

UNION PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
ADDENDUM – NOTICE TO CANDIDATES

Reference (i) Union Public Service Commission's Advertisement No. 02/2023 published on 28.01.2023, Vacancy No. 23010203428, Item No. 03 with closing date of submission of Online Application being 23:59 Hrs. on 16.02.2023 for Recruitment to 08 posts of Administrative Officer in Geological Survey of India, Ministry of Mines (ii) Advt. No. 13/2023, published on 08.07.2023, Vacancy No. 23071309408, Item No. 09 with closing date of submission of Online Application being 23:59 Hrs. on 27.07.2023 for Recruitment to 03 posts of Administrative Officer in Geological Survey of India, Ministry of Mines and (iii) Advt. No. 14/2023 published on 22.07.2023, Vacancy No. 23071403422, Item No. 03 with closing date of submission of Online Application being 23:59 Hrs. on 10.08.2023 for Recruitment to 20 posts of Senior Administrative Officer Grade-II in Defence Research & Development Organisation (DRDO), Department of Defence Research and Development, Ministry of Defence.

The Commission has now decided to conduct an Offline Pen and Paper Based **COMBINED RECRUITMENT TEST** on **09.03.2024 (SATURDAY) (AFTERNOON SESSION)** from **02.00 P.M to 04.00 P.M.** for short-listing the candidates for the above mentioned posts. Only those candidates shortlisted in Combined RT and who fulfill all the eligibility conditions of the post shall be called for interview. Centre of the Test, Scheme & Syllabus of the Test are as under:

Centre of Test	Centre Code	I. Scheme of the Test:
Ahmedabad	01	(a) The test will be of two hours duration. (b) All Questions will carry equal marks. (c) The test will be objective type questions with multiple choices of answer. (d) The question in Part A of the syllabus will be set in English only and the question in Part B of the syllabus will be set both in English and Hindi. (e) There will be penalty for wrong answers. Every wrong answer will carry a deduction of one-third of the marks assigned to that question. If no answer is marked for a question, there will be no penalty for that question. (f) The test will carry a maximum of 300 marks.
Bhopal	04	
Chennai	12	
Delhi	08	
Dispur (Guwahati)	09	
Jaipur	11	
Jammu	34	
Kochi	24	
Kolkata	06	
Lucknow	26	
Mumbai	05	
Nagpur	13	
Port Blair	37	
Ranchi	41	
Vishakhapatnam	51	
		II. Syllabus of the Test: Part A: English – To test the candidate's understanding of English Language and workmanlike use of words.

Part B: General Ability -

- (1) Principles of Human Resource Management
- (2) Principles of Marketing Management
- (3) Principles of Accounting & Financial Management
- (4) Right to Information Act
- (5) Numerical Ability & Logical Reasoning
- (6) Fundamentals of Computer Application
- (7) General Science
- (8) Public Administration and Developmental Issues
- (9) Freedom Movement & Indian Union
- (10) Current Events of National and International Importance

NOTE-I: INTIMATION ABOUT VENUE OF THE RECRUITMENT TEST WILL BE COMMUNICATED TO THE CANDIDATES IN DUE COURSE.

NOTE-II: COMBINED RTs AND THE INTERVIEW SHALL CARRY A 75:25 WEIGHTAGE FOR THOSE CANDIDATES SHORTLISTED OUT OF THE COMBINED RECRUITMENT TEST AND THOSE WHO QUALIFY IN THE INTERVIEW.

Standard of suitability for the interview for candidates belonging to various categories is fixed as under:

General/EWS Category	:	50 and above
OBC	:	45 and above (on relaxed standards)
SC/ST	:	40 and above (on relaxed standards)
PwBD (Gen/EWS/OBC/SC/ST)	:	40 and above (on relaxed standards)

NOTE-III: NO REQUEST FOR CHANGE OF TEST CENTRE WILL BE ENTERTAINED.