TAMILNADU PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

HALF YEARLY EXAMINATIONS AND LANGUAGE TESTS – OCTOBER - 2021

TEST ON FUNDAMENTAL RULES AND STATE SERVICE RULES ETC., FOR FOREST OFFICERS

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

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 100

(WITHOUT BOOKS)

Notes:

- 1. Answer ALL questions.
- 2. Marks are indicated against each question.
- 3. Answer should be brief and to the point.
- 1. (a) What are the different kinds of travelling allowances? Briefly explain.
 - (b) What are the training be given to a directly recruited Assistant Conservator of Forest in the state? $(2 \times 10 = 20)$
- 2. Write short notes on the following:

 $(4 \times 5 = 20)$

- (a) Compulsory wait for order of Postings
- (b) Supernumerary post
- (c) Method of recruitment of Forest Guard
- (d) Appointing authorities for Ranger, forester, Senior Draughting Officer, Junior Draughting Officer and AD Man.

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3. Briefly explain the following

 $(4 \times 5 = 20)$

- (a) Fixation of seniority of newly recruited Range officers.
- (b) Recruitment by transfer of the members of the Ministerial Service in the Forest Department as Range Officers.
- (c) Compulsory retirement and voluntary retirement.
- (d) Earned leave, Extraordinary leave, Medical leave and child care leave.
- 4. (a) Write briefly about joining time, certificate to transfer of charge, Probationer, apprentice and promotion of Ranger to Assistant Conservator of Forest.
 - (b) Briefly explain about the maintenance of service book (Group A, B, C and D Officers). $(2 \times 10 = 20)$
- 5. What are the major (17(b)) and Minor (17(a)) penalties and the procedure to be followed to impose major and minor penalties? (20)