GAZETTE DATE : 29.09.2023 LAST DATE : 01.11.2023

CATEGORY NO: 332/2023 THIRD N.C.A. NOTIFICATION

Applications are invited online only from qualified candidates of Ex-servicemen belonging to Scheduled Caste community of Kerala state for selection to the under mentioned post. Application must be submitted online through the Official website of the Kerala Public Service Commission after 'One Time Registration'. Candidates who have already registered can apply through their profile.

1.	Department	:	NCC/Sainik Welfare
2.	Name of post	:	Driver Gr.II (HDV) (Ex-servicemen only)
3.	Scale of pay	:	₹.25100-57900/-
4.	Number of vacancies	:	District wise Alappuzha – SC- 01(one)

- Note: (i) Third NCA notification for the post for Alappuzha district due to non availability of qualified candidates belonging to the above community as per I NCA notification (Gazette date: 15/10/2019, Category No.177/2019), II nd NCA notification (Gazette date: 15/11/2022, Category No: 480/2022) respectively.
 - (ii) A Ranked List will be prepared for the above district in pursuance of this notification. Ranked List thus prepared and published as per this notification shall remain in force until candidates are advised and appointed against the above identified vacancy earmarked for the above community, but remain unfilled due to paucity of candidates for selection till date from the ranked list published for the post.

Name of District	Date of publication of Ranked list	Category No.
Alappuzha	14/12/2017	444/2014

- (iii) The selection in pursuance of this notification will be made on a revenue district basis, subject to the special conditions laid down in G.O.(MS) No.154/71/PD dated, 27/05/1971. A candidate advised for appointment in one revenue district from the Ranked List prepared is not eligible for transfer to another district unless he/she completes five years continuous service from the date of commencement of service in the former district. Even if transfer is allowed after five years, it will be subject to the rules in G.O. (P)No.36/91/P&ARD dated 02/12/1991. Candidates already in Government service holding this post in any one district are prohibited from applying again for this post, but they can apply to higher posts when notified.
- (iv) Applications submitted by candidates belonging to the community other than those notified will be summarily rejected. No rejection memo will be issued to those candidates.
- 5. Method of : Direct Recruitment (From Ex-servicemen candidates belonging to scheduled Caste reservation community only).
- 6. Age Limit 21-44, Candidates born between 02.01.1979 and 01.01.2002 (both dates included) are eligible to apply for this post [including the relaxation as per para 2 (i) of General Conditions].

Note:- For concessions allowed in upper age limit, subject to the condition that the maximum age limit shall in no case exceed 50 years of age, please see para 2 of general condition under Part II of this notification.

7. Qualifications:-

- (i) Literacy in Malayalam, Tamil or Kannada.
- (ii) Must possess Motor Driving Licence with endorsement for driving heavy duty vehicles and three years experience in driving heavy vehicles either Military or Civil.

Probation:- Every person appointed to the post shall, from the date on which he joins duty be on probation for a total period of 2 years on duty within a continuous period of three years.

- Note:1) Driving Licence issued after 16.01.1979 must have endorsement both for heavy Goods and heavy passenger Vehicles and applications with only one endorsement will be summarily rejected (Vide amendment No. 47/78 to the Motor Vehicles Act).
 - Proficiency in driving Heavy Duty Vehicles will have to be proved through a practical test including 'T' Test and Road Test conducted by P.S.C. Those who pass 'T' Test will alone be permitted for Road Test.
 - 3) Rule 10 (a)(ii) of Part II of KS & SSR is applicable.
 - 4) In addition to the qualifications prescribed in the notification, the qualifications recognized by executive orders or standing orders of Government as equivalent to a qualification specified for a post, in the Special Rules and such of those qualifications which pre-suppose the acquisition of the lower qualification prescribed for the post, shall also be sufficient for the post. The copy of the Government orders declaring equivalent/higher qualifications shall be produced as and when required by the Commission
- (iii) Medical Fitness:-
 - (a) Ear Hearing should be perfect.

			<u>Right eye</u>	<u>Left eye</u>
(b) Eye	- Distant vision	:	6/6 Snellen	6/6 Snellen
	Near vision	:	0.5 snellen	0.5 snellen
	Colour Vision	:	Normal	
	Night blindness	:	Nil	

- (c) Muscles and joints No paralysis and all joints must be capable of free movement.
- (d) Nervous System Perfectly normal and free from any infectious diseases.
- (iv) Candidate should be Ex-Servicemen/Disembodied Territorial Army personnel (Discharge Certificate and Pension payment order should be produced as and when called for).
- (V) Candidates who claim Experience qualification, should obtain Experience Certificate in the format given below. Candidates should upload original Experience Certificate in the prescribed format while submitting the application and produce the same as and when called for by the Commission.

The Certificate to be produced in proof of experience shall be in the form given below:

Name of the firm : (Company /Corporation/Government Department /Co-operative institution etc.) Register Number: (SSI Registration or any other Registration Number and Date of Registration) Authority issued Registration:

CERTIFICATE OF EXPERIENCE

Issued to (here enter Name and Address)..... This is to certify that the above mentioned person has worked/has been working in this institution as Driver Gr.II (HDV) (see Item ii under '7' Qualifications) with experience in driving heavy duty vehicles (here enter the nature of assignment held in the capacity) on Rs...... per day/per mensum for a period of.......yearsmonths.........days fromto.....

> Signature with date Name and Designation of the Issuing Authority with Name of the Institution

Place: Date of issue :

(Office Seal)

CERTIFICATE

Certified that Sri/Smt.....mentioned in the above experience Certificate has actually worked/is working as......(specify the nature of employment) in the above Institution during the period mentioned there in as per the entry in the above.....Register (mention the name of Register) maintained by the employer as per the provision of.....act (Name of the Act/Rules to be specified).

I am the authorized person to inspect the Register kept by the employer as per the provision of the Act/Rules of the......State/Central Act.

Signature with date, Name of Attesting Officer with Designation and Name of Office who is the notified Enforcement Officer as per Act/Rules.

Place: Date:

(Office Seal)

Note:-

- (1) Please specify the post held or nature of assignment i.e., Casual Labourer, Paid/ Unpaid Apprentice/Regular worker or Temporary worker.
- (2) All Experience certificate shall be duly certified by the concerned Controlling Officer/Head of Office of the Government. The genuineness of the certificate shall be subjected to verification and legal action will be taken against those who issue and produce bogus certificate.

Note:-

- (1) Candidates applying for the post must be prepared to clean and oil the Motor Vehicles and the fact should be noted in the column related to qualification of the application form.
- (2) Selected candidates must be able to drive Light Duty Vehicles also.
- (3) Differently Abled candidates are not eligible to apply for the post.
- (4) Candidates should furnish the full details regarding the Driving Licence and experience in driving in the relevant column (qualifications) of the application form.
- (5) A practical test will be conducted for the selection to this post. In case the number of applications received for this post is unduly large, Written Test/OMR/Online Test will be conducted. Those who came out successful for the test will alone be called for the practical test.

- (6) Candidates called for the practical test will have to produce Medical certificate in the prescribed form in original containing all relevant details as required in para 7 (iii) above (except (iii) (b)) from a Medical Officer not below the rank of an Assistant Surgeon. A Medical Certificate regarding eye sight as per Para 7 (iii) (b) from an Ophthalmologist in Government Service also will have to be produced. (Form of Medical certificate is appended below of this Notification).
- (7) The date of entry in service, date of discharge from service and type of vehicles should be shown in the Experience Certificate. If still in service, the fact should also be mentioned.
- (8) Candidates from the ranked list prepared in response to this notification will be advised for appointment as per turn against Headquarters vacancy also.
- (9) Candidate should possess valid Driving Licence and badge throughout all the stages of selection process i.e., on the last date of receipt of application, OMR Test / Online Test, Practical Test and Interview.

FORM OF MEDICAL CERTIFICATE REGARDING PHYSICAL FITNESS FOR THE POST OF DRIVER GRADE II (LDV/HDV)

(To be filled up by a Medical Officer not below the rank of an Assistant Surgeon)

1.	What is the applicant's apparent age?	:
2.	Is the applicant to the best of your judgment, subject to epilepsy, vertigo or any mental ailment likely to affect his efficiency?	:
3.	Does the applicant suffer from any heart or lungs disorder which might interfere with the performance of his duties as a Driver?	:
4.	Does the applicant suffer from any degree of deafness, which would prevent him hearing the ordinary sound signals? Is his hearing perfect?	:
5.	Has the applicant any deformity or loss of finger, which would interfere with the efficient performance of his duties as a driver?	:
6.	State of Muscles and Joints (No paralysis and all joints with free movements)	:
7.	State of Nervous System (Perfectly normal and free from any infectious diseases)	:
8.	Does he show any evidence of being addicted to the extensive use of alcohol, tobacco or drinks?	:
9.	Marks of Identification	:

He is physically fit for the post of I certify to the best of my knowledge and belief that the applicant Sri./Smt. is the person herein above described and that the attached photograph has a reasonably correct likeness.

(The signature of the Medical Officer shall be affixed on the photograph.)

PHOTO OF THE CANDIDATE

> Signature Name Designation & Official Address

Place: Date:

(Office seal)

FORM OF MEDICAL CERTIFICATE REGARDING VISION FOR THE POST OF DRIVER GRADE II (LDV/HDV)

(To be filled up by an Ophthalmologist in Government Service)

- Is there any defect of vision? If so, has it been corrected by suitable spectacles so that the distant vision is 6/6 snellen and near vision is 0.5 snellen.
- 2. Can the applicant readily distinguish the pigmentary colours red and green?
- 3. Does the applicant suffer from any night blindness?

I have this day medically examined Sri./Smt. and found that he/she has no defect of vision which would render him/her unsuitable for the post of Driver Grade II (LDV/HDV) and his/her standards of vision are as follows.

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		Standards of Vision (Eve sight without glasses)	
		Right Eye	Left Eye
1.	Distant Vision	snellen	snellen
2.	Near Vision	snellen	snellen
3.	Field of vision		

- (specify whether full or not, Entry 'Normal', 'Good' etc. will be inappropriate here)
- 4. Colour blindness :
- 5. Squint :
- Any morbid conditions of the eyes or lids of either eye. His standards of vision are fit for the post of Driver Grade II (LDV/HDV):
- 7. Marks of Identification:

I certify to the best of my knowledge and belief that the applicant Sri./Smt. is the person herein above described and that the attached photograph has a reasonably correct likeness. (The signature of the Ophthalmologist shall be affixed on the photograph leaving the face clear.)

PHOTO OF THE CANDIDATE

Place: Date: Signature Name Designation & Official Address

(Office seal)

Note:- Details regarding standards of vision should be clearly stated in the certificate, as given above and vague statements such as vision Normal etc. will not be accepted. Specification for each eye should be stated separately. Special attention should be given to the distant vision. Required standard of vision are as follows:-

(a)	Distant Vision	<u>Right Eye</u> 6/6 snellen	<u>Left Eye</u> 6/6 snellen
(b)	Near Vision	0.5 snellen	0.5 snellen

- (c) Each eye must have full field of vision
- 8 Mode of Sending applications :-

Candidates must register as per ONE TIME REGISTRATION with the official Website of Kerala Public Service Commission www.keralapsc.gov.in before applying for the post. Candidates who have registered can apply by logging on to their profile using their User-ID and Password. Candidates must click on the 'Apply Now' button of the respective posts in the Notification Link to apply for a post. The Photograph uploaded should be taken after 31.12.2013. The Candidates creating new profile on or after 01.01.2022 should upload the photograph taken within 6 months . Name of the candidate and the date of photograph taken should be printed legibly at the bottom portion. The photograph once uploaded meeting all requirements shall be valid for 10 years from the date of uploading. There is no change in other instructions regarding the uploading of photographs. No application fee is required. Candidates are responsible for the correctness of the personal information and secrecy of password. Before the final submission of the application on the profile candidates must ensure correctness of the information in their profile. They must quote the User-ID for further communication with the Commission. Application submitted is provisional and cannot be deleted or altered after submission. Candidates are advised to keep a printout or soft copy of the online application for future reference. Candidates can take the printout of the application by clicking on the link 'My applications' in their profile. All correspondences with the Commission, regarding the application should be accompanied with the print out of the application. The application will be summarily rejected if non-compliance with the notification is found in due course of processing. Original documents to prove qualification, experience, age, Community etc. have to be produced as and when called for. Candidates who have AADHAAR Card should add AADHAAR Card as ID Proof in their profile.

- 9 Last date for receipt of applications : 01.11.2023 Wednesday upto 12:00 Midnight.
- 10. Address to which applications are to be submitted : www.keralapsc.gov.in
- If a Written Test/OMR/Online Examination is conducted as a part of this selection, candidates shall submit a confirmation for writing the examination through their 'One Time Registration' profile. Such candidates alone can generate and download the Admission Tickets in the last 15 days till the date of test. The applications of candidates who do not submit confirmation within the stipulated period will be rejected absolutely. The periods regarding the submission of confirmation and the availability of Admission Tickets will be published in the Examination Calender itself. Information in this regard will be given to the candidates in their respective profiles and in the mobile phones registered in it. Candidates who have downloaded the Admission Ticket will alone be permitted to attend the examination. As per Rule 22 of the KPSC Rules of Procedure 1976, appropriate disciplinary action will be taken against those candidates who submit application for the post with false claims of possession of prescribed qualification, experience etc. and give confirmation for

12 Special Instructions to Candidates

1. In the case of difference in Caste/Community claimed in the application and that entered in SSLC book, the candidate shall produce a gazette notification in this regard, along with Community certificate at the time of certificate verification.

2. Candidates are required to acquaint themselves with the instructions given in the notification as Part II, General Conditions before submitting application for the post. Applications which are not submitted in accordance with the terms and conditions laid down in the General Conditions are liable to be rejected.

3. Appropriate disciplinary action as per Rule 22 of the Kerala Public Service Commission Rules of Procedure 1976 shall be initiated against those candidates who submit applications with bogus claims of qualification regarding education, experience etc. and are liable to be disqualified for being considered for a particular post or debarment from applying to the Commission either permanently or for any period or the invalidation of their answer scripts or products in the written/practical test or the initiation of criminal or other proceedings against them or their removal or dismissal from office or the ordering of any other disciplinary action against them if they have already been appointed, or any one or more of the above.

(For details including ID card, photo etc., please see the General Conditions given below as Part II of this Notification).

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