TAMILNADU PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

SPECIAL HALF YEARLY EXAMINATIONS AND LANGUAGE TESTS – OCTOBER - 2020

DIVISION B - DEPARTMENTAL TEST ON FOREST REVENUE

(FOR 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. Elaborate the duties of Government Pleaders.

(10)

2. Write short notes on the following:

 $(4 \times 5 = 20)$

- (a) Suits on behalf of Government
- (b) Assignment of hilly land for cultivation
- (c) Lands containing topes and valuable trees
- (d) Land Reserved under Sec 26 of Forest Act

3. Write short notes on the following:

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- (a) Jamabandi
- (b) Use of water for irrigation from streams in Reserve Forests.
- (c) Quarrying in Government and Private lands.
- (d) Preservation of Great Trigonometric Survey Stations.

PART - II (WITH BOOKS)

Procedure involved in transfer of lands from one department to another Department of 1. State Government. (10)Sale of trees by auction in disposal of Government lands. 2. (10)Escheats and Unclaimed Properties. 3. (10) Procedures to be followed for eviction of encroachments from reserved forest and 4. reserved lands. (10)5. Assignment of lands to Hill Tribes and Scheduled Tribes. (10)