TAMILNADU PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

HALF YEARLY EXAMINATIONS AND LANGUAGE TESTS – APRIL - 2022

DIVISION B – DEPARTMENTAL TEST ON FOREST REVENUE

(FOR THE OFFICERS OF THE INDIAN FOREST SERVICE AND TAMIL NADU FOREST SERVICE)

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

- Note: 1. Answer all the questions.
 - 2. Answer should be brief and relevant.
 - 3. Please quote relevant section of the Board Standing Order in Part-II.

PART – I

(WITHOUT BOOKS)

1. Write short notes on following :

- (a) Unauthorised occupation of Government Lands.
- (b) Conditional Assignments of lands to Tribals.
- (c) Attachment by Civil Courts.
- (d) Duties of Government Pleaders.
- (e) Sale of lands adjoining Reserved Forests.

2. Differentiate the following :

- (a) Prospecting License and Mining Lease.
- (b) Reserved Forest and Reserved Land.
- 3. What are the procedures adopted in sale of trees on Government Lands? (10)
- 4. How are unclaimed properties disposed off? And Quote authority. (10)

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 $(2 \times 5 = 10)$

 $(5 \times 4 = 20)$

$\mathbf{PART} - \mathbf{II}$

(WITH BOOKS)

1. Describe procedure to be followed in leasing out forest lands for quarrying purposes.

(10)

- 2. How to deal with diversion and use of water from streams in Reserved Forests? (10)
- 3. Describe about Government Law Suits and appeal to which Government is a party? (10)
- 4. How to deal with transfer of land from one department to other department of State Government? (10)
- 5. What are powers of Forest Officers in respect of eviction of an encroachment inside the Reserved Forests? (10)

