



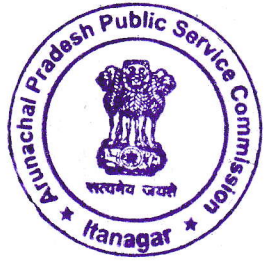
**ARUNACHAL PRADESH
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
ITANAGAR**

No. PSC/ESTT-01/2015

Dated: Itanagar, the 24th July, 2025


PRESS NOTE

- The advertisement for APPSCCE-2024 was notified on 10th October, 2024 by the APPSC. The advertisement clearly mentioned that the candidate applying for the post of Dy.SP (APPS) has to conform to the physical standards prescribed in the Arunachal Pradesh Police Service (Amendment) Rules, 2022.
- The Principal Recruitment Rules of Arunachal Pradesh Police Service Rules, 1989 prescribes Obstacle Crossings as one of the events of Physical Efficiency Test (PET) which has been followed in all earlier APPSCC Examinations. The Arunachal Pradesh Police Service (Amendment) Rules, 2022 amended these qualifying conditions of the Physical Efficiency Test.
- The result of the PET and Physical Standard Test (PST) conducted on 18th and 19th July, 2025 was declared **strictly** as per the amended rules in place i.e. the Arunachal Pradesh Police Service (Amendment) Rules, 2022.
- An interpretation with respect to the relaxation in the obstacle crossing in Arunachal Pradesh Police Service (Amendment) Rules, 2022 was rectified after clarification from the Home Department and the same was implemented vide notification dated 19th July, 2025.
- It is pertinent to mention that **NO RULES** have been changed in the middle of the examination and the result has been declared in conformity with the existing rules as notified by the APPS (Amendment) Rules, 2022 which had already been notified in the advertisement. However, the notification dated 9th July, 2025 was rectified after clarification from the Home department, GoAP to ensure correct implementation and accurate declaration of the result as per the **rules in force**.
- Since the PET/PST had already been scheduled and any postponement would result in delay of the entire exam cycle, therefore the PET/PST was conducted as per notification dated 9th July, 2025 and the result was declared as per the clarification and existing rules only.
- The Commission has thrived to carry out the PET and PST in the most transparent manner with the entire exam and results prepared digitally and under videography for



the first time. All the qualifying exams of PET and PST have been carried out using RFID and digital technology to ensure no human interference in recording of tests data and timings. Since the commission wanted to adopt the digital methods of testing and ensure maximum transparency, the third party required some extra time to transport and set up the equipment in Arunachal Pradesh. This is the sole reason for postponement of PET/ PST from 15th and 16th July to 18th and 19th July, 2025 so that quality and transparency of examination is not compromised.

- As per the APPSC Manual for Conduct of Examination -2024 the result of all the stages of the examinations including the PET/PST will be declared once all the stages of APPSCCE-2024 examination are completed.
- The spread of unverified and misinformation in social media is not only undermining the functioning of the Commission, which is conducting the examination with utmost transparency and fairness to ensure candidates are selected solely on merit, but is also discouraging for all the candidates who have qualified for the viva voce and PET/PST on their own merit. Therefore, the Commission appeals that spread of such unverified misinformation should be avoided.


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