



**GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU**  
**MEDICAL SERVICES RECRUITMENT BOARD (MRB)**  
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**NOTIFICATION NO: 02/MRB/2024**

**DATE: 18.10.2024**

1. Applications are invited only through online mode up to 18.10.2024 for Direct Recruitment to the post of Physiotherapist Grade - II on temporary basis in Tamil Nadu Medical Subordinate Service.

| Sl. No | Name of the Post           | No of vacancies | Scale of Pay                     |
|--------|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|
| 1      | Physiotherapist Grade - II | 47              | Level-15 -<br>Rs.36,200-1,14,800 |

2. **Distribution of Vacancies:** 47 (46 fresh vacancies + 1 backlog vacancy)

| CATEGORY     | G         | W         | DAP(PH)  |          | PSTM     |          | TOTAL VACANCIES |
|--------------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------------|
|              |           |           | G        | W        | G        | W        |                 |
| GT           | 9         | 3         | 1*       | -        | 2        | 1        | 16              |
| BC           | 6         | 3         | 1        | -        | 1        | 1        | 12              |
| BCM          | 1         | -         | -        | -        | 1        | -        | 2               |
| MBC/DNC      | 5         | 3         | -        | -        | 1        | -        | 9               |
| SC           | 4         | 2         | -        | -        | 1        | -        | 7               |
| SCA          | -         | -         | -        | -        | -        | 1        | 1               |
| <b>TOTAL</b> | <b>25</b> | <b>11</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>-</b> | <b>6</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>47</b>       |

**Note:**

\* GT (G) – PH – Backlog vacancy

| <b>Abbreviation</b> | <b>Details</b>                                     |
|---------------------|--|
| G                   | General  |
| W                   | Women  |
| GT                  | General Turn                                       |
| BC                  | Backward Class                                     |
| BC(M)               | Backward Class (Muslim)                            |
| MBC / DNC           | Most Backward Class / Denotified Community         |
| SC                  | Scheduled Caste                                    |
| SCA                 | Scheduled Caste Arunthathiyars                     |
| DAP (PH)            | Differently Abled Persons (Physically Handicapped) |
| PSTM                | Persons Studied in Tamil Medium                    |

### **3. IMPORTANT DATES:**

|   |                                 |
|---|---------------------------------|
| Date of Notification  | <b>18.10.2024</b>               |
| Last date for submission of Application (only through Online Registration) and online payment | <b>07.11.2024</b>               |
| Date of Examination   | <b>Will be intimated later.</b> |

**Note: Words of Masculine gender in these instructions should wherever the context so requires, be taken to include feminine gender too.**

### **4. SCALE OF PAY: Level-15 - Rs.36,200 - 1,14,800**

**(Details can be seen in Annexure-6 of this Notification)**

### **5. RESERVATION AND RELATED INFORMATION:**

|    |   |
|----|---|
| a. | The rule of reservation is applicable as per the rules in force. Detailed instructions with regard to reservation can be seen in Annexure-2 and 3 of this Notification.                   |
| b. | The number of vacancies advertised is only an indicative number and is liable for change with reference to vacancy position at any time before finalisation of selection for appointment. |

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|----|--|
| c. | Defence personnel released or likely to be released from the Armed Forces due to disability incurred in forward areas while on duty, will also be selected if they are found to be otherwise qualified and if the Medical authorities are satisfied that the disability is not such as would render them incapable of efficiently discharging the duties of Physiotherapist Grade – II.  |
| d. | If no qualified and suitable women candidates are available for selection against the vacancies reserved for them, those vacancies will be filled by male candidates belonging to the respective communal categories.  |
| e. | Separate reservation of 3.5% within the 30% reservation available for Backward Classes is applicable to Backward Class Muslims (BCMs). All the concessions / relaxations / benefits applicable to BC candidates are applicable to BC Muslim candidates as well.  |
| f. | The expression B.C (i.e. Backward Class) wherever it occurs including online application form, should be read as “B.C. (other than BCM) and B.C. (Muslims)”, [BCMs denotes Backward Class Muslims].  |
| g. | <p><b>Reservation for differently abled:-</b><br/> <b>Provisions of Tamil Nadu Government Servants (Conditions of Service) Amendment Act 2017 (Act 30 of 2017) will be applicable.</b></p> <p>4% of the posts are reserved for Differently Abled candidates as per G.O.(Ms.) No. 21, Welfare of Differently Abled Persons (DAP-3.2) Department dated: 30.05.2017. The details of disabilities suitable as per G.O.(Ms).No.20, Welfare of Differently Abled Persons (DAP.3.2) Department, dated: 20.06.2018 and subsequently amended in G.O.(Ms).No.01, Welfare of Differently Abled Persons (DAP.3.2) Department, dated: 19.01.2023, are furnished hereunder and such candidates have to produce a certificate of physical fitness (fit for the post of Physiotherapist Grade -II) from the Medical Board. That Certificate should be obtained from the Medical Board of a Government Medical college.</p> |

| Name of the post   | Name of the service                    | Categories of disabilities to be accommodated for the post |           |
|--|--|--|-----------|
| Physiotherapist Grade- II (Health and Family Welfare Department) | Tamil Nadu Medical Subordinate Service | Leprosy cured – LC   | 40 - 80 % |
|  |  | Cerebral Palsy – CP  |           |
|  |  | Dwarfism – DF  |           |
|  |  | Muscular Dystrophy – MuD                                   |           |
|  |  | Acid attack victims – AC                                   |           |
|  |  | Loco-motor Disability (Amputation Poliomyelitis) – LD      |           |
|  |  | Specific Learning Disability – SLD                         |           |
|  |  | Autism Spectrum Dis order - ASD                            | 40 - 60 % |
|  |  | Multiple Disability - MD                                   |           |

| <b>6. QUALIFICATION:</b>           |   |                    |
|------------------------------------|---|--------------------|
| <b>6A. AGE (as on 18.10.2024):</b> |   |                    |
| <b>Sl. No</b>                      | <b>Category of Candidates</b>   | <b>Maximum Age</b> |
| a.                                 | SCs, SC(A)s, STs, MBC&DCs, BCs, BCMs (including Ex-Servicemen belonging to these communities) | 59 Years           |
| b.                                 | (i) Others  | 32 Years *         |
|                                    | (ii) Differently Abled Person   | 42 Years *         |
|                                    | (iii) Ex-Servicemen Belonging to "Others"   | 50 Years *         |

\* As per orders issued in G.O.(Ms). No.91, Human Resources Management Department, Dated: 13.09.2021

**Note:**

1. Sub-Section 8 of Section 20 of the Tamil Nadu Government Servants (Conditions of Service) Act- 2016 shall be applicable to this recruitment.
2. Applicants not belonging to SCs, SC(A)s, STs, MBC&DCs, BCs, BCMs who have put in 5 years or more of service in the State/Central Government are not eligible to apply even if they are within the age limit.

**Age concession for Ex-servicemen:-**

“Notwithstanding anything contained in the Act or in the special rules for the various State and Subordinate Services, an ex-serviceman who has not completed fifty years of age, if he does not belong to Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe or Backward Class and fifty five years, if he belongs to Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe or Backward Class on 1st July of the year in which the selection for appointment is made, but is otherwise qualified and whose name is suggested by a local Employment Exchange for appointment to a vacancy under the Government notified to it shall be eligible for such appointment.

“Persons serving in the Armed Forces shall be eligible to apply for posts under the Government if they are due to Complete the specified term of their engagement in the Armed forces within one year from the last date prescribed by the appropriate authority for receipt of the application in respect of a particular recruitment. All such candidates while making their applications shall submit a self undertaking and a form of certificate from their Commanding Officer in the format given in Annexure – 8 of this Notification. ”

[Section 63 of Tamil Nadu Government Servants (Conditions of Service) Act, 2016.]

**Age concession for Differently abled candidates:-**

Eligible Differently Abled candidates can avail age concession up to ten years over and above the age limits prescribed for the appointment to post by direct recruitment.

[Section 64 of Tamil Nadu Government Servants (Conditions of Service) Act, 2016.]

**APPLICANTS IN UNION / STATE GOVERNMENT SERVICE:**

That on the date of Notification for the purpose of direct recruitment he was not in the service of the Indian Union or of a State in India.

**Note: -**

For the purpose of this clause a person will be deemed to be not in the service of the Indian Union or of a State in India.

- i. If a period of five years has not elapsed since his first appointment to a service of the Indian Union or of a State in India.
- ii. If he belongs to one of the Scheduled Castes or Scheduled Castes (Arunthathiyars) or Scheduled Tribes or to one of the MBC/DC, Backward Classes and Backward Classes (Muslims).

**6B. EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION:**

Candidates shall possess the following qualification on the date of this notification viz.  
18.10.2024

| Sl. No | Name of the Post           | Qualification             |
|--------|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1      | Physiotherapist Grade - II | A Degree in Physiotherapy |

If a candidate claims that the educational qualification possessed by him/her is equivalent though not the same as those prescribed for the appointment, the onus of proof rests with the candidate.

**6C. CONDITIONS AND QUALIFICATION:**

- a. The claims of the candidates with regard to the date of birth, educational/technical qualifications and community are accepted only on the information furnished by them in their on-line application without physical verification of their claims. Their candidature, therefore will be provisional and subject to the Board satisfying itself, about their age, educational/technical qualifications, community etc. The candidature, is therefore, provisional at all stages and the Board reserves the right to reject any candidature at any stage, even after the selection has been made.
- b. Candidates who consider themselves eligible to appear in an examination may apply and write the examination at their own risk, with an undertaking/declaration to that effect viz. before appearing for the examination, it should be ensured by the candidate that on the date of Notification of a post he fulfils all the conditions in

regard to age, educational qualifications, etc. as provided in the rules. The candidature of candidates, if found ineligible shall stand cancelled, even after declaration of the result.

- c. Candidate shall not have any adverse character or antecedents.
- d. Candidate shall not have more than a living spouse
- e. Candidates already working in Government or Public Sector Undertaking or Local Bodies shall produce a No Objection Certificate, as in Annexure-5 of this Notification, from their appointing authority, at the time of certificate verification (if provisionally selected)
- f. The Differently Abled persons should submit copy of Differently Abled Certificate specifying the nature of physical handicap and the degree of disability when called for by the Medical Services Recruitment Board. If selected, they should produce a Fitness Certificate obtained from the Medical Board as mentioned in Annexure-7 of this Notification. [Section 20 (5) of Tamil Nadu Government Servants (Conditions of Service) Act 2016]
- g. If a candidate claims equivalent Qualification the onus of providing the same rests with the candidate.
- h. The selection for appointment to the above said post is purely provisional subject to final Orders on pending Writ Petitions, if any, filed at Madras High Court and Madurai Bench of Madras High Court.
- i. Persons with required qualification whether registered in employment exchange or otherwise are eligible to apply.

## **7. PROCEDURE OF SELECTION**

### **7a.SCHEME OF EXAMINATION (OBJECTIVE TYPE):**

| Subject   | Duration | Maximum Marks | Minimum Qualifying Marks (%) |        |
|---|----------|---------------|------------------------------|--------|
|   |          |               | SC/SCA/ST                    | OTHERS |
| Tamil language Eligibility Test (10 <sup>th</sup> Standard) @   | 1 hour   | 50            | 40%                          | 40%    |
| Computer Based Examination (CBT) / Written Examination in Optical Mark Reader (OMR) – Sheet Objective Type Single Paper Exam for Physiotherapist Grade-II | 2 hours  | 100           | 30                           | 35     |

@ Orders issued in G.O.(D).No.133, Human Resources Management (M) Department, Dated: 01.12.2021 and G.O.(Ms).No.208, Health and Family Welfare (C2) Department, Dated:11.07.2022. Selection process has been continued as per G.O.(D).No.133, Human Resources Management (M) Department, Dated: 01.12.2021 and the same shall be subject to the outcome of the final judgment in the W.A.No.181/2023.

**Note:-**

- i. The question paper in the subject “Degree in Physiotherapy” will be set in **English** only and will contain 100 objective type questions.
- ii. There will be no negative mark for the wrong answer.
- iii. The Questions will be in the standard of Under Graduate Level (For Syllabus Refer Annexure-9 of the Detailed Instructions).

**7b.** Selection will be made based on the marks obtained in the Computer Based Test / written examination, duly following the rule of reservation and communal rotation of Government of Tamil Nadu

**8. CENTRE FOR EXAMINATION:**

Examination will be held at the following regions.

| Sl. No | Name of the Centre |
|--------|--------------------|
| 1.     | CHENNAI            |
| 2.     | MADURAI            |
| 3.     | TIRUNELVELI        |
| 4.     | TRICHY             |
| 5.     | COIMBATORE         |

**Note:**

- i. Candidates should appear for the examination at their own expenses and no TA/DA will be paid.
- ii. Short-listed candidates will be called for verification of the original certificates as claimed in their on-line application form (as detailed in Annexure-3 of this Notification).
- iii. There will be No Oral Test for the post.

**9. EXAMINATION FEE AND SERVICE CHARGE:**

|                         |          |        |           |
|-------------------------|----------|--------|-----------|
| SC / SCA / ST / DAP(PH) | Rs.500/- | Others | Rs.1000/- |
|-------------------------|----------|--------|-----------|

Online application once registered/completed will not be allowed to be withdrawn and/or the fee paid towards the registration/application will not be refunded /adjusted for any reason.

**10. ON-LINE REGISTRATION:**

- a. Interested candidates are first required to log on to the Medical Services Recruitment Board’s website [www.mrb.tn.gov.in](http://www.mrb.tn.gov.in) and familiarize themselves with the detailed

notification

- b. On the Home Page, click “Online Registration” to open up the On-Line Application Form.
- c. Select the name of the post of **Physiotherapist Grade - II**
- d. All the required particulars be entered without skipping any field.
- e. **Mobile number and e-mail ID are mandatory. You are also requested to provide alternate secondary Mobile No., Landline number as well. All communication from MRB will be sent to the registered primary mobile number by SMS and to the registered e-mail ID only and no other means.**
- f. Candidates are required to upload their scanned copy of colour photograph and, scanned copy of signature as per the specifications given in the Guidelines for Scanning and Upload of Photograph and Signature. An online application is incomplete without the Photograph and Signature upload.



- g. **The candidates need to apply only in online mode.** They shall not send copies of certificates / printed application to MRB. In the online application, candidates need to furnish the details such as: Community Certificate number; Issuing Authority; Date of issue, in support of the claims made with regard to community failing which the application will not be considered.
- h. Candidates need to verify their eligibility for the post before submitting their online application. If a candidate furnished wrong information, action will be taken by MRB to debar such candidate from the future exams/recruitment, apart from other legal actions.

Please read the instructions on “How to Apply On-line” in Annexure-1.



## **11. ADMIT CARDS:**

- a. The Admit Cards for eligible candidates will be made available in the Board's Website [www.mrb.tn.gov.in](http://www.mrb.tn.gov.in) for download. No Admit Card will be sent by post. Intimation regarding the availability of Admit Card for download will be sent to the registered email ID / SMS to the registered primary mobile number.
- b. The candidates, applying for the examination should ensure that they fulfill all eligibility conditions for admission to examination. Their admission to the examination is purely provisional subject to satisfying of the eligibility conditions. Mere issue of Admit Card to the candidate will not imply that his/her candidature has been fully cleared by the Board.

## **12. COMMUNICATION WITH THE MRB:**

- i. Any communication intended for the Board must be made in writing and addressed only to the Medical Services Recruitment Board, 7<sup>th</sup> floor, DMS Buildings, 359, Anna Salai, Teynampet, Chennai 600 006.
- ii. If a reply is sought, it must be accompanied by an envelope affixed with sufficient postage stamps with the address to which the reply is to be sent.
- iii. Communications seeking reasons for non-selection and other qualifications will receive no attention. Requests for furnishing causes of failure (non selection) will not be complied with.
- iv. The Board will receive communication only from candidates. Communication in the name of the pleader or agent will not be entertained.
- v. Details of marks of all candidates who appeared for the Written Test will be hosted in the Board's website [www.mrb.tn.gov.in](http://www.mrb.tn.gov.in)
- vi. After the selection is made by the Board, the Appointment and Postings of Physiotherapist Grade-II will be made by the Directorate of Medical and Rural Health Services, Chennai-06.
- vii. Any claim relating to the selection should be received within 30 days from the date of announcement of results. Claims received thereafter will not be considered.

## **13. CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICAL FITNESS:**

Candidates provisionally selected for appointment to the posts will be required to produce a certificate of physical fitness including Vision Certificate in the prescribed form.

## **14. SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:**

All the candidates wishing to apply shall abide by/ agree to the following undertaking and declaration in the on-line application form. In addition, candidates who are called for certificate verification shall also submit the following undertaking / declaration.

**A. UNDERTAKING BY THE CANDIDATE**

- i) In the event of selection, the candidate shall be willing to serve in Government Medical Institution of the state.
- ii) Successful candidate shall join duty within the stipulated time from the date of receipt of appointment orders as instructed by the appointing authorities and shall not claim extension of joining time citing that she/he is undergoing higher studies or for any other reason. He/ She shall abide by the condition that his/her name will be removed from the approved list without assigning any reasons therefore, if he/she fails to join duty within the stipulated time.
- iii) He / She shall abide by the condition that if he/she is selected and appointed as Physiotherapist Grade-II, after joining duty, he / she shall not be permitted to undergo any course within the period of two years excluding the period of leave.
- iv) If the candidate is under any contractual obligation, to serve under any State Government / Local Bodies / Private Institutions he / she must produce a No Objection Certificate from the Appointing Authority concerned.

## **B. DECLARATION BY THE CANDIDATE**

- I. I hereby declare that all the particulars furnished in this application are true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and believe. In the event of any information being found false or incorrect or ineligibility being detected before or after the selection, action can be taken against me by the MRB.
  - II. I hereby declare that I will not be a party to any kind of canvassing on my behalf.
  - III. I further declare that I fulfil all the eligibility conditions prescribed for admission to this post.
  - IV. I have informed my employer in writing that I am applying for this post and furnish the NOC for this purpose (if applicable).
  - V. I have gone through the instructions etc. to candidates and the Board's Notification for this recruitment, before filling up the application form and I am eligible to apply for this post.
  - VI. I declare that I possess the Medical Standards prescribed for the post(s) which I am now applying.
  - VII. I certify that I have not been debarred / disqualified by the Board or any other recruiting agency.
  - VIII. I am not a dismissed Government Employee.
  - IX. There is no criminal case/ no Vigilance Case filed against me in the Police Station / Court.
  - X. I hereby declare that my character / antecedents are suitable for appointment to this post.
  - XI. I declare that I do not have more than one living spouse.
15. **Candidates are advised to read and familiarize themselves with this detailed Notification before filling online application in [www.mrb.tn.gov.in](http://www.mrb.tn.gov.in).**

**Member Secretary**

**MEDICAL SERVICES RECRUITMENT BOARD**  
**DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS IN ANNEXURE**

| <b>Annexure No.</b> | <b>Detail</b>   |
|---------------------|---|
| <b>1</b>            | <b>How to Apply On-line?</b>  |
| <b>2</b>            | <b>Reservation (Communal category and Women)</b>  |
| <b>3</b>            | <b>List of Documents to be produced at the time of Certificate Verification</b>           |
| <b>4</b>            | <b>Disqualification / Debarment</b>   |
| <b>5</b>            | <b>No Objection Certificate</b>   |
| <b>6</b>            | <b>Scale of Pay, Joining Time, etc.</b>   |
| <b>7</b>            | <b>Guidelines for submission of Medical Certificates by the Differently Abled Persons</b> |
| <b>8</b>            | <b>Form of undertaking and certificate to be furnished by the serving personnel</b>       |
| <b>9</b>            | <b>Syllabus</b>   |
| <b>10</b>           | <b>Certificate of Persons studied in Tamil Medium</b>                                     |

## ANNEXURE- 1

### HOW TO APPLY ON-LINE?

- a. Candidates should apply only through online in the Board's Website [www.mrb.tn.gov.in](http://www.mrb.tn.gov.in).
- b. Before applying, the candidates should keep a scanned image of their colour photograph and scanned image of their signature. (Preferably stored in a CD/DVD/Pen drive as per their convenience) as detailed in Para 11 (f) of detailed Notification.
- c. A valid e-mail ID and Mobile Number is mandatory for registration and email ID and the given mobile number should be kept active till the declaration of results. MRB will send intimation regarding certificate verification, other Memos etc., only through the registered e-mail ID.
- d. Please note that all the particulars mentioned in the online application including Name of the Candidate, Post Applied, Communal Category, Date of birth, Address, Email ID, etc. will be considered as final and **no modifications will be allowed after the last date specified for applying online**. Candidates are requested to fill in the online application form with utmost care as no correspondence regarding change of details will be entertained.
- e. The candidates shall register their mobile number in the application to receive SMSs. **All communication from the MRB will be through e-mail and SMS to the candidate's registered email ID / registered primary mobile number only.**

- f. Payment of fee can be done through on-line mode

#### **Online Payment (Net Banking, Credit card/Debit card/Mobile wallet)**

- g. For payment of fees through the online payment gateway, i.e. Net Banking, Credit Card, Debit card and Mobile wallet Payment, **an additional page of the application form will be displayed** wherein candidates may follow the instructions and fill in the requisite details to remit payment.
- h. After submitting your payment information in the online application form, please wait for the intimation from the server, **DO NOT press Back or Refresh button in order to avoid double charge**.
- i. If the online transaction has been successfully completed a Registration Number and Password will be generated. Candidates should note the same for future reference.

#### **Print Option:**

- j. After submitting the application, candidates can save/ print their application in PDF format.
- k. On entering Registration Number and password, Candidates can download their application and print, if required.
- l. Candidates **need not send** the printout of the online application or any other supporting documents to the Board. The certificates will be normally verified only later, when the candidates are called for certificate verification.
- m. The certificates produced in support of claim(s) made by the candidates, as per Notification, should be produced, whenever required as directed by the Board without fail.

Note:

- i. Candidates are advised in their own interest to apply on-line and remit fee much before the closing date and not to wait till the last date to avoid last-minute internet connectivity issues.
- ii. MRB will not be responsible for delayed submission or remitting of payment.
- iii. **Under no circumstances, a candidate should share/mention e-mail ID or Mobile Number with any other person. In case a candidate does not have a valid personal e-mail ID, they should create a new e- mail ID before applying on-line and must maintain that email account.**
- iv. No modification in fee payment through on-line mode is permitted.
- v. Candidates should carefully fill in the details in the On-Line Application at the appropriate places and click on the "SUBMIT" button at the end of the On-Line Application format. Before pressing the "SUBMIT" button, candidates are advised to verify each and every particular filled in the application. The name of the candidate or his /her father/husband's name etc. should be spelt correctly in the application as it appears in the certificates. Any change/alteration found may disqualify the candidature.
- vi. Any clarification regarding on-line registration may be obtained from the Help Desk Phone No. **022 62507738** (Monday to Saturday 9 AM to 6 PM)

## ANNEXURE-2

### RESERVATION (Communal Category and Women)

The rule of reservation and communal rotation is applicable as per the existing orders of the Government of Tamil Nadu in this regard. Candidates belonging to the Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Caste (Arunthathiyars), Scheduled Tribes, Most Backward Classes/ Denotified Communities, Backward Classes (other than Muslim) and the Backward Classes (Muslim) will also be eligible for selection against the vacancies to be filled under General turns on the basis of merit and where a Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Caste (Arunthathiyars)/ Scheduled Tribe, Most Backward Class/ Denotified Community or Backward Class (other than Muslim)/Backward Class (Muslim) candidate is selected on the basis of merit against the General turn, the vacancy reserved for them will not in any way be affected.

List for Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Most Backward Classes/ Denotified Communities and Backward Classes and Backward Classes(Muslim) can be seen in the Document section under the Instructions to the candidates in MRB website in <http://www.mrb.tn.gov.in /pdf/ MRB LIST COMMUNITIES 020614.pdf>

**Note: -**

(i) Persons belonging to Tamil Nadu, and to one of the communities mentioned in the lists indicated above alone shall be treated as Scheduled Caste or Scheduled Tribe or Most Backward Classes / Denotified Communities or Backward Classes and Backward Classes(Muslim) as the case may be. Persons belonging to other States shall not be treated

as belonging to the Scheduled Caste or Scheduled Tribe or Most Backward Classes/Denotified Communities or Backward Class and Backward Class (Muslim) even though they may belong to one of the Communities specified in the list.

(ii) Persons belonging to Christian Communities, who are converts from any Hindu Community included in the list of Backward Classes will be considered as Backward Classes with effect from 24-2-1986.

(iii) A member of the Scheduled Caste on conversion to Christianity will be considered only under Backward Classes (other than Muslim) and not under Scheduled Castes.

(iv) "Arunthathiyar" refers to, Arunthathiyar, Chakkiliyan, Madari, Madiga, Pagadai, Thoti and Adi Andhra.

**Reservation for Women:**

The Rule of 30% reservation of appointments for female candidates will be followed. Accordingly, due number of vacancies out of the total vacancies in each communal category will be reserved for female candidates. If no qualified and suitable female candidates are available for selection against such vacancies, those vacancies shall be filled by male candidates belonging to the respective communal categories.

### ANNEXURE-3

#### List of Documents to be produced at the time of Certificate Verification

- a. Evidence of Date of Birth (Birth Certificate/ SSLC / HSC)
- b. Evidence and mark sheet of Educational qualification [SSLC, HSC, Degree in Physiotherapy]
- c. Evidence of Tamil qualification (*viz.*, SSLC / HSC / Certificate for having passed the second class Language Test (Full Test) in Tamil conducted by the Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission).
- d. Community certificate from the competent authority of Government of Tamil Nadu (Permanent Community Certificate)
- e. Certificate of character and conduct issued by Group A or Group B Officer on or after the date of issue of this Notification.
- f. Certificate of character and conduct issued by the Head of the Institution in which he / she last studied.
- g. Differently abled certificate issued by the competent authority (if applicable).
- h. No Objection Certificate from the Appointing Authority concerned (if applicable)
- i. An undertaking and declaration to be submitted as in para 14A and 14B of this Notification.
- j. Two passport size colour photograph (that was used to scan and uploaded in the online application) (with name and application number on the reverse)
- k. In respect of Ex-Servicemen, they have to produce the Discharge Certificate, PPO No. etc.
- l. Any one of the photo ID card issued by Government Authority (other than PAN card), depicting the Address for communication or permanent address furnished in the application.
- m. The candidate will also be asked to sign on the printed copy of on-line application (printed copy will be provided to the candidate at the time of certificate verification.)

#### PRODUCTION OF EVIDENCE FOR CLAIMS MADE IN THE APPLICATION

The Original Certificates (including mark sheets) in support of the claims made in the application, should be produced at the time of attending the certificate verification, when called for. One set of photo copies duly attested of all certificates along with two copies of colour photograph identical to the one uploaded in the application, should also be handed over while attending the certificate verification, when called for by recording his/her registration number on the reverse side on the colour photo.

#### (a) Evidence of date of birth *viz.*,

- (i) Birth certificate with name; (ii) Secondary School-Leaving Certificate; or (iii) Higher Secondary Course Certificate.



(b) **Community Certificate**

In the case of an applicant who claims to be a member of SC/ SC(A) or ST or MBC/DC or BC(Other than BC(M)or BC(M), a certificate from the following authority noted against each should be produced in the form as specified in G.O.Ms. No. 781, Revenue department, dated 2nd May 1988:-

| Sl. No. | Name of the Community   | Competent authority to issue the certificate  |
|---------|---|---|
| 1.      | ST  | R.D.O/Asst. Collector / Sub Collector/ Personal Assistant(General) to the Collector of Chennai/ District Adi-Dravidar Welfare Officer   |
| 2.      | SC/SC(A)  | Taluk Tahsildar.  |
| 3.      | MBC/ DC, BC (other than Muslim and BC(M)  | Revenue Officer not lower in rank than a Tahsildar or Head Quarters Deputy Tahsildar or Special Deputy Tahsildar appointed to issue Community Certificate. Additional Head Quarters Deputy Tahsildar and Zonal Deputy Tahsildar |
| 4.      | ThottiaNaicker (including Rajakambalam, Gollavar, Sillavar, Thockalavar, ThozhuvaNaickerand Erragollar) included in the list of MBC/DC) | Head Quarters Deputy Tahsildar  |

Community Certificate should have been issued by the competent authorities referred to above, in whose jurisdiction the candidate claims to have permanent residence, after personal enquiries and proper verification. The certificate obtained by the candidates in the form other than the one prescribed in G.O.Ms.No.781, Revenue department, dated:2nd May 1988 and solely based on the entries in S.S.L.C or Transfer Certificate or other School/College records will not be accepted.

Candidates are warned that if the community recorded in the certificate produced by them from the competent authority is not included in the list of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Most Backward Classes/Denotified Communities or Backward classes given in the list of communities in [http://www.mrb.tn.gov.in/pdf/MRB\\_LIST\\_COMMUNITIES\\_020614.pdf](http://www.mrb.tn.gov.in/pdf/MRB_LIST_COMMUNITIES_020614.pdf), they will not be considered as belonging to Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribes or Most Backward Classes/Denotified Communities or Backward Classes as the case may be. They will, in that case, be considered only under 'Others' and if they are not qualified to be considered under 'Others', their applications will be rejected.

In case of women candidates, the community certificate should bear her father's name.

**(c&d) Documents evidencing the qualification prescribed for the appointment, including qualification in Tamil**

Copies of Degree or Provisional Certificate alone will be accepted as evidence of qualification. However, in case the Degree Certificate is lost or is not immediately available for reasons to be specified, extract from the convocation Register will be accepted as evidence of qualification. Copies of Mark Sheets or Grade Certificates will not be accepted as sufficient evidence. In the case of an applicant, who claims to possess adequate knowledge in Tamil, whether his mother-tongue is Tamil or not, a certificate evidencing that

he had taken Tamil as a language in his S.S.L.C. Public Examination or had taken all the non-language subjects in the S.S.L.C. Public Examination in Tamil Medium or he/she had passed the Second Class Language Test (Full Test) in Tamil.

**(e & f) Two certificates of Character and Conduct**

- (i) From the Head of the Institution in which the candidate last studied.
- (ii) From a Government Officer belongs to Group A or B who knows the candidate personally, obtained not prior to the date of current Notification. This certificate must be based on personal knowledge and experience of the candidate and not from a relative.

**Note:-**

(i) If the period of study at the Institution in which the candidate last studied, is less than one academic year, he must produce also another certificate from the Head of the Institution, in which he last studied for not less than one academic year.

(ii) No two certificates may be obtained from the same person.

**(g)** The Differently abled candidates should furnish the certificate in the prescribed form as furnished in Annexure – 7 of this notification.

**(h)** Persons who are in the service of the Indian Union or a State in India or in the employment of Local Bodies or Universities, or Quasi Government Organizations constituted under the authority of the Government of India or of a State in India whether in regular service or in a temporary service need not send their applications through their Head of Department or Employer. Instead, they may directly apply to the Board duly informing their Employer in writing that they are applying for the particular recruitment and with the condition that they should produce “No Objection Certificate” in the form given in Annexure – 5 of this notification, from the appointing authority

**(i)** An undertaking and declaration should be submitted as in Para 14 ((A) and (B)) of this Notification.

**(j)** The candidate has to submit two passport size colour photograph (that was used to scan and uploaded in the online application) (with name and application number on the reverse) at the time of attending the certificate verification.

**(k)** The Ex-Servicemen should produce the Discharge Certificate from the Defence Services, Pension Payment Order No. and other details.

- (i) The candidate shall furnish a Photo ID card issued by a Government Authority (other than PAN card), the address for correspondence as furnished by the candidate his/her online application should tally with the address details in their Photo ID proof.

**(m) Certificates to be submitted by Ex-servicemen**

A candidate who claims to have been demobilised from the Army or Navy or Air Force should produce in support of his claim properly authenticated extract from his Discharge Certificate in the following form :-

- (a) Name of the candidate
- (b) Rank held
- (c) Date of enrolment
- (d) Date of discharge
- (e) Reasons for discharge
- (f) Conduct and Character while employed in the military

**ANNEXURE-4**

**DISQUALIFICATION / DEBARMENT**

**Disqualification**

If a candidate attempts to canvas to bring influence on the Chairman or any Member of the Board personally / by letter / through relatives, friends, patrons, officials or other persons will be disqualified.

**Debarment:**

- (a) If the applicant attempts any tampering, alteration with the documents or certificates, he is liable to be debarred from appearing for any of the selections and examinations conducted by the Board and consequently from entry into public service itself.
- (b) (i) Candidates furnishing false particulars in the matter of qualification or the nature of pass in various subjects, experience gained, their religion or community etc.,
  - (ii) Suppression of material information regarding
    - (a) Employment in Government or Local Bodies, Public Corporations etc.,
    - (b) Arrests, convictions debarment or disqualification by Union Public Service Commission / State Public Service Commission.
    - (c) Participation in agitation or any political organization.
    - (d) Candidature in election for Parliament/ State Legislature/ Local Bodies etc.,
- (iii) Making false or vexatious allegations against the Board in petitions addressed to it or any other authority will be viewed seriously and that the candidate responsible for such act will be debarred from appearing for the selection held by this Board permanently or for such period of years as the Board may decide.

## ANNEXURE-5

### No Objection Certificate

Persons who are in the service of the Indian Union or a State in India or in the employment of Local Bodies or Universities, or Quasi Government Organizations constituted under the authority of the Government of India or of a State in India whether in regular service or in a temporary service need not send their applications through their Head of Department or Employer. Instead, they may directly apply to the Board duly informing their Employer in writing that they are applying for the particular recruitment and with the condition that they should produce "No Objection Certificate" in the form prescribed below, from the appointing authority.

#### NO OBJECTION CERTIFICATE BY THE APPOINTING AUTHORITY

- i. Name of the Candidate.....
- ii. Name of the Post held .....
- iii. Whether the Candidate is employed temporarily under the emergency provisions or whether the candidate is a probationer or an approved probationer or a full member of any of the sub-ordinate/State Services?
- iv. Whether any criminal cases/disciplinary action is pending against the individual?
- v. Details of disciplinary/criminal action taken against the individual, if any
- vi. Period of Employment                      From (date)                      To (date)

I have no objection to the candidate's application being considered for the post of Physiotherapist Grade – II.

Signature, Designation, and Seal with Date

#### Note:

- (i) Persons who get employment after the submission of their applications and before the receipt of intimation of certificate verification requiring to produce original documents for verification should also produce the "No objection Certificate"
- (ii) In case any Criminal /Disciplinary action is taken against or if any punishment is imposed against such persons after the production of "No objection Certificate" and before the actual appointment, such candidates should report this fact forthwith to the Board indicating their Registration/ Application Number and other details at the earliest opportunity.

## ANNEXURE-6

### SCALE OF PAY, ALLOWANCES, JOINING TIME ETC.

The scale of pay is **Level – 15- Rs.36,200-1,14,800**

- i) Successful candidate shall join duty within the time stipulated by the appointing authority and shall not claim extension of joining time citing that he/she is undergoing higher studies or for any other reason. He/ She shall abide by the condition that his/her name will be removed from the approved list without assigning any reasons there for, if he/she fails to join duty within the stipulated time.
- ii) Candidates selected and appointed to a post should undergo such probation and training and should pass such tests as may be prescribed in the rules by the Government from time to time and are liable to face such penalties as prescribed by the Government for failure to pass such tests.
- iii) At any time before the end of the prescribed period of probation, the probation of a candidate/ appointment may be terminated and he/ she may be discharged from the service.
- iv) A candidate who is in the service of a Government other than the Government of Tamil Nadu, if selected and appointed, will not be entitled on the basis of the previous service under that Government to any concession in the matter of leave, transit pay, etc., under the Government of Tamil Nadu.
- v) If a rate of pay actually in force at the time of appointment of selected candidate is different from that announced, he will be paid only at that rate. The pay of the post is also subject to such modification, as may be made from time to time.

**ANNEXURE-7**

Medical fitness Certificate for Differently Abled Persons eligible for reservation as per G.O.(Ms) No.20, Welfare of Differently Abled Persons (DAP.3.2) Department, dated: 20.06.2018 and subsequently amended in G.O.(Ms) No.01, Welfare of Differently Abled Persons (DAP.3.2) Department, dated: 19.01.2023 and section 3 (oo) of Tamil Nadu Government Servants (Conditions of Service) act, 2017. If a candidate claims reservation under the category of Differently Abled, he/she shall produce the certificate issued by the District Medical Board of Government Medical Colleges constituted for this purpose.

**CERTIFICATE OF DISABILITY**

(For Suitability for appointment as Physiotherapist Grade- II)

Certificate No.....

Date.....

This is to certify that.....

age.....Years, Son/Daughter of Thiru.....

residing at .....

.....

is suffering from .....

and has permanent physical impairment of .....

He / She is ..... disabled and has the percentage of

.....(in figure) .....(in words) disability

of .....

(Mentioned in the Notification Heading.5.Reservation and related information- Para.(g).) He/ She is

**suitable / NOT suitable** for appointment as **Physiotherapist Grade – II** and his / her handicap will not

affect the performance as **Physiotherapist Grade – II**.

Place :

Date :

Recent Full size  
Photograph of the  
Candidate exhibiting  
the deformity duly attested  
by the medical  
certificate issuing authority

Signature with Name & Seal  
(Chairman of Board)

Signature with Name & Seal  
(Member of Board)

Signature with Name & Seal  
(Member of Board)

**Note: Candidates with any other disability, other than the notified disability will not be considered suitable under this category.**

**ANNEXURE – 8**  
**(Not Applicable)**



## **ANNEXURE 9**

### **SYLLABUS**

Please see in the Document section under the Instructions to the candidates in MRB website in [http://www.mrb.tn.gov.in/syllabus/Syllabus\\_Physiotherapist\\_Gr\\_II\\_Exam.pdf](http://www.mrb.tn.gov.in/syllabus/Syllabus_Physiotherapist_Gr_II_Exam.pdf)

ANNEXURE - 10

**Certificate for having studied in Tamil Medium #**

This is to certify that Thiru./Tmt./Selvi.....(Name) had studied Classes ..... to with **Tamil as the medium of instruction**, during the year.....to.....and had satisfactorily completed the course of studies prescribed for Classes ..... to .....

Thiru./Tmt./Selvi..... (Name) was /was not awarded **scholarship meant for students studying in the Tamil medium.**

This certificate is issued with reference to Section 2(d) of the PSTM (Amendment) Act,2020, based on verifiable documentary evidence. The undersigned assumes full responsibility for the veracity of the contents herein.

Place: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Principal / Head Master  
/ District Educational Officer / Chief  
Educational Officer/ District Adi  
Dravidar Welfare Officer  
**MobileNo.**

Seal of the Institution

*\*If the candidate has studied in different schools from 1<sup>st</sup>std. upto 10<sup>th</sup> std./ 12<sup>th</sup>std., then the above certificate shall be obtained from each of the schools the candidate has studied in.*

**Certificate for having studied in Tamil Medium@**

This is to certify that Thiru./Tmt./Selvi .....(Name) had studied ..... (Diploma / Degree / PG Degree, etc.) during the year ..... To ..... with **Tamil as the medium of instruction** and had satisfactorily completed the course of studies prescribed for ..... (Diploma /Degree /PG Degree, etc.).

Thiru./Tmt./Selvi.....(Name) was / was not awarded **scholarship meant for students studying in the Tamil medium.**

This certificate is issued with reference to Section 2(d) of the PSTM (Amendment) Act,2020, based on verifiable documentary evidence. The undersigned assumes full responsibility for the veracity of the contents herein.

Place: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Registrar /  
Principal/Controller of Examinations  
/Head / Director of Educational  
Institution /Director /Joint Director of  
Technical Education  
**Mobile No.**

Seal of the Institution

*@If the candidate has completed different courses in different Institutions, such a certificate shall be obtained from each of these Institutions for the courses completed therein.*

**DISCLAIMER**

“The applicants while applying for the examination should furnish the details of equivalence of qualification declared in the form of Government order issued prior to the date of this Notification, if any, and produce the same when called for by Medical Services Recruitment Board, failing which their application will be rejected. The Government Orders regarding equivalence of qualification issued after the date of this Notification will not be accepted.”

**MEMBER SECRETARY**

**END OF NOTIFICATION**