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Subject: Filling up of the posts of Veterinary Assistant Surgeons in Animal & Sheep Husbandry Department. Verification of documents & Cancellation of the candidature thereof.

Order No. - 14E PSC of 2021

Dated: 16.02.2021

Whereas, Animal & Sheep Husbandry Department vide letter No. ASH/AH/G/04/2020 dated: 04.09.2020 & ASH/SH/29/2010-Part-I dated: 11.09.2020 referred Ninety six (96) posts including 02 backlog vacancies as per the category wise breakup given below, in the discipline of Veterinary Assistant Surgeons in Animal & Sheep Husbandry Department to the Public Service Commission for being filled in terms of the Jammu and Kashmir Probationer (Condition of Service, Pay and Allowances) and fixation of Tenure Rules, 2020, as per the following breakup;

Item No.	Name of the Discipline	OM	RBA	SC	ST	ALC /IB	SLC	PSP	EWS	Total	remarks
01	Veterinary Assistant Surgeon in Animal Husbandry Department	37	08	07	07	03	03	03	07	75*	03 posts reserved for PHC (2:H, 1:L)
02	Veterinary Assistant Surgeon in Sheep Husbandry Department	08	02	02	02	01	01	01	02	19**	01 post reserved for PHC (Hearing)
03	Veterinary Assistant Surgeon in Sheep Husbandry Department (Backlog posts)	-	-	02	-	-	-	-	-	02	-
Total		45	10	11	09	04	04	04	09	96	-

2. Whereas, J&K Public Service Commission, accordingly, notified these 96 posts, vide Notification No.02-PSC(DR-P) of 2020 dated: 11.09.2020., inter-alia mentioning that the no. of vacancies may undergo minor changes after receiving clarification from Animal & Sheep Husbandry Department, category wise breakup of the posts as

also the factum regarding horizontal reservation, for inviting applications and for admission of eligible candidates to the Written Test, for selection in accordance with SRO 546 dated:10.12.2018 which reads as under:

"...the posts of Veterinary Assistant Surgeons shall be filled on the basis of written test only to be conducted by the J&K Public Service Commission.";

and

3. Whereas, in the above said notification it has been specified that the candidate(s) who are domiciled in the Union Territory of J&K and possessing the prescribed academic and professional qualification and age for the said post alone are eligible for applying. Besides, the last date of receipt of online applications provided in the notification (i.e. 16.10.2020) shall be the cutoff date for determining the eligibility as regards education & professional qualification; and
4. Whereas, written examination was held on 22.11.2020 and 683 candidates appeared in the said examination; and
5. Whereas, the result of written test was declared on 08.12.2020 and the eligible shortlisted candidates were directed to get their documents verified at J&K Public Service Commission offices at Jammu & Srinagar on 10.12.2020 & 11.12.2020; and
6. Whereas, Commission recommended 74 candidates in the select list and 31 candidates in the wait list for appointment as Veterinary Assistant Surgeon on 14.12.2020 vide letter no.PSC/DR/VAS/2020 dated:18.12.2020 in whose case the documents were complete in all respect; and
7. Whereas, recommendation w.r.t. 21 candidates from the select list & 15 candidates from the wait list were kept withheld due to deficiency of various documents; and
8. Whereas a number of representations were received from various candidates stating therein that due to Covid-19 Pandemic, the Govt offices were operating at 50% of the staff and they were as such not able to get their Domicile Certificate / Category Certificate/ Registration Certificates etc before the stipulated date even though they had applied well in time ; and

9. Whereas, in pursuance of Commission's decision number 11.3 dated 08.12.2020, a committee of the Members of the Commission was constituted vide Order No.169-PSC of 2020 dated;- 18.12.2020 look into the cases of Medical Officer(s) of Health & Family Welfare Department Candidate(s) wherein the recommendations have been kept with held on account of candidates having submitted documents viz; domicile/Registration Certificates etc. issued / obtained after the cut of date and that the Committee shall scrutinize these case and make appropriate recommendations for consideration of the Commission; and

10. Whereas, the above Committee after detailed examination and deliberations furnished its Report on 30.12.2020 with recommendations as under;-

“The Committee examined the documents produced by the Commission Secretariat including the representation submitted by the candidates (list and representations on file). It was observed that delay in submission of the documents has mainly been because of the Pandemic. The Committee also observed that number of the relaxation / condonation have been granted by various competent authorities / departments of the Government , with regard to submission of Income Tax Returns, GST Returns, exemption of Medical Examination for APR's in respect of employees, extension of validity of motor vehicle documents by Ministry of Roads Transport & Highways and in many other similar situated matters for the reason of Pandemic. Having regards to aforementioned facts the Committee is of the opinion that similar view needs to be taken in respect of the candidates who have submitted their documents in the Commission by or before 29.12.2020. Needless to mention that it remains undisputed matter of the fact that there is only delay in submission of documents as pointed out by the candidates, whose, recommendations were earlier withheld. Issuance of the deficient documents by the concerned competent authorities suggests that all these candidates are possessing the requisite qualifications and for these reasons those have been issued in their favour.

Be it noted that such relaxation should be granted as one time exemption because of Covid-19 and not treated as matter of in future.” and

11. Whereas, the Commission in its meeting held on 4.01.2021 approved the application of the above said recommendations of the Committee **Mutatis Mutandis** to the representations of the candidates who had applied for the post of Veterinary Assistant Surgeon and in whose cases recommendations have been kept withheld; and

12. Whereas, vide order dated: 08.01.2021, recommendations with respect to 20 candidates figuring in the select list and 12 candidates figuring the wait list were released; and

13. Whereas, the following 04 candidates, i.e 01 from the Select list and 03 from the waiting list have not make good the deficiencies shown against each one of them, even upto 29.12.2020;

S.No	RollNo	Name Of Candidate	Serial No. in Select List / Waiting list	Reason of Cancellation
1	2100080	Mudasir Mohd Rather (Select List)	48	Category Certificate not produced
2	2100312	Mushtaq Ahmad Kuchay (wait list)	OM-08	Domicile Certificate not submitted
3	2100582	Sajad Ahmad Dar(wait list)	OM-17	Domicile Certificate not submitted
4	2100022	ParrayArsalanAhad (wait list)	EWS-02	EWS certificate Expired.

Now, therefore, in view of the above, the candidature/recommendation with respect to candidates mentioned above at Para 13¹ is hereby cancelled *abinitio* on the reasons mentioned against each.

By Order,

(Raj Kumar Katoch) **KAS**
Secretary
J&K Public Service Commission

Dated:-16-02-2021.

No;PSC/DR/VAS/2020

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1. Principal Secretary to Government, Animal & Sheep Husbandry Department, Civil Secretariat , Jammu

2. Director, Information & Public Relation, J&K Govt., Srinagar with the request to publish the notification in all the leading local dailies published from Srinagar/Jammu.
3. Deputy Controller of Examinations (V), J&K Public Service Commission for further necessary action.
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5. Private Secretary to Member for information of _____, Hon'ble Member.
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