BHARATHIAR UNIVERSITY

Coimbatore - 641 046. Tamil Nadu.

STATE ELIGIBILITY TEST (SET) FOR LECTURESHIP, ADDITIONAL EXAMINATION - 2008

CLOSING DATE : 17.07.2009 | **NOTIFICATION** | **EXAM DATE : 16.08.2009**

Last Date for reciept of application forms duly completed is 17-07-2009 Candidates should submit their application form only to **The Secretary, SET, Bharathiar University, Coimbatore - 641 046.**

1. i) The University will hold the State Eligibility Test (SET) on **Sunday, 16th August 2009** for determining the eligibility of Indian Nationals for recruitment of Lecturers in Universities and Colleges in Tamil Nadu & Union Territory of Pondicherry in the subjects listed in item no.7 at the centres listed in item 8 below.

2. CONDITION OF ELIGIBILITY:

i) Only those candidates who have competed/ are pursuing PG degree related subjects are eligible to appear in SET. Others need not apply.

ii) Candidates who have secured atleast 55% marks (without grace or rounding off) in Master's Degree (or) equivalent examination are eligible for this Test. The Scheduled Caste (SC) / Scheduled Tribes (ST) / Physically Handicapped (PH) / Blind) (BL) category candidates who have secured atleast 50% marks (without grace or rounding off) in Master's Degree Examination are eligible for this Examination.

iii) Candidates who have appeared **(or)** will be appearing at the qualifying Master's Degree Examination and whose result is still awaited **(or)** candidates whose examinations have been delayed may also apply for this test. However, such candidates will be admitted provisionally and shall be considered eligible for award of Lectureship eligibility only after they have passed their Master's Degree examination (or) equivalent with atleast 55% marks (50% in case of SC/ST/PH/BL category candidates). Such candidates must obtain their P.G degree Marksheet **within one year from the date of SET** with required percentage of marks, failing which they will be treated as disqualified.

iv) The Ph.D. degree holders whose Master's level examination had been completed by <u>19th September 1991</u> (irrespective of date of declaration of result) shall be eligible for relaxation of 5% of marks from 55% to 50% to appear in SET Examination.

v) Candidates have to appear for SET in the subject of their Post Graduation only.

vi) CANDIDATES SHOULD NOTE THAT THEIR CANDIDATURE IS PROVISIONAL. THE MERE FACT THAT AN ADMISSION CARD HAS BEEN ISSUED TO A CANDIDATE WILL NOT IMPLY THAT THE UNIVERSITY HAS FINALLY ACCEPTED HIS/HER CANDIDATURE. CANDIDATE MAY NOTE THAT THEIR CANDIDATURE WILL BE DEEMED FINAL UPON VERIFICATION OF ELIGIBILITY CONDITIONS.

3. AGE LIMIT : No Upper age limit

4. EXEMPTION

The candidates who have passed their M.Phil. degree by <u>31st December 1993</u> (or) have submitted their Ph.D. thesis to a University on or before <u>31st December 2002</u> are exempted from appearing in the NET / SET Examination. In case such candidates failing to obtain Ph.D. degree, they shall have to pass the NET / SET examination. The candidates who have passed the UGC/CSIR JRF examination prior to 1989 are also exempted from appearing in the SET Examination.

5. EXAMINATION FEE AND MODE OF PAYMENT :

For SC/ST/Physically Handicapped/ Blind candidates: **Rs. 200/-**

For all others : **Rs. 700/-**

The fee should be paid in the form of a **single** crossed bank demand draft from any Nationalised Bank with six months

validity drawn in favour of **The Registrar, Bharathiar University, Coimbatore - 641 046** payable at Coimbatore. Fee once paid will not be refunded under any circumstances.

6. SCHEME AND DATE OF TEST :

I) The test will consist of three papers. All the three papers will be held on **Sunday, 16-8-2009** in two seperate sessions as mentioned below.

Session	Paper	Marks	Duration
First	I	100	09.30 A.M. to 10.45 AM
First	II	100	11.00 A.M. to 12.15 PM
Second	III	200	01.30 P.M. to 04.00 PM

Paper - I will be of general nature intended to assess the teaching/ research aptitude of the candidates. It will primarily be designed to test reasoning ability, comprehension and divergent thinking.

Paper - II will consist of short questions based on the subject selected by the candidates. These two papers will each consist of a Test booklet containing 50 objective type questions. The candidates will have to mark their response for each question on the computer coded Optical Mark Reader (OMR) answer sheet provided along with the Test Booklet.

Paper - III will consist of only descriptive questions from the syllabus of the subject selected by the candidates. The Candidates will be required to write answers in the space provided in the test booklet. The format of paper III has been revised for the ensuing Test.

A candidate who does not appear in Paper I will not be permitted to appear in paper II and paper III. Paper III will be evaluated only for those candidates who are able to secure the minimum qualifying marks in Paper - I and Paper - II as decided by the appropriate authority.

ii) For Blind candidates, thirty minutes extra time shall be provided separately for Paper I and Paper II. For Paper III, forty five minutes extra time shall be provided. They will also be provided with a scribe who should be a graduate in a subject other than that of the candidates

iii) Syllabus for the Test: Question paper for Paper I is common for all the subjects in which SET is conducted and it will be bi-lingual (English and Tamil). Paper II and Paper III of certain subjects will also be bi-lingual and details are furnished below. The syllabus for Paper I, Paper II and Paper III will not be sent to the candidates by the University. The candidates can download the syllabus of their subjects from the university website: **www.b-u.ac.in**

7. SUBJECTS: The SET will be conducted in the following subjects

Subject Code	Subject
26	*Law
27	Philosophy
28	Management
29	*Library Science
30	Physical Education

* Bi-lingual subjects

8. The SET will be held at the following centres.

Centre code	Name of the Centre
01	Chennai
02	Coimbatore
03	Madurai

No request for change of centre will be entertained under any circumstances.

9. HOW TO APPLY :

1. Candidates seeking admission to the test must apply in the prescribed application form (one copy only) as given in the advertisement. Application form along with the admission card and attendance slip may be taken from the advertisement and neatly typed on **white paper (A-3 size) in double space and on one side of the paper only.** There is no objection to candidates using printed Application Form, if available from private agencies but they should ensure that its format is exactly the same as published by the University in its advertisement. The application not in the prescribed by the University in its advertisement. **The application not in the prescribed format will be rejected. Request for application form send to Bharathiar University will not be entertained.**

2. The Candidate should fill the Application form, Attendance Slip and Admission Card legibly and carefully. In their own handwriting by ball point pen. APPLICATION FORM ALONG WITH ADMISSION CARD, ATTENDANCE SLIP AND DEMAND DRAFT SHOULD BE SENT TO THE SECRETARY, SET, BHARATHIAR UNIVERSITY, COIMBATORE - 641 046. It should be clearly specified on the envelope that the application is for SET Exam.

Admission card and Attendance Slip shall be in separate sheets

10. GUIDELINES FOR FILLING UP THE APPLICATION FORM:

1. The candidate must affix their recent passport size Photographs at the place indicated in application form and should sign across the photograph at the top after it is affixed so that part of the signature spreads over the application form beyond the photograph otherwise it will be rejected. Besides, it should be duly attested by the Head of the Department (or) Gazetted Officer

2. In column-8, write SC for Scheduled Caste. ST for Scheduled Tribe and GEN for all other candidates.

3. In column-9, write BL for Blind and PH for Physically Handicapped. Others, leave it blank.

4. In column-13 : Fill in the required details only if the candidate has qualified for / passed PG degree.

5. Candidates who have qualified for the award of PG Degree need not fill in item 16 "Attestation form". All others such as candidates who are undergoing final year of PG course of study during 2008-2009, who have appeared for PG level examinations and awaiting results, who have completed the course of study but having arrears etc. shall fill in Item-16 "Attestation form" of the bottom of the application and get it attested by the Head of the Institution; otherwise it will be rejected.

ENCLOSURES TO BE SENT WITH THE APPLICATION: Candidates should send the following documents with their application: - (i) A crossed Bank Draft towards examination fee payable to "The Registrar, Bharathiar University, Coimbatore" at Coimbatore. Candidates should mention their Name, Subject code and Centre code on the reverse of the Demand Draft. (ii) Copies of Certificate for SC/ST/Blind/Physically Handicapped as the case may be, duly attested by a Gazetted Officer. (iii) PG level. Marksheet/ Certificate attested by a Gazetted Officer.

CHECK LIST: VERIFY THE FOLLOWING BEFORE MAILING THE APPLICATION : Before submission of application, the following points must be checked carefully: -1. Whether you fulfill the eligibility conditions for the test as prescribed under the Headings "CONDITION OF ELIGIBILITY". 2.Whether you have filled in all the columns of the application form correctly and no column has been left blank. 3. Whether you have filled in the name of the Subject and Centre as well as the respective codes in columns 3 and 4 respectively. 4. Whether you have filled in your CATEGORY STATUS correctly in Column 8 in words. viz. SC/ST/GEN. 5. Confirm whether you have signed in the application form, Admission card and Attendance slip.

Place : Coimbatore

Date : 16.06.2009