



## GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

### Abstract

General Education-Higher Secondary Education and Vocational Higher Secondary Education-State Eligibility Test (SET) 2008 for appointment to the post of Higher Secondary School Teachers and Non Vocational Teachers-conduct of-Sanction accorded-Orders Issued

### **GENERAL EDUCATION (SPECIAL CELL) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.(Ms)No.92/2008/GI.Edn.**

**Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 16/05/2008**

Read: (1) GO(MS) No.289/99/GI.Edn. dated 25/1/99.  
(2) GO(P) No.144/2001/GE dated 16/4/01.  
(3) GO(P) No.331/2001/GE dated 19/11/2001  
(4) GO(P) No.80/04/GE dated 12/3/04.  
(5) GO(P) No.81/04/GE dated 12/3/04.  
(6) GO(MS) No.294/06/GE dated 15/12/06.  
(7) Minutes of the Meeting of Board of Examination for the conduct of the SET held on 21/4/08.

### **ORDER**

The meeting of the Board of Examinations for the conduct of State Eligibility Test (SET) for the appointment to the post of Higher Secondary school Teachers and Non Vocational Teachers held on 21/4/08 recommended to Government to hold the 'SET' 2008 on 28/9/08. The LBS Centre for Science and Technology is entrusted to conduct the test on behalf of Government. The prospectus for the SET-07 will be followed for SET 2008 also with the following modifications/decisions/amendments.

1. Training qualifications other than LTTC and DHT cannot be equated to B.Ed in Hindi until Special Rules are amended to that effect.
2. Section 2 of the prospectus for SET 07 will be amended as follows;  
The caption "Distribution of application form" will be amended as "Mode of Registration for the SET"
3. Section 2.1 of Prospectus will be amended as follows;  
Candidates intending to register for the State Eligibility Test are required to pay the fee for the Test in advance and obtain the prescribed Application form for registration. The rates of fee for the Test shall be Rs.500/- for General candidates and Rs.250/- for SC/ST candidates. The mode of payment shall be only by Demand Drafts drawn from a Nationalized Bank in India in favour of the Director, LBS Centre payable at Thiruvananthapuram. Cash/Money Order/Cheque will not be accepted. SC/ST Candidates should produce Community Certificates obtained from the Revenue Authorities in support of their claim for reduction in the fee and in the absence of Community Certificates; such claims will be rejected without further intimation.
4. Section 2.2 of the prospectus will be amended as follows;  
Those who wish to register for the State Eligibility Test through post can obtain the prescribed Application form from the Director, LBS Centre for Science and Technology, Thiruvananthapuram by forwarding to him the fee for the Test in advance in the form of DD for Rs.550/- for General candidates and Rs.300/- for SC/ST candidates (should enclose copy of Community Certificate) drawn from a Nationalized Bank in favor of Director, LBS Centre payable at Thiruvananthapuram,

- 10 days before the closing date fixed for registration for Test, along with a self addressed envelope of size 31 cm x 25 cm.
5. The last sentence of Section 9.1 of the prospectus will be modified as follows:  
The duration of the Paper II will be 120 minutes. The total number of questions will be 120 except for Mathematics and Statistics where there will be only 80 questions.
  6. Section 9.4 of prospectus will be amended as follows;  
For each correct response the candidates will be awarded 1(one) mark in both the Papers except for Mathematics and Statistics (Paper II) for which each correct response will be awarded 1.5 (one and a half) marks. More than one response indicated against a question will be deemed as incorrect. There is no negative mark, for wrong response.
  7. The following will be added to section 12.3 of the prospectus  
The Director, LBS Centre is authorized to exclude any question or questions found to be wrong or questions with answers not appropriate, as recommended by the panel of experts, from evaluation. When a question/s is/are excluded from evaluation, the mark allotted to that question/s is/are also excluded from the evaluation. In such situation the mark for the paper is calculated as follows:  

$$\frac{\text{Number of correct responses}}{\text{Total number of questions after exclusion}} \times 100$$
  8. In section 13 of the prospectus " Requirement for pass" will be amended as follows;  
To pass State Eligibility Test, a candidate should get  
i) at least 35 percent of marks in Paper I and Paper II separately.  
and  
ii) at least 50 percent as the average of the percentages in Paper I and Paper II.
  9. In computing marks, fractions shall be rounded off to the first two decimal places.

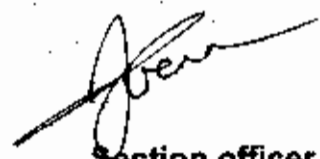
(By order of the Governor)

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Additional Secretary to Government

To

- The Accountant General (A&E)(Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
- The Director, LBS Centre for Science and Technology, Thiruvananthapuram.
- The Director, Vocational Higher Secondary Education, Thiruvananthapuram.
- The Director, Higher Secondary Education, Thiruvananthapuram.
- The Director, SCERT, Thiruvananthapuram.
- ✓ The Director of Information Public Relations Department (For press release)
- All heads of Board of Examinations.(through Director,Higher Secondary Education)
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