

F. No. 6/2(1)/2017-AIS
Union Public Service Commission
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Dated: 6th November, 2017

To,
The Chief Secretary,
Govt. of Assam,
Dispur.

[Kind Attn: Shri Tapan Ch. Sarma, Secretary, Personnel Department]

Sub: Selection Committee Meeting for selection of Non-SCS officers for appointment to IAS of Assam-Meghalaya Joint Cadre (Assam Segment) for the Select List of 2016- Intimation of Date, Time and Venue-reg.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the above mentioned subject and to say that the Selection Committee Meeting for selection of Non-SCS officers for appointment to IAS of Assam-Meghalaya Joint Cadre (Assam Segment) for the Select List of 2016 is scheduled to be held on **21th December, 2017 (Thursday) at 10:30 AM at office of UPSC in New Delhi.**

2. All the members of the Selection Committee may kindly be informed of the date, time and venue of the aforesaid Selection Committee Meeting with a request to make it convenient to attend the same.

3. The Non-SCS officers in the zone of consideration may also be informed of the date, time and venue atleast prior to 15 days of the said meeting so that they may attend the interview in the Commission's office, New Delhi. The Candidates may also be advised to go through the indicative syllabus for interview which was circulated to all Chief Secretaires, of State Governments vide Commission's letter dated 27.03.2017 and they should also keep checking the UPSC website for notice of the Selection committee Meeting/Interview (Commission's website: www.upsc.gov.in).

Yours faithfully,


06/11/2017

(Shankar Lal)

Under Secretary (AIS)

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Copy to: -

The Secretary to Govt. of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions, Department of Personnel and Training, North Block, New Delhi (**Kind Attn: Shri Pankaj Gangwar, Under Secretary**) - with request to nominate two officers not below the rank of Joint Secretary to Govt. of India for the aforesaid SCM, alongwith a copy of the indicative syllabus with request to make it convenient to attend the same.

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Subject: List of the candidates called for interview for the selection of Non- State Civil Service officers to the IAS of Assam Segment of Assam-Meghalaya Joint Cadre. Selection Committee Meeting is scheduled to be held on 21.12.2017 at 10:30 A.M at the office of Union Public Service Commission, in New Delhi- reg.

S. NO.	Name (S/Smt./Shri)
1.	Arunima Choudhury
2.	Binod Kr. Agarwala
3.	Dr. Deepi Rekha Kouli
4.	Ghana Pegu
5.	Hemanta Kr. Dewri
6.	Manjula Saikia Bhuyan
7.	Rajib Kr. Saikia
8.	Rakesh Agarwala
9.	Dr. Runu Dutta
10.	Simanta Talukdar

Indicative syllabus regarding personal interview for selection of Non-SCS officers for appointment to the IAS.

1. Good knowledge of history, culture and geography of the State in which the candidate is already working.
2. A broad awareness of India's historical background for the evolution of its diverse and multi-cultural society, its composite culture and its rich heritage; India's struggle for freedom and the emergence of the Republic of India.
3. A broad perspective of Indian political system, concepts of parliamentary democracy, cabinet form of government, unitary vs. federal systems of government, rule of law, rights, judicial review etc.; characteristics of Indian Constitution, Indian federalism, Centre-State relations, regional disparities, regional identities and conflicts.
4. Basic knowledge of India's economy, economic inequalities and social disparities. India's developmental issues and goals. India's internal and external trade. India's monetary and fiscal policies. The role, responsibility and strategy formulation of Governments (Centre and States) in social and economic development and in improving the Human Development Indices. Emerging trends and issues in India's internal trade, taxation, economy and financial management. Digitalization of financial system, reduction of corruption and promotion of financial inclusion.
5. Emerging trends in governance, good governance practices, e-governance, use of information technology and communication technology in government business, role and impact of social media in governance, citizens' charter, transparency in governance

including policies and initiatives of the government in furtherance of this objective viz., RTI Lokpal etc., quality of service delivery, Policies and initiatives of the government for inclusive growth & women's empowerment, disaster management, utilization of public funds and such other knowledge of governance which a civil service officer is expected to possess.

6. Awareness of India's human capital, India's demographic profile, India's policies and programmes to take advantage of 'Demographic Dividend'.
7. Fundamental awareness of India's ecology and environment, India's vulnerability to 'Global Warming and Climate Change', India's preparedness, policies and programmes for adaptation to the impending hazards and dangers of global warming and climate change etc. Ecological assessment of developmental projects, integration of environmental costs in budgets and development programmes. Emerging issues and developments in Ecology and Environment at national and international level.
8. Fundamental awareness of India's natural resource base including biodiversity. The concepts of judicious and sustainable use of natural resources. The role, responsibility, plans, policies and programmes of the Governments (Centre and States) in the conservation of natural resources including Genetic Resources.
9. Concept of sustainable development, awareness of emerging issues and trends in this regard. India's preparedness and programmes to achieve "Sustainable Development Goals".

10. Awareness of India's scientific and technological power and progress, developing a high-tech, knowledge-based economy; and visualizing India as an advanced country.

11. A broad awareness of developments in international arena. Emerging trends in geopolitics, economy, regional rivalries and conflicts. United Nations and various associations and groupings like ASEAN, BRICS, G4, G20, BIMSTEC, SCO etc., and important and influential international voluntary organizations. India as an emerging economic and regional power, India's strategic interests and core concerns. India's bilateral and multilateral relations including trade relations. An awareness of emerging trends and developments in global economy and their impact on India; the phenomenon of globalization, India's integration in globalization, consequences of globalization, etc. and such other aspects of knowledge of global politics and economy which a civil service officer is expected to possess.

{Vide Commission's decision dated 17 March, 2017}

(Kumar Vaibhav Gaur)
Joint Secretary (AIS)