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NOTIFICATION

The 19th December, 2022

No.AAP.195/2022/11.- In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, the Governor of Assam is hereby pleased to make the following rules further to amend the Assam Public Services Combined Competitive Examination Rules,1989 (as amended), hereinafter referred to as the principal Rules, in the manner hereinafter appearing, namely: -

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| Short title and commencement | 1. (1) These rules may be called the Assam Public Services Combined Competitive Examination (Amendment) Rules, 2022
(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette. |
| Substitution in Schedule II | 2. In the principal rules, for the existing Rule 5 of Schedule II, the following shall be substituted, namely

“(5) (a) A candidate must hold a degree of any of the Universities incorporated by an Act of the Central or State Legislature in India or other educational Institution established by an Act of Parliament or declared to be deemed as a University under Section 3 of the University Grants Commission Act, 1956 or possess such qualification as may be declared equivalent by the Government.

(b) A candidate should be able to speak Assamese or other official language or associate official languages of the State or any of the tribal languages of the State. |

(c) A candidate should be registered in a District Employment Office of Assam.

(d) A candidate must be an original inhabitant of Assam.”

Substitution and Omission 3.
in Appendix I in Section-I
and Section - II

In the Principal Rules in Appendix I,

- (i) In SECTION- I, in point no. 3 for the existing provision, the following shall be substituted namely:

“(3) The main examination will consist of written examination and interview tests. The written examination will consist of one Essay Paper, five papers on the subject of General Studies. The interview will carry marks as shown in SECTION-II (with no qualifying marks).

The question paper shall be set out in English and Assamese. A candidate should be allowed to write his/her answer papers in English or Assamese Language.

Marks thus obtained by the candidates in the Main Examination (Written Part as well as Interview) would determine their final ranking. Candidates shall be allotted to the various services keeping in view their ranks in the examination and(respective) preference expressed by them for different posts and reservations therein”

- (ii) In ‘Section-II, (b) Main Examination (Written and Interview)’ for the existing provision, the following shall be substituted, namely:

“The Main Examination shall consist of Written Examination and an Interview Test. The Written Examination shall consist of six papers of conventional essay type/ objective type with limited words. Marks obtained in Interview for personality Test shall be counted for ranking.

Details of papers for Main Examination:

Sl. No.	Papers	Type of paper	Marks	Duration in Hours
(i)	Paper 1	Essay	250	3 hours
(ii)	Paper 2 to 6	General Studies	250 for each paper	3 hours for each paper
(iii)	Interview Test (After qualifying in written test)		275	
			Total: 1775	

The details of the Syllabi of the Papers/subject for Main Examination are at Part B of APPENDIX-II. Detailed framework for interview is at Part C of APPENDIX-II.”

- (iii) In Section –III, PART B: Main Examination (Written and Interview Test) for the existing provision, the following shall be substituted namely:

- “(1) Essay paper
(2) General Studies Papers
(3) Interview Tests.

Details of syllabi of General Studies Papers are at PART-B of APPENDIX-II and details framework for Interview Tests is at PART-C of APPENDIX-II”.

Omission in Appendix II 4.

In the principal Rules in Appendix II

- (i) In ‘PART B, Combined Competitive (Main) Examination (Written and Interview) Main Examination: The written examination will consists of the following papers:-’ the whole paragraph namely “Qualifying nature – Marks not counted – Passing mandatory” shall be omitted.
- (ii) In PART B, the paragraphs, namely “Paper-VII Optional Subject (Paper I) -250 Marks Paper- VIII” and “Optional Subject (Paper II) - 250 Marks” along with “Syllabus for Optional Subjects” shall be omitted.

NIRAJ VERMA,
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