

**Himachal Pradesh
Public Service Commission**

No. 14-29/2025-PSC

Dated: 23rd March, 2026

NOTICE

It is for information of all concerned candidates that the provisional answer key in respect of Paper-I for recruitment to the post of **Scientific Officer (Chemistry & Toxicology)**, Group-B (Job Trainee) under the Department of Home, H.P., held on 23rd March, 2026, has been uploaded on official website of the Commission and is available on <https://hppsconline.hp.gov.in/HPPSC/ApplicantRegistration/Home/Login> for inviting objection(s), if any, against the said answer key from the appeared candidates. The candidate(s) can file objection(s) along with supporting documents / references against the provisional answer key through online mode only within a period of 05 (five) days, excluding the day of publishing of provisional answer key, i.e. w.e.f. 24.03.2026 to 28.03.2026. The candidate(s) filing objection(s) shall have to pay a non-refundable fee of ₹ 100/- (Rupees One hundred only) per objected question in online mode only for which the link will appear before final submission of objection(s). No other mode of filing objections and depositing fee shall be entertained. Objection(s) without depositing requisite fee shall not be considered / entertained.

In case of any query, the candidates may contact on telephone No. **0177-2629738, 2624313** and Toll free No. **1800-180-8004**.

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Secretary,
H.P. Public Service Commission

PROVISIONAL ANSWER KEY (PAPER-I)			
Name of the post: Scientific Officer (Chemistry & Toxicology), Group-B (Job Trainee) under the Department of Home, H.P.			
Date of Exam: 23.03.2026 (Time: 11:00 A.M.-12:00 Noon)			
Q. No.	Answer	Q. No.	Answer
1	B	26	B
2	C	27	A
3	A	28	D
4	A	29	D
5	C	30	A
6	C	31	C
7	A	32	B
8	A	33	B
9	D	34	D
10	D	35	C
11	B	36	A
12	B	37	C
13	A	38	C
14	C	39	C
15	B	40	C
16	A	41	B
17	D	42	B
18	B	43	A
19	C	44	C
20	B	45	C
21	A	46	D
22	B	47	C
23	D	48	A
24	A	49	B
25	B	50	C

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