

GAZETTE DATE : 16/05/2022
LAST DATE : 22/06/2022

CATEGORY NO: 166/2022

Applications are invited from qualified **Schedule cast /Scheduled Tribe** candidates of Kerala State for selection to the following post. Applications must be submitted online through the official website of the Commission after One Time Registration. Candidates who have already registered can apply through their profile. Candidates who have **AADHAR card should add AADHAR as ID proof in their profile**

- 1 Name of Department** : Prisons
- 2 Name of post** : Assistant Prison Officer
(Special Recruitment - (SC/ST) only)
- (Note:- Differently abled candidates and female candidates are not eligible to apply for the post.)*
- 3 Scale of pay** : ₹27900-63700/-
- 4 No. of Vacancy** : 07 (Seven)

Note:- i The above vacancies are now in existence. The Ranked list of selected candidates published by the Commission shall remain in force for a minimum period of one year and a maximum period of three years provided that the said list will not continue to be in force if a new list after the expiry of the minimum period of one year is published. Recruitment will be made for the above vacancy and also for the vacancies reported for Special Recruitment from Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe during the pendency of the list. Candidates against vacancies exclusively reported for Scheduled Tribes will also be advised from this list and only in the absence of Scheduled Tribe candidates in this list that fresh notification for Scheduled Tribes for vacancies reserved exclusively for them will be issued.

- ii The name of the post, qualification and related conditions for selection is notified as per the provisions included in G.O(P)No.89/2014/Home dated 06.05.2014 and GO(P)No.266/2010/Home dated 09.12.2010.
- iii (a) Every person appointed to the post shall from the date on which he joins duty be on probation for a total period of two years on duty within a continuous period of three years.
(b) They shall undergo in-service training as prescribed by the Head of Department.
(c) They shall pass Kerala Jail Subordinate Officers test within the

period of probation unless they have already passed the test.

(d) Statewise Seniority List will be maintained on the warder establishment for the purpose of promotion to other categories.

5 Method of Appointment : Direct Recruitment (State wide)
(Special Recruitment from Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes only).

Note:- Applications received from candidates other than Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe candidates will be rejected. Individual communications regarding the rejection of their applications for the above reason will not be issued.

6 Age : 18 – 41
Only Candidates born between 02.01.1981 and 01.01.2004 (both dates included) are eligible to apply for this post.

Note:- In the absence of qualified candidates within the age limit, the upper age limit shall be relaxed upto 50 years. But in no case the maximum age limit shall exceed 50 (fifty) years.

7 Qualifications

1. Pass in S.S.L.C or its equivalent qualification.

Note:- i) Part II Rule 10(a)ii of KS&SSR regarding qualification is applicable for this selection.

ii) Those candidates who have claimed equivalency for qualifications should produce the Government Order to prove the same at the time of verification in order to be considered as equivalent. Candidates claiming higher /equivalent to the qualification for which equivalency is prescribed in the notification should produce equivalency certificate from concerned institution or Government order proving the equivalency.

iii) If the caste of candidates is wrongly mentioned in their SSLC book, they should claim their original caste in their applications and should produce community certificate issued from the revenue authority concerned and the Gazette Notification for the same at the time of certificate verification.

2. **Physical fitness as specified below, namely:**

(i) Must be at least 160 cms height and must be 81.3 cms round the chest on full expiration and must have a chest expansion of 5 cms.

(ii) Eye Sight

Must be certified to possess the following visual standards, without glasses.

	<u>Vision</u>	<u>Right Eye</u>	<u>Left Eye</u>
(a)	Distant Vision	6/6 snellen	6/6 snellen
(b)	Near Vision	0.5 snellen	0.5 snellen
(c)	Each eye must have full field of vision. Colour blindness, squint or any other morbid condition of the eyes or lids of either eye will be deemed to be a disqualification.		

- (iii) Must be free from apparent physical defects like knock knee, flat foot, varicose veins, bow legs, deformed limbs, irregular and protruding teeth, defective speech and hearing.
- (iv) Must qualify in any five (5) events out of Eight (8) events of the National Physical Efficiency “One Star” Standard Test, as specified below.

Sl. No.	Items	Standards of Efficiency
1	100 Metres run	14 seconds
2	High Jump	132.20 cms (4' 6")
3	Long Jump	457.20 cms (15')
4	Putting the shot (weight of the shot 7264 gms)	609.60 cms (20')
5	Throwing Cricket ball	6096 cms (200')
6	Rope Climbing (using hands only)	365.80 cms (12')
7	Pull up or Chinning	8 times
8	1500 metres run	5 minutes and 44 seconds

Note:- The physical measurement of candidates will be taken at the time of physical efficiency test and those who do not possess the prescribed physical measurement will not be admitted for the physical efficiency test. **If accidents or injuries happened to candidate while participating in the Physical Efficiency Test, he will not be given further chance to participate in the test.** The candidates should produce at the time of Physical Efficiency Test, a Medical Certificate in original in the form prescribed hereunder certifying to their physical fitness and eye sight without glasses. The Medical Certificate

should be one obtained from a Medical Officer under the Government not below the rank of an Assistant Surgeon/Junior Consultant and the same shall be uploaded in the OTR profile by the candidates at the time of certificate verification.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE

I have this day, medically examined Sri.
..... (Name & Address) and found that he has no diseases or infirmity which would render him unsuitable for Government Service. His age according to his own statement is and by appearance is years. His standards of vision (without glasses) are as follows:

Standards of Vision (without glasses)

	<u>Right Eye</u>	<u>Left Eye</u>
(i) Distant Vision Snellen Snellen
(ii) Near Vision Snellen Snellen
(iii) Field of Vision	

(Specify whether field of vision is full or not. Entries such as Normal, Good etc. are inappropriate here)

- (iv) Colour blindness :
- (v) Squint :
- (vi) Any morbid conditions of the eye or Lids of either eye

He is physically fit for the post of Assistant Prison Officer in the Prisons Department.

Place :	Signature
Date :	Name and Designation of the Medical Officer

(Office Seal)

Note:- Details regarding standards of vision should be clearly stated in the Certificate as given above and vague statement such as vision Normal/Good will not be accepted. Specification for each eye should be stated separately. If the specifications are not as indicated above, the officer issuing the Certificate should certify whether the candidate has got better standards of vision or worse standards of vision as the case may be, otherwise the certificate will not be accepted.

8 Mode of Submitting application:

Candidates must register as per ONE TIME REGISTRATION with the official Website of Kerala Public Service Commission www.keralapsc.gov.in before applying for the post. Candidates who have registered can apply by logging on to their profile using their User-ID and Password. Candidates must click on the '**Apply Now**' button of the respective posts in the Notification Link to apply for a post. Name of the candidate and the date of photograph taken should be printed legibly at the bottom portion of the photograph uploaded. The photograph once uploaded meeting all requirements shall be valid for 10 years from the date of taking of photographs. **Candidates who create their profile from 01/01/2022 should upload photograph taken within the period of six months.** There is no change in other instructions regarding the uploading of photographs. No application fee is required. Candidates are responsible for the correctness of the personal information and secrecy of password. Before the final submission of the application on the profile candidates must ensure correctness of the information in their profile. They must quote the User-ID for further communication with the Commission. Application submitted is provisional and cannot be deleted or altered after submission. **Candidates are advised to keep a printout or soft copy of the online application for future reference. Candidates can take the printout of the application by clicking on the link 'My applications' in their profile. All correspondences with the Commission, regarding the application should be accompanied with the print out of the application.** The application will be summarily rejected if non-compliance with the notification is found in due course of processing. Original documents to prove qualification, experience, age, Community etc. have to be produced as and when called for.

9 **Last Date for receipt of applications :** 22.06.2022 Wednesday
upto 12 Midnight.

10 **Website Address :** www.keralapsc.gov.in

11 Candidates having “A”, “B” & “C” certificate of NCC will be given weightage marks at the rate of 2%, 3% & 5% respectively, vide GO(MS)No.112/2007/H/Edn dated 21.08.2007.

12 Paragraphs two, three and twenty five (except the conditions laid down in the Rule 3 (c) of Part II of the Kerala State and Subordinate Service Rules are not applicable to this selection.

13 Appointment are made on the basis of the rank secured in the ranked list of candidates prepared in pursuance of this notification subject to the conditions laid down in G.O.(MS) No.142/72/PD dated 13.04.1972, G.O.(MS) No.

309/73/PD dated 29.11.1973, G.O.(P) No. 21/76/PD dated, 17.01.1976 and G.O.(P) No.25/94/GAD dated, 22.01.1994 allowing special reservations to Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes in accordance with the procedures made for this purpose from time to time and subject to the rules under sections 3(c), 17(a), 17(b) of Part II of Kerala State and Subordinate Service Rules, 1958.

- 14** If written/OMR/Online Test is conducted as part of this selection, candidates shall submit a confirmation for writing the examination through their One Time Registration profile . Such candidates alone can generate and download the Admission Tickets in the last 15 days till the date of Test. The applications of candidates who do not submit confirmation within the stipulated period, will be rejected absolutely. The periods regarding the submission of confirmation and the availability of Admission Tickets will be published in the Examination Calendar itself. Information in this regard will be given to the candidates in their respective profiles and in the mobile phone number registered in it.
- 15** As per Rule 22 of the KPSC Rules of Procedure 1976 appropriate disciplinary action will be taken against those candidates who submit application for the post with false claims of possession of prescribed qualification,experience etc and give confirmation for examination, irrespective of whether they have appeared for the examination or not

(For details including photo and ID card etc. refer to the General Conditions at the end of the notification).

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