

**HIMACHAL PRADESH
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

Advertisement No. VI/ 2012

Dated: 30th January, 2013

CLOSING DATE FOR SUBMISSION OF ONLINE RECRUITMENT APPLICATIONS (ORA) THROUGH ORA WEBSITE IS **28.02.2013** UPTO **11:59** P.M.

Himachal Pradesh Public Service Commission invites Online Recruitment Applications (ORA*) from desirous and eligible candidates for various posts in various Departments of Himachal Pradesh Government up to **28.02, 2013 till 11.59 P.M.** after which the link will be disabled.

(*: by using the website <http://www.hp.gov.in/hppsc>).

IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS:-

1. The candidates must read the INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY FOR APPLPYING ONLINE, which is available on the website of the Commission, i.e. <http://www.hp.gov.in/hppsc>; before filling up Online Recruitment Application Forms (ORA) for the post(s) concerned.
2. The candidates must ensure their eligibility in respect of Category, Experience, age and Essential Qualification(s) etc. as mentioned against each post in the advertisement to avoid rejection at later stage.
3. Incomplete Online Recruitment Application Forms submitted without requisite examination fee, scanned photograph & scanned signatures of prescribed size, will be rejected straightway.
4. The benefit of reservation for various post(s) will be admissible only to the candidates, who are bonafide residents of Himachal Pradesh in respect of categories, viz., S.C., S.T., O.B.C., Ex-Servicemen, WFF and Physically Disabled (Orthopaedically Disabled/ Visually Impaired/ Blind / Hearing Impaired / Deaf & Dumb) etc.
5. The reserved category candidates belonging to other states will be treated as **GENERAL CATEGORY CANDIDATES** and the benefit of reservation and fee concession will not be admissible to such candidates.
6. The candidates should possess requisite essential qualification(s) prescribed for the post(s) for which he/she wants to apply as on closing date i.e. **28.02 2013** for submission of Online Recruitment Applications (ORA) on the website <http://hp.gov.in/hppsc>.
7. Number of post(s) is/are tentative and may increase or decrease from time to time for different categories of posts.
8. In service candidates may apply to the Commission along with requisite fee with information to their Head of Departments/ Employer for issuing NOC. No in service candidate will be interviewed unless he/she brings NOC from the concerned employer.

HOW TO APPLY:-

- a). Candidates must apply online through the website <http://www.hp.gov.in/hppsc>. Applications received through any other mode would not be accepted and summarily rejected. Detailed instructions for filling up Online Recruitment Application(s) are available on the above mentioned website.
- b). Candidates who wish to apply for more than one post should apply separately for each post and pay the fee for each post in the prescribed manner.
- c). After submitting the Online Recruitment Application (ORA), the candidates are required to take a printout of the finally submitted Online Recruitment Application and submit the same alongwith requisite attested documents / certificates in support of their eligibility to the Commission on the day of Screening Test for the concerned post.
- d). In case the candidate has applied against more than one item i.e. post published in the advertisement, the candidate is required to submit separate copies of requisite attested documents/ certificates alongwith the Printout of the Online Recruitment Application of each post on the day of Screening Test for the respective posts.

EXAMINATION FEES:-

The detail of fee for respective categories is as under:-

Sr. No.	Category	Fee
1.	General Category (including General Physically Disabled, i.e. orthopaedically disabled, Deaf & Dumb, Hearing impaired/ W.F.F. of HP/ Ex-Servicemen relieved from Defence Services on their own request before completion of normal tenure)	₹ 250/-
2.	Candidates of other States (including reserved category candidates of other states)	₹ 250/-
3.	S.C. of H.P. /S.T. of H.P. /O.B.C. of H.P. (including S.C. /S.T. /O.B.C. Ex-Servicemen of H.P. relieved from Defence Services on their own requests before completion of normal tenure)	₹ 63/-
4.	Ex-Servicemen of H.P. (Ex-Servicemen, who are relieved from Defence Services after completion of normal tenure) / Blind of H.P./ Visually Impaired of H.P.	No Fee

Mode of Payment:

The candidates can deposit the requisite fee at any branch of **Punjab National Bank** through an **e-Challan** generated through website of the Commission, i.e. www.hp.gov.in/hppsc and its Transaction No., Branch Code and date of Receipt are required to be updated before the last date in the same Login ID in the Fee Details link. Before applying online, all candidates are advised to go through detailed instructions given on the above mentioned website.

FACILITATION COUNTER FOR GUIDANCE OF CANDIDATES:-

In case of any guidance/information/clarification regarding their applications, candidature etc.; candidates can contact HPPSC's Reception Counter near Main Gate of its campus in person or on Phone No. 0177-2624313 on any working day between 10.00 hrs. to 17.00 hrs. The candidates can also contact Shri B.S. Chauhan, Under Secretary, on Phone No.0177-2623784 (O),98163-77605(Mob). For queries related to Online submission of application form, the candidates can contact Shri C.M.Chauhan P.P.O on Mobile No, 94182-74500.

ADMISSION/ REJECTION:-

The information in respect of provisionally admitted and rejected candidates on claim basis will be uploaded on the website of the Commission before the conduct of Screening Test/ Examination for various post(s). The candidates, who appear in the Screening Test(s) on the basis of claim and fail to submit the requisite attested documents, on the day of screening test, in support of their eligibility, i.e. educational qualification(s), age, experience & category etc. and the candidates, who are found ineligible on scrutiny of their documents, will be rejected straightway. Online intimation will be conveyed to the rejected candidates and no separate intimation in this regard will be sent by post.

e- ADMIT CARD(s):-

The provisionally admitted candidates will have to download their respective e-Admit Card and instructions related to screening test for the post concerned from their User ID(s). The provisionally admitted candidates will have to paste a passport size photograph duly attested by a Gazetted Officer on the space provided on the Downloaded e-Admit Card, failing which he/she will not be allowed to appear in the Screening Test/Examination, in any condition/ circumstances. **No Admit Card(s) will be sent by post.**

SUBMISSION OF CERTIFICATES/ DOCUMENTS:-

- ✓ **THE CANDIDATES WILL HAVE TO SUBMIT THE PRINTOUT/ HARD COPY OF ONLINE RECRUITMENT APPLICATION(S) (ORA) ALONGWITH ATTESTED COPIES OF REQUISITE DOCUMENTS/ CERTIFICATES, i.e. ESSENTIAL QUALIFICATION(S), AGE, EXPERIENCE AND CATEGORY IN SUPPORT OF THEIR ELIGIBILITY ON THE DAY OF SCREENING TEST FOR THE CONCERNED POST FAILING WHICH THEIR CANDIDATURE WILL STAND CANCELLED WITHOUT ANY FURTHER CORRESPONDENCE.**

- ✓ **NO SCANNED / FAX DOCUMENTS WILL BE ENTERTAINED BY THE COMMISSION TO ASCERTAIN THE ELIGIBILITY OF THE CONCERNED CANDIDATE(S). THE CANDIDATURE OF SUCH CANDIDATE(S) WILL BE REJECTED STRAIGHTWAY.**
- ✓ The false/fake claims or any information made by the candidate(s) will be viewed seriously and he/she will be debarred for recruitment to any post to be advertised either by H.P. Public Service Commission or any other recruiting agency of H.P. State Government for a period of three years from the date of submission of Online Recruitment Application by such candidate(s).
- ✓ The detailed particulars of such candidates will be uploaded on the website of the Commission to black list such debarred candidates to make it easily available for other recruiting agencies.

Note: Original certificates will have to be produced at the time of viva-voce. If any of their claims is found to be incorrect; besides rejection they may render themselves liable to disciplinary action by the Commission.

CATEGORY CLAIMS:-

The S.C. of Himachal Pradesh / S.T. of Himachal Pradesh O.B.C. of Himachal Pradesh/ WFF of H.P. / Ex-Servicemen of H.P. and Physically Disabled of H.P. candidates must possess such certificate(s) in support of their claims made in the Online Recruitment Application (ORA) while applying for the concerned post(s). The benefit of reservation will be admissible on parental basis only. All the candidates belonging to reserved categories are also required to go through the relevant instructions issued from time to time by the Government of Himachal Pradesh, in order to ensure that they are eligible under a particular category. Category once claimed shall not be allowed to be changed at any later stage.

1. EX-SERVICEMEN OF HIMACHAL PRADESH:-

The candidates belonging to Ex-Servicemen of Himachal Pradesh will have to furnish discharge certificate and full detail in respect of their PPO No., Rank, and date of retirement from the Defence Services to claim the benefit of reservation for the category of Ex-Serviceman of Himachal Pradesh. The Ex-servicemen candidates of H.P. must go through the relevant Rules and instructions of the reservation notified / issued by the H.P. Govt. from time to time in order to ensure their eligibility for admission to the aforesaid examination.

2. WARDS OF EX-SERVICEMEN OF HIMACHAL PRADESH:-

Generally, Wards of Ex-Servicemen of H.P. (sons/ daughters of Ex-Servicemen of H.P.) erroneously claim their category as Ex-Servicemen of Himachal Pradesh. But it is made clear that benefit of reservation against the post(s) reserved for Ex-Servicemen of H.P. is strictly admissible to Ex-Servicemen (of H.P.) themselves only and not to their wards (sons / daughters) in these services. Therefore, wards of Ex-Servicemen of Himachal Pradesh will have to mention their respective category(s) to which they belong in order to avoid rejection of their candidature for the concerned post(s) at any later stage.

3. OBC of H.P. (OTHER BACKWARD CLASSES OF HIMACHAL PRADESH):-

The candidates belonging to OBC of H.P. category must produce OBC certificate(s) on the prescribed format (appended as (Appendix-B) which should not be more than two years old at the time of last date fixed for submission of Online Recruitment Application alongwith latest affidavit duly attested by the authority authorized under the Indian Oath Act stating that his/her status as OBC has not been changed and he / she has not been excluded from the category of O.B.C. of H.P. on account of being covered under creamy layer. Such certificate should be based on the lineage of parental family, failing which such candidate(s) will not be allowed to appear in the viva-voce / interview.

4. WARDS OF FREEDOM FIGHTERS OF HIMACHAL PRADESH (WFF OF H.P.):

For the posts reserved for Wards of Freedom Fighters of Himachal Pradesh (WFF of H.P.), sons/grandsons/ daughters/grand daughters of Freedom Fighters of Himachal Pradesh, who have been appointed on regular basis as well as married daughters/ grand daughters shall not be entitled for the benefits of reservation provided to the wards of Freedom fighters in Government services, against the identical posts in the same scale. The employed children/ grand children and married daughters/ grand daughters of Freedom Fighters will be deemed to have been excluded from the definition of Freedom Fighter for the purpose to this extent. The children/ grand children of Freedom fighters of Himachal Pradesh, who have been appointed in Govt. / Semi Govt. or Private Sector etc. services against the post(s) reserved for the wards of Freedom Fighters on regular basis

will remain entitled to compete for higher rank/ grade posts/ services on the basis of reservation earmarked to the wards of Freedom Fighters of Himachal Pradesh. The un-married daughters/grand daughters will have to submit an affidavit being spinster (un-married) in support of their claim(s) issued by the authority authorized under the Indian Oath Act. Otherwise such candidates will be rejected straightway.

ELIGIBILITY CONDITIONS:-

- (i) **The date of determining the eligibility of all candidates in terms of essential qualification, experience etc. shall be reckoned as on the closing date, i.e. 28.02.2013 for submitting the Online Recruitment Applications (ORA) on the website <http://hp.gov.in/hppsc>.**
- (ii) The decision of the Commission regarding eligibility etc. of a candidate for admission to viva-voce/ Personality Test or selection will be final and no correspondence / personal enquiries will be entertained.
- (iii) Onus of proving that a candidate has acquired requisite degree/ essential qualification(s) by the stipulated date is on the candidate and in the absence of proof to the contrary, the date as mentioned on the face of certificate/ degree or the date of issue of certificate / degree shall be taken as date of acquiring essential qualification. No extra opportunity shall be provided to the candidates to produce appropriate certificates at the time of interview.
- (iv) In respect of equivalent clause in Essential Qualifications, if a candidate is claiming a particular qualification as equivalent qualification as per the requirement of advertisement, then the candidate is required to produce order/ letter in this regard, indicating the Authority (with number and date) under which it has been so treated otherwise the Online Recruitment Application is liable to be rejected.

AGE: - As mentioned against each post.

Clarification:-

- (i) Five years relaxation in upper age limit is admissible only to the bonafide SC of H.P. / ST of H.P. / OBC of H.P. / WFF of H.P. / Persons with disabilities of Himachal Pradesh. For H.P. Govt. employees and Ex-servicemen of H.P.; age relaxation is as per Government's instructions issued from time to time.
- (ii) Age of a candidate shall be reckoned as on **01-01-2013**.

SCREENING TEST/ EXAMINATION/ VIVA-VOCE TEST:-

- (i) In cases where the number of eligible candidates is inordinately large in proportion to the number of posts, the Commission may restrict the number of candidates to be called for interview by subjecting all the eligible candidates to a screening test. Since the purpose of holding screening test is only to shortlist the number of candidates, marks obtained in screening test shall not be counted for deciding the merit of a candidate. Final selection of a candidate will be made solely on the basis of his/her performance in the viva-voce test/ interview, which will be of maximum 100 marks. The minimum pass marks in interview are 45 for the candidates of general category and 35 marks for the candidates of reserved categories
- (ii) Answer Key of Screening Test will be uploaded on the official website of the Commission after freezing the answer sheets and objection(s), if any; will be entertained upto seven days after displaying / uploading the same on the website of the Commission. The objection(s) will be got verified from the concerned subject matter expert(s) and if found correct; a revised answer key of that screening test will be uploaded on the website of the Commission.
- (iii) The eligibility of candidate(s) called for the interview will be determined on the basis of original documents produced on the day of interview and the Commission will not be responsible if the candidature of any candidate is rejected at that stage or at the time of verification by the appointing authority. As such, admission to the screening test/examination/ interview shall be purely provisional.
- (iv) The summoning of the candidate(s) for viva-voce test; conveys no assurance whatsoever that they will be selected or recommended. Appointment orders to the selected candidate(s) will be issued by the Government of H.P. (in the concerned Department).
- (v) If any visually impaired candidate requires scribes, he / she has to request for the same in writing to the Commission immediately after receipt of his / her roll number. Such applications will be entertained on merit and as per the rules.
- (vi) Re-checking/ re-evaluation, for the written examination/ Screening Tests will not be allowed in any case.
- (vii). Disputes, if any, shall be subject to Court jurisdiction at Shimla.

Detail of post(s) and eligibility conditions are given as under against each post(s):-

Item No. I (A): Department of Industries, Himachal Pradesh

Name of the post:- Geologist, Class-I (Gazetted) On Contract Basis.	Number of Posts:- 02 posts (General)
Consolidated contractual amount @ ₹ 22,200/- per month (Minimum of the pay band + grade pay)	
Age: 45 years and below.	
(A) ESSENTIAL QUALIFICATION:- i) M.Sc. Degree in Geology or Applied Geology or its equivalent from a recognized University or an Institution duly recognized by the H.P./ Central Government or Diploma in Applied Geology from Indian School of Mines, Dhanbad. ii) 7 years field experience in independent Geological mapping & mineral prospecting of economic strategic and rare minerals. (B) DESIRABLE QUALIFICATION FOR THE POST IS AS UNDER:- (i) Training in different aspects of prospecting for minerals& utilization of minerals. (ii) Knowledge of developing & working mineral industry. (iii) Knowledge of customs, manners and dialects of Himachal Pradesh and suitability for appointment in the peculiar conditions prevailing in the Pradesh. (iv) Experience in Administration & capacity to draw executive programmes independently.	

Item No. I (B):

Name of the post:- Manager, Class-I (Silk Mill, Nurpur)	Number of Post:- 01 post (General)
Consolidated Salary @ ₹ 25,000/-	
Age: 45 years and below.	
Essential Qualification:- Graduate or Equivalent with Managerial/Supervisory experience of 5 years in Silk Filature/Silk Weaving in organized sector. Preference shall be given to persons with a Degree or Diploma in Textile Engineering from a recognized institution.	

Item No. II: Department of Information & Public Relations, H.P.

Name of the post:- Assistant Public Relations Officer, Class-II (Non-Gazetted) (Backlog post)	Number of Post(s):- 01 post (Reserved for Hearing impaired (Partially Deaf) of H.P.)
Pay Scale: ₹ 10300-34800/- + ₹ 4200/- (GP)	
Age: Between 18 and 45 years.	
Essential Qualifications:- (1) Bachelor's Degree or its equivalent from a recognized University. (2) Bachelor of Journalism and Mass Communication/ Public Relations or its equivalent or Post Graduate Diploma in Journalism and Mass Communication/ Public Relations from a Recognized University. Desirable Qualifications:- (i) Knowledge of customs, manners and dialects of H.P. and suitability for appointment in the peculiar conditions prevailing in the Pradesh. (ii) Published Material such as features and articles in Newspapers or journals of standing Newspapers and working experience of professional nature in any Govt. Department/ Public Sector Undertakings/ Media Organization of standing.	

Item No. III: Department of Food, Civil supplies & Consumer Affairs, H.P.

Name of the post:- Assistant Controller, Legal Metrology, (Weights & Measures) Class-II (Non-Gazetted) (On contract basis)	Number of Posts:- 02 posts (General)
Pay Scale: ₹ 10300-34800/- + ₹ 4200/- (GP)	
Age: Between 18 and 45 years.	
Essential Qualification:-	

Should be a Graduate of a recognized University in Science (with Physics as one of the subjects)/ Technology/ Engineering.

Desirable qualification:-

Knowledge of customs, manners and dialects of H.P. and suitability for appointment in the peculiar conditions prevailing in the Pradesh.

Item No. IV: Department of Animal Husbandry, H.P.

Name of the post:- Veterinary Officer, Class-I (Gazetted) (On contract basis)	Number of Posts:- 26 posts (General Ex-SM of HP=03, SC Ex-SM of HP=02, SC WFF of HP= 01, ST of HP=02, OBC of HP= 16, OBC Ex-SM of HP=01, OBC WFF of HP=01) (backlog posts)
Contractual amount ₹ 21,000/- (initial of the Pay band ₹15600/- + ₹ 5400/- (Grade Pay))	
Age: 45 years and below.	
Essential Qualification: -(i) Should possess a degree of B.V. Sc. and AH (Bachelor of Veterinary Science and Animal Husbandry) from a recognized University as laid down under the Indian Veterinary Council Act, 1984 (Act No.52 of 1984). (ii) Should be registered with the State Veterinary Council under the Indian Veterinary Act, 1984 (Act No.52 of 1984)	
Desirable Qualifications Knowledge of customs, manners and dialects of H.P. and suitability for working in peculiar conditions of the Pradesh.	

Item No. V (A): Department of Medical Education, H.P.

Sr. No.	Name of Post(s)	No. of post(s)	Pay Scale	E.Q. No.(ii)
1.	Assistant Professor (Neuro surgery) Class-I (Gazetted)	01 post (UR) (for Dr. RPGMC, Tanda).	₹ 37400-67000/- ₹ 8900/- (Grade Pay)	M.Ch. Neuro Surgery 2/3 years course as recognized by M.C.I. after M.S. Surgery, or M.B.B.S. and 5 years direct course leading to M.Ch. Neuro Surgery.
AGE: 45 years and below.				
<u>Essential Qualifications:-</u> (i) A recognized medical qualification included in the first or second schedule or part-II of the third schedule (other than licentiate qualifications) to the Indian Medical Council Act-1956. Holders of educational qualification(s) included in part-II of the third schedule should also fulfill the conditions stipulated in sub-section (3) of section-13 of the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956. (ii) Post-graduate and post-doctoral degrees as mentioned in Part-A of Annexure-II or its equivalent qualifications in the concerned Super-speciality (as mentioned above). (iii) At least 3 years teaching experience as Lecturer / Registrar / Demonstrator/ Resident after doing post-graduation in the concerned speciality in any recognized Medical College. <u>Note-I:</u> All Medical Teachers must possess a basic University or equivalent qualifications included in the Schedules to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956. They should also be registered under the State Central Medical Registration Act. <u>Note-II:</u> Two/ three years degree course while doing D.M. / M.Ch. shall be counted as teaching experience for the purpose of appointment as Assistant Professor (Super Specialty). <u>Desirable qualifications:-</u> (a) Knowledge of customs / manners and dialects of Himachal Pradesh and suitability for appointment in the peculiar conditions prevailing in the Pradesh. (b) Publication of research papers in Index journals.				

Item No. V (B):

Name of the post:- Medical Physicist, Class-I (Gazetted) (For IGMC Shimla)	Number of Post(s):- 01 post (General)
Age: 45 years and below.	
Pay band ₹ 10300-34800/- ₹ 5400/- (Grade Pay)	

(a) Essential Qualification:-	
(i)	A Bachelor's Degree in Science with Physics as one of the subject or Master's Degree in Science from a recognized University; and
(ii)	A post graduate diploma in Radiological Physics or its equivalent duly recognized and approved by Atomic Energy Regulatory Board, Mumbai (AERB), Bhaba Atomic Research Centre, Mumbai (BARC).
OR	
Master Degree in Medical Physics or Radiation Physics from a recognized University and approved by Atomic Energy Regulatory Board, (AERB), Government of India.	
(b) Desirable Qualification:-	
Knowledge of customs / manners and dialects of Himachal Pradesh and suitability for appointment in the peculiar conditions prevailing in the Pradesh.	

Item No. VI Department of Sainik Welfare, H.P.

Name of the post:- Deputy Director, Zila Sainik Welfare Class-1 (Gazetted) On Contract Basis.	Number of Posts:- 04 posts (Demobilized Armed Forces Personnel) Retired Armed Forces Officers (Backlog Posts)
Contractual Amount Rs. 10,300+Rs. 5400/-Grade Pay+ Rs=15,700/PM	
Age: preferably below 55 years of age (after obtaining the age of superannuation in Army/Navy/Air Force)	
<u>Essential Qualification:-</u>	
i) Should be a retired Lt. Col./Major./Capt. Or equivalent ranks from Navy/ Air Force who retire on attaining the age of superannuation.	
ii) Director General Resettlement or member thereof to be nominated by him is to be one of the members of the committee for selection of Deputy Director Sainik Welfare.	
<u>Desirable qualification:-</u>	
Knowledge of customs, manners and dialects of H.P. and suitability for appointment in the peculiar conditions prevailing in the Pradesh.	

Item No. VII. Technical Education Vocational & Industrial Training Department, H.P.

Name of the post:- Lecturer, Computer Engineering (Polytechnic) Class-1 (Gazetted) (On Contract basis)	Number of Posts:- 08posts (03=UR,02= UR Ex-Serviceman of H.P.,01=OBC of H.P.,01=S.T. of H.P. & 01= S.C. of H.P.
Pay band ₹15600-39100+5400G.P	
Contractual amount ₹ 21000/P.M	
Age: 45 years and below	
<u>Essential Qualification:-</u>	
1 st Class Bachelor's Degree in Computer Engineering or Computer Science & Engineering from a recognized University or from an institution duly recognized by the H.P. Government/ Central Government.	
<u>Desirable qualification:-</u>	
Knowledge of customs, manners and dialects of H.P. and suitability for appointment in the peculiar conditions prevailing in the Pradesh.	

OTHER CONDITIONS:-

1. All candidates, whether in Government Service or Government owned Industrial or other similar organizations or in private employment should submit their applications online directly to the Commission. Persons already in regular Government service whether in a permanent or temporary capacity other than casual/ adhoc / daily rated/ work charged employees or those serving under Public Enterprises are however, required to submit a declaration that they have informed in writing to their Head of Office/ Department that they have applied for the selection.
2. In service candidates may apply to the Commission along with requisite fee with information to their Head of Departments/Employer for issuing NOC. No in service

candidate will be interviewed unless he/she brings NOC from the concerned employer.

3. Candidates should note that in case a communication is received from their employer by the Commission withholding permission to the candidates applying for/ appearing at the examination, their application will be liable to be rejected/ candidature will be liable to be cancelled.
4. It may be ensured by the candidates before submitting the applications that furnishing of false information and documents or suppression of any factual information in the application form would entail disqualification. If the fact that false information / document(s) has been furnished or that there has been suppression of any factual information in the application; comes to the notice at any time during the service of a person, his service would be liable to be terminated.
5. The applicant shall upload his/her latest photograph in the space provided in the application form. He/she is also required to paste a similar photograph on the Identity Card portion of his/her e-Admission Letter, which will be downloaded by the candidates from the website of the Commission for appearing in the Screening Test/ examination.
6. The candidates applying for the post(s) should ensure that they fulfill all the eligibility conditions for admission to the examination. Their admission at all stages of screening test/ examination for which they are admitted by the Commission viz., written examination and viva-voce test will be purely provisional, subject to their satisfying the prescribed eligibility conditions. If on verification at any time before or after the written examination or interview test, it is found that they do not fulfill any of the eligibility conditions; their candidature for the examination will be cancelled by the Commission.
7. Candidate who is or has been declared by the Commission to be guilty of:-
 - (a) Obtaining support for his/her candidature by the following means, namely:-
 - offering illegal gratification to, or
 - applying pressure on, or
 - blackmailing, or threatening to blackmail any person connected with the conduct of the examination, or
 - (b) impersonating, or
 - (c) procuring impersonation by any person, or
 - (d) submitting fabricated documents or documents which have been tampered with, or
 - (e) making statements which are incorrect or false or suppressing material information, or
 - (f) resorting to the following means in connection with his/her candidature for the examination, namely:-
 - obtaining copy of question paper through improper means,
 - finding out the particulars of the persons connected with secret work relating to the examination,
 - influencing the examiners, or
 - (g) using unfair means during the examination, or
 - (h) writing obscene matter or drawing obscene sketches in the scripts, or
 - (i) misbehaving in the examination hall including tearing of the scripts, provoking fellow examinees to boycott examination, creating disorderly scene and the like, or
 - (j) harassing or doing bodily harm to the staff employed by the Commission for the conduct of their examinations, or
 - (k) being in possession of or using mobile phone, pager or any electronic equipment or device or any other equipment capable of being used as a communication device during the examination; or
 - (l) violating any of the instructions issued to candidates along with their admission certificates permitting them to take the examination, or
 - (m) attempting to commit or as the case may be abetting the commission of all or any of the acts specified in the foregoing clauses; may in addition to rendering himself/herself liable to criminal prosecution, be liable:-
 - to be disqualified by the Commission from the examination for which he/she is a candidate and/or
 - (n) to be debarred either permanently or for as specified period:-

- by the Commission from any examination or selection held by them.
 - by the Central Government from any employment under them, and
- (o) if he/she is already in service under Government to disciplinary action under the appropriate Rules. Provided that no penalty under these Rules shall be imposed except after:-
- giving the candidate an opportunity of making such representation, in writing as he/she may wish to make in that behalf; and
 - taking the representation, if any, submitted by the candidate within the period allowed to him/her into consideration.
8. The Centres of holding the examination are liable to be changed at the discretion of the Commission. While every effort will be made to allot the candidates to the centre of their choice for examination, the Commission may, at their discretion, allot a different centre to a candidate when circumstances so warrant.

CHECK LIST: VERIFY THE FOLLOWING BEFORE SUBMITTING THE ONLINE RECRUITMENT APPLICATION OR DOCUMENTS/ CERTIFICATES-

- a) That no column is wrongly filled or kept blank as the information furnished therein would be used to determine the eligibility of candidates to be called for interviews.
- b) That after submitting the Online Recruitment Application (ORA), a printout of the finally submitted Application is to be submitted alongwith specified attested documents/ certificates to the Commission on the day of Screening Test for the concerned post.
- c) That copies of only following documents/certificates are provided in support of claims made/ information given in the Online Recruitment Application:-
 - i) Degree/Diploma certificates alongwith Marks Sheets of all years in support of Educational Qualifications. Provisional certificate(s) alongwith Marks Sheets of all years.
 - ii) Matriculation certificate for age proof.
 - iii) Experience certificate(s) wherever required.
 - iv) Order/ letter in respect of equivalent Educational Qualifications claimed, indicating the authority (with number & date) under which it has been so treated and that if the qualification possessed by the candidates is equivalent, a copy of order/letter under which it has been so treated may also be enclosed.

DISQUALIFICATIONS FOR ADMISSION TO THE EXAMINATION:

No candidate will be eligible for admission to the examination:-

- a) If he/ she has been dismissed from any previous service;
- b) If he/ she has been convicted of any offence involving moral turpitude or has been bound down for good conduct under the provisions contained in Chapter VIII of the Code of Criminal Procedure, or has been permanently debarred / disqualified from appearing in any examination or selection;
- c) If he / she is found either directly or indirectly influencing the selection process in any manner;
- d) If a male candidate who has more than one living wife and if a female candidate, who has married a man already having another wife; or
- e) If he / she is an un-discharged insolvent.

Sd/-

(Dr. R.N. Batta) IAS,
Secretary,
H.P. Public Service Commission

Appendix-B**Form of Certificate to be produced by Other Backward Classes applying for appointment to posts under the Government of India/State**

This is to certify that son of..... village..... District/Divisionin the State.....belongs to the community which is recognized as a Backward class in Himachal Pradesh by the State Government.

Shri.....and/or his family ordinarily reside(s) in the District/ Division of theState. This is also to certify that he/she does not belong to the persons/sections (Creamy Layer) mentioned in the Schedule.

Dated.....

District Magistrate,
Deputy Commissioner etc.

Seal

NB

(a) The term 'Ordinarily' used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the Representation of the Peoples Act, 1950.

(b) Where the Certificates are issued by Gazetted Officers of the Union Government or State Governments, they should be in the same form but countersigned by the District Magistrate or Deputy Commissioner (Certificate issued by Gazetted Officers and attested by District Magistrate/ Deputy Commissioner are not sufficient).
