

TAMILNADU PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
HALF YEARLY EXAMINATIONS AND LANGUAGE TESTS –
APRIL - 2024
DIVISION – B : DEPARTMENTAL TEST ON FOREST REVENUE
(FOR OFFICERS OF THE INDIAN FOREST SERVICE AND
TAMILNADU FOREST SERVICE)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

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

PART – I
(WITHOUT BOOKS)

1. Write short notes on any five of the following : (5 × 4 = 20)
 - (a) Sale of trees by auction.
 - (b) Diversion and use of water from streams in Reserved Forests.
 - (c) Unauthorised occupation of Reserved Forest and other Reserved Lands.
 - (d) Assignment of Land reserved under Section 26 of the Forest Act.
 - (e) Collection of arrears of revenue other than Land-revenue.
 - (f) Special officer for acquisition of land for Public Purposes.

2. Explain any four of the following : (4 × 5 = 20)
 - (a) Transfer of Land between the Central and the State Governments.
 - (b) Payment of compensation for land taken up under the land acquisition Act.
 - (c) Duties of Government Pleader and defence of Public Officers in Civil and Criminal Proceedings.

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(d) What is Escheats? How are escheats of real property dealt with?

(e) Scale of plan in Field Measurement books.

3. What are all the procedures to be adopted for eviction of unauthorised occupation of Government Lands? (1 × 10 = 10)

PART – II

(WITH BOOKS)

4. Explain the preservation of Great Trigonometrical Spurway Stations (GTS) and bench marks. (1 × 10 = 10)

5. Discuss the object, aspects and conduction of Jamabandhi. (1 × 10 = 10)

6. Defence of Suits. (1 × 10 = 10)

7. Service of process for recovery of arrears of revenue. (1 × 10 = 10)

8. Preparation of title-deeds. (1 × 10 = 10)
