



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Health & Family Welfare Department – Special Entrance Examination to candidates belonging to ST communities for admissions to vacant MBBS/BDS seats. Orders issued.



HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (S) DEPARTMENT

GO(Rt)No.2275/2010/H&FWD

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 09.06.2010

Read:- 1. GO(Rt)3387/08/H&FWD dated 16.10.2008.

2. GO(Rt)1979/2009/H&FWD dated 13.07.2009.

3. Letter No.CEE/938/2010/TA₁ dated 18.05.2010 from the Commissioner for Entrance Examinations, Thiruvananthapuram.

ORDER

As per the Government Order read as 1st and 2nd paper above, Government have accorded sanction to the Commissioner for Entrance Examination to conduct a special entrance examination, exclusively for candidates belonging to ST Communities who are in Medical entrance Rank list, 2008 and 2009 respectively for admission to vacant MBBS/BDS course, subject to the approval of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India

In lines of the previous years' decision, Government hereby accord sanction to the Commissioner for Entrance Examination to conduct a special entrance examination, exclusively for candidates belonging to ST Communities who are in Medical Entrance Rank list, 2010 for admission to vacant seats in MBBS/BDS course, subject to the approval of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India

The details of the eligibility and other conditions of the special entrance examination are given below.

1. Eligibility: The candidates belonging to Scheduled Tribe Communities and included in the Medical ST Category list and also included in the Medical rank list prepared on the basis of Medical Entrance Examination conducted by the Commissioner for Entrance Examinations (CEE) on 21.04.2010 and 22.04.2010 are eligible to appear for this Special Entrance Examination. The candidates who are already qualified and got admission in the MBBS/BDS courses need not appear for this examination.

2. Academic eligibility: Candidates who have passed the qualifying examination of the Board of Higher Secondary Education, Kerala or equivalent thereto with 40% marks in Physics, Chemistry and Biology put together are eligible.

3. **The standard of the examination:** The standard of the Entrance Examination will be that of Higher Secondary or equivalent examinations. The syllabi for all the subjects for the Entrance Examination will be same as given in Annexure I (page No. 43) of the Prospectus, for admission to professional Degree courses 2010.

4. **Date and Venue of the Entrance examination:** The Entrance Examination will be conducted at a single venue and the date of examination will be announced by the CEE. The admit card for the Entrance Examination, will be sent to all eligible candidates. The venue of the examination and timetable will be noted in the admit card.

5. **Papers/ Subjects in the Entrance Examination:** There will be a single paper for the Entrance Examination with a relative weight of **1:1:1:1** for **Botany, Zoology, Chemistry and Physics.**

6. **Duration:** The Entrance examination will be of two and a half hours duration.

7. **Scheme of the Examination:** The Entrance examination will be **objective type** with 100 Multiple Choice Questions and based on single response. For each question, four suggested answers would be given, of which only one will be the **MOST APPROPRIATE RESPONSE**. The candidate will have to select and mark the alphabet (A,B,C or D) corresponding to the most appropriate response in the OMR Answer Sheet.

The question paper for objective type examinations will be given in the form of Question-Booklets. Candidates will have to return the question booklets to the Invigilators at the end of examination.

8. **Scoring scheme:** For each correct response, the candidates will be awarded **FOUR** marks. There will be **no negative marks** for incorrect responses. More than one answer indicated against a question will be deemed as incorrect response.

9. **Valuation of Answer Papers:** A fully computerized system is being used for evaluation of answer-scripts of objective type paper, using the Optical Mark Reading (OMR) System, and for the preparation of the rank list. There is no provision for revaluation or rechecking of answer sheets as the valuation or scoring will be error-free. No correspondence in this regard will be entertained.

10. **Qualifying Standards in the Entrance Examination:** To qualify in the Entrance Examination, a candidate has to score a **minimum of 40% marks**. The candidates

who do not score the minimum stipulated marks will not find a place in the Rank list. Such candidates will be treated as 'Disqualified'.

11. Preparation of Rank List: Only those candidates who are qualified in the Entrance examination by securing 40% marks will be considered for preparing the rank list for admission to MBBS/BDS Courses.

12. Resolving of tie: In the case of a tie in the total marks in the Entrance Examination, candidates with higher marks in Botany and Zoology in the Entrance Examination will be placed higher in the ranking. If there is still a tie, candidates with higher marks in Chemistry will be placed higher in the ranking. If there is still a tie, the age of the candidate will be taken into account and the older will be placed higher in the ranking.

13. Publication of the Results: The rank lists for will be published by the CEE in the web site "cee-kerala.org".

14. Centralized Allotment: A Centralized Allotment Process will be done by the CEE, for giving allotment to the MBBS/BDS courses in various Medical /Dental Colleges.

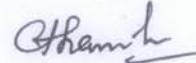
By Order of the Governor

K.A.Kumary Lakshmy
Joint Secretary to Government

To

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The Director of Medical Education, Thiruvananthapuram
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