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GENERALINFORMATION FOR THE CANDIDATES

FOR THE 33 POSTS OF UNANI MEDICAL OFFICER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE, GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB.

INTRODUCTION.

The Punjab Public Service Commission (PPSC) has been established under Article 315 of the Constitution of India, with the basic purpose of recruiting officials in various departments of the Government as per the requisitions sent by the Government in this regard from time to time.

1.0 The Punjab Public Service Commission invites Online Application Forms from eligible candidates for recruitment to the 33 Posts of Unani Medical Officer in the Department of Health and Family Welfare, Government of Punjab.

Note: This Advertisement is being published as per the requisition received from the Department of Agriculture, Government of Punjab according to the Punjab Ayurvedic (Group-A) Service Rules-2008 vide letter No. vide letter No. 2/25/16-1Health7/1835 Dated 12-05-2016 and No. 2/25/16-1Health7/2085-2086 Dated 01-11-2016.

2.0 RESERVATION OF POSTS:-

Sr.	Category	Name of Category	No. of Post
No.	Code		
1	71	General	17
2	72/73	ESM/LDESM, Punjab	02
3	76	Physically Handicapped, Punjab	
		Visually Impaired -76-A	01
4	77	Scheduled Castes, Punjab.	03
5	81	Balmiki/Mazhbi Sikh , Punjab	03
6	82/83	Balmiki/Mazhbi Sikh ESM/LDESM, Punjab.	01
7	84	Balmiki/Mazhbi Sikh Sports Person, Punjab	01
8	85	Backward Classes, Punjab	04
9	86/87	Backward Classes ESM/LDESM, Punjab	01
		Total	33

^{*}The number of vacancies and reservation of posts is liable to alteration without any notice.

3.0 PAY SCALE: 10300-34800+5400 Grade Pay

As per existing Government orders regarding the pay of the appointed candidates, as per Notification No. 7/204/2012- 4FP1/66, Dated 15/01/2015 Govt. of Punjab Department of Finance (Finance Personnel-I Branch) Chandigarh and

^{**} It is also informed that as per Punjab Recruitment of Ex-servicemen Rules, 1982, the posts are reserved for ESM candidates only. LDESM candidates could be considered if ESM Candidate are not available. If ESM candidates are available than LDESM candidates will be considered in their respective basic categories i.e. General/SC Others/Backward Classes.

Notification No. 1/62016-4P.P.1/834680/1 dated 07/09/2016 Govt. of Punjab Department of Personn4el (Personnel Policies-1 Branch), Chandigarh fixed emolument equal to Minimum of the Pay Band without any Grade Pay or any allowance will be paid during the probation period of three years. Besides above, Annual increment or any other allowance except travelling allowance will not be paid during the probation period of three years. The above issue is under litigation in Hon'ble High Court, so there may be some change in rule in due course, but so far the Rule stands.

4.0 ESSENTIAL QUALIFICATIONS:-

- 4.1 Should possess a degree of BUMS (Bachelor of Unani Medicine and Surgery) or as equivalent degree from a recognized University or other teaching institution recognized by CCIM.
- 4.2 Punjabi upto Matric standard and above..

Provided further that where a ward of Defence Service Personnel, who is a bona fide resident of Punjab State, is appointed by direct appointment, he shall have to pass an examination of Punjabi Language equivalent to Matriculation Standard or he shall have to qualify a test conducted by the Language Wing of the Department of Education of Punjab Government within a period of two years from the date of his appointment.]

Provided further that where a War Hero, who has been discharged from defence services or paramilitary forces on account of disability suffered by him and his widow or dependent member of his family, is appointed under the instructions issued in this behalf by the Government, the person so appointed will not be required to possess aforesaid knowledge of Punjabi language:

5.0 AGE

- (i) Candidates should not be below 18 years and above 37 years of age as on 01-01-2019.
- (ii) Upper age limit may be relaxed up to 45 years for Punjab Govt. and its Board/Corporation/Commission and Authorities employees, all States/ Central Government employees.
- (iii) The Upper age limit is relaxed up to 42 years for Scheduled Castes and Backward Classes of Punjab.
- (iv) Ex-servicemen of Punjab Domicile shall be allowed to deduct the period of his service in the Armed Forces of Union from his actual age and if the resultant age does not exceed the maximum age limit prescribed for direct appointment to such a vacancy in the Service Rules concerned by more than three years, he shall be deemed to satisfy the condition regarding age limit.
- (v) Upper age limit is also relaxable up to 42 years for Widows, Divorcees and certain other Categories of Women.
- (vi) Upper age limit is also relaxed upto 47 years for Physically Handicapped of Punjab.

6.0 COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION FOR SELECTION

- (a) The procedure for Competitive Examination for selection of candidates for the post of **Unani Medical Officer** in the Department of Health and Family Welfare, Government of Punjab, is in following sequence:-
- (b) There will be a written test of 300 marks (120 questions of 2.5 marks each) and an interview of 40 marks.
- (c) The written paper will consist of 120 multiple choice questions. 100 questions out of 120 questions will be subject as per syllabus at Annexure 'A' . Rest 20 questions will be 'Logical Reasoning and Mental ability', General Knowledge and Current Affairs. Out of 20 questions minimum 10 questions will be of 'Logical

- Reasoning and Mental ability'. The total time allotted for the written examination will be 2 hours and 30 minutes. The medium of question papers will be in English.
- (d) Candidates not more than three times the number of posts (in their order of merit of written exam) shall be short-listed for appearing in the interview. However, this number shall be subject to variation if two or more candidates at the last number (the number at the end) get equal marks, then all of them shall be considered for appearing in the Interview (subject to eligibility), warranting the corresponding increase in the stipulated ratio.
- 7.0 The salient features of the written competitive exam shall be as follows:-
 - (a) There will be no negative marking in the written test, for questions wrongly answered or questions not answered.
 - (b) After the answer key is put on the PPSC website (after written examination), candidates will be permitted to raise objections if any. Candidates will be given four days to deliberate before putting up objections. Any objection found' frivolous' may draw negative marking, equal to the weightage of the question.
 - (c) The aim of the Interview is to assess the candidate's suitability for the job in terms of his personal qualities by a Panel Interview.
 - (d) Final result shall be prepared on the basis of the grand total of the marks obtained by the Candidates in the **Written Competitive Examination and the Interview.**
 - (e) The marks of written competitive examination obtained by the candidates or cut off marks for interview will not be disclosed at the time of short listing the candidates for interview, to avoid the same influencing the interview panel. However the complete details of written marks and interview marks will be available on the website of Commission after compiling the final result.

8.0 Syllabi of subject is attached at Annexure 'A'

9.0 (a) Syllabi of Logical Reasoning/Mental Ability:

Logical Deductions

- Deriving conclusion from passages
 Theme Detection
 Cause and Effect Reasoning
 Logic
- 5. Statement- Arguments6. Statement- Assumptions7. Statement- Courses of Action
- 8. Statement- Conclusions

Verbal Reasoning

- 1. Analogy
- 2. Series Completion
- 3. Verification of truth of the Statement
- 4. Situation Reaction Test
- 5. Direction Sense Test
- 6. Classification
- 7. Data Sufficiency
- 8. Alpha- Numeric Sequence Puzzle
- 9. Puzzle Test
- 10. Blood Relations
- 11. Coding- Decoding
- 12. Assertion and Reasoning
- 13. Arithmetical Reasoning

- 14. Operations of Mathematics
- 15. Venn Diagrams
- 16. Word Sequence
- 17. Missing Characters
- 18. Sequential Output training
- 19. Directions
- 20. Test on Alphabets
- 21. Eligibility Test

Non-Verbal Reasoning

- 1. Dot Situation
- 2. Identical figure groupings
- 3. Forming figures and analysis
- 4. Construction of Squares and Triangles
- 5. Series
- 6. Analogy
- 7. Analytical Reasoning
- 8. Paper Folding
- 9. Paper Cutting
- 10. Cubes and Dice
- 11. Water Images
- 12. Mirror Images
- 13. Figure Matrix
- 14. Completion of Incomplete Pattern
- 15. Spotting out the embedded figures
- 16. Classification
- 17. Rule Detection

(b) Syllabi of General Knowledge and Current Affairs:

- (a) General Knowledge and Current affairs of National and International importance including:
 - (i) Economic issues.
 - (ii) Polity issues.
 - (iii) Environment issues
 - (iv) Science and Technology.
 - (v) Any other current issues.
- (b) (i) History of India with special reference to Indian freedom struggle movement
 - (ii) History of Punjab- 14th century onwards.
- 9.1 Information about the examination centre(s) shall be mentioned on Admit Cards of all candidates. Details regarding the Admit cards shall be given shortly on the website of the Commission.
- 9.2 All candidates who apply for ibid posts will be treated "provisionally eligible" for appearing in the competitive exam. Acceptance of applications at this stage and allotment of Roll Numbers by PPSC does not indicate acceptance of candidature by the PPSC, since there is no scrutiny of documents before the written test.
- 9.3 The scrutiny of application forms shall be done after the conduct of the examination During the process of scrutiny, the application forms and other relevant documents, certificates, etc of the candidates shall be examined to determine their eligibility as on the last date of submission of online application forms. Candidates not meeting the eligibility criteria will be rejected after the scrutiny process or any time thereafter if found ineligible.
- 9.4 The candidates applying for the Competitive Examination should ensure that they fulfill all the eligibility conditions for admission to the examination. Their admission at all the stages of examination for which they are admitted by the

Commission viz. Competitive Examination and Interview will be purely provisional, subject to their satisfying the prescribed eligibility conditions. If on checking at any time before or after the Competitive Examination, Interview, it found that they do not fulfill any of the eligibility conditions; their candidature for the examination will be cancelled by the Commission. If any of their claims is found to be incorrect, they may render themselves liable to disciplinary action by the Commission or the civil court. Any attempt on the part of a candidate to obtain support for his candidature by any unfair means will render him/ her liable for disqualification and disciplinary action.

10.0 Nationality:

A candidate shall be a:

- i) Citizen of India; or
- ii) Citizen of Nepal; or
- iii) Subject of Bhutan; or
- iv) Tibetan refugee who came over to India before the Ist January. 1962, with the intention of permanently settling in India; or.
- v) A person of Indian origin who has migrated from Pakistan, Burma, Sri Lanka and East African countries of Kenya, Uganda and United Republic of Tanzania (formerly Tanganyika and Zanzibar) Zambia, Malawi, Zaire, Ethiopia and Vietnam with the intention of permanently settling in India;

Provided that a candidate belonging to categories (ii), (iii), (iv) and (v) shall be a person in whose favour a certificate of eligibility has been issued by the Government of Punjab in the Department of Home Affairs and Justice.

11.0 Submission of Application Form

The candidates can ONLY apply by filling Online Application Form, a link of which is available on the website of the Commission http://ppsc.gov.in No other mode of application will be accepted.

Process	Step	Last Date
To make new registration for applying for the	(Step-1)	28-3-2019
post.		By 11:59:00 PM
To deposit the Application fees by system	(Step-2)	05-04-2019
generated Bank Challan Form.		During Banking
		<u>Hours</u>]

- 12.0 (a) The candidates are **NOT REQUIRED TO SEND THE HARD COPY** of the Online Application Form to the Office of Punjab Public Service Commission. However, the candidates must take out the hard copy in soft form or print out at the time of applying otherwise he/she will not be able to take out the copy at the later stage. He/she must retain the hard/soft copy of online application form along with all eligibility documents ready to be sent at a short notice to PPSC whenever required by PPSC during short listing for the interview or earlier
 - (b) However, candidates applying under the Sports Category if any such post exists, will send a hard copy of 'On line Application Form' along with Sports Gradation Certificate and other certificates related to sports to establish his eligibility under the sports category.
 - (c) Candidates applying under Physically Handicapped Category if any such post exists, should also refer to "General Information" with reference to documents to be sent to PPSC.
 - (d) The following SELF ATTESTED CERTIFICATES shall be submitted by candidates when asked at short notice:
 - 1. Proof of Date of Birth: Certificate of Matriculation/Higher Secondary.

- 2. Proof of having passed Punjabi Language.
- 3. Relevant Degree and DMC Certificate.
- 4. Reserved Category Certificate issued by the Competent Authority(If Applicable)
- 5. Experience certificate issued by Competent Authority.
- 6. If ESM, certificates/documents mentioning the following:
 - i) Date of Enrolment
 - ii) Date of Release/Discharge
 - iii) Reason of Release/ Discharge
- 7. Certificate as proof of age relaxation claim. (If Applicable)
- 8. Certificate as proof of fee concession (If Applicable)
- 9. Proof of being Govt. Employee.
- 10. Copy of Bank Challan (PPSSC Copy only)
- (e) The Candidates SHALL sign the declaration on Page No. 2 of the print out of Online Application Form before submitting the same The Candidates SHALL sign the declaration on last page of the print out of Online Application Form before submitting the same.

13.0 Application and Examination Fee

The candidates are required to pay the Application fee as per Govt. Letter No. 10/20/2007 -3PP3/97751/1 dated 17-9-2013 as mentioned below:-

Name of Category	Online Application charges	Examination Fee	Total
Scheduled Castes/ Scheduled Tribes of all States and Backward Classes of Punjab State only.	Rs. 500/-	Rs. 625/-	1125/-
Ex-Servicemen of Punjab state only	Rs. 500/-	No Fee to be paid	500/-
All Others Categories (including Lineal Descendent of Ex-servicemen, Punjab)	Rs 500/-	Rs. 2500/-	3000/-
Physically Handicapped, Punjab State only.	Rs. 500/-	Rs. 1250/-	1750/-

- 13.1 The candidates entitled to fee concession/exemption MUST submit with their Application Form, a self attested copy of the certificate certifying their claim for fee concession/exemption. Candidates who do not submit such a certificate shall not be entitled to fee concession/exemption under any circumstances.
- 13.2 Application fee MUST be submitted **through any Branch of State Bank of India only.** Candidate should carefully fill the details in the Online Application Form and click on the "SUBMIT" button at the end of the Online Application Format. Before pressing the "SUBMIT" Button, candidates are advised to verify every detail filled in the application. After submitting the online application form, the candidate should take a printout of the system generated Bank challan. **No Change/Edit will be allowed after Submitting the Application Form. The application fee is non-refundable.**

14.0 <u>Conditions which may render a candidate ineligible</u>

- 14.1 The following conditions, among others, may render the candidates ineligible:
 - a) Insufficient fee;
 - b) Application fee deposited by means other than a Bank Challan through any branch State Bank of India.
 - c) Late receipt of print out of Online Application Form;
 - d) Wrong/incomplete information given in the application form;
 - e) Candidates debarred by the PPSC/other Public Service Commissions;

f) Non-fulfillment of any of the eligibility conditions, including those of age and educational qualifications.

Important Note

- Only Scheduled Castes, Backward Classes, Ex-Servicemen/ LDESM, Physically Handicapped, Freedom Fighter & Sports Persons of Punjab domicile are eligible for the benefit of reservation.
- 14.3 <u>A candidate should indicate the specific category for which he/she wants to be considered and category once opted cannot be changed under any circumstances.</u>
- 14.4 SC/ST Candidates belonging to other States are required to fill their Post Category as General Category (Code 71). They are entitled only to fee concession but not entitled to avail reservation/age relaxation.
- 14.5 Ex-servicemen/Lineal Descendent of Ex-Servicemen (LDESM)/Grand children of Gallantry Award Winners who have domicile of Punjab are eligible for reservation under the Ex-Servicemen category. LDESM/Grand children of Gallantry Award Winners shall be considered against the vacancies for Ex-servicemen ONLY IF no Ex-servicemen are available. In case sufficient numbers of Ex-servicemen are available, then LDESM shall be treated as General Category candidates.

15.0 Definition Of Categories

Candidates should select their categories carefully, because candidates belonging to categories other than category 71 (General), are entitled to fee concession/exemption, age relaxation and job reservation. The category once selected by a candidate will not be changed under any circumstances. Candidates shall submit certificates issued by the Competent Authority in support of their claim to a particular category.

A) CATEGORIES AND CATEGORY CODE

Code No.	Category Name
71	General Category
72	ESM, Punjab
73	LDESM, Punjab
74	Freedom Fighter, Punjab
75	Sports Person, Punjab
76	Physically Handicapped, Punjab:
	A: Visually ImpairedB: Hearing ImpairedC: Orthopaedically Disabled
77	SC Others, Punjab
78	SC ESM, Punjab
79	SC LDESM, Punjab
80	SC Sports Person, Punjab
81	Balmiki/ Mazhbi Sikh, Punjab
82	Balmiki/ Mazhbi Sikh ESM, Punjab
83	Balmiki/ Mazhbi Sikh LDESM, Punjab
84	Balmiki/ Mazhbi Sikh Sports Person, Punjab
85	BC, Punjab
86	BC ESM, Punjab
87	BC LDESM, Punjab

B) CODE FOR AGE RELAXATION (If claimed)

Code No	Category Name
91	State Government/Central Government Employees.
92	SC Punjab only
93	Balmiki/Mazhbi Sikh Punjab Only
94	Widows & certain other categories of women of Punjab.
95	B.C., Punjab Only
96	ESM, Punjab Only
97	Physically Handicapped, Punjab Only
98	SC Punjab only+ State Government/Central Government Employees.
99	SC Punjab only + ESM, Punjab.
100	SC Punjab only + Physically Handicapped, Punjab.
101	Balmiki/Mazhbi Sikh Punjab only+ State Government/Central Government
101	Employees.
102	Balmiki/Mazhbi Sikh Punjab only + ESM, Punjab.
103	Balmiki/Mazhbi Sikh Punjab only + Physically Handicapped, Punjab.
104	B.C., Punjab. + State Government/Central Government Employees.
105	B.C., Punjab. + ESM, Punjab
106	B.C., Punjab. + Physically Handicapped, Punjab.

15.1 BACKWARD CLASSES (PUNJAB)

- The candidates desiring to be considered for the Backward Classes category are required to submit a certificate as per Punjab Government letter No.1/41/93 . RCI/459 dated 17/1/1994, No. 1/41/93RC-1/1597, dated 17-8-2005, No.1/41/93 RCI/209, dated 24.2.2009 and No.1/41/93 RCI/609 dated 24.10.2013 in the Section of prescribed proforma. [Format is given in the Annexure –A in the Advertisement]
- 15.1.2 The BC Certificate in proforma other than the prescribed proforma will not be accepted. The candidates belonging to Backward Classes are required to attach a declaration along with Backward Class certificate that no change occurred in their status and they do not fall in the section of creamy-layer as per Govt. letter No. 10/9/2009-RCI/62 Dated 08/1/2010. [Format is given in the Annexure –B in the Advertisement]
- 15.1.3 The Competent Authorities to issue the necessary certificate are:
 - a) Deputy Commissioner
 - b) Additional Deputy Commissioner
 - c) Sub-Divisional Magistrate
 - d) Executive Magistrate (PCS Officers only)
 - e) Tehsildar

15.2 <u>SON/DAUGHTER/GRAND SON/GRAND DAUGHTER OF FREEDOM FIGHTERS (PUNJAB)</u>

- 15.2.1 Candidates claiming to be son/grandson/daughter/granddaughter of Freedom Fighters are required to submit a certificate issued by the competent authority (i.e., Deputy Commissioner of the district concerned) as per Punjab Government Instructions No.9 (13) 3P-II-84/5822 dated 4/4/1985, No.1(135)-8P-II/7/310/20,dated 19.6.91 and No. 4-13-8 P-11-97/10112 dated 22/8/1997.
- Only those Freedom Fighters and their son/daughter/grand-son/grand-daughter are eligible for consideration for reservation under this category who:
 - a) belong to the State of Punjab; and
 - **b**) have either been granted a Freedom Fighter pension by the Punjab Government or have been awarded Tamra Patra by the Government of India; or
 - c) are otherwise eligible for the grant of Freedom Fighter pension and Tamra Patra but for any reason whatsoever did not apply for Freedom Fighter pension and Tamra Patra but can obtain Freedom Fighter/ son/daughter/grand-

son/grand-daughter of Freedom Fighter certificate from the General Administration (Political wing) of the Punjab Government.

15.3 <u>EX-SERVICEMEN (PUNJAB)</u>

- 15.3.1 "Ex-serviceman" means a person who has served in any rank, whether as a combatant 4or a non combatant, in the Naval, Military and Air Force of the Union of India (here-in-after referred to as the Armed forces of the Union of India), and who has:
 - a) retired or released from such service at his or her own request after earning his or her pension; or
 - b) been released from such service on medical grounds attributable to military service or circumstances beyond his control and awarded medical or other disability pension; or
 - c) been released otherwise than on his own request from such service as a result of reduction in establishment; or
 - d) been released from such service after completing the specific period of engagement otherwise than at his own request or by way of dismissal or discharge on account of misconduct or inefficiency and has been given a gratuity;
- 15.3.2 "but does not include a person who has served in the Defence Security Corps, the General Reserve Engineering Force, the Lok Sahayak Sena and the Para Military Forces, but includes personnel of the Lok Sahayak Sena of the following categories namely:
 - a) Pension holders for continuous embodied service
 - b) Persons with disability attributable to military service; and
 - c) Gallantry award winners
- 15.3.3 Ex-servicemen should be of Punjab domicile and they should submit a Punjab Resident Certificate from the competent authority, failing which would result in cancellation of their candidature.
- **Explanation:** The persons serving in the Armed Forces of the Union, who on retirement from service would come under the category of "Ex-servicemen", may be permitted to apply for re-employment one year before the completion of specified terms of engagement and avail themselves of all concessions available to Ex-servicemen but shall not be permitted to leave the uniform until they complete the specified terms of engagement in the Armed Forces of the Union.
 - As per Punjab Govt. letter No.15/25/2001-4DW/1591 dated 21/5/2002 an Exserviceman is allowed the benefit of Reservation for the second time and even thereafter in subsequent recruitment in according with the provisions of these Rules.
 - 15.3.5 Provided that where an Ex-serviceman is not available for recruitment against a reserved category, such a vacancy shall be reserved to be filled in by recruitment of either the wife or one descendent child of an Ex-serviceman.
 - 15.3.6 Provided further that the wife or the Lineal Descendent child of the Exserviceman shall be recruited against the reserved vacancy subject to the conditions that:
 - (i) he or she possesses the prescribed qualifications and the within the prescribed age limit,
 - (ii) he or she is not already in service;
 - (iii) he or she will be eligible to avail the benefit only once in life.

Provided further that one grand Child of the Gallantry Award Winner shall be recruited against the reserved vacancy, in case the benefit or reservation has not been availed of by any of the children or dependents such winner or by the winner himself subject to the conditions specified in the second proviso.

For the purpose of this proviso Gallantry Award Winner includes the winner of the Paramvir Chakra, The Mahavir Chakra, the Vir Chakra, the Sena or Nao Sena or Vayu Sena Medal and Mention-in-Despatches.

15.3.7 As per Punjab Government notification No.GSR9/Const./ Art309, 234 and 318/Amd(5)/2003 dated 06/11/2002 and letter No. 1/28/92-3ET/2805 dated 14/05/2003 and;

- a) "Lineal Descendent" means sons/daughters (married/un-married/widowed legally divorced) of the re-employed/unemployed Ex-Serviceman.
- b) "Wife" shall include the widow of an Ex-serviceman, provided she has not re-married up to the date of the issue of the appointment letter."
- c) In any case, including the case where the Ex-Serviceman has died, his sons/daughters shall be treated as "Lineal descendent" only if a certificate to this effect has been issued by the authority appointed by the Government. [Format is given in the Annexure –C in the Advertisement]

15.3.8 **DEFINITION OF WAR HERO:-**

- (i) "War hero" means a defence services personnel or a para-military forces personnel, who is a bona fide resident of Punjab State and has been killed or discharged from service on account of disability suffered by him on or after 1st January, 1999, while fighting in war declared so by Government of India, in operations in Kargil or any other sector in J. and K. in the on going conflict with Pakistan other operations which may be notified by the State Government to have been undertaken for preserving the unity and integrity of the Country; or
- (ii) A defence services personnel or a para-military forces personnel who was a bona fide resident of Punjab State and was posthumously decorated with Parmvir Chakra, Mahavir or Vir Chakra: provided that,—
- (a) In exceptional instances, the cases of such War Heroes may also be covered, with the prior approval of the Department of Personnel who though bona fide residents of Punjab State are closely connected to the State of Punjab;
- (b) In the case of War Heroes, falling in the category (II), the benefits to be given by the State Government will be restricted only to first generation dependent member/next of the kin.

Note.- The Government reserves the right to include any other category of Awardees for the purpose of providing employment to the category of War Heroes, as may be notified.

15.4 SPORTS PERSON (PUNJAB)

A candidate can claim reservation under the Sports Person category only if:

15.4.1 He/ She belongs to State of Punjab; and

- a) He/ She has won National Championship in team or individual events while representing the State of Punjab in such sports events as have been conducted by such respective National Federations as are affiliated to the Indian Olympic Association; or
- b) He/ She has won National Championship in team or individual events which are organized by the Indian Olympic Association; or
- c) He/ She has won first, second or third position in team or individual events and/or he has won Gold or Silver or Bronze Medal, at International Sports meets, conducted by International Federations affiliated to the International Olympic Committee or by the International Olympic Committee itself.
- 15.4.2 If candidate belongs to Sports Person, Punjab Category, an attested copy of Gradation Certificate strictly in accordance with the Punjab Sportsman Rules, 1988 issued by the competent authority should be attached with the application form.
- 15.4.3 Director Sports, Punjab is the competent authority to issue Sports Gradation Certificate and any other Sports Certificate issued by any other authority will not be accepted a valid Certificate for claim of reservation under the Sports Person, Punjab Category.
- 15.4.4 Applicants claiming reservation under Sports Person, Punjab Category must submit Punjab Resident Certificate from the competent authority, failing which would result in cancellation of their candidature.

15.5 SCHEDULED CASTE, (PUNJAB)/ SCHEDULED TRIBES

The competent authorities for issuing Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes certificates are:

- 15.5.1 District Magistrate/Additional District Magistrate/ Collector/Deputy Commissioner/ Additional Deputy Commissioner/ Deputy Collector/ Ist Class Stipendiary Magistrate/ City Magistrate/ Sub Divisional Magistrate/ Taluka Magistrate/ Executive Magistrate/Extra Assistant Commissioner (Not below the rank of Ist Class Stipendiary Magistrate);
- 15.5.2 Chief Presidency Magistrate/Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/ Presidency Magistrate;
- 15.5.3 Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar;
- 15.5.4 Sub Divisional Officer (C) of the area where the candidate and or his family formally resides;
- 15.5.5 Administrator/Secretary to Administrator/Development Officer Lakshadweep Islands;
- 15.5.6 As per para-3 of Punjab Govt. Instructions No. 1/8/2007-RC-1/815, dated 10th July, 2008, Head of Department or Head of Offices are competent to issue Scheduled Castes Certificates to those applicants whose parents are serving or residing in Chandigarh/Mohali on the basis of their parents service record. [Format is given in the Annexure –D in the Advertisement]

15.6 <u>WIDOWS AND CERTAIN OTHER CATEGORIES OF WOMEN</u>

- 15.6.1 The definitions as per Government Instructions issued vide letter No. 1/50/83-5PP(1368)/3454 dated 23-4-84 as amended from time to time the widows and certain other categories of women for reservation in employment is as under: Widows;
- 15.6.2 Women who are legally separated from their husbands or have been divorced;
- 15.6.3 Women whose husbands have been ordered by Civil or Criminal Courts to pay maintenance to them;
- 15.6.4 Women whose husbands have remarried; and
- 15.6.5 Wives of serving military personnel or those who are disabled while in military service.

15.7 PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED (PUNJAB) RULES FOR EXAMINATION:

The definitions as per Government Instructions issued vide letter No. 10/26/95/5-SS/1252, dated 2-5-97 of the handicapped for purposes of reservation in employment is as under:

a) THE BLIND:

The blind are those who suffer from either of the following conditions: -

Total absence of sight.

Visual acuity not exceeding 6/60 or 20/200 (Snellen) in the better eye with correcting lenses.

Limitation of the field of vision subtending an angle of 20 degrees or worse.

b) THE DEAF:

The deaf are those in whom the sense of hearing is non-functional for ordinary purposes of life. They do not hear, understand sounds at all events with amplified speech. The cases included in this category will be those having hearing loss more than 60 decibels in the better ear (profound impairment) in the conversational range of frequencies.

c) ORTHOPEDICALLY HANDICAPPED:

The orthopedically handicapped are those who have a physical defect or deformity not less than 40 % which causes an interference with the normal functioning of the bones.

Competent authorities to issue such certificate as under:-

- (i) Principal Medical Officer
- (ii) Chief Medical Officer
- (iii)Civil Surgeon
- (iv)Class-I Medical Officer of any Government Medical Institution

This certificate should be issued by the competent authorities of the concerned District or place of which the candidate is permanent resident.

- **d**) Extra time (20 minutes per hour) is allowed to the following candidates, who apply under the category of 'Physical Handicapped, Punjab':-
 - 'Candidates with Locomotors Disability and Cerebral Palsy where dominant (writing) extremity is affected to the extent of slowing the performance of function (minimum 40% impairment).'
- e) 'Scribe' is allowed to the following candidate, who apply under the category of Physically Handicapped, Punjab:-
 - (i) Blind/ Partially blind candidate as per instructions cited above in Para15.7(a) above.
 - (ii) Such ortho disability due to which a candidates is not able to write.
 - (iii) All candidates provided with Scribe, will also get additional time of 20 minutes per hour of the time allotted for the paper. The Scribe will not have an academic qualification of more that 10+2 class.
- f) Candidates at (d) and (e) above will submit the following documents to Secretary PPSC (Superintendent Examination) in person, **25 days before the date of written paper** (for vetting), failing which they will not be provided the Scribe or given additional time.
 - i) Disability Certificate from office of the Civil Surgeon.
 - ii) For the provision of a Scribe, Affidavit registered as per the specimen attached
 - iii) In case of candidates applying for additional time, they will submit certificate as per Para (d) above, signed by the office of Civil Surgeon. This certificate is not required from those candidates who are applying for a Scribe as per (i) and (ii) above.

Note: Performa of application and Affidavit from candidate and application and Affidavit from the Scribe are attached with this General Information to the Candidates.

- Note: (1) For any General query, candidates may contact the Commission's Office on telephone number <u>0175-5014826</u>, <u>5014831</u> or by sending email with subject as "GENERAL QUERY REGARDING THE POST OF <u>Unani Medical Officer to Supdt.scrutiny@ppsc.gov.in</u>
- Note: (2) Candidates are advised in their own interest to apply using Online Application Form much before the closing date and not to wait till the last date to avoid congestion on the web server on account of heavy load on Internet/Website.
- Note: (3) Candidates are advised to go through the 'General Information for the candidates' and 'Instructions for filling Online Application Form' carefully before filling up Online Application Form. The Commission will not be responsible for any consequence arising out of in correct filling up of Application.

ANNEXURE-B

Form of certificate to be submitted by a candidate belonging to a Backward Class in support of his/her claim

FORM OF CERTIFICATE OF BACKWARD CLASS

1.	This is to certify that Shri/Shrimati/Kumari				
	son/daughter of Shri of village/town				
	in District/Division				
	of the State of Punjab belongs to the Caste, which is				
	recognised as a Backward Class in terms of Punjab Government letter No.				
	dated				
I.	2. This is also certified that he/she does not belong to any category of persons/sections mentioned in column 3 of the schedule to the Punjab Government,				
	Department of Welfare letter No.1/41/93-RCI/459 dated 17-01-1994, No. 1/41/93-				
	RC1/1597 Dated 17-08-2005 & No. 1/41/93-RCI/209 dated 24-02-2009				
i.	3. Shri/Shrimati/ Kumariand or his/her				
	family ordinarily reside(s) in village/townof District/Division				
	of the State of Punjab.				
	Signature				
	Designation				
	(Seal of the officer concerned)				
Place:_					
State:_					
Date:_					

ANNEXURE- C

FORM OF DECLARATION REGARDING BACKWARD CLASS STATUS

	S/o D/o Sh	
R/o	belong	to
backwa	class (Caste) which has been declared as backward class	ss by
Govt.	Punjab. That no change occurred in my previous status and I do not fall in	n the
section	creamy layer as per Punjab Govt. letter No. 1/41/93 RC1/459 dated 17/1/	1994
and No	0/9/2009 RC1/62 dated 8/1/2010.	
	Signature of Applicar	ıt.
Date:		

ANNEXURE-D

Form of certificate to be submitted by a candidate who is a lineal descendant of an exserviceman in support of his/her claim

LINEAL DESCENDENT CERTIFICATE

(As per Punjab Government Notification No. G.S.R.9/Const/Art. 309, 234 and 318/Amd (5)/2003 dated 6 Nov 2002 and letter No. 15/7/92-4DW/Part 11/2056 dated 30 Apr 2003)

Certif	ied that	Sh/Smt	/Miss _					_is a l	Lineal
	endent/								Rank
	Name_				who	is an Ex-Se	erviceman a	ıs per Id	lentity
					issued by				
	Disti	rict							
2.	This cer	rtificate i	s issued	to Sh./ Sm	t/ Miss				whose
date o	of birth is				strictly for	the purpose	e of:		
*(a)	employ	ment for	the pos	t of					in
	the offic	ce of							
*(b)	admissi	on for	(name	of the class	/course)		in		
	(name c	of the edu	cational	Institution) .				
*(Strikeout	whichev	er is not	applicable)					
					1	District Sair	nik Welfare	Officer	
No	0.:								
Pl	ace:								
D:	ate:								

ANNEXURE-E

Form of certificate to be submitted by a candidate belonging to Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe in support of his/her claim

FORM OF CASTE CERTIFICATE

1.	This is to certify that Shri/ Shrimati/ Kumari						
	son/daughter of Shri of village/Town						
	in District/Division State of						
	belongs to Caste/Tribe, which has been recognised						
	as a Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe as per "The Constitution (Scheduled Castes)						
	Order, 1950".						
2.	Shri/Shrimati/Kumari and/or/his/her family						
	ordinary resides in village/townof District/Division						
	of the State of						
	Signature						
	Designation						
	(With Seal of office)						
Place:							
Date:_							
*	Please score out whichever is not applicable.						

Note: The word 'ordinarily resides' here will have the same meaning as is given in Section 20 of

the Representation of People Act, 1950.

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AFFIDAVIT

I	resident of	have a	pplied for		
I solemnly declare and affirm as under:					
1	That I am Visually Impaired candidate therefore I can't read/write.				
2	That I require services of a Scribe	e for appearing the ex	amination.		
3	That Sh./Smt is qualified/studied more than 12 th s		and is not		
4	The Signatures & thumb impr Scribe are given below which are		mentioned		
	For Scribe: 1. Signature 2. Thumb impression:				
		()		
		Depo	onent		
	Verification				
If an be a	Verified that the contents of the correct and nothing has been con by of the above information is four also to find out from any source/ elf, then my candidature will be care	cealed or misrepreser nd wrong or the Comr evidence, that I can se	nted therein. mission may		
<u>Note</u> :	Affidavit must be attested by the the candidate ineligible for the pro-	-	it will render		
	Place	()		
	Dated	Den	onent		

PUNJAB PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, PATIALA

Recruitment of Post/Posts of	in the
department of, Govt. of Punjab.	
SCRIBE	
Valid for	
Examination Centre Name:	
Name:	Photo
Scribe for Roll No:	
The above mentioned scribe has been al Public Service Commission Patiala for the Candidate bearing Roll No	,
	Superintendent (Examinations)

PUNJAB PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, PATIALA

Rec	Recruitment of post/posts of				
in t	the department of Gove	rnment of Punjab.			
Please attach two copies of passport size photographs of the scribe and particulars of the scribe for Physical Handicapped (Orthopedically and Visually impaired candidates)					
		Photo			
1	Name of the Orthopedically/ visually challenged candidate:				
2	Roll No. of Candidate:				
3	Centre Name:				
4 5 6 7	Name of the Scribe: Address of the Scribe: (a) Permanent Address: (b) Telephone No.: Educational Qualification of the Scribe: Relationship if any of the scribe to the Cand	lidate:			
cor	DECLARATION I hereby declare that the particulars furning rect to the best of my knowledge and belief.				
Sig	nature of the Candidate	Signature of the Scribe			

AFFIDAVIT OF SCRIBE

l	Son of		resident of			
	would be the Scribe f	or				
son of	арре	aring	for	the	post	O
	I here by state	that my	quali	ficatio	n is 10)+2
and do not possess any	higher degree. In ca	se the (Comm	ission	finds	ou
that I possess a degree	higher than 10+2.	It can	take t	he le	gal act	tior
against me.						
Note: If the self declarate candidature of the be cancelled.	ation of the scribe candidate associated				•	
Place						
Dated		D	epone	nt		