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No.AN/SAS/16100/SAS/Prelim/July/2012 Office of the CGDA, Ulan Batar Road Palam , Delhi Cantt – 110 010 Dated the 22nd June, 2012

To

All the PCsDA/CsDA,

The Pr. Controller of Accounts(Fys), Kolkata and

All Controller of Finance and Accounts (Fys)/Chief Internal Auditor

All Pr. IFAs/IFAs

Subject:

Preliminary Examination, July, 2012 for admission to SAS Part-I

Examination (Extension of date).

Reference:

HQrs. Office circular of even No dated 1 st June 2012.

In continuation to HQrs office circular cited under reference regarding holding of preliminary examination on 31st July 2012, it is stated that a proposal for reducing the criteria of qualifying marks from 60% to 50% for the Preliminary Examination(Test) was mooted to MoD(Finance). MoD(Finance) vide their letter No F.26(1)/C/2007 dated 14.6.2012 have accorded approval to amend the relevant part of Rule 16 of SAS Rule, 2007 as under:

"A candidate will be declared to have passed the Preliminary Test if he secures not less than 50% marks in each paper."

2. In view of the modification of SAS Rule 16, the minimum qualifying pass marks for forthcoming Preliminary Examination (Test) for General category candidates and SC/ST candidates fixed by Competent authority is as under :-

Category of candidates	in Paper-I	Pass Marks in Paper-II (Out of` 100)	Remarks
General category	50_	50	
SC/ST category	45	45	Under relaxed standard in terms of Rule 23 of SAS Rule

3. Consequent upon reduction in qualifying criteria for Preliminary Examination (Test), more number of candidates are expected to appear. Accordingly, it has further been decided by the Competent Authority to reschedule the Preliminary Examination (Test) on **21**st **August 2012**. The Preliminary Examination shall now be conducted as per following schedule/programme:-

SCHEDULE/PROGRAMME

(A) PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION, August, 2012

DAY/DATE	PAPER	SUBJECT	
	PAPER-1	General Principles and Procedure of Accounts and Audit (including General Organisation of Armed Forces)	
TUESDAY 21.08.2012 1000 Hrs to 1230 Hrs		Maximum Marks — 100 Pass Marks 50 (for Gen candidates) 45 (for SC/ST candidates) Time allowed 2½ Hours Candidates are required to answer 100 questions each carrying 1 (one) mark.	

TUESDAY 21.08.2012 1430 Hrs to 1700 Hrs	PAPER-2	Codes, Manuals and Regulations concerning Army, Air Force, Navy & Factory Maximum Marks — 100 Pass Marks — 50 (for Gen candidates) 45 (for SC/ST candidates) Time allowed 2½ Hours		
		PART-'A' Section-I (Common to all)	Candidates are to answer 50 questions each carrying 1 (one) mark.	
		PART-'B' (Optional) Section-II – Army Section-III – Air Force Section-IV – Navy Section-V - Factory	Candidates may choose any one from Section-II to V irrespective of the organization in which they are serving. Candidates are to answer 50 questions each carrying 1(one) mark.	

- Further, due to rescheduling of the Preliminary Examination(Test), the last date for submission of the name of intending candidates has also been extended .The list of the eligible candidates may be prepared Centre-wise strictly according to the proforma enclosed vide HQrs office circular of even No dater. 1.06.2012 and dispatched by name to Shri J.K.Tharmatt, IDAS, Assistant CGDA (Admin) latest by 10th July, 2012 (Tuesday) positively. It is reiterated that all efforts should, be made to adhere to this date to enable us to hold the examination as per the time schedule and necessary action be initiated on top priority based on hoisting of the circular on CGDAs website.
- This may be widely circulated to all sections of Main Office and Sub-offices and be kept prominently on the NOTICE BOARD.

6. Receipt of this communication may be acknowledged.

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