#### GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

APPSC – Direct recruitment – Scheme for recruitment to Group I, Group II Services and Gazetted and Non-Gazetted categories - Revised – Orders issued.

#### **GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (SER.A) DEPARTEMNT**

G.O.Ms.No.

Date: 13.12.2012 Read the following:-

- 1. G.O.Ms.No. 103, General Admn. (Ser.A) Department dated: 03.02.1967.
- 2. G.O.Ms.No. 625, General Admn. (Ser.A) Department dated: 22.08.2007.
- 3. G.O.Ms.No. 420, General Admn. (Ser.A) Department dated: 22.07.2011.
- 4. G.O.Ms.No. 490, General Admn. (Ser.A) Department dated: 11.08.2011.
- 5. G.O.Rt.No. 5873, General Admn. (Ser.A) Department dated: 31.12.2011.
- G.O.Rt.No.1371, General Admn. (Ser.A) Department dated: 26.03.2012
- 7. Report of the Committee dated: 14.05.2012.
- 8. Govt. Lr.No.34788/Ser.A/2011, dt: 28.07.2012 addressed to Secretary, A.P.Public Service Commission.
- 9. From the I/c Secretary, APPSC, Lr.No. 10/RR/2012, dt: 15.09.2012
- 10.G.O.Ms.No.622, General Administration (Ser-A) Department dated: 13.12.2012.

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#### ORDER:

In the Government Order 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, orders were issued revising the scheme and syllabus of the examination for making direct recruitment to the posts under Group-I, Group-II services and also Gazetted and Non-Gazetted categories respectively to be conducted by A.P. Public Service Commission.

2. In the Government Order 3<sup>rd</sup> read with Government Order 4<sup>th</sup> read above, Government have issued revised scheme of examination for Group-I, Group-II services and also Gazetted and Non-Gazetted categories as detailed in Annexure I, II and III to the said Order. As per the revised scheme of examination, selections shall be made based on the written examination only except for recruitment to the posts under Group-I services and also certain Gazetted categories which has the interview system in addition to written examination.

3. The Chairman I/c, A.P. Public Service Commission in his letter dated 30.04.2011 has proposed certain recommendations / suggestions to bring reforms in the functioning of Commission. Accordingly, Government have constituted a Committee in the reference 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> read above to submit report on the suggestions / recommendations made by the Commission. The Committee, after holding detailed discussions at its meetings from time to time has submitted its report in the reference 7<sup>th</sup> read above. One of the recommendations, among others, is on the selections to be made to the posts which require written examination followed by an interview apart from Group-I services.

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4. The Committee in its report has observed that for all technical posts testing of domain knowledge through the written examination would suffice. The recruitments to (1) Engineering services (2) Medical and (3) Scientific and technical posts should be done only on the basis of a written examination which will assess the competence and knowledge of the subject which is essential for discharging their duties effectively. The interviews should be conducted in addition to written examination for all posts which are executive in nature where articulation skills and public interface is required. For such posts interviews may continue. On this basis, the Committee has identified certain posts under Gazetted and Non-Gazetted categories for which interviews need to be conducted.

5. The Committee has also observed that the Degree gualification has been prescribed both for Group-I services as well as Executive posts in Group-II services. The Executive posts in Group-II services are also important focal posts and these posts require public interface and good communication skills. The Group-I Service Examination has objective papers for the Preliminary Examination and descriptive format for Main Examination as opposed to only objective type for Group-II services. The Committee therefore, felt that the Group I examination format would be a better test of the candidates knowledge, analytical ability and communication skills and that recruitments to the Executive posts under Group-II Services may be made along with Group - I services. It has therefore been recommended to form a new Group-I (B) services along with Executive posts under Group-II services. Accordingly orders were issued in G.O. 10<sup>th</sup> read above reclassifying the Group-I service as Group-I (A) Service & Group-I (B) Service.

**6**. Government have furnished the report of the Committee to the A.P. Public Service Commission in the reference 8<sup>th</sup> read above. The Commission has forwarded the remarks of the Commission through the reference 9<sup>th</sup> read above.

**7**. Government have examined the above matter in detail and in exercise of powers vested in the government in Regulation 14-A of A.P. Public Service Commission Regulations 1963, Government hereby direct that there will be interviews for recruitment to the following posts, in addition to Group-I (A) Services and Group-I (B) Services, notified in the reference 10<sup>th</sup> read above:-

#### I. Gazetted category

- 1. Assistant Commissioner of Endowments
- 2. Assistant Director of Marketing
- 3. Child Development Project Officer
- 4. Assistant Director of Industries
- 5. Deputy Superintendent of Police (Communications)
- 6. Asst. Conservator of Forests
- 7. Head of Sections in Mining Engineering Service in Government Polytechnics
- 8. Assistant Social Welfare Officer
- 9. Assistant Tribal Welfare Officer
- 10. Assistant B.C. Welfare Officer
- 11. Junior Lecturers in Government Junior Colleges (except Librarians & Physical Directors)

- 12. Junior Lecturers in Government Polytechnic Colleges
- 13. Lecturers in Government Degree Colleges
- 14. Deputy Educational Officers
- 15. Lecturers in Radiological Physics and Physicists in A.P.Medical Services

#### **II. Non-Gazetted Posts**

- 1. Industrial Promotion Officer
- 2. Assistant Public Relation Officer
- 3. Supervisor, W & CW Department
- 4. Superintendent, Children's Homes, W & CW Dept.,

8. The Government accordingly in supersession of orders issued in  $G.O.3^{rd} \& 4^{th}$  read above, revise the scheme of the examination for Group-I (A), Group-I (B), Group-II services, Gazetted and Non-Gazetted posts as detailed in Annexure I to VI, to this order.

9. The Secretary, A.P. Public Service Commission shall implement the same in recruitments which are to be notified in future.

10. This order shall not apply to the recruitments on hand for which notifications have already been issued and for recruitments which are in progress. All such recruitments shall be finalised as per order issued in G.O.s as in references  $3^{rd}$  and  $4^{th}$  read above, and orders in force.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

#### MINNIE MATHEW CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To The Secretary A.P. Public Service Commission, Hyderabad All the Departments of Secretariat All the Heads of Departments All the District Collector / District Judges All Administrative / Service Sections in General Administration Department **Copy to:** The Law (E) Department The P.S. to Chief Secretary to Government The Prl. Secretary to Chief Minister The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad SF/SC

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SECTION OFFICER

## <u>ANNEXURE – I</u>

# (TO G.O.MS.NO. , G.A. (SER.A) DEPARTMENT, DATED: .12.2012)

### SCHEME OF EXAMINATION FOR RECRUITMENT TO **GROUP-I** (A) & **GROUP-I** (B) SERVICES

Subject (1)	Marks (2)
Screening Test (Objective Type)	
General Studies and Mental ability	150
Main Examination	
<b>Paper</b> General English (10 <sup>th</sup> Standard – qualifying for interviews)	150
Paper-I General Essay	150
<ul> <li>Paper – II</li> <li>i) History and Cultural Heritage of India with Emphasis on 20<sup>th</sup> Century history of India</li> </ul>	150
ii) Social history of Andhra Pradesh i.e. the history of various social and cultural movements in Andhra Pradesh	
iii) General overview of the Indian constitution	
<b>Paper – III</b> i) Planning in India & Indian Economy	150
ii) Land Reforms and social changes in Andhra Pradesh after independence	
iii) Andhra Pradesh's Economy present statues its strengths and weaknesses	
<ul> <li>Paper – IV</li> <li>i) The role and impact of Science &amp; Technology in the development of India with emphasis on the applied aspects.</li> </ul>	150
ii) General awareness with the modern trends in life sciences	
iii) Development and environment problems	
<ul><li>Paper – V</li><li>i) Data appreciation and Interpretation</li></ul>	150
ii) The candidates will be asked to draw their own conclusion from the data presented in a tabular form in graphical or otherwise.	
iii) Problem solving – duly structured situation will be presented to the candidate and they will be asked to suggest their own solution to the problem arising out of situation. Alternatively, they may be called upon to prove the understanding of the situation by answering certain searching questions based on the situation.	
INTERVIEW	75
TOTAL	825

# <u>ANNEXURE – II</u>

## (TO G.O.MS.NO. , G.A. (SER.A) DEPARTMENT, DATED: .12.2012)

### SCHEME OF EXAMINATION FOR RECRUITMENT TO GROUP-II SERVICES

Subject (1)	Marks (2)
Paper - I General Studies	150
<ul> <li>Paper – II</li> <li>i) Social History of Andhra Pradesh i.e., the history of various Social and Cultural movements in Andhra Pradesh</li> <li>ii) General overview of the Indian constitution</li> </ul>	150
<b>Paper – III</b> Planning in India and Indian Economy Contemporary problems and Developments in Rural Society with special reference to Andhra Pradesh	150
TOTAL	450

### ANNEXURE III

# (TO G.O.MS.NO., G.A. (SER.A) DEPARTMENT, DATED: .12.2012)

# SCHEME OF EXAMINATION FOR RECRUITMENT TO GAZETTED CATEGORIES REQUIRING INTERVIEW

GAZETTED CATEGORY For the posts of Assistant Commissioner of Endowments, Assistant Director of Marketing, Child Development Project Officer, Assistant Director of Industries, Deputy Superintendent of Police (Communications), Asst. Conservator of Forests, Head of Sections in Mining Engineering Service in Government Polytechnics, Assistant Social Welfare Officer, Assistant Tribal Welfare Officer, Assistant B.C. Welfare Officer, Junior Lecturers in Government Junior Colleges (except Librarians & Physical Directors), Junior Lecturers in Government Polytechnic Colleges, Lecturers in Government Degree Colleges, Deputy Educational Officers, Lecturers in Radiological Physics and Physicists in A.P. Medical Services.	
<u>Paper - I</u> General Studies	150
Paper – II Concerned subject (Commission may prescribe two subjects (concerned) consisting of 150 marks each wherever felt necessary)	300
PART – B INTERVIEW	50
TOTAL	500

#### ANNEXURE IV

# (TO G.O.MS.NO. , G.A. (SER.A) DEPARTMENT, DATED: .12.2012)

# SCHEME OF EXAMINATION FOR RECRUITMENT TO OTHER GAZETTED CATEGORIES WHICH ARE NOT COVERED IN ANNEXURE-III

Subject (1)		Marks (2)
WRITTEN EXAMINATION (objective type)		
Paper - I General Studies		150
Paper – II Concerned subject (Commission may prescribe two subjects (concerned)		300
consisting of 150 marks each wherever felt necessary)		
	TOTAL	450

#### ANNEXURE V

## (TO G.O.MS.NO., G.A. (SER.A) DEPARTMENT, DATED: .12.2012)

# SCHEME OF EXAMINATION FOR RECRUITMENT TO **NON-GAZETTED CATEGORIES, REQUIRING INTERVIEWS.**

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### ANNEXURE VI

## (TO G.O.MS.NO., G.A. (SER.A) DEPARTMENT, DATED: .12.2012)

# SCHEME OF EXAMINATION FOR RECRUITMENT TO OTHER NON-GAZETTED CATEGORIES NOT COVERED IN ANNEXURE-V.

WRITTEN EXAMINATION (objective type)	
Paper - I General Studies	150
Paper – II Concerned subject	150
TOTAL	300