Neth/TNPSC/001 4th June 2012

To
The Secretary
Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission,
1,Greames Road,
Chennai 600006

Dear Sir,

Sub: Non inclusion of the Differently Abled Category in the TNPSC instructions to the candidates.

Ref: 1. G.O.Ms.99 dated 26th Feb 1998 from Government of Tamilnadu

2.TNPSC- Instructions to the Candidates under 6. Reservation of Appointments.

Refer your Instructions to the Candidates under Sl. No. 6 of Reservation of Appointments which read as:

6. RESERVATION OF APPOINTMENTS: Where the rule of reservation of appointments for Scheduled Castes /Scheduled Caste (Arunthathiyars)/ Scheduled Tribes/ Most Backward Classes/ Denotified Communities/Backward Classes (other than Muslim) / Backward Classes (Muslim) is applicable, selection will be made upto the number of appointments reserved for them, so far as qualified and suitable candidates are available. Candidates belonging to the Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Caste (Arunthathiyars),Scheduled Tribes, Most Backward Classes/ Denotified Communities, Backward Classes (other than Muslim) and the Backward Classes (Muslim) will also be eligible for selection against the vacancies to be filled under General turns on the basis of merit and where a Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Caste (Arunthathiyars)/Scheduled Tribe, Most Backward Class/Denotified Community or Backward Class (other than Muslim)/Backward Class (Muslim) candidate is selected on the basis of merit against the General turn, the vacancy reserved for them will not in any way be affected.

Ten percent of vacancies out of thirty percent set apart to women candidates in direct recruitment are reserved for Destitute Widows who possess the prescribed qualifications for appointment to any post in Revised pay scales, the minimum of which does not exceed Rs. 5,200 - 20,200 + Grade pay Rs. 2,400/- under the State Government.

Out of the total number of vacancies, 5% shall be reserved for Ex-servicemen in the posts which are classified under Group 'C' (ie.) the posts with Revised Scale of pay, the minimum of which is Rs.4,800 -10,000 + Grade Pay Rs.1,400/-and above, but below Rs.9300 - 34,800 + Grade Pay Rs. 4,400/-in the revised scale.

List for Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Most Backward Classes/ Denotified Communities and Backward Classes (Muslim) is given in the Annexure.

Note: -

(i) Persons belonging to Tamil Nadu and to one of the communities mentioned in the lists shown in the Annexure alone shall be treated as Scheduled Caste or Scheduled Tribe or Most Backward Classes/Denotified Communities or Backward Classes and Backward Classes (Muslim) as the case may be. Persons belonging to other States shall not be treated as belonging to the Scheduled Caste or Scheduled Tribe or Most Backward Classes/Denotified Communities or Backward Class and Backward Class (Muslim) eventhough they may belong to one of the Communities specified in the list.

Persons belonging to Christian Communities, who are converts from any Hindu Community included in the list of Backward Classes, will be considered as Backward Classes with effect from 24-2-1986.

A member of the Scheduled Caste on conversion to Christianity will be considered only under Backward Classes (other than Muslim) and not under Scheduled Castes.

"Arunthathiyar" means the castes, Arunthathiyar, Chakkiliyan, Madari, Madiga, Pagadai, Thoti and Adi Andhra

Wherein you have not included the percentage of reservations for the Differently Abled Category as per the GO Ms 99 dated 26th Feb 1998 Wherein the category of the Handicapped are eligible for 3% of vacancies in all State Public Services/Educational institutions under all kinds of Management which includes Government, local bodies etc.,. The Government directs that the 3% of the quota reserved for physically handicapped persons as described in Para 1 of GO should be: 1. Blind -1%, 2.Deaf-1%, 3.Orthopaedically Handicapped-1%. Further categorization of the above three is clearly mentioned in the Annexure -1 of the above said GO.

We appeal to your goodself on the right spirit of the GO, please make appropriate changes for SI No 6, of Instructions to Candidates in TNPSC website which will be useful for the differently abled to legitimately claim their rights of the employment as per the GO.

Request you to take up this on PRIORITY and necessary corrections to the website are to be made immediately.

Yours Truly For NETHRODAYA

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