PRESS NOTE

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The 2nd Stage of Filtration Process in the ongoing Recruitment viz., Physical Measurement Test / Physical Efficiency Test (PMT / PET) is going on seamlessly since 8th December 2022 and at present the process is continuing in 9 Venues in Hyderabad, Cyberabad, Rachakonda, Warangal, Karimnagar, Khammam, Mahabubnagar, Nalgonda, and Siddipet besides having concluded successfully at 3 Venues of Sangareddy (on 17th December), Adilabad (on 19th December), Nizamabad (on 20th December). The PMT / PET Process has already been conducted for 18 working days as on today covering nearly 70% of all the eligible Candidates and it will conclude in another 8-9 days.

Simplified PMT / PET Process – Excellent Percentage of Qualification

The present PMT / PET Process as notified on the basis of the relevant Government Orders (as is already known to the Candidates) – with an objective to make the process simpler, swifter, equitable, formidable (against intervention and manipulation) – has ushered in several improvements including –

- ➤ Having only 1 Run Event equitably to both Male and Female Candidates (earlier Men had 2 Run Events and Women had 1 Run Event)
- Having only 3 PET (Physical) Events (RFID Run, Long Jump, Shotput) for both Male and Female Candidates by removing High-Jump Event for the Men completely (earlier Men had 5 PET Events and Women had 3 PET Events)
- ➤ Doing away with the Chest Measurement for Male Candidates thus making PMT (comprising of only Height Measurement) equitable for both Men and Women
- > Precluding all chances of data-manipulation by making Run Event (with RFID Digital Readings) as the only Merit-Event for Selection in Armed Police, Special Police and SPF
- Having Long Jump and Shotput (with 3 chances each) both as Qualifying Events only for Men as well as Women - wherein 83% Men and 80% Women Candidates are qualifying in Long Jump and 93% Men and 96% Women are qualifying in Shotput
- > Conducting PMT using Digital Height Measurement Machines fitted with Analog (Physical) Measuring Scale on one side of the Digital Height Machine for reference and confirmatory purposes
- Institutionalizing a system of Appeal on Height Measurement on the PMT / PET Ground itself, by all the Candidates who undermeasure by 1 cm (10 mm) or less
- Having CCTV Coverage of the Physical Events as well as Height Measurement with all the clocks synchronized to the Indian Standard Time

Nearly 54% of the competing Candidates (which is higher than the 52% qualification during the PMT / PET of the previous Recruitment Process of 2018-19) have been qualifying in PMT / PET

<u>in the present Recruitment Process</u> while availing of the benefits of the aforementioned simplifications and improvements. In this regard, the Board has been ensuring that the interests of all the Candidates are well-safeguarded and Qualification / Disqualification is decided solely on the basis of the parameters notified as per relevant Rules, Regulations and Government Orders.

Court Orders Related (Pregnant Women Candidates etc)

Telangana State Level Police Recruitment has been promptly following-up all Court related matters and taking swift action in filing Counter Affidavits, Appeals (where required), and complying with directions (where appropriate) with the help of able legal guidance. Candidates being usually not conversant with the legal process (including appeal), conditions in directions etc. are likely to fall prey to misguidance by certain vested interests. Similarly, there could be legal matters in which the process of Appeal or Special Leave Petition are in currency and Candidates should not presume finality to have been reached in the said matter because of an Order either interim or otherwise. In this regard, the Candidates are advised to take proper guidance from their well-wishers who are capable of explaining the purport of Court Orders and also the action, if any, to be initiated by the Candidate himself / herself as per such orders.

For instance, a few qualified pregnant women have been permitted by the Court to take Final Written Examination (FWE) without undergoing PMT / PET now – by giving a written undertaking to the Board that they will go through the PMT / PET – if qualified in FWE – within 1 month of the declaration of the Result of the Final Written Examination. All <u>such Women Candidates have to necessarily give a written undertaking to the Board to be able to avail of the relief given to them by the Court.</u> If they do not give such a written undertaking then it will be presumed that they have no interest in appearing in the FWE and the Board will not allow them to take the Final Written Examination.

Final Written Examinations - Candidates advised to be Prepared

The Board has been trying diligently to complete the Recruitment Process as fast as possible while scrupulously abiding by all the relevant Rules and Regulations. Evidently, the Final Written Examinations are being planned to be conducted as soon as possible after the PMT / PET Process concludes. All the eligible Candidates are advised to be ready and well prepared to appear in the Final Written Examinations and give their best.

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