# ANDHRA PRADESH PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION: HYDERABAD

#### MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE COMMISSION HELD ON 20/01/2016.

#### Present:

* Prof.P.Udaya Bhaskar		Chairman
* Sri G. S. Seetharama Raju		Member
* Dr. Mohd. Ali Rafat, IAS., (Retd)		Member
*	Sri	A.Giridhar,IAS.,
		Principal Secretary

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At the outset Commission placed on record its deep appreciation of the services rendered by Sri A.Siva Narayana,IPS(Retd.) former Chairman I/c who demitted office on 30/06/2015 and Sri G.Chandra Sekhar, former Member of APPSC who demitted office on 23/12/2015.

- **1.** Confirmation of the Minutes of the meeting held on 28/05/2015.
  - Confirmed.
- **2.** Commission reviewed action taken on decisions of the previous meeting.
  - (i) Drug inspectors recruitment (Notfn No.28/2011)- WP Nos 1151,1152& 3891 of 2014:-

Deputy Secretary concerned shall obtain the joining dates of the candidates

(ii) Sri K. Naga Kumar, Deputy Secretary (Retd) - Initiation of disciplinary action - Reg.

Deputy Secretary concerned shall check whether the Officer retired before TSPSC was formed and to initiate action in G.O.Ms No.3, General Administration (Ser.A) Department, Dated:08/01/2015 if he retired before that date.

(iii)Group-I Services (Notfn No.15/2011 & 18/2011) – Curative Petition filed before the Hon'ble Supreme Court.

May be pursued vigorously.

### (iv) Group -II Services (Notfn. No.10/99)

This case where clarificatory petition is pending in Supreme Court may also be pursued vigorously.

(v) Group- I (Notfn No.39/2008 & 10/2009) APAT orders Dated 29/10/2014. In CA No. 1826/2013. In OA No.4966/2012 to Consider the cases Bhumpally Vidhya District BC Welfare Officer for the post of DSP (Civil)- Reg.

Pending in High Court. To be monitored regularly.

# (vi) Kum. Rajani, AMVI Candidate – Implementation of Tribunal orders.

Orders issued.

### a) Review of processing of Recruitment on hand (JLs)

Govt., may be addressed to initiate disciplinary action against the persons responsible providing wrong key.

### b) Review of Work Report relating to Departmental Tests.

Selection of the Centers for Departmental Examinations shall be done carefully in future. All the centers may be verified for availability of infrastructure.

- **4. a)** Pending Notification
  - **b)** Cases of requisitions from Unit Officers.
  - c) Cases relating to Deletion and Relinquishments.

Commission Noted the decisions.

- **5. a)** Decisions of Sub-Committee on Rules cases.
  - b) Important legal cases.
  - C) Decisions of Sub-Committee on RT cases and
  - **D)** Decisions of Sub-Committee on Disciplinary cases.

Commission Noted the decisions.

### 6. <u>Regulations on Malpractices</u>

Scrutiny committee may be formed with the following Officers:-

- 1.Deputy Secretary (Confidential)
- 2.Deputy Secretary (Exams)
- 3. Assistant Secretary (Legal)

Action also be taken to notify in the A.P.Gazettee.

### 7. Presentation on computerization of the functions of APPSC

The Commission desires to computerize all the activities of the Commission and recruitments and departmental tests by obtaining detailed proposal from APOnline.

# **8.**Any other Item with the permission of the Chair.

- a) <u>Sri Shaik Shameem Saheb, Jr.Asst.</u>,:-The Commission opined that the punishment imposed is far in excess of the irregularity committed. Hence, he shall be reinstated by reviving earlier order with stoppage of one increment with cumulative effect.
- b) **Departmental Tests**:- The Commission agreed in principle and said that it may be implemented with all necessary care.
- c) Revision of syllabus- The Commission noted in exercise done for revision of syllabus may be put up for consideration. After publishing in public department and thereafter scrutiny by an expert committee on the suggestions and objections received.
- d) <u>Sri.A.Pullaiah Naidu, Dist.Extension & Medical Officer</u>:- The Commission noted that Rules provide for the punishment proposed by Government and there cannot be any lesser penalty. It was also discussed whether it runs foul of right to livelihood guaranteed in constitution of India. As several decisions of higher courts have supported the penalty and is not struck down by any court, the Commission concurred with the proposal of Govt., (In fact Hon'ble Supreme Court upheld right of Govt., to invoke Rule 9 of APSC even in cases of grave misconduct, without pecuniary loss. In this case both embezzlement, though temporary is involved with grave misconduct, forgery).

Hyderabad Date:28/01/2016

Sd/Principal Secretary