TAMILNADU PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

HALF YEARLY EXAMINATIONS AND LANGUAGE TESTS – OCTOBER - 2023

PANCHAYATS

(FOR ASSISTANT COLLECTORS AND DEPUTY COLLECTORS)

(WITH BOOKS)

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

General Instructions:

- 1. All questions are compulsory.
- 2. Questions Paper contains 15 Questions.
- 3. Questions 1 to 10 carry 5 marks each.
- 4. Questions 11 to 15 carry 10 marks.

SECTION - A

- 1. Write a short note on creation of Municipalities.
- 2. Write a short note on election of Municipal Councillors.
- 3. Explain in detail formation of Panchayat Villages.
- 4. Write a note on Authority to decide the questions of disqualification of members of Panchayat.
- 5. Write about the power of Municipality to pay compensation.
- 6. Write a short note on relation of occupier to owner as per the Tamil Nadu District Municipalities Act, 1920.

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- 7. What are the various election offences as per the Tamil Nadu District Municipalities Act, 1920?
- 8. What are the various powers to seize carriages and carts not bearing numbers?
- 9. Enumerate on the procedures of transfer of unreserved forests to Village Panchayat.
- 10. On what conditions the President of a Village Panchayat can be removed?

SECTION — B

- 11. Write notes on:
 - (a) PRASAD
 - (b) AMRUT
- 12. Explain about election and term of office of members in a third grade Municipality.
- 13. Write in detail about Penalties as per the Tamil Nadu Panchayats Act, 1994.
- 14. Give a detailed note on House Tax, levy and collection of Advertisement Tax.
- 15. Write a note on:
 - (a) Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS)
 - (b) Member of Parliament Local Area Development Scheme (MPLADS)
 - (c) Swachh Bharath Mission.
 - (d) National Project on Bio-gas Development.
 - (e) Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY)