

Advt. No. 02 (IV)

General Information for the Candidates

For the Posts of Inspector Cooperative Societies

1.0 Introduction.

- 1.1 The Punjab Public Service Commission (PPSC) has been established under Article 315 of the Constitution of India, with the basic purpose of recruiting officials in various departments of the Government as per the requisitions sent by the Government in this regard from time to time.
- 1.2 The Punjab Public Service Commission invites Online Application Forms from eligible Candidates for recruitment to the of Three Hundred Inspectors, Cooperative Societies in the Department of Cooperation, Government of Punjab.
- Note: This Advertisement is being published as per requisition received from the Department of Department of Cooperation, Government of Punjab vide their letter No. 70/11/2011-C2(1)/738358/1 dated 23.04.2016 & letter No. 70/11/2011-C2(1)/2922 dated 15.07.2016and is subject to any modification or amendment that may be made by the Government subsequently.

The number of vacancies, reservation and the breakup is as follows :-

Sr.	Category	Name of Category	No. of Posts	Back log	Total Posts
No.	Code			Posts	
1	71	General	136	-	136
2	72/73	ESM/LDESM,Punjab.	18	03	21
3	74	Wards of Freedom Fighter, Punjab.	03	-	03
4	75	Sports Person,Punjab.	05	-	05
5		Physically Handicapped, Punjab.		-	
	76-A	Visually Impaired	04		04
	76-B	Hearing Impaired	02 >08		02 > 08
	76-C	Orthopedically Disabled	02 🖯		02
6	77	SC Others ,Punjab.	27	08	35
7	78/79	SC ESM/LDESM,Punjab.	05	01	06
8	80	SC Sports Person,Punjab.	02	-	02
9	81	Balmiki/Mazhbi Sikh Punjab.	27	08	35
10	82/83	Balmiki/Mazhbi ESM/LDESM,Punjab	06	-	06
11	84	Balmiki/Mazbhi Sikhs(Sports Persons),Punjab	01	-	01
12	85	BC,Punjab.	27	08	35
13	86/87	BC ESM/LDESM,Punjab.	06	01	07
			271	29	300

2.0 VACANCIES AND RESERVATION :

*The number of vacancies and reservation of posts is liable to alteration without any notice.

3.0 <u>PAY SCALE</u>: Rs. 10300-34800 +4200 Grade Pay

Note: Regarding drawing the pay of the appointed candidate, as per Notifications No. 7/2004/2012-4FP1/66, Dated 15/01/2015 of Govt. of Punjab Department of Finance (Finance Personnel-I Branch) Chandigarh, fixed emolument equal to Minimum of the Pay Band without any Grade Pay or any allowance will be paid during the probation period of 2 years. It is also clear that Annual increment or any other allowance except travelling allowance will not be paid during the probation period of 2 years.

4.0 Essential Qualifications

- i) Bachelor Degree or equivalent in any stream with minimum 60% marks from a Recognised University or Institution. Graduation Degree with 60% marks in any stream
- ii) Passed a Computer course of at least one hundred and twenty hours with hands on experience in the use of Personal Computer or Information Technology in office productivity applications or Desktop Publishing applications from a Government recognized institution or reputed institution, which is ISO 9001 certified: Provided that if similar course was a part of the curriculum in the degree Course and the candidate has passed the said course as a subject in his Degree class then the condition of his having passed the above said computer course shall not apply.
- Passed matriculation examination with Punjabi as one of the compulsory or elective subject or any other equivalent examination in Punjabi Language; and*
 *(Relaxable for Sikh Migrants to the extent that they will have to acquire such qualification of Punjabi within two years after joining the service failing which their services shall liable to be terminated).
- **Important Note**: The candidates MUST possess the requisite qualification mentioned at para 3(i), (ii) and (iii) above on or before 22/08/2016_(i.e. The Last date of submission of Online Application Form)
- 5.0 <u>Age</u>
 - 5.1 Candidate should not be below 18 years and above 37 years of age on the 01-01-2016.
 - 5.2 Upper age limit may be relaxed upto 45 years for all States/ Central Government employees.
 - 5.3 The Upper age limit is relaxed up to 42 years for Scheduled Castes and Backward Classes of Punjab.
 - 5.4 Ex-servicemen of Punjab Domicile shall be allowed to deduct the period of his service in the Armed Forces of Union from his actual age and if the resultant age does not exceed the maximum age limit prescribed for direct appointment to such a vacancy in the Service Rules concerned by more than three years, he shall be deemed to satisfy the condition regarding age limit.
 - 5.5 Upper age limit is also relaxed upto 42 years for Widows, Divorcees and certain other Categories of Women.
 - 5.6 Upper age limit is also relaxed upto 47 years for Physically Handicapped of Punjab.

6.0 Competitive Examination

The details of Competitive examination are as follows:-

- 6.1 This is for information of the candidates who have applied for the posts of Inspector Cooperative Societies in the Department of Cooperative, Government of Punjab that a competitive exam for recruitment to these posts shall be conducted. The date and time of competitive exam will be uploaded on the website shortly.
- 6.2 The scheme of the examination process shall be as under:

Competitive Exam (Objective Type)	- 300 Marks
Interview	- 40 Marks
Grand Total	- 340 Marks

- 6.3 The examination centre(s) shall be in Patiala and information of the same shall be mentioned on Admit Cards of all candidates. Details regarding the Admit cards shall be given shortly on the website of the Commission.
- 6.4 All candidates who have applied for ibid posts have been declared "provisionally eligible" for appearing in the competitive exam
- 6.5 The scrutiny of application forms shall be done after the conduct of exam. During the process of scrutiny, the application forms and other relevant documents, certificates, etc of the candidates shall be examined to determine their eligibility as on the last date of submission of online application forms.
- 6.6 Thereafter, candidates not more than three times the number of posts (in their order of merit) shall be short-listed for appearing in the interview. However, this number shall be subject to variation if two or more candidates at the last number (the number at the end) get equal marks, then all of them shall be considered for appearing in the interview (subject to eligibility), warranting the corresponding increase in the stipulated ratio.
- 6.7 The salient features of the written competitive exam shall be as follows:-
 - (a) The exam will consist of 100 objective type multiple choice questions.
 - (b) The standard of questions would be to test the knowledge and general awareness as is expected of a person who has attained education at least up to graduation level.
 - (c) The duration of exam will be two hours.
 - (d) All questions will carry equal marks (three marks each).
 - (e) There will be no negative marking.
 - (f) The Viva-Voce shall carry 40 marks and final result shall be prepared on the basis of the grand total of the marks obtained by the Candidates in the Written Competitive Examination and Viva-Voce.

6.8 SYLLABUS OF EXAMINATION FOR THE POSTS OF INSTECTOR COOPERTAIVE SOCITIES:

1. Everyday Science:

States of matter, structure of atom, versatile nature of carbon.

Acids, bases, salts, corrosion in metals, action of soaps.

Life on earth-evolution, marine & terrestrial life. Human body and life processes, nutrition, disease- its causes & prevention, infectious diseases, lifestyle diseases. Public health initiatives, mother and child health, immunization & vaccination, HIV-AIDS, TB, POLIO etc.

Force-laws of motion & gravitation, Archimedes principle. Energy-kinetic & potential.

Light - reflection & refraction - concepts and applications.

Sound - propagation & reflection - concepts and applications.

Electric current - concepts and application.

Computers and telecommunication -concepts and applications.

2. Political theory & international order:

Basic concepts of freedom, equality social justice, rights &duties, citizenship, nationalism, secularism etc.

United Nations and its organs/agencies, other international organizations like the World Bank, IMF, WTO, EU, G20, BRICS etc. and their role in the World peace, trade & development.

3. Indian policy:

Basic features, provisions, schedules of the Indian Constitution, Key amendments. Panchayati Raj. Elections - people's Representation Act, electoral reforms. Rise of regionalism and coalition politics.

Armed challenges to the Indian state since independence.

4. History of India:

The Indus valley civilization.

The Aryan and the Vedic age;

Jainism and Buddhism.

The Maurya Gupta Periods.

Advent of Islam and Sultanate period (political, social & cultural).

The Bhakti Movement.

The Mughals (political, social & cultural till Aurangzeb).

The coming of the European Powers and the advent of the British rule. The Mutiny of 1857.

The British rule and the Indian National Movement (1857-1947).

5. Indian Economy:

Indian economic development (1950-1991) - key economic policies, public sector dominance, bank nationlisation etc.

Five year plans - key goals and main achievements.

Liberalisation, privatization and globalization era since 1991 - key policies, decision and results.

Performance of Indian economy since 1991 - Growth, fiscal & revenue deficits, trade, commences & balances of payments, inflation, and growth of service sector.

Key challenges and responses - agriculture and food security, industrialsation, poverty alleviation & employment, rural & urban infrastructure, social sector - health, education etc.

6. Geography:

Population - distribution, density, growth and comparison.

Migration - types, causes and consequences.

Human development. Human settlements.

Land resources and agriculture.

Water resources.

Mineral and energy resources.

Manufacturing industries.

Planning and sustainable development in India.

Transport and communication.

International trade.

Geographical perspective on selected issues and problems.

7. Current events of national and international importance.

8. Punjab

a) Geography:

Geographical and agro-climatic regions, rivers, water resources, sharing of waters, demographics, human development indices.

b) People, Society and Culture:

Major personalities in history of Punjab, religious movements, major religions & spirituals personalities, Punjabi Literature, folklore, performing arts, fine arts and crafts.

c) History:

Sufis, saints and gurus, Lodhis and Mughals, Sikh rulers, the British period, nationalist movement in Punjab, Punjab in independent India.

d) Economy:

Agriculture, animal husbandry, industrial & service sectors, major occupations, development & economic growth, public finance (including central-state fiscal issues), public sector institutions, cooperatives etc.

IMPORTANT NOTE: The candidates can ONLY apply by filling Online Application Form, a link of which is available on the website of the Punjab Public Service Commission http://ppsc.gov.in

7.0 Nationality

A candidate shall be a:

- i) Citizen of India; or
- ii) Citizen of Nepal; or
- iii) Subject of Bhutan; or
- iv) Tibetan refugee who came over to India before the Ist January. 1962, with the intention of permanently settling in India; or.
- v) A person of Indian origin who has migrated from Pakistan, Burma, Sri Lanka and East African countries of Kenya, Uganda and United Republic of Tanzania (formerly Tanganyika and Zanzibar) Zambia, Malawi, Zaire, Ethiopia and Vietnam with the intention of permanently settling in India;

Provided that a candidate belonging to categories (ii), (iii), (iv) and (v) shall be a person in whose favour a certificate of eligibility has been issued by the Government of Punjab in the Department of Home Affairs and Justice.

8.0 Submission of Applications Form

8.1 The candidates can ONLY apply by filling Online Application Form, a link of which is available on the website of the Commission <u>http://ppsc.gov.in</u> No other mode of application will be accepted.

Process	Step	Last Date
To make new registration for applying for the post.	(Step-1)	<u>22-08-2016</u>
		By 11:59:00 PM
To deposit the Application fees by system generated Bank	(Step-2	<u>29-08-2016</u>
Challan Form.		[During Banking Hours]
To take print of duly filled Online Application Form	(Step-3)	
(after depositing the Application Fees) and to submit the		<u>05-09-2016</u>
Hard Copy of duly filled Online Application Form		By 05:00:00 PM
alongwith copy of self attested certificates and Challan		
Form (PPSC Copy only)		
alongwith copy of self attested certificates and Challan		<i>Бу 03:00:00 ГМ</i>

- 8.2 The printout of the filled Online Application Form alongwith copy of Bank Challan and relevant documents must reach office of Secretary, Punjab Public Service Commission at the Latest by 5.00 pm before or by 05/09/2016
- 8.3 The list of self attested certificates that shall be submitted by candidates alongwith the print out of Online Application Form is as follows:
 - a) Proof of Date of Birth: Certificate of Matriculation/Higher Secondary.
 - b) Proof of having passed Punjabi Language.
 - c) Relevant Degree and DMC Certificate.
 - d) Reserve Category Certificate issued by the Competent Authority (If Applicable)
 - e) If ESM, certificates/documents mentioning the following:
 - i) Date of Enrolment
 - ii) Date of Release/Discharge
 - iii) Reason of Release/ Discharge
 - f) Certificate as proof of age relaxation claim. (If Applicable)
 - g) Certificate of proof of fee concession (If Applicable)
 - h) Proof of being Govt. Employee.
 - i) Copy of Bank Challan.(PPSC copy only)
- 8.4 The Candidates SHALL sign the declaration on the print out of Online Application Form before submitting the same.
- 8.5 Application and Examination Fee

8.5.1 The candidates are required to pay the Application fee as per Govt. Letter No. 10/20/2007 -3PP3/97751/1 dated 17-9-2013 as mentioned below:-

Name of Category	Online Application charges	Examination Fee	Total
Scheduled Castes/ Scheduled Tribes of all States and Backward Classes of Punjab	Rs. 500/-	Rs. 625/-	1125/-
Ex-Servicemen of Punjab	Rs. 500/-	No Fee to be paid	500/-
All Others Categories (including Lineal Descendent of Ex-servicemen, Punjab)	Rs 500/-	Rs. 2500/-	3000/-
Physically Handicapped, Punjab	Rs. 500/-	Rs. 1250/-	1750/-

- 8.5.2 The candidates entitled to fee concession/exemption MUST submit with their Application Form, a self attested copy of the certificate certifying their claim for fee concession/exemption. Candidates who do not submit such a certificate shall not be entitled to fee concession/exemption under any circumstances.
- 8.5.3 Application fee MUST be submitted through any Branch of State Bank of Patiala only.

Candidate should carefully fill in the details in the Online Application form and click on the "SUBMIT" button at the end of the Online Application Format. Before pressing the "SUBMIT" Button, candidates are advised to verify every detail filled in the application. After submitting the online application form, the candidate should take a printout of the system generated fee payment challan immediately. No Change/Edit will be allowed after Submission. **The application fee is non-refundable.**

9.0 Conditions which may render a candidate ineligible

The following conditions, among others, may render the candidates ineligible:

- a) Insufficient fee;
- b) Application fee deposited by means other than a Bank Challan through any branch State Bank of Patiala.
- c) Late receipt of print out of Online Application Form;
- d) Wrong/incomplete information given in the application form;
- e) Candidates debarred by the PPSC/other Public Service Commissions;
- **f**) Non-fulfillment of any of the eligibility conditions, including those of age and educational qualifications.

10.0 Important Note

- 10.1 Only Scheduled Castes, Backward Classes, Ex-Servicemen/ LDESM, Physically Handicapped, Freedom Fighter & Sports Persons of Punjab domicile are eligible for the benefit of reservation.
- 10.2 <u>A candidate should indicate the specific category for which he/she wants to be</u> <u>considered and category once opted cannot be changed under any</u> <u>circumstances</u>.
- 10.3 SC/ST Candidates belonging to other States are required to fill their Post Category as General Category (Code 71). They are entitled only to fee concession but not entitled to avail reservation/age relaxation.
- 10.4 Ex-servicemen/Lineal Descendent of Ex-Servicemen (LDESM) who have domicile of Punjab are eligible for reservation under the Ex-Servicemen category. LDESM shall be considered against the vacancies for Ex-servicemen ONLY IF no Ex-servicemen are available. In case sufficient numbers of Exservicemen are available, then LDESM shall be treated as General Category candidates.

11.0 Definition Of Categories

Candidates should select their categories carefully, because candidates belonging to categories other than category 71 (General), are entitled to fee concession/exemption, age relaxation and job reservation. The category once selected by a candidate will not be changed under any circumstances. Candidates shall submit certificates issued by the Competent Authority in support of their claim to a particular category.

Categories and Category Code

<u>Code No.</u>	Category Name
71	General Category
72	ESM, Punjab
73	LDESM, Punjab
74	Freedom Fighter, Punjab
75	Sports Person, Punjab
76	Physically Handicapped, Punjab:
	A : Visually Impaired B : Hearing Impaired C : Orthopaedically Disabled
77	SC Others, Punjab
78	SC ESM, Punjab
79	SC LDESM, Punjab
80	SC Sports Person, Punjab
81	Balmiki/ Mazhbi Sikh, Punjab

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- 83 Balmiki/ Mazhbi Sikh LDESM, Punjab
- 84 Balmiki/ Mazhbi Sikh Sports Person, Punjab
- 85 BC, Punjab
- 86 BC ESM, Punjab
- 87 BC LDESM, Punjab

<u>CODE FOR AGE RELAXATION</u> (If claimed)

Code No	Category Name
91	State Government/Central Government Employees.
92	SC Punjab only
93	Balmiki/Mazhbi Sikh Punjab Only
94	Widows & certain other categories of women of Punjab.
95	B.C., Punjab Only
96	ESM, Punjab Only
97	Physically Handicapped, Punjab Only
98	SC Punjab only+ State Government/Central Government Employees
99	SC Punjab only + ESM, Punjab.
100	SC Punjab only + Physically Handicapped, Punjab
101	Balmiki/Mazhbi Sikh Punjab only+ State Government/Central Government Employees.
102	Balmiki/Mazhbi Sikh Punjab only + ESM, Punjab.
103	Balmiki/Mazhbi Sikh Punjab only + Physically Handicapped, Punjab.
104	B.C., Punjab. + State Government/Central Government Employees.
105	B.C., Punjab. + ESM, Punjab
106	B.C., Punjab. + Physically Handicapped, Punjab.

11.1 BACKWARD CLASSES (PUNJAB)

- The candidates desiring to be considered for the Backward Classes category are required to submit a certificate as per Punjab Government letter No.1/41/93.RCI/459 dated 17/1/1994, No. 1/41/93RC-1/1597, dated 17-8-2005, No.1/41/93 RCI/209, dated 24.2.2009 and No.1/41/93 RCI/609, dated 24.10.2013 in the Section of prescribed Performa.
- ii) The BC Certificate in Performa other than the prescribed Performa will not be accepted. The candidates belonging to Backward Classes are required to attach a declaration along with Backward Class certificate that no change occurred in their status and they do not fall in the section of creamy-layer as per Govt. letter No. 10/9/2009-RCI/62 Dated 08/1/2010.
- iii) The Competent Authorities to issue the necessary certificate are:
 - a) Deputy Commissioner
 - b) Additional Deputy Commissioner
 - c) Sub-Divisional Magistrate
 - d) Executive Magistrate (PCS Officers only)
 - e) Tehsildar

11.2 <u>SON/DAUGHTER/GRAND SON/GRAND DAUGHTER OF FREEDOM</u> FIGHTERS (PUNJAB)

- Candidates claiming to be son/grandson/daughter/granddaughter of Freedom Fighters are required to submit a certificate issued by the competent authority (i.e., Assistant Commissioner of the district concerned) as per Punjab Government Instructions No.9 (13) 3P-II-84/5822 dated 4/4/1985, No.1(135)-8P-II/7/310/20,dated 19.6.91 and No. 4-13-8 P-11-97/10112 dated 22/8/1997.
- ii) Only those Freedom Fighters and their son/daughter/grand-son/grand-daughter are eligible for consideration for reservation under this category who:
 - a) belong to the State of Punjab; and
 - **b**) have either been granted a Freedom Fighter pension by the Punjab Government or have been awarded Tamra Patra by the Government of India; or
 - c) are otherwise eligible for the grant of Freedom Fighter pension and Tamra Patra but for any reason whatsoever did not apply for Freedom Fighter pension and Tamra Patra but can obtain Freedom Fighter/ son/daughter/grand-son/grand-daughter of Freedom Fighter certificate from the General Administration (Political wing) of the Punjab Government.

11.3 <u>EX-SERVICEMEN (PUNJAB)</u>

- "Ex-serviceman" means a person who has served in any rank, whether as a combatant or a non combatant, in the Naval, Military and Air Force of the Union of India (here-in-after referred to as the Armed forces of the Union of India), and who has:
 - a) retired or released from such service at his or her own request after earning his or her pension; or
 - b) been released from such service on medical grounds attributable to military service or circumstances beyond his control and awarded medical or other disability pension; or
 - c) been released otherwise than on his own request from such service as a result of reduction in establishment; or
 - d) been released from such service after completing the specific period of engagement otherwise than at his own request or by way of dismissal or discharge on account of misconduct or inefficiency and has been given a gratuity;
- ii) "but does not include a person who has served in the Defence Security Corps, the General Reserve Engineering Force, the Lok Sahayak Sena and the Para Military Forces, but includes personnel of the Lok Sahayak Sena of the following categories namely:
 - a) Pension holders for continuous embodied service
 - b) Persons with disability attributable to military service; and
 - c) Gallantry award winners
- iii) Ex-servicemen should be of Punjab domicile and they should submit a Punjab Resident Certificate from the competent authority, failing which would result in cancellation of their candidature.
- **Explanation:** The persons serving in the Armed Forces of the Union, who on retirement from service would come under the category of "Ex-servicemen", may be permitted to apply for reemployment one year before the completion of specified terms of engagement and avail themselves of all concessions available to Ex-servicemen but shall not be permitted to leave the uniform until they complete the specified terms of engagement in the Armed Forces of the Union.

11.4 LINEAL DESCENDENT OF EX-SERVICEMEN (PUNJAB)

- i) Where an Ex-serviceman is not available for recruitment against a reserved category, such a vacancy shall be reserved to be filled in by recruitment of either the wife or one descendent child of an Ex-serviceman.
- As per Punjab Government notification No.GSR9/Const./ Art309, 234 and 318/Amd(5)/2003 dated 06/11/2002 and letter No. 1/28/92-3ET/2805 dated 14/05/2003 and;
 - a) "Lineal Descendent" means sons/daughters (married/un-married/widowed legally divorced) of the re-employed/ unemployed Ex-Serviceman.
 - b) "Wife" shall include the widow of an Ex-serviceman, provided she has not re-married up to the date of the issue of the appointment letter."
 - c) In any case, including the case where the Ex-Serviceman has died, his sons/daughters shall be treated as "Lineal descendent" only if a certificate to this effect has been issued by the authority appointed by the Government.

11.5 SPORTS PERSON (PUNJAB)

A candidate can claim reservation under the Sports Person category only if:

- (i) He/ She belongs to State of Punjab; and
 - a) He/ She has won National Championship in team or individual events while representing the State of Punjab in such sports events as have been conducted by such respective National Federations as are affiliated to the Indian Olympic Association; or
 - b) He/ She has won National Championship in team or individual events which are organized by the Indian Olympic Association; or
 - c) He/ She has won first, second or third position in team or individual events and/or he has won Gold or Silver or Bronze Medal, at International Sports meets, conducted by International Federations affiliated to the International Olympic Committee or by the International Olympic Committee itself.
- (ii) If candidate belongs to Sports Person, Punjab Category, an attested copy of Gradation Certificate strictly in accordance with the Punjab Sportsman Rules, 1988 issued by the competent authority should be attached with the application form.
- Director Sports, Punjab is the competent authority to issue Sports Gradation Certificate and any other Sports Certificate issued by any other authority will not be accepted a valid Certificate for claim of reservation under the Sports Person, Punjab Category.

(iv) Applicants claiming reservation under Sports Person, Punjab Category must submit Punjab Resident Certificate from the competent authority, failing which would result in cancellation of their candidature.

11.6 <u>SCHEDULED CASTE, (PUNJAB)/ SCHEDULED TRIBES</u>

The competent authorities for issuing Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes certificates are:

- District Magistrate/Additional District Magistrate/ Collector/Deputy Commissioner/ Additional Assistant Commissioner/ Assistant Collector/ Ist Class Stipendiary Magistrate/ City Magistrate/ Sub Divisional Magistrate/ Taluka Magistrate/ Executive Magistrate/Extra Assistant Commissioner (Not below the rank of Ist Class Stipendiary Magistrate);
- ii) Chief Presidency Magistrate/Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/ Presidency Magistrate;
- iii) Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar;
- iv) Sub Divisional Officer (C) of the area where the candidate and or his family formally resides;
- v) Administrator/Secretary to Administrator/Development Officer Lakshadweep Islands;
- vi) As per para-3 of Punjab Govt. Instructions No. 1/8/2007-RC-1/815, dated 10th July, 2008, Head of Department or Head of Offices are competent to issue Scheduled Castes Certificates to those applicants whose parents are serving or residing in Chandigarh/Mohali on the basis of their parents service record.

11.7 WIDOWS AND CERTAIN OTHER CATEGORIES OF WOMEN

The definitions as per Government Instructions issued vide letter No. 1/50/83-5PP(1368)/3454 dated 23-4-84 as amended from time to time the widows and certain other categories of women for reservation in employment is as under:

- i) Widows;
- ii) Women who are legally separated from their husbands or have been divorced;
- iii) Women whose husbands have been ordered by Civil or Criminal Courts to pay maintenance to them;
- iv) Women whose husbands have remarried; and
- v) Wives of serving military personnel or those who are disabled while in military service.

11.8 <u>PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED (PUNJAB)</u>

The definitions as per Government Instructions issued vide letter No. 10/26/95/5-SS/1252, dated 2-5-97 of the handicapped for purposes of reservation in employment is as under:

A) <u>THE BLIND</u>:

The blind are those who suffer from either of the following conditions: -

- a) Total absence of sight.
- b) Visual acuity not exceeding 6/60 or 20/200 (Snellen) in the better eye with correcting lenses.
- c) Limitation of the field of vision subtending an angle of 20 degrees or worse.

B) <u>THE DEAF:</u>

The deaf are those in whom the sense of hearing is non-functional for ordinary purposes of life. They do not hear, understand sounds at all events with amplified speech. The cases included in this category will be those having hearing loss more than 60 decibels in the better ear (profound impairment) in the conversational range of frequencies.

C) ORTHOPAEDICALLY HANDICAPPED :

The orthopaedically handicapped are those who have a physical defect or deformity not less

than 40 % which causes an interference with the normal functioning of the bones.

Competent authorities to issue such certificate as under:-

- (i) Principal Medical Officer
- (ii) Chief Medical Officer
- (iii) Civil Surgeon
- (iv) Class-I Medical Officer of any Government Medical Institution

This certificate should be issued by the competent authorities of the concerned District or place of which the candidate is permanent resident.

Note: (1) For any inquiry candidates may contact the Commission's Office on telephone number 0175-5014825, 5014826 or by sending email with subject as "QUERY REGARDING THE POST OF VETERINARY OFFICER " to supdt.scrutiny@ppsc.gov.in

- Note: (2) Candidates are advised in their own interest to apply using Online Application Form much before the closing date and not to wait till the last date to avoid congestion on web server on account of heavy load on Internet/Website.
- Note : (3) Candidates are advised to go through the "General Information for the candidates" and Online Instructions carefully before filling up Online Application Form. <u>The Commission will</u> not be responsible for any consequence arising out of in correct filling up of Application Form.

ANNEXURE-A

Form of certificate to be submitted by a candidate belonging to a Backward Class in support of his/her claim

FORM OF CERTIFICATE OF BACKWARD CLASS

1.	This is to certify that Shri/Shrimati/Kumari	
	son/daughter of Shri of village/tow	'n
	in District/Division	
	of the State of Punjab belongs to the Caste, which	is
	recognised as a Backward Class in terms of Punjab Government letter No	0.
	dated	

- I. 2. This is also certified that he/she does not belong to any category of persons/sections mentioned in column 3 of the schedule to the Punjab Government, Department of Welfare letter No.1/41/93-RCI/459 dated 17-01-1994, No. 1/41/93-RC1/1597 Dated 17-08-2005 & No. 1/41/93-RCI/209 dated 24-02-2009.
- i. 3. Shri/Shrimati/ Kumari ______ and or his/her
 family ordinarily reside(s) in village/town ______ of District/Division ______ of the State of Punjab.

Signature

Designation _____

(Seal of the officer concerned)

Place:_____

State:_____

Date:_____

ANNEXURE- B

FORM OF DECLARATION REGARDING BACKWARD CLASS STATUS

I, ______ S/o D/o Sh. ______ R/o ______ belong to backward class (______ Caste) which has been declared as backward class by Govt. of Punjab. That no change occurred in my previous status and I do not fall in the section of creamy layer as per Punjab Govt. letter No. 1/41/93 RC1/459 dated 17/1/1994 and No. 10/9/2009 RC1/62 dated 8/1/2010.

Signature of Applicant.

ANNEXURE-C

Form of certificate to be submitted by a candidate who is a lineal descendant of an exserviceman in support of his/her claim

LINEAL DESCENDENT CERTIFICATE

(As per Punjab Government Notification No. G.S.R.9/Const/Art. 309, 234 and 318/Amd (5)/2003 dated 6 Nov 2002 and letter No. 15/7/92-4DW/Part 11/2056 dated 30 Apr 2003)

Certif	fied that	Sh/Sm	t/Miss							is a	Lin	eal
Desce	endent/	Wife	of	No.							Ra	ank
	Name_			_		_ who i	s an Ex-S	Servicem	an a	s per l	Iden	tity
Card	No				iss	sued by	District	Sainik	We	lfare	Offi	cer
									and	resid	ing	at
Villag	ge/Town_]	PO			
	Dist	rict										
2.	This cer	rtificate	is issued	to Sh./ Sm	t/ Miss						_wh	ose
date o	of birth is				stri	ctly for	the purpo	se of:				
*(a)	employ	ment for	the pos	t of								_in
	the offic	ce of					_					
*(b)	admissi	on for	(name	of the class	s/course)			_in				
	(name c	of the edu	ucational	Institution).							
*(Strikeout	whichev	ver is not	applicable)							
						D	District Sa	inik Wel	fare	Office	er	

No.:	
Place:	
Date:	

ANNEXURE-D

Form of certificate to be submitted by a candidate belonging to Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe in support of his/her claim

FORM OF CASTE CERTIFICATE

1.	This is t	to certify	that	Shri/	Shrimati/	Kumari			
	son/daughte	er of Shri						of village	e/Town
				_ in Di	sion State of				
		belo	ongs to			_ Caste/Tribe	e, which h	as been reco	gnised
	as a Sched	luled Caste/	'Schedu	iled T	ribe as per	r "The Con	stitution (Scheduled	Castes)
	Order, 1950)".							
2.	Shri/Shrima	ati/Kumari					and	l/or/his/her	family
	ordinary	resides	in	villa	age/town		of	District/D	ivision
				of	the State of	?		·	
	Signature _								
					Des	signation _			
					(With Seal	of office)			
Place:									
Date:_									

* Please score out whichever is not applicable.

Note: The word 'ordinarily resides' here will have the same meaning as is given in Section 20 of the Representation of People Act, 1950.