORMAT OF EXPERIENCE CERTIFICATE (ONLY AS A PREFERENTIAL QUALIFICATION FOR THE POST OF ASSISTANT GEOLOGIST MENTIONED IN *5(B)* OF NOTIFICATION)

1.	Name and Address of the Institution / Organisation	:	
2.	Whether the said Institution / Organisation is a recognized/registered one?	:	
3.	Registration Number of Institution / Organisation if any	:	
4.	Name of the Employee, Employee ID with Date of Birth	:	
5.	Qualification possessed by the Employee on the Date of Joining Service in the above said Institution / Organisation	:	
6.	Designation and period of Experience of the Employee	:	
7.	*Nature of the Work/Duty performed by the Employee (To be mentioned in brief)	:	
8.	Whether the Employee possesses experience as laid in para 6(B) of the Notification No.09/2019, dated 12/02/2019	:	Yes / No
9.	Whether Attendance Register / Attendance Rolls / Pay Register, Pay Disbursement Register and other records /available for this Employee	:	Yes / No
10.	Certificate from the Institution / Organisation	:	The above said employee is having experience in this Institution / Organisation as stated above. The above particulars furnished by us are correct

Office Seal:
Date:
Place:

Signature.

Name and Designation of the issuing Authority.

* **Explanation :** Practical Experience in conducting Geological mapping, Mineral Reserve Estimation and preparation of Technical report for grant of Mining/Quarry lease.

Note:
Institution / Organisation which issues the certificate is cautioned that issuing of any certificate containing false details will lead to legal / penal action on them.

ANNEXURE -VI

APPENDIX-I

Certificate regarding physical limitation in an examinee to write

This is to certify that, I have examined Mr/Ms/Mrs ______________________(name of the candidate with disability) a person with ______________________(nature and percentage of disability as mentioned in the certificate of disability), S/O/D/o______________ a resident of ______________ (Village / District / State) and to state that He / She has physical limitation which hampers his/her writing capabilities owning to his/her disability. Due to the above mentioned disability following concession may be given:-

1. Exemption from tamil / second language.
2. Extra _________ hours for writing theory exam.
3. Allocation of a scribe.
4. Over looking spelling mistakes and grammatical errors.
5. Using calculator / assistive devices.
6. ________________(any other assistive devices or concessions).

*strike out the not applicable.

Signature

(Chief Medical Officer/Civil Surgeon/Medical Superintendent/signature of the notified medical authority of a Government health care institution)

Name & Designation

Name of the Government Hospital/ Health Care Centre/The notified medical authority

Place:
Date:

Signature / Thumb impression
of the Differently abled person

(Photo of the Differently Abled Person and Stamp to be fixed here)

Note:
Certificate should be given by a specialist of the relevant stream/ disability (eg, Visual impairment – Ophthalmologist, Locomotor disability – Orthopedic specialist/ PMR .etc)

சுருக்கம்

தெரிவுகள் – தமிழ்நாட்டில் உள்ள அனைத்து தெரிவு முகமைகளால் நடத்தப்படும் போட்டித் தேர்வுகளில் தமிழ் மொழித் தகுதித் தேர்வினை எழுதுவதிலிருந்து மாற்றுத்திறனாளி தேர்வர்களுக்கு விலக்களித்தல் – ஆணைகள் வெளியிடப்படுகின்றன.

மனிதவள மேலாண்மை (எம்)த் துறை

அரசாணை (நிலை) எண்.49

நாள்: 23.05.2022
சுபகிருது வருடம், வைகாசி – 09,
திருவள்ளுவர் ஆண்டு 2053
படிக்கப்பட்டது:

1. அரசாணை (நிலை) எண்.133, மனிதவள மேலாண்மை (எம்) துறை, நாள் 01.12.2021.
2. செவித்திறன் குறைபாடு உள்ளவர்களின் பெற்றோர் சங்கத்தின் செயலாளரின், 01.03.2022-ம் நாளிட்ட மனு
3. செயலாளர், தமிழ்நாடு அரசுப் பணியாளர் தேர்வாணையம், கடித எண்.5476/RND-E/2018, நாள் 05.05.2022

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ஆணை :

மேலே படிக்கப்பட்ட அரசாணை (நிலை) எண்.133, மனிதவள மேலாண்மை (எம்) துறை, நாள் 01.12.2021-ல் அரசுத் துறைகளில் உள்ள பணியிடங்கள் அனைத்திலும் தமிழக இளைஞர்கள் பெருமளவில் நியமனம் பெற ஏதுவாக, மாநிலத்தின் தெரிவு முகமைகளால் நடத்தப்படும் அனைத்துப் போட்டித் தேர்வுகளிலும் தமிழ்மொழி தகுதித்தாள் கட்டாயமாக்கப்பட்டு ஆணைகள் வெளியிடப்பட்டன. அவ்வரசாணைக்கிணங்க, தமிழ்நாடு அரசுப் பணியாளர் தேர்வாணையம், போட்டித் தேர்வுகளில் தமிழ் மொழித் தாளினை கட்டாயத்தாளாக இணைத்து, அதற்கேற்ப அறிவிக்கைகளை வெளியிட்டு தெரிவு நடவடிக்கையினை மேற்கொண்டுவருகிறது.

2. மேலே இரண்டாவதாகப் படிக்கப்பட்ட, செவித்திறன் குறைபாடு உள்ளவர்களின் பெற்றோர் சங்கத்தின் மனுவில், காது கேளாத மற்றும் வாய்பேச

(த.பி.பா.)

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இயலாத மாற்றுத்திறனாளிகள், இரண்டு அல்லது அதற்கு மேற்பட்ட மொழிகளைக் கற்க சிரமப்படுவார்கள் என்றும், இம்மாணவ மாணவியர்கள் சிலர் முன்பருவபள்ளி முதல் பட்டப்படிப்பு வரை முழுமையாக ஆங்கில வழிக் கல்வியில் மட்டுமே கல்வி கற்றிருப்பார்கள் எனத் தெரிவித்து தமிழ்நாடு அரசுப் பணியாளர் தேர்வாணையத்தால் நடத்தப்படுகின்ற தொகுதி-IV பதவிகளுக்கான போட்டித் தேர்வில் இத்தேர்வர்களுக்கு தமிழ் மொழித் தகுதித் தேர்வு எழுதுவதிலிருந்து விலக்களித்து அவர்களுக்கென தனியாக பொது ஆங்கில தாளினை நடத்த கோரியுள்ளனர்.

3. மேற்காணும் கோரிக்கை குறித்து மாற்றுத்திறனாளிகள் நலத்துறையுடன் கலந்தாலோசிக்கப்பட்டது. மேலும், இது குறித்து மேலே மூன்றாவதாகப் படிக்கப்பட்ட கடிதத்தில் தமிழ்நாடு அரசுப் பணியாளர் தேர்வாணையச் செயலாளர் வழங்கியுள்ள குறிப்புரையினை ஏற்று, அரசாணை (நிலை) எண்.133, மனிதவள மேலாண்மை (எம்) துறை, நாள் 01.12.2021-ல் ஆணையிடப்பட்டுள்ள கட்டாய தமிழ்மொழி தகுதித் தேர்வினை எழுதுவதற்கு மாற்றுத் திறனாளிகளுக்கு விலக்களித்து அரசு பின்வருமாறு ஆணையிடுகிறது:-

(அ) தமிழ்நாடு அரசுப் பணியாளர் தேர்வாணையத்தால், நடத்தப்படும் தொகுதி - I, II, II-A போன்ற இரண்டு நிலைகளைக் கொண்ட தேர்வுகளில், முதன்மை எழுத்துத்தேர்வில் (Main Written exam) கட்டாய தமிழ்மொழித்தாளானது தகுதி தேர்வாக (Tamil eligibility Test) நடத்தப்படுகிறது. இதுபோன்ற தேர்வுகளில் கட்டாயத் தமிழ்மொழி தகுதித் தாளினை எழுதுவதிலிருந்து மாற்றுத் திறனாளிகளுக்கு விலக்களிக்கப்படுகிறது.

(ஆ) தமிழ்நாடு அரசுப் பணியாளர் தேர்வாணையத்தால், நடத்தப்படும் தொகுதி-III, IV, VII-B, VIII, போன்ற ஒரே நிலை கொண்ட தேர்வுகளில் தமிழ் மொழித்தாளானது, தகுதி மற்றும் மதிப்பீட்டுத் தேர்வாக (Tamil Eligibility-cum-Scoring Test) நடத்தப்படுகிறது. இத்தேர்வுகளில், Board / University-ல் ஆங்கில மொழிப் பாடம் மட்டுமே படித்த மாற்றுத்திறனாளிகளுக்கு, தமிழ் மொழித்தாள் எழுதுவதிலிருந்து விலக்களிக்கப்படுகிறது. அதற்குபதில், ranking மதிப்பீடு செய்வதற்காக, அவர்களுக்கென்று தனியாக பொது ஆங்கிலத்தேர்வு (SSLC standard-ல்) நடத்தப்படும். (இத்தேர்வுகளில் மொழி பெயர்ப்புப்பகுதி இடம் பெறாது).

(இ) அரசாணை (நிலை) எண்.133, மனிதவள மேலாண்மை (எம்) துறை, நாள் 01.12.2021-ல் ஆணையிடப்பட்டுள்ள கட்டாய தமிழ் மொழித் தாளிலிருந்து மாற்றுத்திறனாளிகளுக்கான விலக்கு, தமிழ்நாடு அரசுப் பணியாளர் தேர்வாணையம் மட்டுமல்லாமல், மாநிலத்தின் மற்ற தெரிவு முகமைகளால் நடத்தப்படும் அனைத்து போட்டித் தேர்வுகளுக்கும் மற்றும் நியமன அலுவலர்களால் தேவைப்படும் நேர்வுகளில் நடத்தப்படும் எழுத்துத் தேர்வுகளுக்கும் பொருந்தும்.

(ஈ) இவ்வாறான விலக்கு, அரசாணை (நிலை) எண்.62, பள்ளிக் கல்வித்துறை, நாள் 25.03.2022ல் குறிப்பிடப்பட்டுள்ள மாற்றுத் திறனாளிகளுக்குப்

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பொருந்தும். மேற்காண் அரசாணையில் குறிப்பிடப்பட்டுள்ள மாற்றுத்திறனாளிகளின் தொடர்பான விவரப் பட்டியல் கீழ்கண்டவாறு:-

(1)	உடல்குறைபாடு – உடல் இயக்கக் குறைபாடு	Physical disability – Locomotor disability, Leprosy cured, Cerebral palsy, Dwarfism, Muscular Dystrophy, Acid Attack victims.
(2)	உடல் குறைபாடு – பார்வைக் குறைபாடு	Physical disability – Visual Impairment – Blindness, Low Vision
(3)	உடல் குறைபாடு – செவித்திறன் குறைபாடு	Physical disability – Hearing Impairment – Deafness, Hard of hearing
(4)	உடல் குறைபாடு – பேச்சு மற்றும் மொழித்திறன் குறைபாடு	Physical disability – Speech and Language disability
(5)	அறிவுசார் குறைபாடு	Intellectual disability, Specific Learning disability (Dyslexia, Dysgraphia, Dyscalculia, Dysprasia), Developmental Aphasia, Autism Spectrum Disorder
(6)	மன நலம் சார்ந்த குறைபாடு – மனநலம் பாதிப்பு	Mental Behaviour – Mental illness
(7)	நாள் பட்ட நரம்பியல் குறைபாடுகள்	Disability caused due to Chronic Neurological conditions, Multiple Sclerosis, Parkinson's disease, Haemophilia, Thalassemia, Sickle Cell disease
(8)	பன்முகக் குறைபாடுகள் (பார்வையின்மையோடு செவித்திறன் குறைபாடு உட்பட)	Multiple Disabilities including deaf, blindness

இவ்விலக்கு 40 சதவிதத்திற்கும் குறைவான குறைபாடுகளைக் கொண்ட மாற்றுத் திறனாளிகளுக்கும் பொருந்தும்.

(உ) இவ்விலக்கினை பெறவிரும்பும் மாற்றுத்திறனாளிகள் உரிய மாற்றுத்திறனாளி சான்றிதழ் (Disability Certificate) சமர்ப்பித்தல் வேண்டும்.

(ஆளுநரின் ஆணைப்படி)

மைதிலி கே.ராஜேந்திரன்
அரசு செயலாளர்

பெறுநர்

செயலாளர், தமிழ்நாடு அரசுப் பணியாளர் தேர்வாணையம், சென்னை – 600 003.
அரசுக் கூடுதல் தலைமைச் செயலாளர், உள், மதுவிலக்கு மற்றும்
ஆயத்தீர்வை துறை, சென்னை – 600 009.

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அரசு கூடுதல் தலைமைச் செயலாளர், நிதித்துறை, சென்னை – 600 009.
அரசு முதன்மை செயலாளர், பள்ளிக் கல்வி துறை, சென்னை – 600 009.
அரசு முதன்மை செயலாளர், உயர்க் கல்வி துறை, சென்னை – 600 009.
அரசு முதன்மை செயலாளர், மருத்துவம் - மக்கள் நல்வாழ்வுத் துறை,
சென்னை - 600 009.
அரசு முதன்மை செயலாளர், சுற்றுச்சூழல், காலநிலை மாற்றம் மற்றும்
வனத்துறை, சென்னை - 600 009.
அரசு செயலாளர், மாற்றுத் திறனாளிகள் நலத்துறை, சென்னை – 600 009.
அனைத்து துறைச் செயலாளர்கள், சென்னை – 600 009.
அனைத்து துறைத் தலைவர்கள்.
தலைவர், ஆசிரியர் தேர்வு வாரியம், கல்லூரிச் சாலை, சென்னை – 600 006.
தலைவர், மருத்துவப் பணியாளர் தேர்வு வாரியம், சென்னை – 600 018.
தலைவர், தமிழ்நாடு சீருடைப்பணியாளர் தேர்வு வாரியம், சென்னை – 600 002.
உறுப்பினர் செயலர், தமிழ்நாடு வனச் சீருடைப் பணியாளர் தேர்வுக் குழுமம்,
சென்னை – 600015.
இயக்குநர், வேலை வாய்ப்பு மற்றும் பயிற்சி, சென்னை – 600 032.
நிதி (பொ.நி.மா.க) துறை, சென்னை – 600 009.

நகல்:

மாண்புமிகு முதலமைச்சர் அவர்களின் செயலாளர் -III,
முதலமைச்சர் அலுவலகம், சென்னை – 600 009.
மாண்புமிகு அமைச்சர் (நிதி மற்றும் மனிதவள மேலாண்மை) அவர்களின்
சிறப்புநிலை நேர்முக உதவியாளர், சென்னை– 600 009.
தலைமைச் செயலாளரின் முதன்மை தனிச்செயலர், சென்னை – 600 009.
மாற்றுத்திறனாளிகள் நலத்துறை இயக்குநர், சென்னை – 600 005.
மனிதவள மேலாண்மைத் துறைச் செயலாளரின் முதன்மை தனிச் செயலாளர்,
சென்னை - 600 009.
மனிதவள மேலாண்மை (நி.சீ.II) துறை, சென்னை – 600 009. (3 படிகள்)
(தமிழ்நாடு அரசு இணையதளத்தில் வெளியிடுதல் குறித்து)
இருப்புக் கோப்பு / உதிரி நகல்.

//ஆணைப்படி அனுப்பப்படுகிறது//

பிரிவு அலுவலர்
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ANNEXURE – VII
COMPUTER BASED TEST (CBT)
IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS
OBJECTIVE TYPE

a) One question will be displayed on the screen at a time.

b) Time available for you to complete the examination will be displayed through a countdown timer in the top right-hand corner of the screen. It will display the remaining time as **Time Left**. At the beginning of exam, timer will show 180 minutes (240 minutes for Differently Abled candidates with scribe) which will reduce gradually with passage of time. When the timer reaches zero, the examination will end by itself and your examination will be submitted by the system automatically.

c) Question Number Box:

1. Question Number Box displayed on the right side of the screen will show the status of each question using one of the following symbols:

   1 You have not visited the question yet.

   2 You have not answered the question.

   3 You have answered the question.

   4 You have NOT answered the question, but have marked the question for review.

   5 You have answered the question and marked for review. This will be considered for evaluation.

   The 'Marked for Review' status for a question simply indicates that you would like to look at that question again.
2. You can click on the **">"** arrow which appears to the left of question number box to minimize the question number box. This will enable you to view the question on a bigger area of the screen. To view the question number box again, you can click on **"<"** arrow which appears on the right side of the screen.

   You can click on ↓ to navigate to the bottom and ↑ to navigate to the top of the question area, without scrolling.
3. The summary of number of questions answered, not answered, not visited, marked for review and answered and marked for review will be displayed above the question number box.

d) Answering a Question

i) The questions will appear on the screen in ascending order, which can be answered one by one.

ii) To select your answer of a question, click on the button of one of the options.

iii) **Click on Save and Next button after answering every question to save your answer.** Otherwise your answer will not be saved.

iv) To deselect your chosen answer, click on the button of the chosen option again or click on the **Clear Response** button.

e) Instruction for enlarging images

To view the image provided in the question in a bigger size, click on the image and rotate the scrolling wheel on the mouse.

Any attempt of malpractice found, will render you liable to such action or penalty as Commission may decide.

ANNEXURE - VIII

TENTATIVE TIMELINE FOR THE RECRUITMENT PROCESS

Sl. No.	Process	Timeline
1.	Last date upto which the Online Application can be edited/ submitted/ payment of fees can be made	23.06.2023
2.	Online Application Correction Window period	From 28.06.2023 12.01 A.M to 30.06.2023 11.59 P.M
3.	Last date upto which the applicants are permitted to upload/ re-upload the documents	05.08.2023
4.	Publication of Examination Results	October 2023
5.	Certificate Verification / Oral Test	November 2023
6	Counselling	November 2023

Secretary