

ANDHRA PRADESH PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION:: HYDERABAD

PRESS NOTE

The Group-II Services Main Examination (Three Papers), pursuant to Notification No.18/2016 commenced today and the first paper is conducted at 171 venues.

A total of 45287 out of 49106 candidates (92.22%) appeared for Paper-I today, the highest number in computer based examinations held till now in Andhra Pradesh.

At Venue Code 286 Gitam University, Visakhapatnam, there was a network problem after the commencement of examination. The invigilators repeatedly requested all the candidates to wait in their respective allotted seats till the problem is rectified. They were also informed that in Computer based examination, where the examination is stopped due to technical lag, it would be resumed from that point and full time will be given to candidates.

However it appears that defying the requests of the Invigilators, some of the candidates in that centre went out of the examination hall, which is against rules and procedure of the examination. The requests made by the Liaison Officers of District Administration and Observers at the venue were also unheard by some candidates. After obtaining the reports from the concerned authorities, the matter would be examined by the Commission and appropriate decision would be taken.

At Venue Code 1561, St. Ann's College of Engineering & Technology, Chirala, there was power shutdown (including backup power) due to technical problem. The candidates were requested to wait till alternative arrangement is made. Refreshments were also provided to the candidates. All the candidates cooperated and the examination was conducted successfully at the centre.

Hyderabad.
Dated:15.07.2017.

Sd/- Y.V.S.T.SAI, IRS.,
SECRETARY.