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No. SRO B-74/2017.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby makes the following Rules:-

2. The Rules hereby made shall come into force on the 22nd November 2017.

RULES

The provisions of the Tamil Nadu Government Servants (Conditions of Service) Act, 2016 (Tamil Nadu Act 14 of 2016) and the Special Rules applicable to the holders of the permanent posts in the Tamil Nadu Forest Service shall apply to the holders of the temporary post of Assistant Executive Engineer in the Forest Department, subject to the modifications specified in the following rules:-

2. **Constitution.**-The post shall constitute a separate category in the said Service.

3. **Appointment.**-Appointment to the post shall be made as follows:-

(i) By promotion from among the holders of the post of Assistant Engineer in the Tamil Nadu Forest Service; and

(ii) By recruitment by transfer from among the holders of the post of Junior Engineer in the Tamil Nadu Forest Subordinate Service:

Provided that the ratio for appointment by promotion and by recruitment by transfer shall be 2 : 1.

Provided also that appointment by promotion and by recruitment by transfer shall be made on the grounds of merit and ability, seniority being considered only where merit and ability are approximately equal.

4. **Appointing Authority.**-The appointing authority for the post shall be the Government.

5. **Qualifications.**-No person shall be eligible for appointment to the post by the methods specified in column (1) of the table below, unless he possesses the qualifications specified in the corresponding entries in column (2) thereof:-

TABLE

<i>Method of Appointment</i>	<i>Qualifications</i>
(1)	(2)
(i) By promotion from the post of Assistant Engineer in the Tami Nadu Forest Service.	Must have rendered service in the post of Assistant Engineer in the Tamil Nadu Forest Service for a period of not less than five years.
(ii) By recruitment by transfer from the post of Junior Engineer in the Tamil Nadu Forest Subordinate Service.	Must have rendered service in the post of Junior Engineer in the Tamil Nadu Forest Subordinate Service for a period of not less than ten years.

6. **Probation.**-Every person appointed by recruitment by transfer shall, from the date on which he joins duty, be on probation for a total period of one year on duty within a continuous period of two years.

7. **Tests.**-(a) Every person appointed to the post, by recruitment by transfer, shall pass the Account Test for Executive Officers within the period of his probation.

(b) Failure to pass the tests prescribed in sub-rule (a) shall entail extension of probation and the probationer shall not be eligible to draw increments until he passes the said tests. Such ineligibility to draw increments shall not have the effect of postponing his future increments after he has passed the said tests:

Provided that the persons appointed to the post, who have already passed the Account Test for Subordinate Officers Part I and II, need not pass the test prescribed in sub-rule (a).

8. **Pay.**-The holder of the post shall be paid a monthly pay calculated in the pay band- 3 of Rs.15600 - 39100 with Grade pay of Rs.5400/-.

9. **Preparation of Annual list of approved candidates.**- For the purpose of drawing up of the annual list of approved candidates for appointment to the post by promotion and by recruitment by transfer, the crucial date on which a candidate should possess the qualifications, shall be the 15th August of every year.

NOTIFICATION-II

[G.O. Ms. No. 144, Environment and Forests (FR-1), 22nd November 2017, கார்த்திகை 6, ஹேவிளம்பி, திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு-2048.]

No. SRO B-75/2017.—In exercise of powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby makes the following Rules:-

2. The Rules hereby made shall come in to force on the 22nd November 2017.

RULES.

The provisions of the Tamil Nadu Government Servants (Conditions of Service) Act, 2016 (Tamil Nadu Act 14 of 2016) and the Special Rules applicable to the holders of the permanent posts in the Tamil Nadu Forest Service shall apply to the holders of the temporary post of Assistant Engineer in the Forest Department, subject to the modifications specified in the following rules:-

2. **Constitution.**- The post shall constitute a separate category in the said Service.

3. **Appointment.**- Appointment to post shall be made as follows:-

(i) By direct recruitment; and

(ii) By recruitment by transfer from among the holders of the post of Junior Engineer in the Tamil Nadu Forest Subordinate Service; or

(iii) By recruitment by transfer from any other Service in the Tamil Nadu Forest Department:

Provided that the ratio for appointment by direct recruitment and by recruitment by transfer from Junior Engineer in Tamil Nadu Forest Subordinate Service or any other Service in the Tamil Nadu Forest Department shall be 1 : 2:

Provided also that appointment by recruitment by transfer shall be made on the grounds of merit and ability, seniority being considered only where merit and ability are approximately equal.

4. **Appointing Authority.**- The appointing authority for the post shall be the Government.

5. **Qualifications.**-(a) **age.**- No person shall be eligible for appointment to the post by direct recruitment, if he has completed or will complete thirty years of age on the first day of July of the year in which the vacancies are notified;

(b) **Other qualifications.** No person shall be eligible for appointment to the post by the methods specified in column (1) of the table below, unless he possesses the qualifications specified in the corresponding entries in column (2) thereof:-

TABLE

Method of Appointment (1)	Qualifications (2)
(i) By direct recruitment	(a) Must possess a Degree in Civil Engineering awarded by any University recognized by the University Grants Commission; or (b) A pass in Section A and B Examination (AMIE) in Civil Engineering branch conducted by the Institution of Engineers (India) and practical training in surveying for a period of not less than one year.

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| (ii) | By recruitment by transfer from the post of Junior Engineer in the Tamil Nadu Forest Subordinate Service. | Must have rendered service in the post of Junior Engineer in the Tamil Nadu Forest Subordinate Service for a period of not less than five years on duty. |
| (iii) | By recruitment by transfer from any other service in the Tamil Nadu Forest Department. | <p>(a) Must possess a Degree in Civil Engineering awarded by any University recognized by the University Grants Commission; or</p> <p>(b) A pass in Section A and B Examination (AMIE) in Civil Engineering branch conducted by the Institution of Engineers (India); and</p> <p>(c) Must have rendered service in Forest Department for a period of not less than three years on duty.</p> |

6. **Reservation of Appointment.**—The principle of reservation of appointments as provided in section 27 of the Tamil Nadu Government Servants (Conditions of Service) Act, 2016 (Tamil Nadu Act 14 of 2016) shall apply to the appointment to the post by direct recruitment.

7. **Probation.**—(a) Every person appointed by direct recruitment shall, from the date on which he joins duty, be on probation for a total period of two years on duty within a continuous period of three years.

(b) Every person appointed by recruitment by transfer shall, from the date on which he joins duty, be on probation for a total period of one year on duty within a continuous period of two years.

8. **Training.**—(a) Every person appointed to the post by direct recruitment, during the first year of his probation, shall undergo training on Works and Accounts for a specific period that shall be fixed and within the said period of training, he shall also undergo training for a period of two months in the Tamil Nadu Forest Department:

Provided that in case where the period of training fixed is less than one year, the period of training in Tamil Nadu Forest Department shall be one-sixth of such period.

(b) During the period of training, the trainees shall be paid minimum of time scale of pay applicable to the post and the period of training shall count for increment.

9. **Tests.**—(a) Every person appointed to the post by direct recruitment and recruitment by transfer, shall pass the Account Test for Executive Officers within the period of his probation.

(b) Failure to pass the test prescribed in sub-rule (a) shall entail extension of probation and the probationer shall not be eligible to draw increments until he passes the said tests. Such ineligibility to draw increments shall not have the effect of postponing his future increments after he has passed the said test:

Provided that the persons appointed to the post, who have already passed the Account Test for Subordinate Officers Part I and II, need not pass the test prescribed in sub-rule (a).

10. **Pay.**—The holders of the post shall be paid a monthly pay calculated in the pay band-3 of Rs.15600 - 39100 with Grade Pay of Rs.5100/-.

11. **Preparation of Annual list of approved candidates.**—For the purpose of drawing up of the annual list of approved candidates for appointment to the post by recruitment by transfer the crucial date on which a candidate should possess the qualifications, shall be the 15th August of every year.

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