

FROM

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TO

SECRETARY,  
HARYANA STAFF SELECTION COMMISSION  
PANCHKULA.

MEMO NO. KW 8/1-2016 CO (1)  
DATED PANCHKULA, THE 20.09.2016

SUBJECT: CLARIFICATION REGARDING QUALIFICATION FOR THE POST  
OF TGT ENGLISH, AGAINST ADVT. NO. 9/2015.

Reference to your memo No. 1/4-2015-IRI/4656 dated  
19.09.2016 on the subject cited above.

The Requisite Clarification is given below:-

SN	Query	Clarification
1	Whether the candidates not having B.A. English as Elective Subject and having M.A. English are eligible for the post of TGT English, against Advt. No. 9/2015 in view of Government instruction No. 10/4-2015-3GS-III, dated 25 <sup>th</sup> March, 2016.	<p>The Chief Secretary Haryana vide instructions No. 10/4-2015-3GS-III, dated 25<sup>th</sup> March, 2016 has referred to the earlier instructions issued vide letter No. 34/93/78-5-GS-I dated 16.06.1979 and has observed that the provisions of these instructions are not being followed in an appropriate manner while sending the requisition to the HSSC/HPSC for the posts in question.</p> <p>The C.S. Haryana vide instructions dated 25.03.2016 has intimated that after due consideration, it has again been decided that if a candidate possesses higher qualifications in the same line as prescribed in the minimum qualifications applicable to a particular post, then he should be considered as eligible for that post. It is, therefore, directed that the provision, that if a candidate possesses higher qualifications in the same line as prescribed in the minimum qualifications applicable to a particular post then he should be considered as eligible for that post. It has been further directed that the provision, that if a candidate possesses higher qualification in the same line as prescribed in the minimum qualification applicable to a particular post, then he should be considered as eligible for that post, be inserted in the service rules, then it should be clarified in the requisitions being sent to HSSC/HPSC.</p> <p>In view of the clear cut directions of</p>

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		<p>the Chief Secretary Haryana dated 25.03.2016, these instructions apply to the Education Department also, hence, these may be complied with in letter and spirit.</p>
2	<p>Whether the candidates having B.A. English as Compulsory Subject prior to 2011-2012 Session are eligible in view of clarification given by MD University, Rohtak. (The MDU, Rohtak, vide letter No. ACS-III/F-7/2015/23794, dated 01.09.2016 has clarified that the compulsory English is equivalent to elective English prior to 2011-12 Session).</p>	<p>The Maharishi Dayanand University Rohtak vide their Memo No. ACS-III/F-7/2015/23794 dated 01.09.2015 has intimated that in terms of decision taken by the Academic Council of the University vide resolution No. 8 of its meeting held on 11.07.2011, it is certified that English (Compulsory) is equivalent to English (Elective) for all purposes for these students who have passed Bachelor of Arts part-I, II &amp; III from M.D. University, Rohtak prior to 2011-12 session. Further on the basis of the comments of Head, Department of English and Foreign Languages, MD University, Rohtak both Literature and Language are taught in the subject of English (Compulsory) in B.A. with emphasis on English Literature.</p> <p>This certificate of the University expressly states that when there is equivalence between the compulsory and the Elective English Subjects in B.A., then it may be considered good for all practical purposes. This reasoning of the university seems to be based on the premise that if two subjects are equivalent then there is no need to run an additional subject because the additional subject would not enrich a student further.</p> <p>As the M.D. University has treated its <i>Elective Subject</i> of English in B.A. as equivalent to the <i>compulsory subject</i> of English in B.A. of the same university then the requirement of Elective Subject as prescribed in the service rules of 2012 be treated as met. But this applies to the M.D. University only and that too for those degrees which had been awarded prior to 2011-12 session.</p>
3	<p>Whether the candidates having B.A. with Additional English, Functional English, English Literature, Optional English and B.A. Honors in English are eligible or not.</p>	<p>These nomenclatures of the English Subject in B.A. as under:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Additional English.</li> <li>2. Optional English</li> <li>3. Functional English.</li> <li>4. English Literature.</li> <li>5. A Graduation in English Subject only i.e. B.A. honors in English</li> </ol> <p>seem to be the different styles of denoting the Elective word with Additional, Optional etc. words. Further, a B.A. in Honors itself indicates professionalism of highest degree which the department is having in view to be introduced in the teaching faculty to be</p>

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		<p>engaged in future.</p> <p>Hence, if the universities which have issued such degrees certify that this kind of nomenclature does encompass the level of an Elective Subject in English in B.A., then these nomenclatures can be considered good for the purposes of the Service Rule 2012, insofar as the requirement of Elective Subject is concerned. Further, the B.A. Honors with English itself is a hallmark of professionalism in English, so it may also be considered as good qualification containing in it the requirement of Elective Subject also.</p> <p>But it is notable that <i>Functional English</i> as the name suggests concerns with the study of only drafting and business correspondence. So <i>Functional English</i> cannot be treated as substitute for the <i>Elective Subject</i> of English in B.A.</p> <p>Hence, we may consider B.A. with Additional English, English Literature, Optional English and B.A. Honors in English as fulfilling the requirement of the Service Rules 2012 accordingly such candidates be treated as eligible for the Post of TGT English.</p>
4	<p>The separate cadre for TGT English and Social Study was notified in 2012 vide Haryana School Education (Group C) State Cadre Service Rules, 2012 and before 2012 BSEH Bhiwani did not conduct HTET for English and conduct for S.S. only. In view of this, you are requested to clarify whether the candidates having HTET/STET of Social Studies prior to these Service Rules are eligible or not.</p>	<p>The Haryana School Education (Group C) State Cadre Service Rules, 2012 and Mewat District School Education (Group C) State Cadre Service Rules, 2012 were notified on 11.04.2012 and in these rules the post of TGT English has been created for the first time. Earlier the English Subject, was being taught by the Social Studies Masters. The Haryana Teacher Eligibility Test (HTET) is being conducted by the Board of School Education Haryana Bhiwani subject wise separately. After the notification of Service Rules and creation of the post of TGT English the HTET has been conducted twice and sufficient opportunity was available to the candidates to appear and pass the same. Mentioning of HTET against each category of teachers necessarily implies that the HTET in that particular subject is required. If we derive any fictional meaning that any HTET is applicable to any subject because relevant subject is not mentioned in the service rule an anarchic situation would crop up rendering the whole edifice of rules completely meaningless and purposeless.</p> <p>Hence, only those candidates who have passed HTET/STET in the relevant subject/post for which they have applied</p>

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5	<p>According to HTET notification 2014-15, page 18, Important- Note the content and structure of Level-2 is strictly in accordance of the policy laid down by the National Council for Teacher Education. As mentioned above, Section-(iv) is divided into two parts i.e. (a) for Math &amp; Science teachers and (b) for Social Studies teacher. However, these two parts (a) or (b) of section (iv) will be optional for Hindi/English/ Sanskrit/ Panjabi/ Urdu /Home Science/Physical Education Teacher (DPE) / Music /Art teachers and, therefore every candidate appearing for Level-2 for these subjects will have to fill up their option in the application form to be submitted online. Similarly every candidate of Level-2 will have to offer his/her choice of language of attempting 30 questions relating to section (iii), while submitted online application. In view of this, you are requested to clarify whether the candidates having HTET other than English are eligible or not.</p>	<p>and are having the academic qualifications as per service rules 2012 be considered for relevant subject posts.</p> <p>The main explanation with regard to this query has been given against point 4 above.</p> <p>Hence, only those candidates who have passed HTET/STET in the relevant subject/post for which they have applied and are having the academic qualifications as per service rules 2012 be considered for relevant subject posts.</p>
6	<p>In Haryana School Education (Group-C) State Cadre Service Rules, 2012, it was nowhere mentioned that the candidates should have passed HTET/STET of relevant subject. Therefore, you are requested to clarify whether the candidates not having HTET/STET of relevant subject or passed HTET/STET other than the relevant subject are eligible or not.</p>	<p>Mentioning of HTET against each category of teachers necessarily implies that the HTET in that particular subject is required. If we derive any fictional meaning that any HTET is applicable to any subject because relevant subject is not mentioned in the service rule, then an anarchic situation would crop up rendering the whole edifice of rules completely meaningless and purposeless.</p> <p>Hence, only those candidates who have passed HTET/STET in the relevant subject/post for which they have applied and are having the academic qualifications as per service rules 2012 be considered for relevant subject posts.</p>

21/09/16

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TO

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MEMO NO. KW 8/1-2016 CO (1)  
DATED PANCHKULA, THE 27.09.2016.

SUBJECT: CLARIFICATION REGARDING QUALIFICATION FOR THE POST  
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In continuation of this office memo No. KW 8/1-2016 CO (1) dated  
21.09.2016 on the subject cited above.

In the meeting held on 27.09.2016, the Chairman, Haryana Staff  
Selection Commission has sought some clarification on the issue of recruitment  
qualification of TGT English. The issue-wise clarification is given as under:-

SN	Issue	Clarification
1	Whether the commission can consider compulsory English as equivalent to optional English in case of Universities which have given a certificate to this effect?	Yes, the commission can consider compulsory English as equivalent to optional English in case of Universities which have given a certificate to this effect.
2	Whether S.S. Teacher candidates who passed HTET before the Service Rules were notified in 2012 should be considered eligible?	Yes, those candidates who have passed the HTET for the Social Studies and English Subject before notification of Service Rules, 2012 may be considered eligible.

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