ABSTRACT

Tamil Nadu Medical Service – Assistant Surgeons appointment on temporary basis – Regular appointment in Tamil Nadu Medical Service – Conduct of Special Qualifying Examination – Orders – Issued.

HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (B1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(D) No.349 Dated:29.02.2016
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Read

1. G.O (Ms) No.1, Health and Family Welfare (C2) Department, dated.02.01.2012.
2. G.O (Ms) No.23, Health and Family Welfare Department, dated.29.01.2013.
3. G.O.(Ms) No.214, Health and Family Welfare Department, dated:22.07.2014.
4. G.O.(Ms)No.279, Health and Family Welfare Department, dated:15.09.2014.
5. From the Chairman, Medical Services Recruitment Board, Letter No.1785/MRB/E2/2015, dated.04.11.2015.
6. G.O.(Ms)No.20, Personnel and Administrative Reforms (M) Department, dated:16.02.2016.

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ORDER:-

In the Government Order 1st read above orders were issued for the creation of Medical Services Recruitment Board for recruitment of posts under the control of the Health and Family Welfare Department.

2. In the Government Order second read above orders have been issued directing the Medical Services Recruitment Board to temporarily appoint Assistant Surgeon and Assistant Surgeon (Dental) in Tamil Nadu Medical Service pending amendment to Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission Regulations, 1954.

3. Subsequently, the Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission has accorded its concurrence for excluding the post of Assistant Surgeon and Assistant Surgeon (Dental) in the Tamil Nadu Medical Service from the recruitment purview of the Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission. Based on the concurrence of the Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission, in the Government Order 3rd read above, the Medical Services Recruitment Board was permitted to recruit Assistant Surgeon and Assistant Surgeon (Dental) for regular appointment in the Tamil Nadu Medical Service.

4. This apart, owing to paucity of eligible candidates to fill up the vacancies in various specialities in Tamil Nadu Medical Service, in the Government Order 4th read above the Medical Services Recruitment Board was directed to conduct 'walk-in' selection process in every quarter of the year, after due notification in the newspaper, for selecting eligible candidates to fill up the post of Assistant Surgeon in various Specialty Departments in the Tamil Nadu Medical Service, duly following the communal rotation and rule of reservation. In the said Government Order, it was indicated that the temporary services of Medical Officers appointed through 'walk-in' selection process may be regularized by conducting a special qualifying examination to be conducted by the Medical Services Recruitment Board, after issue of amendment to the Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission Regulation, 1954, to exclude the post of Assistant Surgeon and Assistant Surgeon (Dental) from the purview of Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission.

5. The Chairman, Medical Service Recruitment Board has stated that apart from the Medical Officers recruited by the Medical Services Recruitment Board. The following categories of Medical Officer are working temporarily in Tamil Nadu Medical Service

i. Non-service Post Graduates have been appointed as Assistant Surgeons in relaxation of rule 10 (a) (i) of the General rule for Tamil Nadu State and Subordinate Services, to fulfil their bond obligation. Some of the Non-service Post Graduates wish to continue in Tamil Nadu Medical Service even after the mandatory two years bond obligation.

ii. Medical Officers who were earlier appointed temporarily in relaxation of rule 10 (a) (i), failed to appear in the Special Qualifying Examination conducted by the Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission earlier, for regularisation of their temporary services and

iii. Medical Officers earlier appointed in relaxation of rule 10 (a) (i), who have failed in the Special Qualifying Examination conducted by the Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission earlier for regulation of their temporary services.

For all the above said three categories, and the Medical Officers selected by Medical Services Recruitment Board through 'walk-in' selection, Special Qualifying Examination needs to be conducted for regularization of their temporary services.

6. A number of representations are received from the Medical Officers appointed temporarily in various Government Medical institutions for regularization of their temporary services.

7. Hence, the Chairman, Medical Services Recruitment Board has requested orders on the following:-

As the posts of Assistant Surgeon (General) and Assistant Surgeon (Dental) are being taken out of the purview of Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission, the Medical Services Recruitment Board may be authorized by the Government to conduct Special Qualifying Examination for the post of Assistant Surgeon.

The Medical Services Recruitment Board will send necessary draft notification for conducting the Special Qualifying Examination, based on the orders of the Government.

8. Subsequently, in the Government Order 6th read above orders have been issued suitably amending the Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission Regulations, 1954, to exclude the posts of Assistant Surgeon and Assistant Surgeon (Dental) from the purview of the Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission.

9. The Government examined the issue in detail with available records. Earlier, orders were issued in various Government Orders for conducting Special Qualifying Examination by the Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission for regularizing the services of Medical Officers who were appointed temporarily in relaxation of rule 10(a)(i) of the General Rules for the Tamil Nadu State and Subordinate Services. Accordingly, the Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission conducted Special Qualifying Examination and the services of the Medical Officers who cleared the Exam have been regularized. On the same analogy, the Government have decided to regularize the services of the Medical Officers who were recruited temporarily, by conducting a Special Qualifying Examination by the Medical Services Recruitment Board, as recruitment to the post of Assistant Surgeon has been brought under the Medical Services Recruitment Board which conducts competitive examination for recruitment of Medical Officers in Tamil Nadu Medical Service.

10. Accordingly, the Government issue the following orders:-

i. The Medical Services Recruitment Board is directed to conduct a Special Qualifying Examination for the Medical Officers appointed temporarily in Tamil Nadu Medical Service mentioned in para 5 above, who are in service as on the date of issue of order, so as to regularly appoint them in Tamil Nadu Medical Service.

ii. The Medical Officers so selected by the Medical Services Recruitment Board shall be placed below the last batch of Medical Officers recruited by the Medical Services Recruitment Board by conducting competitive exam and the seniority may be fixed by the merit list drawn by the Medical Services Recruitment Board in the Special Qualifying Examination to be conducted by the Medical Service Recruitment Board under rule 35 (a) of the General Rules for Tamil Nadu State and Subordinate Services.

iii. The Director of Public Health and Preventive Medicine is directed to instruct all the temporary Assistant Surgeons to appear for the Special Qualifying Examination to be conducted by the Medical Services Recruitment Board for regularizing their services.

iv. The individuals who do not pass in the Special Qualifying Examination will be ousted from service without assigning any reason therefor.

11. The Chairman, Medical Services Recruitment Board, is directed to conduct the Special Qualifying Examination to regularize the services of the Assistant Surgeons who were appointed temporarily in Tamil Nadu Medical Service in relaxation of Rule 10(a)(i) of the General Rules for the Tamil Nadu State and Subordinate Services by following the procedure prescribed in G.O.(D)No.1016, Health and Family Welfare Department, dated:28.08.2007 and send the list of selected candidates to the Director of Public Health and Preventive Medicine for pursuing further action.

12. This order issues with the concurrence of Personnel and Administrative Reforms Department vide its U.O.No.2333/C1/2016, dated:29.01.2016.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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