Stenographer Grade III in the Meghalaya Secretariat and Heads of department

Year of Advt: 2024 Date of Exam: 25-April-2025

No. 20024

ENGLISH COMPOSITION

Marks: 50

Time: 1 hour

Answer any ONE of the following questions:

- 1. Write an essay in about 400 words on Higher Education and Skill Acquisition.
- **2.** Write an essay in about 400 words on the importance of Free and Independent Media in a Democracy.
- 3. Write a letter to the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of the Municipal Board addressing the issue of street hawkers in your city. Discuss the challenges they face, the impact on pedestrians and traffic and suggest balanced measures to regulate street vending while ensuring their livelihood.
- **4.** Write a letter to the Editor of a local newspaper highlighting the issue of traffic congestion in your city. Discuss the primary causes of frequent traffic jams, their impact on daily life, and propose effective measures to improve road conditions and reduce congestion.

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