



Advertisement No: 267

TAMIL NADU PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
NOTIFICATION / ADVERTISEMENT

Applications are invited upto 5.45 p.m on **15-03-2011** for direct recruitment to the following post :-

Name of the Post	Service	No. of vacancies
Assistant Public Prosecutor, Grade –II (2009 – 2010) (Post Code 1797)	Tamil Nadu General Service (Service Code No. 035)	83 (including 1 c/f Vacancy for MBC/DC (Deaf))

2. IMPORTANT DATES:-

Date of Notification	12-02-2011	-
Last date for receipt of applications	15-03-2011	5.45 P.M.
Date of Written Examination		
1. Law Paper - I	23-07-2011	10.00 A.M. to 1.00 P.M.
2. Law Paper - II	23-07-2011	2.00 P.M. to 5.00 P.M.
3. Law Paper - III	24-07-2011	10.00 A.M. to 1.00 P.M.
4. Law Paper -IV	24-07-2011	2.00 P.M. to 5.00 P.M.

3. SCALE OF PAY:- Rs.15600-39100 + Grade Pay Rs.5400/- (PB3) per mensem.

4. GENERAL INFORMATION :-

- The rule of reservation of appointments is applicable to the post and distribution of the **vacancies will be as per the rule/orders in force.**
- In G.O. Ms. No.145, Personnel and Administrative Reforms (S) Department, dated 30.09.2010, the Government have issued orders to fill up 20% of all vacancies in direct recruitment on preferential basis to persons studied in Tamil Medium.
- Candidates who claim reservation with reference to orders issued in the above G.O., should enclose evidence in support of their claim from the Institution where they have studied the prescribed qualifications. Applications submitted without evidence for "PSTM" (PSTM- Persons Studied in Tamil Medium) will not be considered for the above said reservation. This reservation will be subject to Court case, if any pending.
- The number of vacancies advertised is only approximate and is liable to modification with reference to vacancy position at any time before finalisation of selection for Oral Test.
- If no qualified and suitable woman candidates are available for selection against the vacancies reserved for them, those vacancies will be filled by male candidates belonging to the respective communal categories.
- CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICAL FITNESS:-**
Candidates selected for appointment to the post will be required to produce a certificate of physical fitness in the form prescribed for "**Posts other than Executive and Ministerial**". The Standard of vision required for the candidates selected for the post is '**Standard- III**' or **better**. Candidates with defective vision should produce eye fitness certificate from qualified eye specialist.
- 3% reservation for Differently Aabled persons applies to this post. However candidates who possess the Standard of Vision stipulated in item (F) above of this notification alone are eligible to apply for appointment to this post and candidate will be allotted in the vacancies reserved for them as per the rules in force.
- The Differently Aabled persons should produce along with the application a copy of certificate of physical fitness specifying the nature of physical handicap and the degree of disability based on the norms laid down, from the Medical Officer concerned in the relevant speciality to the effect that his/her handicap will not render him/her incapable of efficiently discharging the duties attached to the post to which he/she is applying.

- I. Reservation of appointments to "Destitute Widows" and Ex-Serviceman will not apply to this recruitment.
- J. Even after filling up of the posts 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 candidates, it shall be filled up by Scheduled Castes other than Arunthathiyars.
- K. Any claim relating to the selection (not related to candidature or/and claims made in the application) should be received within 90 days from the date of announcement of results. Claims received thereafter will receive no attention.

5. **QUALIFICATIONS:** -

(A) AGE (as on 01.07.2011):

Maximum Age Limit: Below 34 years

Note :

No Maximum age limit for SCs, SC(A)s, STs, MBCs/DCs and BC(Other than BCM)s, BCMs and D.Ws of all Castes.

(B) EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION :-

Candidates should possess the following or its equivalent qualification on the date of this Notification, viz. **12-02-2011:**

- (i) B.L. Degree of any University or Institution recognized by the University Grants Commission for the purpose of its grant.

AND

- (ii) Must be a Member of the Bar and must have had active practice in Criminal Courts for a period of not less than 5 years.

Explanation:-

The expression "active practice in Criminal Courts" shall include the period of service rendered by a person as a temporary Assistant Public Prosecutor, Grade –II.

AND

- (iii) Must possess adequate knowledge of Tamil.

Explanation:-

For this purpose a person will be deemed to possess an adequate knowledge of Tamil if he/she has passed the S.S.L.C. Public examination or its equivalent examination with Tamil as one of the languages or studied in the High School Course in Tamil Medium and passed the S.S.L.C Public Examination in Tamil Medium or passed the Second Class Language Test (Full Test) in Tamil conducted by the Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission.

(Note under paragraph 10 of the Commission's "Instructions, etc. to candidates" will not apply to this recruitment.)

Note:

An applicant must produce along with his /her application, a Certificate in Original obtained from a Senior Advocate or from a Judicial Magistrate in support of his/her claim regarding the period of active practice in Criminal Courts.

Definition:

The term "Senior Advocate" includes Notary Public, Assistant Public Prosecutor/Public Prosecutor, President/Secretary of the Bar Associations and Advocates practising for 7 years and more in Taluks and Districts, besides the Senior Advocates practising in the High Court and in the Supreme Court.

Training :

Every person appointed to the post of Assistant Public Prosecutor, Grade –II should on and from the date on which he/she joins duty should undergo for a period of 6 months, the training prescribed by the Government. The training period shall count for probation and increment and during the training period he/she shall draw pay at the minimum in the time scale.

Agreement:

Every person appointed to the post of Assistant Public Prosecutor, Grade-II should execute an agreement in the form prescribed by the Government binding himself to

serve the Government as Assistant Public Prosecutor, Grade-II after the successful completion of training prescribed, for the period of two years or for such period as may be prescribed by the Government from time to time. If he/she resigns his/her post on grounds other than ill-health to be certified by the Civil Surgeon before the completion of the training period or before the expiry of the period of agreement, he/she should refund the pay drawn during the training period to the Government.

Note:

- (1) The qualification, prescribed for this post, should have been obtained [the required degree courses] in the order of studies by passing the 10th, HSC, Bachelor's degree, etc.
- (2) Persons claiming equivalence of qualification should enclose evidence for such claim failing which their application will be summarily rejected.

6. WRITTEN EXAMINATION AND ORAL TEST :-

The Scheme of Written Examination and Oral Test has been given in Annexure to this Notification / Advertisement.

7. CENTRES FOR EXAMINATION :-

The Written Examination will be held at the following centres:

Sl. No	Name of the Centre	Centre Code	Sl. No.	Name of the Centre	Centre Code
1.	Chennai	001	4.	Salem	017
2.	Coimbatore	002	5.	Tiruchirappalli	025
3.	Madurai	010	6.	Tirunelveli	026

Note:

1. Candidates should choose any one of the above centres and appear for the examination at their own expenses. Request for change of centre will not be complied with. The Commission reserves the right to increase or decrease the number of examination centres and to re-allot the candidates.
- 8. PROCEDURE OF SELECTION:-** Selection will be made in two successive stages i.e., (i) Written Examination and (ii) Oral Test. (For further details please refer paragraph 22(b) of the 'Instructions, etc. to candidates').

- 9. EXAMINATION FEE:-** Rs.125/- (Rupees One Hundred and twenty five only) Examination fees should be paid only through any one of the post offices listed in Annexure III of Information Brochure. Candidates (other than those who apply Online) should inform their OMR application Number to the Counter Clerk of the Post Office for obtaining the Postal Receipt. (For further details refer para 2 under part –III of Information Brochure and for Examination fee concessions, refer para 12 of the 'Instructions, etc. to candidates').

10. ENCLOSURES TO BE SENT ALONG WITH APPLICATION:-

Candidates, in support of their claim, should enclose attested copies of certificates (including evidence for S.S.LC, H.SC, U.G.Degree possessed by them and also evidence for Tamil Medium from the Institution where they have studied the prescribed qualifications) as mentioned in para 15 of the Commission's 'Instructions, etc. to candidates' and item 26 under part–II of Information Brochure along with a Postal Receipt to the value of Rs.125/- (Rupees One Hundred and twenty five only) pasted in the column provided in the application, unless exemption of fee is claimed. Information relating to debarment by any recruiting agency, criminal or any disciplinary proceedings initiated or finalised should be furnished along with this application. **Original Certificates (except certificate of active practice) should not be sent.** Those applying Online may please refer para 13 (d) of this Notification/Advertisement.

The candidate should send specifically the copies of the following certificates:

- (a) Enrollment Certificate issued by the Bar Council.
- (b) **Original certificate** of active practice obtained from a Senior Advocate or from a Judicial Magistrate in support of his/her claim regarding the period of active practice in Criminal Courts.

Applications received without the certificates as specified above will be rejected.

11. NO OBJECTION CERTIFICATE :-

For details please refer to paragraph 15(g) of the Commission's 'Instructions, etc. to Candidates'.

12. CONCESSIONS:-

Concessions in the matter of age and / or fee allowed to SCs, SC(A)s, STs, MBCs/DCs, BCs(OBCMs), BCMs, Destitute Widows, Ex-servicemen and Differently Abled persons are given in the Commission's 'Instructions, etc. to candidates'. Concession if any to be availed evidence has to be produced, along with the application.

13. ISSUE OF APPLICATION FORMS: -

- a) OMR application form along with an Information Brochure, 'Instructions, etc., to candidates' and an envelope for sending application can be obtained from any one of the selected POST OFFICES (285 Nos.) in Tamil Nadu (including Alagappapuram - Sivaganga) / Puducherry on payment of Rs. 30/-. (The list of Post Offices is available in the Annexure-III of Information Brochure) and in the Commission's Website at **www.tnpsc.gov.in**
- b) OMR application forms can also be obtained in person from the sales counter of the office of the Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission, No.1, Greams Road, Commercial Tax Annexe Building, Chennai-600 006, on all the working days till the closing date upto 5.00 p.m. (excluding lunch interval between 1.30 and 2.00 p.m.) on cash payment of Rs.30/-. **Application forms will not be supplied to the candidates by Post.**
- c) Candidates should use only the OMR application form. No other typed or printed or Xeroxed / Photocopy of the application form will be accepted and such application, if any received, will be summarily rejected.
- d) Candidates can also avail of the facility of applying Online on the Commission's Website. Candidates applying Online should possess and keep ready Postal Receipt for Rs.155/- (i.e. Application fee Rs.30/- and Examination fee Rs. 125/-) and Candidates claiming fee exemption should possess and keep ready Postal Receipt for Rs.30/- towards the application fee before registering Online. The Postal Receipt obtained for the payment of Application Fee/ Examination Fee should be pasted in the space provided in the application form. Candidates applying Online should send the applications (i.e. The printout generated from the website and signed by the candidate) with the Postal Receipt along with attested copies of required Certificates and original active practice certificate so as to reach the Commission's office on or before the last date for receipt of applications, failing which his/her application will be rejected. The facility of applying Online will be closed at 5.45.p.m on **13-03-2011**. (for details please refer para 1 of the Commission's 'Instructions etc. to candidates.'

14. RECEIPT OF APPLICATION :-

- (A) Candidates are advised to verify the following aspects also before sending their filled in OMR applications to the Commission's office:
 - (i) **Signature by the candidate below the declaration made in ballpoint pen or fountain pen only. Failure to sign will entail rejection of his/her application.**
 - (ii) Columns 1, 1(a), 3 and 4 in the OMR application form to be filled up based on the details available in this Notification/ Advertisement.
 - (iii) Candidate should fill up column 23, 23(a), and 23(c) of the OMR application compulsorily. If yes, full details should be enclosed in a separate paper.
- (B) **Filled in applications must be sent to the Controller of Examinations, Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission, No.1 Greams Road, Commercial Taxes Annexe Building, Chennai – 600 006 well in advance so as to reach the Commission's Office before 5.45 p.m. on 15-03-2011.**

Secretary

ANNEXURE**SCHEME OF EXAMINATION****[BACHELOR'S DEGREE STANDARD - DESCRIPTIVE TYPE]**

Subject	Duration of Examination	Maximum Marks
PART –A WRITTEN TEST		
Paper I - Law I	3 hours	100
Paper II - Law II	3 hours	100
Paper III- Law III	3 hours	100
Paper IV - Law IV	3 hours	100
PART-B –ORAL TEST (INTERVIEW)		60
TOTAL		460

Note :-

(i) The minimum qualifying marks in Part A for admission to the Oral Test shall be as follows:

(a) For Scheduled Castes, SC(A)s and Scheduled Tribes } : 140 in the aggregate

(b) For Most Backward Classes/Denotified Communities and Back-Ward Classes,(OBCM) and BCM. } : 160 in the aggregate

(c) For Others : 180 in the Aggregate

(ii) The minimum qualifying marks in Part B for a Pass for all shall be 18.

(iii)The question papers on Law - I, II, III and IV in the Written examination will be

set both in Tamil and English and the candidates will be given option of answering the paper either in Tamil or English or partly in Tamil and partly in English.

(iv)The candidates who have not appeared for any of the papers in the Written Examination will not be considered for the selection even if they secure the minimum qualifying marks for selection.

(v)The syllabus for the post of Assistant Public Prosecutor, Grade II in the Tamil Nadu General Service is made available in the Commission's website www.tnpsc.gov.in and also published in the Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission Bulletin dated 1.11.2005 at pages 1268 to 1272 (Syllabus Code No.132).