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**6.2 Economically Weaker Section:** (i) District Magistrate/Additional District Magistrate/ Collector/ Deputy Commissioner/Additional Deputy Commissioner/1st Class Stipendiary Magistrate/ Sub-Divisional Magistrate/ Taluka Magistrate/ Executive Magistrate/ Extra Assistant Commissioner, (ii) Chief Presidency Magistrate/ Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/ Presidency Magistrate, (iii) Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar and (iv) Sub-Divisional Officer or the area where the candidate and/or his family normally resides.

**6.3 For Persons with Benchmark Disabilities:** Authorised certifying authority will be the Medical Board at the District level consisting of Chief Medical Officer, Sub-Divisional Medical Officer in the District and an Orthopaedic / Ophthalmic / ENT Surgeon or any person designated as certifying authority by appropriate government. Candidates belonging to SC, ST, OBC, EWS, PWBD categories have to submit certificates in support of it at the time of interview. In terms of GOI DFS Notification No.3/4/2020-Welfare (Part-I) dated 25/05/2023, persons with temporary disability shall not have the benefit of reservation of PwBDs (Person with Benchmark Disabilities) in Direct Recruitment.

## **7. HOW TO APPLY:-**

**Candidates can apply only online from 18.11.2024 to 03.12.2024** and no other mode of application will be accepted.

### **7.1 Pre-Requisites for Applying Online**

Before applying online, candidates should:

- (i) Scan their photograph and signature ensuring that both the photograph and signature adhere to the required specifications as per this Advertisement.
- (ii) Keep the necessary details/documents for Online Payment of the requisite application fee/ intimation charges ready.
- (iii) Have a valid personal email ID, which should be kept active till the completion of this Recruitment Process. Bank may send call letters for the Examination etc. through the registered e-mail ID. Under no circumstances, a candidate should share with/mention e-mail ID to / of any other person. In case a candidate does not have a valid personal e-mail ID, he/she should create his/her new e-mail ID before applying on-line and must maintain that email account. Till the conclusion of the process every communication given in the above said mail id will be construed as valid and binding.

Bank Transaction charges for Online Payment of application fees/ intimation charges will have to be borne by the candidate.

### **Procedure for applying online:**

- (1) Candidates are first required to go to the Bank's website and click the option "CLICK HERE TO APPLY ONLINE" to open the On-Line Application Form. The link for online application is as under:-  
<https://ibpsonline.ibps.in/cbimoct24/>
- (2) To register their application candidates will be entering their basic information in the online application form. After that a provisional registration number and password will be generated by the system and displayed on the screen. Candidate should note down the Provisional registration number and password. An Email & SMS indicating the Provisional Registration number and Password will also be sent in the specified e-mail id & mobile numbers. They can reopen the saved data using Provisional registration number and password and edit the particulars, if needed.

- (3) Candidates are required to upload their photograph and signature as per the specifications given in the Guidelines given hereunder for Scanning and Upload of Photograph and Signature.

Candidates are advised to carefully fill in the online application themselves as no change in any of the data filled in the online application will be possible/ entertained.

Prior to submission of the online application candidates are advised to use the “SAVE AND NEXT” facility to verify the details in the online application form and modify the same if required. No change is permitted after clicking on “COMPLETE REGISTRATION” Button. Visually Impaired candidates are responsible for carefully verifying/ getting the details filled in, in the online application form properly verified and ensuring that the same are correct prior to submission as no change is possible after submission.

## **7.2 Mode of Payment**

Candidates have to make the payment of requisite fees/ intimation charges through ONLINE mode only:

(i) Candidates should fill in the details in the On-Line Application at the appropriate places very carefully and click on the “COMPLETE REGISTRATION” button at the end of the On-Line Application format. Before pressing the “COMPLETE REGISTRATION” button, candidates are advised to verify every field filled in the application. The name of the candidate or his /her father/husband etc. should be spelt correctly in the application as it appears in the certificates/mark sheets. Any change/alteration found may disqualify the candidature.

In case the candidate is unable to fill in the application form in one go, he/ she can prefer to save the data already entered. Once the application is filled in completely, candidate should finally submit the data.

(ii) The application form is integrated with the payment gateway and the payment process can be completed by following the instructions.

(iii) The payment can be made by using Debit Cards (RuPay/Visa/MasterCard/Maestro), Credit Cards, Internet Banking, IMPS, Cash Cards/ Mobile Wallets by providing information as asked on the screen.

(iv) After COMPLETE REGISTRATION, an additional page of the application form is displayed wherein candidates may follow the instructions and fill in the requisite details.

(v) If the online transaction has not been successfully completed then candidates are advised to login again with their provisional registration number and password and pay the Application Fees/ Intimation Charges online.

(vi) On successful completion of the transaction, an e-receipt will be generated.

(vii) Candidates are required to take a printout of the e-receipt and online application form. Please note that if the same cannot be generated online transaction may not have been successful.

### **Note:**

- After submitting your payment information in the online application form, please wait for the intimation from the server, DO NOT press back or Refresh button in order to avoid double charge.
- For Credit Card users: All charges are listed in Indian Rupee. If you use a non-Indian credit card, your bank will convert to your local currency based on prevailing exchange rates.
- To ensure the security of your data, please close the browser window once your transaction is completed.
- After completing the procedure of applying on-line including payment of fees, the candidate should take a printout of the system generated on-line application form, ensure the particulars filled in are accurate and retain it along with Registration Number and Password for future reference. Candidate should not send this printout to the Bank.

- Please note that all the particulars mentioned in the online application including Name of the Candidate, Category, Date of Birth, and Post Applied for, Eligibility Criteria/ Qualification, Address, Mobile Number, Email ID, Centre of Examination etc. will be considered as final and no change/modifications will be allowed after submission of the online application form.
- Candidates are hence requested to fill in the online application form with the utmost care as no correspondence regarding change of details will be entertained. Bank will not be responsible for any consequences arising out of furnishing of incorrect and incomplete details in the application or omission to provide the required details in the application form.
- An email/ SMS intimation with the Registration Number and Password generated on successful registration of the application will be sent to the candidate's email ID/ Mobile Number specified in the online application form as a system generated acknowledgement. If candidates do not receive the email and SMS intimations at the email ID/ Mobile number specified by them, they may consider that their online application has not been successfully registered.
- An online application which is incomplete in any respect such as without photograph and signature uploaded in the online application form/ unsuccessful fee payment will not be considered as valid.
- Candidates are advised in their own interest to apply on-line much before the closing date and not to wait till the last date for depositing the fee to avoid the possibility of disconnection/ inability/ failure to log onto the Bank's website on account of heavy load on internet/website jam.
- Bank does not assume any responsibility for the candidates not being able to submit their applications within the last date on account of the aforesaid reasons or for any other reason beyond the control of the Bank.

Please note that the above procedure is the only valid procedure for applying. No other mode of application or incomplete steps would be accepted and such applications would be construed as rejected. Any information submitted by an applicant in his/ her application shall be binding on the candidate personally and he/she shall be liable for prosecution/ civil consequences in case the information/ details furnished by him/her is found to be false/ incorrect at a later stage.

### **7.3 GUIDELINES FOR SCANNING THE PHOTOGRAPH, SIGNATURE AND MARKSHEET OF GRDUATION.**

Before applying online, a candidate will be required to have a scanned (digital) image of his/her photograph, signature, left thumb impression and the hand written declaration as per the specifications given below.

- i) **Photograph Image: (4.5cm × 3.5cm)**
  - Photograph must be a recent passport style colour picture.
  - Make sure that the picture is in colour, taken against a light-coloured, preferably white, background.
  - Look straight at the camera with a relaxed face
  - If the picture is taken on a sunny day, have the sun behind you, or place yourself in the shade, so that you are not squinting and there are no harsh shadows
  - If you have to use flash, ensure there's no "red-eye"
  - If you wear glasses make sure that there are no reflections and your eyes can be clearly seen.
  - Caps, hats and dark glasses are not acceptable. Religious headwear is allowed but it must not cover your face.
  - Dimensions 200 x 230 pixels (preferred)
  - Size of file should be between 20kb–50 kb

- Ensure that the size of the scanned image is not more than 50kb. If the size of the file is more than 50 kb, then adjust the settings of the scanner such as the DPI resolution, no. of colours etc., during the process of scanning.

**ii) Signature:**

- The applicant has to sign on white paper with Black Ink pen.
  - Dimensions 140 x 60 pixels (preferred)
  - Size of file should be between 10kb – 20kb
  - Ensure that the size of the scanned image is not more than 20kb

**iii) Left thumb impression:**

- The applicant has to put his left thumb impression on a white paper with black or blue ink.
  - File type: jpg / jpeg
  - Dimensions: 240 x 240 pixels in 200 DPI (Preferred for required quality) i.e 3 cm \* 3 cm (Width \* Height)
  - File Size: 20 KB – 50 KB

**iv) Hand-written declaration Image:**

- The applicant has to write the declaration in English only clearly on a white paper with black ink.
  - File type: jpg / jpeg
  - Dimensions: 800 x 400 pixels in 200 DPI (Preferred for required quality) i.e 10 cm \* 5 cm (Width \* Height)
  - File Size: 50 KB – 100 KB
- The signature, left thumb impression and the hand written declaration should be of the applicant and not by any other person.
- If the Applicant's signature on the attendance sheet or Call letter, signed at the time of the examination, does not match the signature uploaded, the applicant will be disqualified.

**Note:**

- Signature / Hand written declaration in CAPITAL LETTERS shall NOT be accepted.
- Ensure that Photo, Signature, Thumb impression and Hand written declaration are uploaded at the specified spaces only in the online application form.

**Procedure for scanning the documents:**

- Set the scanner resolution to a minimum of 200 dpi (dots per inch)
- Set Colour to True Colour
- File Size as specified above
- Crop the image in the scanner to the edge of the photograph/signature/ left thumb impression / hand written declaration, then use the upload editor to crop the image to the final size (as specified above).
- The image file should be JPG or JPEG format. An example file name is: image01.jpg or image01.jpeg. Image dimensions can be checked by listing the folder files or moving the mouse over the file image icon.
- Candidates using MS Windows/MsOffice can easily obtain documents in .jpeg format by using MS Paint or MsOffice Picture Manager. Scanned documents in any format can be saved in .jpg / .jpeg format by using 'Save As' option in the File menu. Size can be adjusted by using crop and then resize option.

## Procedure for uploading the documents

- While filling in the Online Application Form the candidate will be provided with separate links for uploading Photograph, signature, left thumb impression and hand written declaration
- Click on the respective link “Upload Photograph / signature / Upload left thumb impression / hand written declaration”
- Browse and Select the location where the Scanned Photograph / signature / left thumb impression / hand written declaration file has been saved.
- Select the file by clicking on it
- Click the ‘Open/Upload’
- If the file size and format are not as prescribed, an error message will be displayed.
- Preview of the uploaded image will help to see the quality of the image. In case of unclear / smudged, the same may be re-uploaded to the expected clarity /quality.

**Online Application will not be registered unless candidate uploads his/her Photograph, signature, left thumb impression and hand written declaration as specified.**

### Note:

- (1) In case the face in the photograph or signature or left thumb impression or the hand written declaration is unclear / smudged the candidate’s application may be rejected.
- (2) After uploading the Photograph / signature / left thumb impression / hand written declaration in the online application form candidates should check that the images are clear and have been uploaded correctly. In case the photograph or signature or left thumb impression or the hand written declaration is not prominently visible, the candidate may edit his/ her application and re-upload his/ her photograph or signature or left thumb impression or the hand written declaration, prior to submitting the form.
- (3) Candidate should also ensure that photo is uploaded at the place of photo and signature at the place of signature. If photo in place of photo and signature in place of signature is not uploaded properly, candidate will not be allowed to appear for the exam.
- (4) Candidate must ensure that Photo to be uploaded is of required size and the face should be clearly visible.
- (5) Candidates should ensure that the signature uploaded is clearly visible.
- (6) The left thumb impression should be properly scanned and not smudged. (If a candidate is not having left thumb, he/she may use his/ her right thumb for applying.)
- (7) The text for the hand written declaration is as follows –

*“I, \_\_\_\_\_ (Name of the candidate), hereby declare that all the information submitted by me in the application form is correct, true and valid. I will present the supporting documents as and when required.”*

- (8) The above mentioned hand written declaration has to be in the candidate’s hand writing and in English only. If it is written and uploaded by anybody else or in any other language, the application will be considered as invalid. (In the case of Visually Impaired candidates who cannot write may get the text of declaration typed and put their left hand thumb impression below the typed declaration and upload the document as per specifications).
- (9) After registering online, candidates are advised to take a printout of their system generated online application forms.

## 8. CALL LETTERS FOR THE ON-LINE TEST

**The date of the On-line Test is TENTATIVELY FIXED as 14.12.2024. However, it will be intimated in the Call Letter along with the Centre/Venue for the Examination, well in advance of the date of the Online Examination.**

### 1) PROCEDURE FOR OBTAINING CALL LETTERS FOR ATTENDING ONLINE TEST:

All eligible candidates will be required to download their call letter for on-line examination and the Information Handout from the Bank’s website. Date of commencement of downloading interview call letters for all the posts