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Subject:- Introduction of the scheme of preliminary examination in case of Selection/ Recruitment to the post of Tripura Forest Service Grade-II Officers- Amendment of Regulations thereof under General Administration (Personnel & Training) Department.

1. At present, posts of Tripura Forest Service Grade -II are being filled up by the Tripura Public Service Commission (TPSC) as per provision under the Tripura Forest Service (Appointment by Competitive Examination) Regulations, in two successive system of examination i.e. written test and personality test.
2. Now as per the proposal of TPSC, State Government has decided to introduce preliminary examination (Objective type) for screening purpose in addition to main examination (written test) and personality test.
3. Now -a-days the number of candidates appearing for any examination has increased manifolds. Hence preliminary test has been introduced to screen the candidates, 10 times of total posts to be filled.
4. Earlier, the written examination was carrying 700 marks and the personality test was carrying 100 marks. **Now, the marks distribution will be as follows:-**
 - a. Preliminary examination for screening purpose only:- 200 marks
 - b. Main Examination (Written test):- 700 marks
 - c. Personality test:- not exceeding 10% of total mains (written test) marks (maximum 70 marks)
5. Final selection will be done on the basis of total marks scored in the mains examination (written examination) and personality test.
6. Preliminary examination, Main examination and personality test will be conducted by the TPSC.
7. This amendment in the Tripura Forest Service (Appointment by Competitive Examination) Regulations, 1994 shall bring transparency, efficiency and economy in the system and also shall make the process of recruitment of TFS Gr-II officers at par with TCS-TPS combined Examination.
