# MEGHALAYA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION SHILLONG

No. MPSC/ADVT-38/1/2012-2013/31,

Dated Shillong the, 7th August, 2013

# **REVISED**

Ref: This Office Advertisement No. MPSC/ADVT-38/1/2012-2013/13, dt. 1st July, 2013

RECRUITMENT TO THE POST OF ASSISTANT CONSERVATOR OF FOREST UNDER FORESTS AND ENVIRONMENT DEPARTMENT - (Other criteria/requirements on Physical Standards, Physical Test, Method of Selection, Terms and Conditions etc.)

Application are invited for 2 (two) posts of Assistant Conservator of Forests (Probationer) for undergoing the 2014-2016 Diploma Course in Forestry (State Forest Service) at the CASFOS, Dehradun/Coimbatore which is likely to commence on **June 2014** vide above referred Advertisement.

- 1. Applicant should be a citizen of India.
- 2. (a) The minimum standards for height, chest girth and physical fitness which shall be verified by the designated Medical Board, shall be as follows:

	Height (Cm)	Chest girth (Cm)	
		<u>Normal</u>	Expansion
Male Candidate	163	84	05
Female Candidate	150	79	05

The following minimum height standards may be allowed in case of candidates belonging to Schedule Tribes.

Male Candidate - 152 Cm

Female Candidate - 145 Cm

(b) Male/Female Candidates must pass a physical test covering a distance of 25/16 Kms respectively within four hours on foot. This test will be arranged by the Meghalaya Forest Department followed by a medical examination by the Medical Board. The Medical Board shall issue the Certificate that the candidates are fit to undertake strenuous outdoor work in the Forest Department.

3 (a). The Commission will conduct a written examination in the following subjects:

# Compulsory Subject:

- 1. General Knowledge 100 Marks.
- 2. English (essay and précis writing etc.) 100 Marks.

#### Optional subjects:

- 3 (b). Choose any 2 (two) subjects out of the following (once the choice is made, it cannot be altered)200 Marks (each)
  - i. Agriculture
  - ii. Botany
  - iii. Chemistry
  - iv. Computer Applications / Computer Science
  - v. Engineering (Agriculture / Chemical / Civil / Computer / Electrical / Electronics / Mechanical)
  - vi. Environmental Sciences
  - vii. Forestry
  - viii. Geology
  - ix. Horticulture.
  - x. Mathematics
  - xi. Physics
  - xii. Statistics
  - xiii. Veterinary Science
  - **xiv.** Zoology.

# (The standard of these subjects shall be that of Bachelor's degree).

**NOTE**: No candidate shall be allowed to take more than one subject of the group (i) Agriculture, Agriculture Engineering and Veterinary Science (ii) Chemistry and Chemical Engineering (iii) Computer Application / Computer Science and Computer Engineering (iv) Electrical Engineering and Electronic Engineering (v) Mathematics and Statistics.

# 4. Interview:

The Commission shall conduct an interview of the candidate who qualifies in the written examination. The maximum marks for interview shall be 75.

The Candidates will be required to defray their own expenses in connection with the examination, interview, physical test and medical examination. No traveling allowance is allowed for the purpose.

- 5. The Selected Probationer will have to execute an agreement and a bond with two sureties for the sum of such amount as prescribed by the Government of Meghalaya, binding himself to work diligently during the period of training and to serve the Government of Meghalaya.
- 6. The Candidates so selected will be required to join the State Forest Service College on the date fixed by Government of India. Further details concerning the training of the successful candidates can be obtained from the office of PCCF & HOFF, Sylvan House, Lower Lachumiere, Shillong.

Sd/-

Secretary, Meghalaya Public Service Commission, Shillong

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Dated Shillong the, 7th August, 2013

Copy to:

- 1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HOFF, Meghalaya, Shillong.
- 2. The Under Secretary, Forest & Environment Department, Meghalaya, Shillong.
- 3. The S.I.O./Sr. Technical Director, N.I.C., with a request to kindly get the above hosted in the Commission's website.
- Dealing Assistant.

Secretary, Meghalaya Public Service Commission, Shillong