

**INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATES FOR PHYSICAL TEST / WALKOVER TEST FOR THE POSTS OF RANGE FOREST OFFICER (RFO), CLASS-II (GAZETTED) ON CONTRACT BASIS (IN THE DEPARTMENT OF FORESTS H.P.)**

**Instructions to the candidates who have qualified the (Main) Written Examination-2021 held for the posts of Range Forest officer (RFO) in the Department of Forests, H.P. Advertised vide Advertisement No.7-I/3-2021 & 7-II/3-2021 dated 23-03-2021 and required to appear for Physical Test and Walkover Test fixed for 01-06-2022 at 9:30 AM onwards.**

**Note:-1. The candidates must read and strictly follow SOP regarding conduct of examination / test to contain the spread of COVID-19 Pandemic. The SOP is available on the website of the Commission. The candidates are advised to bring water, Sanitizer in transparent bottles and wear masks etc. to contain the spread of Covid-19. The candidates are advised to maintain social distancing and avoid crowding at the time Physical Test / Walkover Test.**

You have been provisionally admitted for Physical/Walkover Tests after having qualified Main Written Examination-2021 held for recruitment to the posts of Range Forest officer (RFO) Class-II (Gazetted) on contract basis (in the Department of Forests, H.P.) for subject to fulfillment of the following conditions:-

(a) You should be 21 to 31 years of age as on 01-01-2021 which is relaxable up to 42 years for Government Servant. Relaxation in upper age is five years for SC /ST/ OBC categories and for Ex. Servicemen of H.P. is as per Govt. instructions.

(a) You must possess at least Bachelor's degree (or equivalent) in Science or Engineering of any recognized University or its equivalent with at least one of the following subject:-

(i) Agriculture (ii) Botany (iii) Chemistry (iv) Computer Applications / Science. (v) Engineering (Agricultural / Chemical / Civil / Computer / Electrical / Electronics / Mechanical) (vi) Environmental Science (vii) Forestry (viii) Geology (ix) Horticulture (x) Mathematics (xi) Physics (xii) Statistics (xiii) Veterinary Science (xiv) Zoology

**. (ii) Physical Standard:-**

<b><u>For Male Candidates</u></b>	<b><u>For Female Candidates</u></b>
<b>Height:-163 Cms.</b>	<b>Height:-150 Cms.</b>
<b>Chest: 79 Cms. without expansion &amp; 84 Cms. with expansion.</b>	<b>Chest: 74 Cms without expansion &amp; 79 Cms with expansion.</b>
<b>Capacity to walk: 25 Kms in 04 hours.</b>	<b>Capacity to walk: 16 Kms in 04 hours.</b>

The minimum height standards in the case of candidates belonging to Scheduled Tribes and to races such as Assamese, Garhwalis, Kumoanis, Ladakhes, Mizo, Naga, Sikkimes and those from Arunachal Pradesh, Lahaul & Spiti and Meghalaya shall be as under:-

Male candidate = 152 Cms.

Female candidate = 145 Cms.

In case you fulfill the above conditions, you are advised to appear before the Medical Board in the Office of the Himachal Pradesh Public Service Commission, Nigam Vihar, Shimla-171002 on the date, time and venue mentioned in Press Note along with one copy of your latest attested/ self attested passport size photograph for walkover test slip to be issued at the time of said test. If you qualify the Physical Test you will be put to Walkover Test on same day which will be conducted at forest catchment route Dhalli Shimla, H.P. In case you do not turn up for the aforesaid Test on the scheduled date, time and venue, your candidature for the posts shall stand cancelled.

**No TA/DA will be paid for appearing in the Physical/ Walkover Tests.**

**NOTE:- CANDIDATES ARE STRICTLY PROHIBITED TO BRING CELLULAR PHONES/ ELECTRONIC GADGETS DURING THE PHYSICAL TEST/ WALKOVER TEST.**

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