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Combined Technical Services Examination (Interview Posts)

Applications are invited only through online mode for direct recruitment to the posts in Combined Technical Services Examination (Interview Posts).

1. Important Instructions:

1.1. Candidates to ensure their eligibility for the examination:

All candidates are requested to carefully read the “Instructions to Applicants” available in the Commission’s website www.tnpsc.gov.in and this Notification. The candidates applying for the examination should ensure that they fulfill all eligibility conditions for admission to the examination. Their admission to all stages of the examination will be purely provisional, subject to their satisfying the eligibility conditions. Mere admission to the written examination, certificate verification, interview, counselling or inclusion of name in the selection list will not confer on the candidates any right to appointment. The Commission reserves the right to reject candidature at any stage, after due process even after selection has been made, if a wrong claim or violation of rules or instructions is confirmed.

1.2. Important Dates and Time:

Date of Notification	07.05.2025
Date of commencement of receiving application	13.05.2025
Last date and time for submission of online application	11.06.2025 11.59 P.M
Application Correction Window period	15.06.2025 12.01 A.M to 17.06.2025 11.59 P.M
Date and Time of Examination	
Paper – I	
Subject	Subject Code
Tamil Eligibility Test, General Studies, Aptitude and Mental Ability	503
Paper - II	
Subject Paper	Subject Code
Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Science (Degree Standard)	396
Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Science (PG Degree Standard)	397
Archaeology, Epigraphy, History, Manuscriptology and Tamil	565
Associate Company Secretaryship (Final)	473
Basics of Engineering	422
Bio-Technology	471

20.07.2025 to 23.07.2025

Business Administration	385	20.07.2025 to 23.07.2025
Chemical Engineering	405	
Chemical and Mechanical Engineering	528	
Computer Science, Information Technology, Electrical, Electronics, Communication and Mechanical Engineering	566	
Engineering and Business Administration (Infrastructure)	474	
Engineering and Business Administration (Project Management)	475	
Environmental Science	298	
Financial and Cost Accountancy	434	
Law	414	
Mining Engineering	347	
Personnel Management, Industrial Relations, Business Administration and Social Work	561	
Psychology	372	
Sociology	344	
Statistics	410	
Statistics and Economics	564	
Statistics, Mathematics and Economics (Degree Standard)	504	
Statistics, Mathematics and Economics (PG Degree Standard)	563	
Stenography in English	378	
Stenography in Tamil	383	
Traditional Architecture and Sculpture	511	
Town and Country Planning	382	
Town Planning	519	
Zoology and Medical Entomology	567	

1.2.1. The paper wise date and time for the examination, will be informed only through Commission's website www.tnpsc.gov.in

1.3. How to Apply:

1.3.1. One Time Registration and Online Application:

Candidates are required to apply online by using the Commission's website www.tnpscexams.in. The candidate needs to register himself / herself first at the One Time Registration (OTR) platform, available on the Commission's website, and then proceed to fill up the online application for the examination. If the candidate is already registered, he / she can proceed straightway to fill up the online application for the examination.

1.3.2. Application Correction Window:

After the last date for submission of online application, the Application Correction Window will open for 3 days from 15.06.2025 to 17.06.2025. During this period, candidates will be able to edit the details in their online application. After the last date of the Application Correction Window period, no modification is allowed in the online application.

1.3.3. Subject Paper Options:

Candidates should choose the subject paper(s) and specify in the online application. The candidates should only choose the subject paper(s) in which they have obtained the educational qualification or equivalent qualification for appearing in the examination.

1.3.4. The detailed instructions regarding how to apply and the examination centres are available in Annexure I of this Notification.

1.3.5. Any claim by the candidate after the submission of an online application will not be entertained.

1.4. Banned Items:

1.4.1. Candidates are not allowed to bring mobile phone, pager or any electronic equipment or programmable device or storage media like pen drive, smart watches, watches with in-built memory notes, rings with in-built memory notes, etc., or camera or Bluetooth devices or communication chips or any other equipment or related accessories either in working or switched off mode capable of being used as a communication device into the examination hall / room. Candidates are not allowed to bring non-electronic devices such as P&G Design Data Book, mathematical and drawing instruments, log tables, stencils of maps, slide rules, books, notes, loose sheets, guides, rough sheets, hand bags into the examination hall / room.

1.4.2. If they are found to have any such things or instruments, they will not be allowed to write the examination, besides invalidation of the answer sheet and / or debarment and / or rejection of candidature. If it is considered necessary, they will be subjected to a thorough physical search including frisking on the spot.

1.4.3. Candidates are advised, in their own interest, not to bring any of the banned items including mobile phones to the venue of the examination, as arrangements for safekeeping of the same cannot be assured.

2. Warning:

2.1. All the recruitments by the Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission are purely merit-based. The Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission hereby cautions the candidates against touts and agents who may cheat, by making false promises of securing jobs through unfair means. The Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission shall not be responsible or liable for any loss that may be caused to any candidate on account of indulging in any sort of dealings with such unscrupulous elements.

2.2. Candidates are solely responsible for their claims in the online application. They cannot blame service providers like internet cafes / browsing centers / common service centers for the mistakes made while applying online for recruitment. Candidates are advised to check the filled-in online application before finally submitting the same.

3. Posts and Vacancies:

S. No.	Name of the Post	Post Code	Name of the Department / Organization	Distribution of Vacancies		Number of Vacancies	Level of Pay
1.	Deputy Director (Legal)	3540	Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission	GT(G)	1	1	Level 29 CPS
2.	Assistant Director (Statistical Analyst)	3543		SF_SC	1	1 ^{\$}	Level 25 (CPS)
3.	Manager (Mines)	3393	Tamil Nadu Cements Corporation Limited	GT(G)	1	1	Level 26 (EPF)
4.	Deputy Manager (Environment)	3398		GT(G)	1	1	Level 25 (EPF)

5.	Assistant Manager (Mines)	3404	Tamil Nadu Cements Corporation Limited	GT(W)	1	3	Level 22 (EPF)
				BC(G)	1		
				SC(G)	1		
6.	Assistant Manager (P&A)	3486		MBC/DC(G)	1	1	
7.	Factory Manager (SKD)	3595	Tamil Nadu Magnesite Limited	GT(G)	1	1	Level 26 (EPF)
8.	Factory Manager (RKD)	3596		GT(G)	1	1	
9.	Assistant General Manager (Projects) Infrastructure	3345	Tamil Nadu Industrial Development Corporation Limited	GT(G)	1	2	Level 25 (EPF)
				SC(A)(W)(PSTM)	1		
10.	Assistant General Manager (Projects) Project Management	3344		GT(G)	1	2	
				SC(A)(W)(PSTM)	1		
11.	Assistant Secretary	3360		SC(A)(W)(PSTM)	1	2	Level 22 (EPF)
				MBC/DC(G)	1		
12.	Scientist 'C' Grade	3340	Forest	GT(G)	1	1	Level 25 (CPS)
13.	Chief Sthapathi	3525	Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowments	GT(G)	1	1	
14.	Regional Sthapathi	3526		GT(G)	3	21	Level 22 (CPS)
				GT(G)(PSTM)	1		
				GT(W)	2		
				BC(G)	4		
				BC(G)(PSTM)	1		
				BC(G)(W)	2		
				MBC/DC(G)	2		
				MBC/DC(G)(PSTM)	1		
				MBC/DC(W)	1		
				SC(G)	2		
				SC(W)	1		
				SC(A)(W)(PSTM)	1		
15.	Assistant Manager (Projects)	3346	Tamil Nadu Urban and Finance Infrastructure Development Corporation Limited	BL_MBC/DC(G)	1	2**	Level 22 (EPF)
				BL_SC(G)	1		
16.	Assistant Director of Statistics	2097	Economics and Statistics	Will be announced later		3@	Level 22 (CPS)
17.	English Reporter	2090	Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly	BL_MBC/DC(G)	2	5*@	
				BL_SC(G)	2		
				SF_SC(G)	1	1\$	
18.	Tamil Reporter	3336		SF_SC(G)	1		
19.	Assistant Director of Town and Country Planning	1778	Town and Country Planning	Will be announced later		3	
20.	Assistant Superintendent (Chemical Wing)	1894	Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises	SC(A)(W)(PSTM)	1	1	

21.	Assistant Director Industries and Commerce (Survey and Statistics)	1876		SF_SC(G)	3	3 ^{\$}	Level 22 (CPS)
22.	Assistant Planner	3542	Chennai Metropolitan Development Authority	GT(G)	1	6	
				GT(W)	1		
				BC(G)	1		
				BC(W)	1		
				MBC/DC(G)(PSTM)	1		
				SC(G)(PSTM)	1		
23.	Psychologist	1942	Prisons and Correctional Services	GT(G)	1	3	
				GT(W)	1		
				BC(G)	1		
24.	Senior Accounts Officer	3535	Chennai Metropolitan Water supply and Sewerage Board	SF_ST(G)	1	1 ^{\$}	
25.	Research Assistant	1694	Institute of Veterinary Preventive Medicine, Ranipet	BL_GT(HH)	1	3*	
				GT(W)	1		
				BL_ST(G)	1		
26.	Sociologist	3025	Police	GT(G)	1	1	
27.	Senior Entomologist	2032	Public Health and Preventive Medicine	GT(G)	6	33	
				GT(G)(PSTM)	1		
				GT(W)	3		
				BC(G)	4		
				BC(G)(PSTM)	1		
				BC(W)	3		
				BC(M)(G)	1		
				MBC/DC(G)	4		
				MBC/DC(G)(PSTM)	1		
				MBC/DC(W)	2		
				SC(G)	2		
				SC(G)(PSTM)	1		
				SC(W)	2		
				SC(A)(G)(PSTM)	1		
				SC(A)(W)(PSTM)	1		
28.	Assistant Director Training / Principal, ITI	1729	Employment and Training	GT(G)	1	2 [@]	
				SF_ST(G)	1		
29.	Assistant Director (Technical)	3534	Archaeology	GT(G)	1	2	
				SC(A)(W)(PSTM)	1		
30.	Veterinary Assistant Surgeon	1695	Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Service	Will be announced later		216	
31.	Assistant Manager	3616	State Industries Promotion Corporation of Tamil Nadu Limited	BC(G)(PSTM)	1	4	
				BC(M)(G)	1		
				MBC/DC(G)	1		
				SC(G)	1		
32.	Assistant Manager	3665		GT(G)(PSTM)	1	2	
				SC(W)	1		
Total						330	

* Including backlog vacancies	
** Only backlog vacancies	
@ Including shortfall vacancies	
\$ Only shortfall vacancies	
Abbreviations:	
CPS - Contributory Pension Scheme	PFTR - Provident Fund Trust Rules
EPF - Employees' Provident Fund	SPF - Special Provident Fund
GSTR - Gratuity Fund Trust Rules	GSTR - Gratuity Scheme Trust Rules

3.1. The number of vacancies notified is tentative and is liable for modification, before the publication of the results of the written examination. Whenever the vacancies are revised, the number of candidates selected for the successive stages will also be revised commensurately.

3.2. The Commission reserves the right to include additional posts with different nomenclature and having similar eligibility conditions, as announced in this notification.

4. Eligibility Conditions:

4.1. Age Limit: (as on 01.07.2025)

The candidates should have completed the age of 21 years for all the posts. The category wise maximum age limit and age concession details are given below.

4.1.1. Others (Candidates not belonging to SCs, SC(A)s, STs, MBCs/DCs, BC(OBCM)s and BCMs):

S. No.	Name of the Post	Post Code	Maximum Age (Should not have completed)	Age Concession		
				Persons with Benchmark Disability	Ex-Servicemen	Destitute Widow
1.	Assistant Director of Town and Country Planning	1778	32**	42	50	No Maximum Age Limit
2.	Assistant Manager (Mines)	3404	32			
3.	Assistant Manager (P&A)	3486				
4.	Assistant Planner	3542				
5.	English Reporter	2090				
6.	Manager (Mines)	3393				
7.	Tamil Reporter	3336				
8.	Senior Accounts Officer	3535				
9.	Research Assistant	1694				
10.	Assistant Director Training / Principal, ITI	1729				
11.	Veterinary Assistant Surgeon	1695		NA		
12.	Deputy Director (Legal)	3540				
13.	Assistant General Manager (Projects) Infrastructure	3345				
14.	Assistant General Manager (Projects) Project Management	3344				
15.	Deputy Manager (Environment)	3398				
16.	Assistant Director (Statistical Analyst)	3543				
17.	Assistant Secretary	3360				

18.	Chief Sthapathi	3525	32	NA	50	No Maximum Age Limit
19.	Regional Sthapathi	3526				
20.	Assistant Director of Statistics	2097				
21.	Assistant Manager (Projects)	3346				
22.	Psychologist	1942				
23.	Sociologist	3025				
24.	Factory Manager (SKD)	3595				
25.	Factory Manager (RKD)	3596				
26.	Assistant Director (Technical)	3534	37			
27.	Senior Entomologist	2032				
28.	Assistant Superintendent (Chemical Wing)	1894				
29.	Assistant Director Industries and Commerce (Survey and Statistics)	1876	40			
30.	Scientist 'C' Grade	3340				
31.	Assistant Manager	3616			32	
32.	Assistant Manager	3665				
** - The maximum age limit of 32 years prescribed for appointment to this post shall not apply to persons appointed from the category of Town Planning Officers of Municipal Councils or other Local Bodies in the State.						
NA - Not Applicable, since persons with benchmark disability are not eligible to apply for this post.						

4.1.2. BC (OBCM)s, BCMs, MBCs/DCs, SCs, SC(A)s and STs:

S. No.	Name of the Post	Post Code	Maximum Age (Should not have completed)	Age Concession		
				Persons with Benchmark Disability	Ex-Servicemen	Destitute Widow
1.	Scientist 'C' Grade	3340	45	NA	55	45
2.	Sociologist	3025	No Maximum Age Limit	NA	No Maximum Age Limit	
3.	Factory Manager (SKD)	3595				
4.	Factory Manager (RKD)	3596				
5.	Chief Sthapathi	3525				
6.	Regional Sthapathi	3526				
7.	Assistant Director of Statistics	2097				
8.	Assistant Manager (Projects)	3346				
9.	Assistant General Manager (Projects) Infrastructure	3345				
10.	Assistant General Manager (Projects) Project Management	3344				
11.	Deputy Manager (Environment)	3398				
12.	Assistant Director (Statistical Analyst)	3543				
13.	Assistant Secretary	3360				
14.	Assistant Superintendent (Chemical Wing)	1894				

15.	Psychologist	1942	No Maximum Age Limit	NA	No Maximum Age Limit	
16.	Deputy Director (Legal)	3540				
17.	Senior Entomologist	2032				
18.	Assistant Director (Technical)	3534				
19.	Assistant Director Industries and Commerce (Survey and Statistics)	1876				
20.	Manager (Mines)	3393	No Maximum Age Limit			
21.	Assistant Manager (Mines)	3404				
22.	Assistant Manager (P&A)	3486				
23.	English Reporter	2090				
24.	Tamil Reporter	3336				
25.	Assistant Director of Town and Country Planning	1778				
26.	Senior Accounts Officer	3535				
27.	Research Assistant	1694				
28.	Assistant Director Training / Principal, ITI	1729				
29.	Veterinary Assistant Surgeon	1695				
30.	Assistant Planner	3542	BC(OBCM)s, BCMs MBCs/DCs-34, SCs, SC(A)s, STs-37	BC(OBCM)s, BCMs MBCs/DCs-44, SCs, SC(A)s, STs-47	55	No Maximum Age Limit
31.	Assistant Manager	3616		NA	BC(OBCM)s, BCMs MBCs/DCs-34, SCs,SC(A)s, STs-37	
32.	Assistant Manager	3665				

Abbreviations:

BC(OBCM)	-	Backward Classes (Other than Backward Class Muslims)
BCM	-	Backward Class Muslims
MBC / DC	-	Most Backward Classes / Denotified Communities
SC	-	Scheduled Castes
SC(A)	-	Scheduled Castes (Arunthathiyars)
ST	-	Scheduled Tribes
NA	-	Not Applicable, since persons with benchmark disability are not eligible to apply for this post

4.1.3. The above mentioned age concession will not apply to the Ex-Servicemen candidates who have already been recruited to any class or service or category, as per section 3 (j) (vii) of Tamil Nadu Government Servants (Conditions of Service) Act, 2016.

4.1.4. No maximum age limit shall mean that the candidates should not have completed 60 years of age as on 1.7.2025 or at the time of selection / appointment to the post.

4.1.5. Supporting Documents:

4.1.5.1. The date of birth will be verified against the tenth standard (SSLC) or twelfth standard (HSC) mark sheet, issued by the Tamil Nadu Board of Secondary Education and Tamil Nadu Board of Higher Secondary Education respectively. Those candidates whose date of birth is not mentioned in their tenth standard / twelfth standard mark sheet must upload their Birth Certificate / Transfer Certificate / Degree MarkSheets, instead of the tenth standard or twelfth standard mark sheet. Any other form of evidence will not be accepted. Failure to upload such a document shall result in the rejection of candidature after due process.

4.1.5.2. Candidates claiming age concession should upload the supporting documents for such a claim. Failure to upload such a document shall result in the rejection of candidature after due process.

4.2. Educational Qualification, Technical Qualification and Experience:

S. No	Name of the Post	Post Code	Qualification and Experience
1.	Deputy Director (Legal)	3540	(i) Bachelor Degree in Law from a recognized Indian University / Indian Law School (ii) Experience: 15 years of legal experience in a Government (or) in large private sector organization, quasi government undertaking or Public Sector undertaking
2.	Assistant Director (Statistical Analyst)	3543	(i) Must be a Post Graduate in Statistics (ii) Experience: 10 years experience in Government organization, Research organization, involving analysis of information sampling and reporting etc.,
3.	Manager (Mines)	3393	(i) B.E. Mining Engineering from a recognised University / Institute (ii) First Class Mines Manager Certificate of Competency in open cast mining (iii) Experience: 15 years in the field of mining
4.	Deputy Manager (Environment)	3398	(i) B.E./B.Tech in Environmental Science from a recognized University / Institute (ii) Experience: 10 years experience in the field of environment
5.	Assistant Manager (Mines)	3404	(i) B.E. Mining Engineering from a recognised University/Institute (ii) Second Class Mines Manager Certificate of competency in open cast mining (iii) Experience: 5 years in the field of mining
6.	Assistant Manager (P&A)	3486	(i) Master of Social Work or MBA (HR) or Master of Personnel Management and Industrial Relations from a recognized University/ Institution (ii) Experience: 5 years in the field of personnel administration out of which 3 years in the level of Executive(P&A) /Officer Cadre
7.	Factory Manager (SKD)	3595	(i) BE in Mechanical (or) Chemical Engineering (ii) Experience: 10 years in senior level
8.	Factory Manager (RKD)	3596	
9.	Assistant General Manager (Projects) Infrastructure	3345	(i) Full-time AICTE approved under graduate degree in Civil Engineering / Architecture/Planning with Full-time MBA or equivalent in Finance / International Business / Business Analytics / Investment / Project Management streams (ii) Atleast seven years of experience in Infrastructure sector. (iii) Experience in project management, procurements, Bid process management preferable
10.	Assistant General Manager (Projects) Project Management	3344	(i) Full-time AICTE approved under graduate degree in Engineering with Full-time MBA or equivalent in Finance / International Business / Business Analytics / Investment / Project Management streams (ii) Atleast seven years of experience in Project and Contract Management. (iii) Experience in Procurements, Bid Process Management preferable
11.	Assistant Secretary	3360	(i) Full time UG Degree with Associate Company Secretary (Final) (ii) 2 years of post qualification experience in a Company or Secretarial Consultancy

12.	Scientist 'C' Grade	3340	(i) Must possess a Ph.D in Biotechnology awarded by any University recognized by the University Grants Commission and (ii) Must have practical experience for not less than two years in the field of plan or supervising or managerial level in research field of wildlife management after acquiring the Ph.D.,
13.	Chief Sthapathi	3525	(i) Must possess Bachelor of Technology in Traditional Architecture or Bachelor of Fine Arts in Traditional Sculpture; and (ii) Must have practical experience for a period of not less than fifteen years in the field of temple renovation (iii) Other things being equal, preference shall be given to those who have obtained a degree in Bachelor of Technology in Traditional Architecture or Bachelor of Fine Arts in Traditional Sculpture awarded by the Government College of Architecture and Sculpture, Mamallapuram
14.	Regional Sthapathi	3526	(i) Must possess Bachelor of Technology in Traditional Architecture or Bachelor of Fine Arts in Traditional Sculpture; and (ii) Must have practical experience for a period of not less than ten years in the field of temple renovation (iii) Other things being equal, preference shall be given to those who have obtained a degree in Bachelor of Technology in Traditional Architecture or Bachelor of Fine Arts in Traditional Sculpture awarded by the Government College of Architecture and Sculpture, Mamallapuram
15.	Assistant Manager (Projects)	3346	(i) A Degree in Civil Engineering of any University or Institution recognized by the University Grants Commission for the purpose of its grant; and (ii) A Master Degree in Business Administration of any University or Institution recognized by the University Grants Commission for the purpose of its grant. Specialization in Project Management is desirable; and (iii) Not less than three years of experience in appraisal / execution of Urban Infrastructure projects in Public / Private Limited Companies.
16.	Assistant Director of Statistics	2097	(i) Must hold a First Class Degree in Statistics or Mathematics or Economics or Applied Economics or Business Economics with not less than 60% marks or equivalent Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA); or Master's Degree in Statistics or Mathematics or Economics or Applied Economics or Applied Statistics or Applied Mathematics or Business Economics or Operation Research or Mathematical Economics or Econometrics
17.	English Reporter	2090	(i) Must hold a bachelor's degree (ii) A pass in the Government Technical Examination in Shorthand in English by 180 words per minute High Speed Test (iii) A pass in the Government Technical Examination in Typewriting in English by the senior grade (iv) Others things being equal, preference shall be given to persons who are qualified to report in Tamil also
18.	Tamil Reporter	3336	(i) Must hold a bachelor's degree (ii) A pass in the Government Technical Examination in Shorthand in Tamil by 120 words per minute High Speed Test (iii) A pass in the Government Technical Examination in Typewriting in Tamil by the senior grade (iv) Others things being equal, preference shall be given to persons who are qualified to report in English also

19.	Assistant Director of Town and Country Planning	1778	<p>Post Graduate Degree in Town or City or Urban or Housing or Country or Rural or Infrastructure or Regional or Transport or Environmental Planning from a recognized University or Institute;</p> <p>(or)</p> <p>Must be an Associate of the Institute of Architects or possess B.Arch Degree or possess Degree or Diploma recognized and equivalent to the National Diploma in Architecture with experience in town planning works for a period of not less than three years in a Town Planning Department of Government or in the Statutory Boards or Urban Authorities or Universities or Recognized Research Institutions or Public Sector Undertakings or Semi Government or Statutory or Autonomous Organisations or Local Bodies;</p> <p>(or)</p> <p>Must possess B.E Degree (Civil or Highway) with experience in town planning works for a period of not less than two years in Town Planning Department of Government or in the Statutory Boards or Urban Authorities or Universities or Recognized Research Institutions or Public Sector Undertakings or Semi Government or Statutory or Autonomous Organisations or Local Bodies;</p> <p>(or)</p> <p>Must have passed Sections A & B of the Associate Member of the Institution of Engineers (India) Examination in the Civil Engineering Group with experience in town planning work for a period of not less than two years in Town Planning Department of the Government or in the Statutory Boards or Urban Authorities or Universities or Recognized Research Institutions or Public Sector Undertakings or Semi-Government or Statutory or Autonomous Organisations or Local Bodies;</p> <p>(or)</p> <p>Must possess Bachelor of Planning or Bachelor of Technology in Planning from a recognized University or Institute with two years experience in the field of Urban or Regional Planning in the State Governments or in the Statutory Boards or Urban Authorities or Universities or Recognized Research Institutions or Public Sector Undertakings or Semi-Government or Statutory or Autonomous Organisations or Local Bodies</p>
20.	Assistant Superintendent (Chemical Wing)	1894	<p>(i) A Degree in Chemical Engineering and</p> <p>(ii) Practical Experience for a period of not less than three years in a Research Institute or Engineering Workshop or Chemical Laboratory</p>
21.	Assistant Director Industries and Commerce (Survey and Statistics)	1876	Master's degree in Statistics or Mathematics or Economics
22.	Assistant Planner	3542	<p>(i) Must possess Masters degree in the field of Town and Country Planning or Urban and Regional Planning or Metropolitan Planning awarded by a University recognized by the University Grants Commission, India or All India Council for Technical Education such as Master of Town and Country Planning (MTP), M.Plan, M.Plan with specialization in Urban Planning, Regional Planning, Housing, Environment Planning, Transport Planning, Infrastructure Planning, Master of City Planning (MCP), Master of Urban and Regional Planning (MURP), M.Tech (Town and Country Planning) or M.Tech (Urban Planning), Master of Town and Regional Planning (MTRP), Master of Urban Development Planning (MUDP), Master of Urban Planning</p> <p>(or)</p>

			Bachelors Degree in Planning with 2 years experience in Town Planning from Government / Public Sector Undertakings / Registered Consultancy Firm
23.	Psychologist	1942	(i) Master's Degree in Psychology (ii) Other things being equal, preference shall be given to candidates who have undergone training or who possess experience for a period of not less than one year in testing or clinical work in the field of Psychology
24.	Senior Accounts Officer	3535	Must be either Chartered Accountant or Cost Accountant with 2 years of experience
25.	Research Assistant	1694	(i) M.V.Sc., (Micro-biology / Pathology / Parasitology / Dairy Micro-biology / Animal Biotechnology); (ii) Must have passed SSLC Examination or its equivalent examination with Tamil as one of the languages
26.	Sociologist	3025	Post Graduate Degree in Sociology
27.	Senior Entomologist	2032	(i) Must possess a first or second class B.Sc.(Hons.) or M.A. Degree or the M.Sc. degree in Zoology or M.Sc., Degree in Medical Entomology of a University or Institution recognized by the University Grants Commission for the purpose of the grant (ii) Practical experience in laboratory work for atleast 3 years
28.	Assistant Director Training / Principal, ITI	1729	(i) A degree in any branch of Engineering or Technology of any recognised University or Institution under the purview of All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE); and (ii) Practical experience in a workshop or factory for a period of not less than three years (iii) Other things being equal, preference will be given to persons who have completed one year Apprenticeship under the Government of India Scheme or one year training under the State Government Apprenticeship scheme. Explanation: A factory or workshop shall mean a factory as defined in Section 2(m) of the Factories Act, 1948 (Central Act 63 of 1948)
29.	Assistant Director (Technical)	3534	(i) Must possess M.A degree in Archaeology/Ancient History and Archaeology; Ph.D. in Archaeology/Ancient History and Archaeology/History and Archaeology / Tamil and Archaeology / Epigraphy and Archaeology. (or) Must possess M.A degree in Tamil / History / Indian History / History and Archaeology / History, Archaeology and Manuscriptology; Ph.D. in Tamil / History / Indian History / History and Archaeology / History, Archaeology and Manuscriptology / Tamil and Archaeology / Epigraphy and Archaeology; Must possess one year Post Graduate Diploma in Epigraphy and Archaeology awarded by the Institute of Epigraphy, Department of Archaeology / two years Post Graduate Diploma in Archaeology or in Epigraphy awarded by Institute of Archaeology and Museology, Department of Archaeology / Post Graduate Diploma in Archaeology awarded by Archaeological Survey of India (ii) Must have passed Tamil as one of the subject in degree level
30.	Veterinary Assistant Surgeon	1695	(i) B.V.Sc., Degree / B.V.Sc., & A.H and (ii) Must have passed SSLC Examination or its equivalent examination with Tamil as one of the languages (iii) Registered as Veterinary Practitioner with the Tamil Nadu State Veterinary Council constituted under the Indian Veterinary Council Act, 1984 (Central Act 52 of 1984)

31.	Assistant Manager	3616	Degree in Engineering (Mechanical / Electrical and Electronics / Computer Science and Engineering / Information Technology / Electronics and Communication Engineering) – (Second Class or its equivalent)
32.	Assistant Manager	3665	Post Graduate in Statistics or Economics (Second class or its equivalent)

4.2.1. The candidates should possess the educational qualification, technical qualification and experience prescribed for the post, on the date of notification.

4.2.2. The Under Graduate / Post Graduate degree / Ph.D Degree certificate qualification prescribed for the above posts should have been obtained by passing the required qualification in the following order of studies viz., SSLC + HSC / Diploma or its equivalent + Under Graduate Degree + Post Graduate Degree+ Ph.D Degree.

4.2.3. The period of practical or other experience should have been acquired after obtaining the educational qualification prescribed for the post.

4.2.4. Supporting Documents:

4.2.4.1. SSLC / HSC / Diploma / Degree / PG Degree / Integrated PG Degree / Ph.D Degree / Provisional Degree or Provisional Diploma Certificate / Consolidated Mark Sheet along with Degree or Provisional Degree Certificate shall be accepted as proof of educational qualification.

4.2.4.2. In cases where the Diploma / Degree / PG Degree / Ph.D Degree certificates had been issued after the date of notification, candidates must upload proof of the publication of results of the respective qualification(s) on or before the date of notification in the form of Provisional Diploma / Degree Certificate / Consolidated Mark Sheet.

4.2.4.3. Candidates claiming possession of qualification higher than that prescribed for a post, must upload certificates, issued on / before the date of notification, in support of such claim.

4.2.4.4. Candidates claiming experience, should upload the experience certificate in the format available in Annexure V of this notification.

4.2.4.5. For the post of Veterinary Assistant Surgeon (Post Code - 1695), candidates should upload the Registration Certificate for having registered as a Veterinary Practitioner with the Tamil Nadu State Veterinary Council.

4.2.4.6. In cases where the duration of the prescribed educational / technical course / experience has been specified in the notification, any discrepancy between the claim in the application and the documents uploaded shall result in the rejection of candidature after due process.

4.2.4.7. In case the Degree Certificate is lost or is not immediately available for reasons to be specified, an extract from the Convocation Register will be accepted as evidence of qualification.

4.2.4.8. The candidates claiming equivalence of qualification should upload a copy of the Government order at the time of submission of online application failing which his / her candidature will be rejected after due process. The Government orders relating to equivalence of qualification are available on the website of the Tamil Nadu State Council for Higher Education (www.tnsche.tn.gov.in). The Government orders regarding equivalence of qualification issued after the date of physical certificate verification will not be considered for this recruitment.

Annexure I

How to Apply Online

1. **Website:** Candidates should apply only through online mode in the Commission's website viz., www.tnpscexams.in.

2. One Time Registration:

2.1. It is essential for the candidate to register himself / herself first at the One Time Registration (OTR) platform, available on the Commission's website, and then proceed to fill up the online application for the examination. Candidates should register only once in the One Time Registration by paying Rs.150/- as registration fee. Successfully registered One Time Registration is valid for five years from the date of registration.

2.2. During One Time Registration, the candidates should keep ready the scanned image of their photograph, taken within the last 3 months of size 20 KB – 50 KB and saved as "Photograph.jpg" and signature of size 10 KB – 20 KB and saved as 'Signature.jpg'. Both photograph and signature, of 200 DPI resolution, should be saved in a CD / DVD / Pen drive, to upload the same.

2.3. One Time Registration is not an application for any post. It is just a collection of information from the candidates and provides a separate dashboard to each candidate to facilitate the maintenance of their own profile. A candidate should make an online application separately for every examination for which he / she intends to appear.

2.4. A valid e-mail ID and mobile number are mandatory for One Time Registration. E-mail ID and mobile number are to be kept in 'ACTIVE' mode. Every candidate should have his / her email ID and password. No candidate should share his/her e-mail ID, password, mobile number with any other person. In case a candidate does not have a valid personal email ID, he / she should create a new email ID before applying online and must maintain that email account live. Inquiries relating to One Time Registration / online applications will be answered only if the inquiries are received through a registered e-mail ID.

2.5. Linking the Aadhaar number with One Time Registration (OTR) is mandatory for candidates. The information associated with the Aadhaar number including biometrics will be used only for identification purposes and will not be stored or shared. Candidates are requested to give their consent in their respective OTR. The Aadhaar details will be submitted to the Central Identities Data Repository (CIDR) only for authentication. Linking of the Aadhaar number is mandatory for all prospective candidates to create new OTR, renew / access the existing OTR and apply for any recruitment to be notified henceforth.

2.6. Details to be furnished during One Time Registration:

2.6.1. Candidates shall furnish their correct SSLC Register Number and Certificate Number, Month and Year of Passing, Medium of Instruction, and Name of the Board that issued the certificate while registering online. If any detail furnished is found to be wrong, the online application will be rejected at any stage after due process.

2.6.2. Candidates who have more than one SSLC mark sheet, should enter the details available in the mark sheet issued on the final attempt in which he / she had passed the SSLC examination.

2.6.3. Besides details related to SSLC, all other details required in the One Time Registration, shall be furnished without any mistake, as these details shall form the basis of all other details given subsequently by the candidate while filling the online application for each recruitment.

2.7. One-Time Registration (OTR) Edit:

2.7.1. The candidates shall be permitted to edit the details in the OTR whenever required by uploading the supporting documents.

2.7.2. Any changes in the One Time Registration must be made before the submission of the online application since the details furnished in the One Time Registration will be filled in automatically in the online application. Hence, incorrect particulars furnished in the One Time Registration may result in the rejection of online application after due process. Candidates are therefore advised to fill in the One Time Registration particulars carefully and correctly.

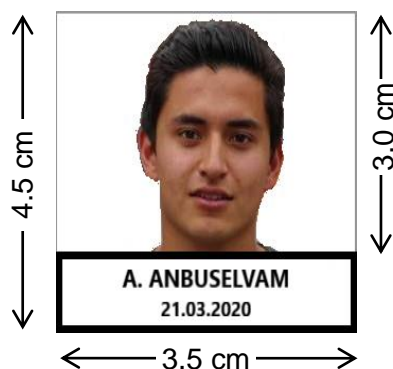
2.7.3. The Commission will not be responsible for any consequences arising out of failure on the part of the candidates to adhere to the instructions issued regarding One Time Registration or filling up of online application.

2.7.4. The instructions and illustration regarding One Time Registration are available on the website viz., www.tnpscexams.in.

3. Online Application:

3.1. A candidate who wishes to apply for any post shall click “APPLY” against the post notified on the Commission’s website and use the same User ID and Password given for One Time Registration. User ID and Password are to be created by the candidates themselves. In case the candidate forgets the User ID and Password, he/she can retrieve or reset them using the “FORGOT PASSWORD and FORGOT USER ID” options. The Commission will not furnish User ID and Password details to the candidates.

3.2. A candidate already having user ID and password, has to login. The available One Time Registration particulars will be displayed on the screen, including the photograph furnished at the time of One Time Registration, as well as the photographs uploaded with previous online applications. Candidates shall check and confirm the One Time Registration details before proceeding further. Thereafter, the candidates shall fill up additional details required in the specific recruitment application. If any of the One Time Registration details are found to be incorrect, the same should be corrected by clicking on OTR Edit. Changes made in the One Time Registration will be reflected only in online applications to be submitted subsequently.



3.3. Candidates shall upload their photograph taken on or after the date of notification at the time of submission of each and every online application. The photograph should be in colour, of passport size, against a white background and taken in a photo studio. The candidate should be photographed in frontal view showing both ears and part of the neck. The candidate should ensure that the name of the candidate and the date of photography (i.e., on or after the date of notification) are printed at the bottom of the photograph. The face of the candidate as well as his / her name and date of photography should be clearly visible in the photograph of height 4.5 cm (170 pixels) and width 3.5 cm (130 pixels). Of the total height of the photograph, the image of the candidate shall be 3.0 cm (115 pixels) and the candidate’s name and date of photography shall be 1.5 cm (55 pixels), as illustrated above. The photograph should be saved in a digital format (in CD / DVD / pen drive / hard drive), ready for uploading.

3.4. If the photograph is not available in a digital format, a passport-size photograph showing the image of the candidate along with the name of the candidate and the date of photography printed at the bottom, in the same dimensions as specified above, may be pasted on a plain white paper and scanned to obtain a resolution of 200 DPI. The image should then be cropped to show only the

photograph of size 20KB–50KB saved as “Photograph.jpg” and uploaded. The entire sheet of white paper on which the photograph is pasted should not be scanned / uploaded. Photographs taken using cellular phones, selfies, photocopies (Xerox) of photographs, photographs taken during family functions, at tourist places, or against a backdrop of plants or buildings should not be uploaded. Photographs of nature, wildlife, buildings, etc. shall not be uploaded. In case of uploading an inappropriate photograph, in violation of the aforementioned instruction, the application is liable to be rejected after due process.

3.5. Before uploading of signature, the candidate shall draw a box of dimension 6.0 x 2.0 cm (230 pixels x 75 pixels) on white paper and sign within the box, using a blue or black ink pen. The paper should then be scanned to obtain a resolution of 200 DPI. The image should then be cropped to show only the box with the signature, of size 10 KB –20KB, and saved as “Signature.jpg” and uploaded.

3.6. Clear images of the photograph and the signature should be uploaded in the correct dimensions, size, and format. Failure to upload/upload clear images of the photograph and signature will result in the rejection of the online application after due process.

3.7. Examination Centres:

3.7.1. While applying online, candidates shall be permitted to choose two district centres as their preference for the Written Examination. Candidates shall be allotted a venue in one of these two district centres. However, candidates with benchmark disability, shall be permitted to choose only one district centre and shall be allotted a venue in that district centre.

3.7.2. Candidates must appear for the examination at the venue they have been allotted, as mentioned in the memorandum of admission (hall ticket). Request for change of examination centre will not be permitted.

3.7.3. The Commission reserves the right to increase or decrease the number of examination centres and to re-allot the candidates accordingly. The Commission also reserves the right to allot a candidate to the nearby centre, if he / she could not be accommodated in the centres opted by the candidate.

3.7.4. The written examination will be held at the centres given below:

S.No.	Name of the Centre	Code	S.No.	Name of the Centre	Code
1.	Chennai	0101	11.	Salem	1701
2.	Coimbatore	0201	12.	Thoothukudi	2401
3.	Erode	0601	13.	Tiruchirappalli	2501
4.	Kancheepuram	0701	14.	Tirunelveli	2601
5.	Nagercoil	0801	15.	Tiruppur	3201
6.	Karur	0901	16.	Vellore	2701
7.	Madurai	1001	17.	Virudhunagar	2901
8.	Namakkal	1201			
9.	Pudukkottai	1501			
10.	Ramanathapuram	1601			

3.8. Application Preview:

3.8.1. Candidates should carefully fill in the details in the online application at the appropriate places and click on the ‘SAVE AND PROCEED’ button at the end of each page of the application. Before pressing the ‘SAVE AND PROCEED’ button, candidates are advised to verify each particular field in the application.

3.8.2. Candidates can edit/add/delete any information while filling the online application. Before finally submitting the application, candidates will be given the option of seeing a preview of their application. As soon as a candidate clicks the button meant for preview, an SMS will be sent to the registered mobile number, informing the availability of such a preview in the registered email ID provided by the candidate.

3.8.3. Once the candidate desires to make modifications based on the preview arrangement as indicated in the paragraph above, he/she may re-open the application and make necessary modifications using the Edit option and make the final submission of the corrected application, before the last date prescribed for submission of the online application. It is the responsibility of the candidate to carefully check the details available in the preview and make suitable corrections, if any, in the application / OTR before final submission. The candidate will be solely responsible for any non-rectification or non-submission of the application.

3.8.4. An individual is considered to have applied for a recruitment, if and only if, he / she finally submits the application, by clicking the 'SUBMIT' button. The mere availability of a preview shall not be tantamount to "having applied" for a particular recruitment.

3.9. Examination Fee:

3.9.1. The examination fee of Rs. 200 (Rupees Two hundred only) should be paid at the time of submitting the online application for this recruitment, unless exemption of fee is claimed.

3.9.2. For every additional subject paper opted by the candidate in the online application Rs.200 for each subject paper should be paid additionally. Further, if the candidate withdraws one or more subject paper(s) then the fee already paid by the candidate will not be refunded.

3.9.3. Candidates belonging to special categories can avail of exemption from paying examination fees as per eligibility criteria. For further details refer to Annexure II of this Notification.

3.9.4. The total number of free chances availed, will be calculated based on claims made in previous applications. The number of free chances availed by the candidate may be verified by the Commission at any stage of the selection process. In case a candidate makes a false claim for exemption from payment of the application fee by suppressing information regarding his/her previous application(s), his / her candidature shall be rejected after due process and he / she shall be debarred for a period of one year, from appearing for examinations conducted by the Commission.

3.9.5. Candidates are directed to carefully choose the option "Yes" or "No" regarding availing of the fee concession. The choice made, cannot be modified or edited after successful submission of the online application. Candidates are advised in their own interest, to keep an account of the number of times fee concession has been availed, irrespective of the information displayed in the <Application History> of the candidate dashboard.

3.9.6. An application (irrespective of the post applied for) claiming fee concession will operate to exclude one chance from the number of free chances allowed. Candidates who have availed the maximum number of free chances permitted / candidates who do not wish to avail of the fee concession / candidates who are not eligible for fee concession shall choose the option "No" against the query regarding fee concession. Such candidates shall thereafter pay the requisite fee through the prescribed mode of payment.

3.9.7. Failure to pay the prescribed fee in time, along with the online application, will result in the rejection of the application after due process.

3.10. Examination Fee Payment:

3.10.1. After submitting the details in the online application, the candidates can pay the examination fee by online mode through Net Banking / Credit card / Debit card / UPI on or before the last date of submission of the online application by choosing the option in the online application. Candidates have to pay the service charges also as applicable.

3.10.2. Offline mode of payment if any received in the form of Demand Draft / Postal Order etc. will not be accepted and the applications forwarded with such modes of payment will be summarily rejected and the same will not be returned or refunded.

3.10.3. To facilitate payment of fees through the online mode, an additional page of the application format will be displayed wherein candidates may follow the instructions and fill in the requisite details to make payment. There is a possibility of online payment failure. Hence, if the online payment fails, candidates can check the status of the earlier transaction. If the earlier transactions have failed, the candidate shall retry paying the fee again by online mode. In case of online payment failure, the amount debited from the candidate's account will be reverted to his/her account. The candidates have been given a provision to check the status of the transaction made. If all the attempts/transactions have failed, candidates have to make the payment again. The Commission is not responsible for online payment failure. It is the responsibility of the candidates to ensure that the transaction made by them is successful.

3.10.4. After submitting the payment information in the online application format, wait for the intimation from the server. Meanwhile, DO NOT press 'Back' or 'Refresh' button to avoid payment failure or double payment.

3.10.5. If the online transaction has been successfully completed, an Application Number / Applicant ID will be generated. Candidates should note the Application Number / ID for future reference in respect of the recruitment applied for.

3.10.6. Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission reserves the right to change the mode of payment at any time.

3.11. Online Application Edit:

3.11.1. The candidates shall be permitted to edit all the details in the online application till the last date stipulated for submission of the online application.

3.11.2. If the candidate desires to change his / her photograph and/or signature in his / her online application, the candidate shall select the edit option in the online application to re-upload them which must be saved finally before submitting the online application.

3.11.3. Some of the information contained in the online application has been brought forward from the candidate's one-time registration. If such information has to be edited in the online application, the candidate shall select the edit profile option in One Time Registration (OTR) and shall make and save necessary corrections. After doing so, the candidate shall select the edit option in the online application and edit the details as desired. The candidate shall save the changes and submit it finally. The candidate shall take a printout of the same if required.

3.11.4. After editing the online application, if the edited details are not finally saved and submitted by the candidate, the details provided by the candidate in the application submitted before editing shall only be considered. If the candidate has to pay a fee based on the edited details, the candidate shall pay the prescribed examination fee in online. Candidates who have already paid the examination fee are not required to pay.

3.12. Application Correction Window:

3.12.1. After the last date for submission of the online application, the Online Application Correction Window shall open for 3 days as mentioned in Para 1 'Important Instructions' of this Notification. During this period, candidates will be able to edit the details in their online application. After the last date of the Correction Window period, no modification is allowed in the online application.

3.12.2. The applications shall be processed as per the details finally furnished by the candidates. It is the responsibility of the candidates and the Commission has no liability for subsequent rejection of the application consequent to the editing details already submitted in the online application. Request / representation received for modification of claims in the online application, in any mode shall not be entertained.

3.13. Candidates are advised in their own interest to apply online much before the closing date and not to wait till the last date to avoid the possibility of disconnection / inability / failure to log on to the Commission's website on account of heavy load on internet / website.

3.14. The Commission does not assume any responsibility for the candidates not being able to submit their online applications within the last date on account of the aforesaid reasons or for any other reason beyond the control of the Commission.

3.15. Candidates need not send the printout of the online application or any other supporting documents to the Commission by post unless asked for specifically.

3.16. The name of the candidate or the name of his / her father or mother, should be spelt correctly in the application as it appears in the certificates / mark sheets.

3.17. Any discrepancy between the details as given in the online application and the documents submitted shall result in the summary rejection of candidature after due process.

3.18. The Commission will not be responsible for any consequences arising out of furnishing of incorrect and / or incomplete details in the application or omission to provide the required details in the application.

3.19. Upload of Documents:

3.19.1. Candidates should upload the required documents of proof in respect of all the claims made in the application with reference to this notification while applying for this examination. If the required certificates are not uploaded by the candidate, within the stipulated time, his/her candidature will be rejected after due process.

3.19.2. The candidates shall have the option of verifying the uploaded certificates / documents through their OTR. If any of the certificates / documents have wrongly been uploaded or not uploaded or if any modifications are to be done in the uploading of documents, the candidates shall be permitted to upload / re-upload the documents till two days prior to the date of hosting of hall tickets for that particular examination. (i.e., twelve days prior to the date of examination).

3.19.3. The uploaded credentials shall be mapped with the One Time Registration of the respective candidate along with the Application number and Notification Number (i.e., with reference to the notification for each post), so that they can be used during future submission of application by the same candidates.

3.19.4. The documents uploaded by the candidates shall be linked with OTR and retained in the server for a maximum period of two years. If the candidate applies subsequently for other posts within two years, the documents that were already uploaded shall be displayed to the candidate during the online application process for confirmation and the same need not once again be uploaded by the candidates. If the candidate applies to other posts after the period of retention i.e. two years, the candidate shall be instructed to upload all the documents afresh.