# PRESS NOTE

# TELANGANA STATE LEVEL POLICE RECRUITMENT BOARD DGP OFFICE COMPLEX, LAKDI-KA-PUL, HYDERABAD

#### Rc Nos. 39, 40, 41, 42, 45, 48 & 60 / Rect. / Admn-1 / 2022

Date: 1st July 2023

# **Completion of Certificate Verification**

Verification of the Certificates of all those Candidates who qualified in various Final Written Examinations (FWEs) in the ongoing Recruitment Process was successfully done at 18 Centres across the State during 11 working days from 14<sup>th</sup> June (Wednesday) to 26<sup>th</sup> June 2023. 97,175 (of the1,08,940) Candidates having 2,01,912 (of the 2,20,589) Candidatures attended the process and got their Certificates and Documents verified. TSLPRB is consolidating the Verification Data at present – before proceeding further.

## **Information to Candidates**

TSLPRB Conducts Recruitment for Multiple Posts of several Departments including Police Department (at present 6 Departments in the present Recruitment Process) ranging from PC-Level to SI-Level through a single integrated Online Application simultaneously to make it simple and easy for the Candidates to apply and compete. Different Posts of Various Departments will have their own criteria of Eligibility and Qualification and they cannot be uniformly generalized or quantified arbitrarily

Recruitment Process in Uniformed Services like the one being conducted by TSLPRB has 3 Stages of Recruitment. In the Recruitment Process of 2022-23 the 3 Stages are –

- Preliminary Written Test with more than 7.3 Lakh individual Candidates having more than <u>12.9 Lakh Candidatures</u>
- Physical Measurement / Efficiency Test with <u>nearly 3 Lakh Candidates with more than 6.2</u> <u>Lakh Candidatures</u>
- Final Written Test with more than 1.2 Lakh Candidates having nearly 2.7 Lakh Candidatures

It is virtually impossible and administratively infeasible to keep on verifying the Eligibility Criteria at earlier Stages of the Recruitment Process wherein there will be Lakhs of Candidates who apply online for various Posts simultaneously through an integrated Application Form and who do not come in physical contact with the Board as regards their Certificates and Documents. Naturally; prior to Certificate Verification, the Board conducts the process solely based on the Qualifications and Eligibility claimed by the Candidates in their Applications. In this timetested procedure – the Board verifies the Certificates of only those Candidates who qualified in the Final Written Examination.

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TSLPRB Notifications clearly mention all the Eligibility criteria concerning Academic, Driving License, Age. Local Candidature, Horizontal / Vertical Reservations (and relevant Concessions) etc. Since the Applications are taken online the Candidates are advised unequivocally in this regard – at several places in each Notification (as illustrated below by a few excerpts – as examples – from the Notifications) that the <u>Candidates should satisfy themselves of their eligibility</u> (as per the Qualifications / Eligibility criteria mentioned in the Notification) and then only apply.

#### 3. CANDIDATES TO CHECK THEIR ELIGIBILITY BEFORE APPLYING

Candidates who are desirous and eligible <u>REPEAT</u> eligible only may apply through <u>ONLINE mode only</u> after having satisfied themselves of their eligibility for this recruitment.

- b) Candidates should satisfy themselves of their eligibility before applying. Candidates should not register more than once for the present Recruitment Process which
- Due to various Age criteria and different Age relaxations being there for different Posts, Age validation is not being done in the Online Application Form. It is the responsibility of the Candidates to satisfy themselves about their Age eligibility for the Post(s) applied for
- m) If Candidates who are Under-Age or Over-Age apply for this Recruitment Notification, TSLPRB is not responsible and their candidature will be rejected at any time. Fees once paid will not be refunded

# 18. ELIGIBILITY CONDITIONS (CANDIDATES TO ENSURE THEIR ELIGIBILITY FOR THE EXAMINATION)

Candidates applying for the examination should ensure themselves that they fulfill all the eligibility conditions for admission to the examination. Their admission at all the stages of the Examination(s) / Test(s) will be purely provisional and shall be subject to satisfying the prescribed eligibility conditions.

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Similarly, Academic Qualifications of each Post notified are clearly mentioned in the Notifications as is illustrated by the following excerpt concerning SCT PCs (as an example) –

**D.** Educational Qualification: Must have passed Intermediate or its equivalent examination recognized by the State Government as on 1<sup>st</sup> July 2022.

Provided that, Intermediate Pass Certificate cum Memorandum of Marks or any equivalent pass Certificate which proves the qualification shall be made available by the Candidate at the time of certificate verification to prove his / her qualification on or before 1<sup>st</sup> July 2022. If any Candidate fails to produce the required pass certificate as above on the designated day, then it shall be deemed that he / she does not possess required qualification and such candidature shall not be taken forward. Any certificates produced after the last date of Certificate Verification shall not be taken into consideration.

<u>Note:Candidates</u> who possess higher qualification than the prescribed one will also be considered on par with the Candidates who possess the prescribed qualification.

During the conduct of the 3-Stage Process of Recruitment of SLPRB, <u>thousands of</u> <u>Candidates would be requesting the Board to modify their Application Data and TSLPRB</u> <u>facilitates such modifications at appropriate junctures – till Certificate Verification</u> – (after due verification) by taking all precautions regarding integrity and security of Data. In the ongoing Recruitment Process there were more than 12,000 requests for modification of Application Data.

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Thus, the <u>Data of Candidates including their Qualifications and Eligibility Criteria attains finality</u> only after the Certificate Verification process is over.

With regard to the age concessions applicable to each Candidate -

- Since each Candidate applies for several Posts using the same simplified Online Application of TSLPRB – maximum age differs from Post to Post within the same Application of a Candidate
- There will be several age concessions which are not Caste / Community based which cannot be perfectly quantified like –
  - > Telangana State Government employee
  - Service in Army/Navy/Air Force
  - > Homeguard
  - Widow / Divorced / Judicially Separated Women
  - Service as NCC Instructor
  - Retrenched Temporary Employee of Census Department
- In several instances as the above, <u>the age concession due to each Candidate is uniquely</u> <u>different and can only be perfectly calculated after seeing the Original Certificates</u> <u>during Certificate Verification.</u>
- Further, as already mentioned above, <u>the Data of Candidates including their Eligibility</u> of Age attains finality only after the Certificate Verification process is over.

In any process of Recruitment, the Recruitment Board ideally endeavours to see to it that only genuinely qualified and eligible Candidates come into the Zone of Consideration for Selection. It is natural that certain proportion of the Candidates get filtered-out at every stage of any Recruitment Process. Also, Candidates who are not eligible / qualified should not come in way of genuinely qualified and eligible Candidates claiming unsustainable and unreasonable excuses. In this regard, the TSLPRB at every stage of the Recruitment Process has been taking utmost care to ensure ultimate fairness, transparency and impeccable integrity. The Board has been communicating with the Candidates through the Website: www.tslprb.in and also in an individualized manner through e-mail and text messages wherever necessary. The Candidates are advised not to fall prey to the sensationally misleading information that is at times circulated in media / social media.

A Candidate who sincerely prepares for the Recruitment Examinations should always rely only on the information given by the Recruitment Board through the Website, Press Notes, Individualized Messages and should not be disturbed by motivated campaigns of misinformation done with vested interest.

#### **Beware of Touts and Cheats**

In any Recruitment Process, towards the final stage, Cheats and Touts become active and try to make money by deceiving gullible Candidates with false promises. In this regard, these Criminals customarily employ certain characteristic methodologies like –

- (a) Seeking deposit of a considerable amount of money in a Joint Bank Account or with a mediator, which will be taken away fully by the Broker if the Candidate is successful in getting a job (obviously the Broker is making money by playing on the chances of the Candidate)
- (b) Pretend to make fake phone-calls or set-up sham meetings with their accessaries / associates, to make the Candidates believe that the Broker has an Insider-Contact who is influential enough to get the job. In some instances, the Candidate will be taken to Secretariat / Government Offices and will be made to waitoutside while the Tout pretends to be meeting Senior Political / Bureaucratic Functionaries
- (c) Tell the Candidates that there will be quotas of so-many Posts / Vacancies set aside for Senior Political / Bureaucratic Functionaries which can be bought by paying large amounts of money in bribes
- (d) Use forged / fake documents and videos, e-mails and website-posts and other forms of communication, to make their false claims look authentic

Candidates are strongly cautioned to beware of those unscrupulous elements / touts who try to dupe innocent people / unemployed youth with false promises of providing them jobs. Candidates are warned not to believe them or give any money to such people. If they do so, such Candidates automatically become ineligible for the all the recruitment opportunities of the government in the present as well as future.

#### **Reward up to Rs.3 Lakhs for Information on Touts and Cheats**

The Board is staunchly committed to the recruitment of **the best and most deserving Candidates**, <u>based purely on their merit in the Academic and Physical Tests</u> by strictly following the Rules. In this regard, the Candidates are alerted to pay no heed to any false, sensational or unsubstantiated rumours. *Several Special Task Teams have already been deployed across the State to check the nefarious activities of the swindlers and frauds who try to hoodwink prospective victims*. Simultaneously, Candidates are advised to inform the Police or TSLPRB Authorities or contact us on 93937 11110 or 93910 05006, to pass on information on Cheats / Touts / Brokers. Depending on the quality of the information, the Board will reward those persons giving reliable and workable information, with a suitable monetary incentive extending up to Rs.3 lakhs</u>. Identity of the persons giving such information will be kept highly confidential. The above Information is being issued in the general interest of the Candidates.

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