

### ABSTRACT

Public Services – Equivalence of Degrees – Equivalence of Degrees offered by the various Universities / Educational Institutions to the similar Degrees – Resolutions of Equivalence Committee of Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission – Orders – Issued.

#### HIGHER EDUCATION (K2) DEPARTMENT

G.O. (Ms) No.33

Dated: 12.02.2018 ஹேவிளம்பி, தை 30, திருவள்ளுவராண்டு 2049

Read :-

- 1. G.O. (Ms.) No.441, Personnel and Administrative Reforms (R) Department, dated 20.12.1993.
- 2. From the Secretary, Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission, D.O.Letter No.5140/RND-F1/2017, dated 01.11.2017.

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# ORDER:-

In the letter second read above, the Secretary, Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission has forwarded the resolutions passed in the 56<sup>th</sup> Equivalence Committee Meeting held on 31.10.2017 on the equivalence of Degrees offered by various Universities / Educational Institutions to the similar Degrees for the purpose of employment in Public Services and requested the Government to issue orders in the matter.

2. The Government, after careful consideration, have decided to approve the following resolutions passed in the 56<sup>th</sup> Equivalence Committee Meeting held on 31.10.2017 and direct that the following Degrees offered by various Universities / Educational Institutions be equivalent to the similar courses mentioned therein from the date of issuance of such degrees and also direct that no person shall be eligible for appointment to any service, class, category or grade or any post borne on the cadre thereof unless he possesses such special qualifications and has passed such special tests as may be prescribed in that behalf in the special rules; or possesses such other qualifications as have been declared to be higher than or equivalent to the said special qualifications or special tests by the Government in consultation with the Committee constituted under the Chairmanship of the Chairman, Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission for the purpose, in cases where the appointment

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has to be made in consultation with the Commission; and by the Government or by the appointing authority with the approval of the Government in other cases as per Section 25 of the Tamil Nadu Government Servants (Conditions of Service) Act, 2016 :-

Agenda subjects	Recommendation of the Committee
Agenda No. 1	
Public Services – Educational Qualification – Consideration of M.Sc. Food & Nutrition Degree awarded by Bharathiar University as to whether equivalent to M.Sc. Home Science (Food and Nutrition) Degree for the purpose of employment in Public Services.	Equivalent
Agenda No. 2	
Public Services – Educational Qualification – Consideration of M.A. Applied Economics Degree awarded by Pondicherry University as to whether equivalent to M.A. Economics Degree for the purpose of employment in Public Services.	Equivalent
Agenda No. 5	
<ul> <li>(i) Public Services – Educational Qualification – Consideration of subject B.Sc. Zoology (Animal Science and Animal Biotechnology) Degree course offered by Seethalakshmi Ramaswami College (Autonomous) Tiruchirapalli affiliated to Bharathidasan University as to whether equivalent to B.Sc. Zoology for the purpose of employment in Public Services.</li> </ul>	Equivalent
(ii) Whether the suggestion made by the committee regarding distribution of marks for theory (75% External and 25% Internal) may be forwarded to Bharathidasan University.	Suggestion of the expert Committee regarding distribution of marks is accepted.
Agenda No. 8	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Public Services – Educational Qualification – Consideration of B.Sc. Mathematics (Computer Applications) Degree awarded by Periyar University as to whether equivalent to B.Sc. Mathematics Degree for the purpose of employment in Public Services.	Equivalent
Agenda No. 10	
<ul> <li>Public Services – Educational Qualification – Consideration of B.Ed. Degree awarded by Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam as to whether equivalent to B.Ed. Degree awarded by Tamil Nadu Teachers Education University for the purpose of employment in Public Services.</li> </ul>	Equivalent

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<ul> <li>(ii) Public Services – Educational Qualification – Consideration of B.Ed. Degree awarded by Osmania University as to whether equivalent to B.Ed. Degree awarded by Tamil Nadu Teachers Education University for the purpose of employment in Public Services.</li> </ul>	Equivalent
Agenda No. 12	
Public Services – Educational Qualification – Consideration of M.Sc. (Food Service Management and Dietetics) Degree awarded by Bharathidasan University as to whether equivalent to M.Sc. Home Science – Food Service Management and Dietetics Degree for the purpose of employment in Public Services.	Equivalent
Agenda No. 17	
<ul> <li>Public Services – Educational Qualification – Consideration of M.Sc. Industrial Electronics awarded by Bharathidasan University as to whether equivalent to M.Sc. Electronics for the purpose of employment in Public Services.</li> </ul>	Equivalent

# (BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

# SUNIL PALIWAL, PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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The Secretary, Tamil Nadu Service Commission, Chennai-3.

The Registrar of all Universities under the aegis of Higher Education Department

The Vice-Chairman, Tamil Nadu State Council for Higher Education, Chennai-5

The Registrar, Pondicherry University, Kalapet, Puducherry, 605014

The Registrar, Mahatma Gandhi University, Priyadharshini Hills, Kottayam-686560, Kerala.

The Registrar, Osmania University, Osmania University Campus, Hyderabad-500007, Telangana

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The Senior Personal Assistant to Minister (Higher Education), Chennai-9.

- The Private Secretary to Principal Secretary to Government, Higher Education Department, Chennai-9.
- The Private Secretary to Principal Secretary to Government, School Education Department, Chennai-9.

The Private Secretary to Secretary to Government, Personnel and Administrative Reforms Department, Chennai-9.

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