## **PUNJAB PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**



## **BARADARI GARDENS, PATIALA-147001**

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## IMPORTANT PUBLIC NOTICE

(PUNJAB STATE CIVIL SERVICES COMBINED COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION-2025)

• RECRUITMENT TO THREE HUNDRED TWENTY-TWO (322) POSTS TO BE FILLED THROUGH PUNJAB STATE CIVIL SERVICES COMBINED COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION-2025 (ADVT. NO. 20251).

Regarding the most recurrent issues being faced by the candidates while filling the online application forms, the candidates are advised to refer to the solutions provided below:-

- 1. Regarding cut-off date for passing of Matriculation with Punjabi or its equivalent examination, it has been decided that the cut-off date for passing the matriculation with Punjabi or its equivalent examination shall be one day before the date of PCS CCE preliminary examination.
- 2. If a candidate has passed his/her graduation with Punjabi as one of the subjects, then it will be considered equivalent to passing the matriculation exam with Punjabi.
- 3. Regarding the counting of attempts, if a candidate has appeared in any one paper of the preliminary exam (GS/CSAT) in previous combined civil services exam conducted by PPSC, it shall be counted as a valid attempt. Besides, candidates shall be responsible for keeping a count of the number of their attempts in previous combined civil services exam conducted by PPSC. If at any successive stage, any candidate is found to exceed the permitted number of attempts he/she SHALL BE DISQUALIFIED.
- 4. With reference of General information to candidates item no. 6.11, it is clarified that it should be read as:-
  - It is advised that all the candidates should fill and submit ONE single form only. However, in case a candidate fills multiple forms, he/she shall be issued multiple roll nos. as per data filled in each respective form and his/her candidature shall be considered ONLY on the basis of the Roll no against which he/she actually appears (i.e. marks his/her attendance) in the examination.
- 5. All the candidates who are undergoing their graduation degree, while filling the graduation marks under the <u>Qualification Header</u> in the application form, can select '<u>Degree Completed'</u> <u>field</u> as '<u>No'</u> and fill the marks details of the previous Semester / Year in the respective columns. The verification of the total marks will be done at a later stage.
- 6. Those candidates, who have CGPA in their 10<sup>th</sup> Board or Graduation degree, can convert the CGPA into percentage using the formula provided by the respective **BOARD/UNIVERSITY**. Suppose the percentage comes out to be 86.5% then you may write 865 (dummy marks) in 'obtained' marks' column and 1000(dummy marks) in 'total marks' column. The verification of the actual marks will be done at a later stage.
- 7. Those candidates who have their <u>obtained marks</u> in 10<sup>th</sup> or Graduation degree in decimal format, shall round it off. Suppose your obtained marks come out to be 365.5 then you may write 366 in the obtained marks column.
- 8. Regarding the issues w.r.t online fee payment. Candidates may refer to 'GUIDELINES TO PAY FEE ONLINE' at page no. 7 of 'GUIDELINES TO FILL ONLINE APPLICATION FORM' uploaded on the advertisement page that has step by step procedure to pay the online fee.
- 9. You are advised to fill your OWN email Id & Contact No. only so that you receive the information/updates on time. DO NOT FILL THE MOBILE/E-MAIL OF ANY CYBER CAFE OPERATER ETC.
- 10. In case of any query kindly contact at 0175-5014847, 5014849, 5014831, 5014822.

Sd/-Secretary Punjab Public Service Commission, Patiala

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