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Karnataka Government Secretariat,
M.S.Building,
Bangalore, dated: 08.07.2020.

NOTIFICATION

Whereas the draft of the Karnataka Education Department Services (Collegiate Education Department) (Recruitment of Assistant Professor) (Special) Rules, 2020 was published as required by clause (a) of sub-section (2) of section 3 of the Karnataka State Civil Services Act, 1978 (Karnataka Act 14 of 1990) in Notification No. ED 257 DCE 2019 (part-3), dated:10.02.2020 in part IV-A No.47 of the Karnataka Gazette Extra-ordinary dated:11.02.2020 inviting objections and suggestions from all persons likely to be affected within fifteen days from the date of its publication in the official Gazette.

And whereas the said Gazette was made available to the public on 11th February, 2020.

And whereas objections and suggestions have been received and considered by the State Government.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred sub-section (1) of section 3 read with section 8 of the Karnataka State Civil Services Act, 1978 (Karnataka Act 14 of 1990), the Government of Karnataka hereby makes the following rules, namely: -

RULES

1. Title, commencement and application. - (1) These rules may be called the Karnataka Education Department Services (Collegiate Education Department) (Recruitment of Assistant Professor) (Special) Rules, 2020.

(2) They shall come into force from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

(3) Notwithstanding anything contained in the Karnataka Education Department Service (Collegiate Education Department) (Recruitment) Rules, 2008, or any other rules Governing the Recruitment to the posts of Assistant Professors, in the Collegiate Education Department these rules shall apply to 221 Hyderabad-Karnataka cadre and 1021 residual parent cadre direct recruitment vacancies of the posts of Assistant Professor in the Collegiate Education existing as on the date of commencement of these rules.

Provided that, nothing in these rules shall apply to more than one recruitment.

2. Definitions.- (1) In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires,-

- (a) "Appointing Authority" means the Government of Karnataka;
- (b) "Competitive Examination" means the examination conducted by the Selection Authority in accordance with these rules.
- (c) "National Eligibility Test (NET)" means National Eligibility Test (NET) conducted by the designated agency or the University Grants Commission or CSIR;
- (d) "State Level Eligibility Test (SLET)" means "State Level Eligibility Test (SLET) accredited to the UGC and conducted by the designated agency as notified by the University Grants Commission or CSIR;
- (e) "Selection" means selection in accordance with the provisions of present Rules by the Selection Authority;
- (f) "Selection Authority" means the Karnataka Public Service Commission (KPSC) or any other agency notified by the State Government to be the Selection Authority for the purpose of these rules.

(2) Words and expressions used but not defined in these rules shall have the meanings assigned to them in the Karnataka State Civil Services (General Recruitment) Rules, 1977.

3. Qualification and age.- No person shall be eligible for recruitment under these rules unless he has,-

(a) A Master's degree with fifty five percent marks (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) in a concerned or relevant or allied subject from an Indian University or an equivalent degree from an accredited foreign university:

Provided,-

- (i) a candidate must have studied the subject to which application is submitted as an optional subject in under graduate level. In case of Government Notifications issued from time to time under clause (h) of sub rule (1) of rule 2 of the Karnataka Civil Services (General Recruitment) Rules, 1977 declaring qualification obtained in one subject to be equivalent to qualification obtained in another subject, such equivalent qualification and subjects shall be considered.
- (ii) a relaxation of five percent shall be allowed at the Bachelor's as well as at the masters level for the candidates belonging to Scheduled Caste or Scheduled Tribe or Other Backward Classes (OBC) (Non-creamy layer) or persons with Bench mark Disability as defined in the Right of persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 (Central Act 49 of 2016) for the purpose of eligibility and assessing good academic record for direct recruitment. The eligibility marks of fifty five percent (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) and the relaxation of five percent to the categories mentioned above are permissible, based on only the qualifying marks without including any grace mark procedures.
- (iii) relaxation of five percent shall be provided, (from fifty five percent to fifty percent of the marks) to the Ph.D. Degree holders, who

have obtained their Masters Degree prior to 19 the September, 1991.

(iv) a relevant grade which is regarded as equivalent of fifty five percent, wherever the grading system is followed by a university, established by Law at the Master's level shall also be considered valid.

(b) and been declared successful in the "National Eligibility Test" conducted by UGC or CSIR or similar test accredited by UGC like "State Level Eligibility Test" or "KSET"

(i) Provided that the candidates, who have been awarded Ph. D. Degree in accordance with the University Grants Commission (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of M.Phil. or Ph.D. Degree) Regulation, 2009 or University Grants Commission(Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of M.Phil or Ph.D. Degree) Regulation, 2016 and their subsequent amendments from time to time as the case may be, shall be exempted from the requirement of the minimum eligibility condition of NET or SLET or SET.

(ii) Provided further that, the award of degree to candidates registered for the M.Phil or Ph.D Programme prior to 11th July 2009, shall be governed by the provisions of the then existing Ordinances or Bye laws or Regulations of the institutions awarding the degree and such Ph.D candidates shall be exempted from the requirement of NET or SLET or SET subject to the fulfillment of the following conditions:

- (a) The Ph.D degree of the candidate has been awarded in a regular mode;
- (b) The Ph.D. Thesis has been awarded by atleast two external examiners;
- (c) An open Ph.D viva voce of the candidate had been conducted;
- (d) Candidate has published two research papers from his Ph.D work out of which at least one must be in a refereed journal;
- (e) Candidate has presented at least two papers, based on his Ph.D work in conferences or seminars sponsored or funded or supported by the UGC or ICSSR or CSIR or any similar agency;

The fulfilment of these conditions is to be certified by the Registrar or Dean (Academic Affairs) of the University concerned.

(iii) Provided also that if the Ph.D degree has been obtained from foreign university or institution with a ranking among top 500 in the world University Ranking (at any time) by any one of the following:-

- (i) Quacquarelli Symonds (QS)
- (ii) the times Higher Education (THE) or
- (iii) the academic Ranking of World Universities (ARWU) of the Shanghai Jiao Tong University (Shanghai) shall be exempted from the requirement of NET or SLET or SET.

(c) NET or SLET or SET shall also not be required for such Masters Programmes in disciplines for which NET or SLET or KSET is not conducted by the UGC, CSIR or similar test accredited by the UGC like SLET or KSET.

(d) Education qualifications prescribed by the University Grants Commission (UGC) in regulations or guidelines issued from time to time shall be applicable in so far as the post of Assistant Professor.

(e) He must have attained age of Twenty Two years and but not have attained the age of,-

- (i) forty-five years in case of candidates belonging to Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes and Category-1 of other Backward Classes;
- (ii) forty-three years in case of candidates belonging to Category-II(a), II(b), III(a) and III(b) of other backward classes; and
- (iii) forty years in case of any other persons.

Provided that the maximum age limit prescribed above shall be enhanced by five years to those categories, except for persons with bench mark disability eligible for age enhancement as in sub-rule (3) of rule 6 of the Karnataka Civil Services (General Recruitment) Rules, 1977. In case of Persons with bench mark disability, the maximum age limit prescribed above shall be enhanced by ten years.

Provided further that in case of candidates who are ex-service man, the maximum age limit prescribed above shall be enhanced by three years plus the number of years of service rendered by him in the Armed forces of the Union.

4. Notification of vacancies.- Appointing Authority shall notify the vacancies under each subject as per reservation policy applicable to direct recruitment issued by Government from time to time for selection through Selection Authority notified by the State Government in turn which shall make the selection in accordance with the rules.

5. Inviting applications.- The Selection Authority shall call for applications in the specified form, from eligible candidates by giving wide publicity in at least three leading Kannada newspapers and three leading English newspapers having wide circulation in the State. The advertisement shall also indicate the conditions of eligibility, the method of selection, provisional number of vacancies to be filled and their classification according to reservation policy of the State.

6. Method of selection.- The method of direct recruitment under these rules shall be on the basis of merit determined by taking into account marks obtained in the competitive examination conducted by the Selection Authority.

7. Mode of competitive examinations.- all eligible candidates shall appear for the competitive examination conducted by the Selection Authority. The competitive examination shall be conducted in following manner, namely.-

Written Examination:-

A Compulsory papers:-

(1) Paper I	Kannada	100 marks
(2) Paper II	English	100 marks

B Compulsory papers:-

(3) paper III	General Knowledge	50 marks (Objective multiple Choice)
(4) Paper IV	Optional Subject	250 marks(Objective multiple choice)

Note:- (1) The marks obtained in **A** Compulsory papers i.e., in Kannada and in English shall be of qualifying nature. For qualifying in these papers, a minimum of 30 % in each paper and 35% aggregate is prescribed. The marks obtained in these 02 papers shall not be considered for determining the merit for selection. The standard of **A** Compulsory papers i.e., Kannada and English shall be that of

First Language Kannada and First Language English respectively at S.S.L.C. level.

(2) The standard of paper IV shall be post Graduate Level.

(3) The **B Compulsory** papers shall be set both in Kannada and English.

(4) **Papers I, II and III** shall be of 02 hours duration.

(5) Paper IV shall be of 3 hours duration.

(6) **B Compulsory** papers shall have negative marking (with deduction of $\frac{1}{4}$ of **marks for** each wrong answer).

Paper III – General Knowledge.- covering General Knowledge of topics relating to current events, general science, humanities, Indian economy and matters of every day observation and practical knowledge as may be expected of a person who has passed the prescribed qualifying examination.

Paper IV – Optional subject.- The syllabus of this paper shall be prescribed by the subject expert committee constituted by the Department of Collegiate Education, in such a manner so as to measure the Knowledge of the candidate in **the** concerned subject.

8. List of selected candidates.- (1) The Selection Authority shall, on the basis of merit determined on marks secured in the competitive examination by the candidates and reservation policy of the state prepare a final selection list in respect of each subjects or posts, eligible candidates for appointment equal to the number of posts notified and if the aggregate of the percentage of total marks secured in the competitive examination of two or more candidates is equal, the order of merit in respect of such candidates shall be fixed on the basis of their age, the person older in age being placed higher in the order of merit. There shall be no interview.

(2) Selection Authority shall also prepare an additional list of such of the candidates not included in the main list prepared under sub-rule (1). The number of candidates to be included in the additional lists shall be as for as possible 10% of the main list the number of candidates in each of the reservation categories (horizontal and vertical) in the list under sub-rule (1). There shall be at least one candidate in the additional list belonging to each of the reservation

categories (horizontal and vertical) represented in the list under sub-rule (1). If a candidate whose name is included in the list under sub-rule (1) fails to report for duty within the prescribed period, then a candidate belonging to the same reservation category as of the candidate who failed to report for duty shall be appointed from the additional list.

(3) The list prepared under sub-rules (1) and (2) shall be published in the Official Gazette and on the Notice Board of the office of the Secretary to Government, Education Department (Higher Education), M.S. Building, Bangalore under intimation to the candidates **and shall uploaded in Department of Collegiate Education Website** and shall be valid till all the vacancies specified under these rules are filled up or till the publication of next select list of this cadre whichever is earlier.

9. Appointment of candidates.- (1) The Selection Authority shall forward the selection list and the additional list to the Appointing Authority.

(2) Candidates whose names are included in the final selection list prepared by the selection authority as under rule 8 may be appointed by the appointing authority in the vacancies in the order in which their names are found in the final select list after satisfying itself regarding their antecedents and after such enquiry as may be considered necessary that each of the candidate is suitable in all respect for such appointment.

(3) The appointing authority in respect of the final selection list shall issue appointment orders only after verification of the different certificate and marks cards.

(4) Inclusion of the name of a candidate in the list published under Rule 8 shall not confer any right of appointment. The candidates selected in the additional list may be appointed in the post left vacant due to non-reporting of candidates in the main list.

10. Application of other rules.- The Karnataka State Civil Services (General Recruitment) Rules, 1977, the Karnataka Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1957, the Karnataka Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1966 and the Karnataka Civil Services (Probation) Rules, 1977 and all other rules

for the time being in force regulating the conditions of service of Government servants made or deemed to have been made under the Karnataka State Civil Services Act, 1978 (Karnataka Act 14 of 1990) in so far as such rules are not inconsistent with the provisions of these rules shall be applicable to the selection made and to the persons appointed under these rules.

By order and in the Name of the
Governor of Karnataka

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