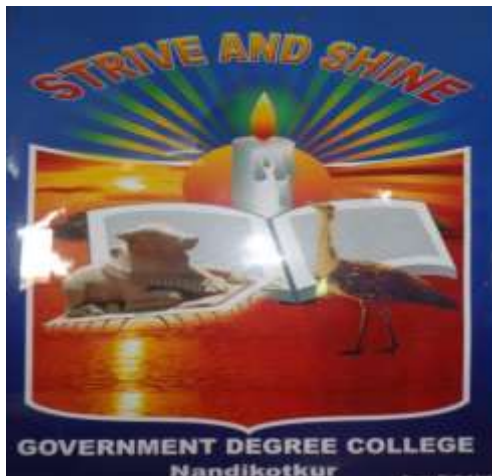


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**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**  
**ABSTRACT**

General Administration Department - Implementation of 10% Reservation to the Economically Weaker Sections (EWS) for initial appointments in the Posts and Services under the State Government - Orders - Issued.

**GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (SERVICES-D) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.MS.No. 66**

**Dated: 14-07-2021.**  
**Read the following:-**

1. The Constitution (One Hundred and Third Amendment) Act, 2019, Dt:12.01.2019 communicated from the Ministry of Law and Justice (Legislative Department), Government of India.
2. Office Memorandum F.No.36039/1/2019-Estt (Res.) Dt:19.01.2019 and Dt.31.01.2019 of the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel and Training), Government of India.
3. Office Memorandum F.No.20013/01/2018-BC-II, Dt:17.01.2019 of the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Department Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India read with Office Memorandum F.No.12-4/2019-U1, Dt: 17.01.2019 of the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Department of Higher Education, Government of India.
4. L.A. Bill No.33 of 2017, Published in Part IV-A Extraordinary, dated 02.12.2017.
5. Lr.No.173/Legn./2017-6, dated:08.01.2018 of Secretary to Legislature (I/C), A.P. addressed to the Secretary to Govt. of India, Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi.
6. Act No.14 of 2019, Dated.20.02.2019 and Act No.15 of 2019, Dated.20.02.2019, published in PART IV-B EXTRAORDINARY, Dated: 20.02.2019.
7. G.O.Ms.No.45 and G.O.Ms.No.46, BCW(F) Dept., Dated: 08.03.2019.
8. W.P.(CIVIL)No. 343 of 2019 with I.A.No.45038/2019 filed by Sri P.V. Ramakrishna and others before the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.
9. W.P. No.4568 of 2019 filed by Dr. GajulaMadhusudana and others before the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh.
- 10.W.P. No.5206 of 2019 filed by Dr. GajulaMadhusudana and others before the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh.
- 11.W.P. No.8556 of 2019 filed by Sri Kalle Chandra Sekhar Sharma and Smt. KalleMitravinda before the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh.
- 12.G.O.Ms.No.60, BC Welfare (F) Department, Dt.27.07.2019.

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**ORDER:**

The Government of India, in the reference first read above, have brought out the Constitution (One Hundred and Third Amendment) Act, 2019 inserting Clause (6) In Article 15 and Clause (6) In Article 16 in the Constitution providing for 10% reservation in admissions into Educational Institutions and appointments in the

- a) The persons who are not covered under existing scheme of reservations for the Scheduled Castes, the Scheduled Tribes and the Socially and Educationally Backward Classes and whose gross annual family income is below Rs.8.00 lakh are to be identified as Economically Weaker Sections (EWS) for the benefit of reservation. Income shall also include income from all sources i.e. salary, agriculture, business, profession, etc. for the financial year prior to the year of application.
- b) The persons whose family owns or possesses any of the following assets shall be excluded from being identified as Economically Weaker Sections (EWS) for the benefit of reservation, irrespective of the family income.
- Five (5) Acres of agricultural land and above.
  - Residential flat of 1000 Sq. Ft. and above.
  - Residential plot of 100 Sq. Yards and above in notified Municipalities / Corporations.
  - Residential plot of 200 Sq. Yards and above in areas other than notified Municipalities / Corporations.

The property held by a "Family" in different locations or different places/cities would be clubbed while applying the land or property holding test to determine EWS status.

The term "Family" for this purpose will include the person who seeks benefit of reservation, his/her parents and siblings below the age of 18 years as also his/her spouse and children below the age of 18 years.

3. Government of Andhra Pradesh vide reference 4<sup>th</sup> cited had enacted a bill to provide for reservation of seats in educational institutions in the State of Andhra Pradesh and of appointments or posts in the services under the State for the Telaga, Ontari and Balija communities including Kapus in BC-F as detailed below:

| (i)   | Backward Classes | - | Percent         | (%)   |
|-------|------------------|---|-----------------|-------|
|       | Group-A          | - | Seven Percent   | (7%)  |
|       | Group-B          | - | Ten Percent     | (10%) |
|       | Group-C          | - | One Percent     | (1%)  |
|       | Group-D          | - | Seven Percent   | (7%)  |
|       | Group-E          | - | Four Percent    | (4%)  |
|       | Group-F (Kapus)  | - | Five Percent    | (5%)  |
| (ii)  | Schedule Castes  | - | Fifteen Percent | (15%) |
| (iii) | Schedule Tribes  | - | Six Percent     | (6%)  |
|       |                  |   | Total           | 55 %  |

4. Further vide reference 5<sup>th</sup> cited, the Secretary to Legislature (I/C), A.P. has sent the bill to the Secretary to Govt. of India, Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi for Assent of the Hon'ble President of India and the same is still pending.

5. After enactment of the Constitution (One Hundred and Third Amendment) Act, 2019, the Government of Andhra Pradesh have enacted two Acts viz., Act No 14 of 2019 and Act No 15 of 2019 bifurcating the 10% EWS reservation

6. In the reference 7<sup>th</sup> read above, the Government issued orders bringing the provisions of the Act 14 of 2019 and Act 15 of 2019 into force with effect from 08.03.2019.
7. Meanwhile, a Writ Petition bearing No. WP (CIVIL) No. 343 of 2019 with I.A.No.45038/2019 has been filed before the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India praying for quashing the Constitution (One Hundred and Third Amendment) Act, 2019 as violative of basic structure of the Constitution and also quashing Act 14 & Act 15 of 2019 enacted by Government of Andhra Pradesh as being violative of Articles 15 (1) & 16 (2) of the Constitution.
8. And, two Writ Petitions have been filed before the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh praying for issuing an appropriate Writ or Order or direction more particularly one in the nature of Writ of Mandamus to the respondents to notify the Rules for implementing the 10% reservation provided to Economically Weaker Sections among Kapus and other than Kapus in Act No.14 of 2019 and Act No.15 of 2019 enacted by the State of Andhra Pradesh.
9. Further, one more Writ Petition has been filed before the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh praying for issuing an appropriate Writ or Order or direction more particularly one in the nature of Writ of Mandamus declaring Act No.14 of 2019 and Act No.15 of 2019 as ultra vires and un-constitutional, violative of the purport of the Constitution (One Hundred and Third Amendment) Act, 2019 and violative of Article 15 of the Constitution of India and consequently, Act No.14 of 2019 and Act No.15 of 2019, have to be struck down. The Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh passed interim orders in this case.
10. Besides the above Writ Petitions, certain Public Interest Litigations (PILs) bearing W.P. (PIL) No. 122 of 2019 and W.P. (PIL) No. 130 of 2019 have also been filed in this regard, challenging the sub-categorization of EWS reservation into 5% for EWS among Kapus and 5% for EWS among other than Kapus.
11. As mentioned above, several Writ Petitions and Public Interest Litigations (PILs) have been filed before the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India as well as Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh challenging the validity of the enactment by the Government of India of the Constitution (One Hundred and Third Amendment) Act, 2019 it self providing for 10% reservation to EWS Category on economic basis and also enactment by the Government of Andhra Pradesh of Act No.14 of 2019 and Act No.15 of 2019 providing for sub-categorization of EWS reservation into 5% for EWS among Kapus and 5% for EWS among other than Kapus.
12. All the Writ Petitions and Public Interest Litigations (PILs) filed in this regard are still pending before the Hon'ble Courts and they are yet to be disposed of. But, only in one of the Writ Petitions bearing No. 8556 of 2019 filed by Sri Kalle Chandra Sekhar Sharma and Smt. Kalle Mitravinda, the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh have issued interim orders in public interest and to ensure that the academic session and admission of students is not put to jeopardy in the context of the litigation concerning the same.
13. In due obedience to the interim orders of the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh passed in the W.P. No. 8556 of 2019 and in consideration of the academic session and interest of the EWS students, Government have issued orders in the reference 12<sup>th</sup> cited for implementation of 10% reservation to the Economically Weaker Sections (EWS) for admissions into Educational Institutions in accordance with the purport of the Constitution (One Hundred and Third Amendment) Act, 2019 and as per the guidelines issued by Government of India in this regard.

15. It is pertinent to note that government of Andhra Pradesh have received several representations from public regarding the implementation of 10% EWS reservation in employment and admission in educational institutions wherein the request for modification of certain eligibility conditions considering the differences in cultural aspects, economic status and geographical diversity among various EWS Communities of the state.

16. Government have implemented EWS reservation for admission in educational institutions as per G.O.Ms.No.60, BC Welfare (F) Department, Dt. 27.07.2019 following the eligibility criteria of both income and assets status of the family. However, the representations received from public were carefully examined and it is felt that certain modifications are necessary due to varied cultural, economic and geographical diversities that make a one size fits all approach rendering the accomplishment of objectives of benefit of reservation to EWS as contemplated under Constitution (One Hundred and Third Amendment) Act, 2019, difficult. Therefore, Government have decided to adopt only the family income criteria of annual income of Rs.8 lakhs.

17. It is pertinent to note that bill No.33/2017 and Act No.14 of 2019 and 15 of 2019 are contradictory to each other. The bill No.33 of 2017 seeks to include Kapus into the list of BCs through creation of a separate category called BC - F and as per the reservations provided in that bill for various categories like BC, SC, ST, the overall reservation is at 55%. Whereas, the Acts 14 and 15 of 2019 seek to provide 5% reservation to Kapus under EWS Category treating them as OCs by creating a sub category within the overall 10% reservation provided by the Constitution (One Hundred and Third Amendment) Act, 2019 of GoI. Bill No.33/2017 is still pending at the level of Government of India. However, in the meantime the Hon'ble Supreme Court vide judgment in Civil Appeal No.3123 of 2020 against the reservation of Maratha Community has clearly reiterated that the overall cap in reservation shall not exceed 50% as originally ordered in Indra Sawhney judgment.

18. Act No.14 of 2019 and 15 of 2019 are challenged before the Hon'ble High Court as the state government is not competent to bifurcate the 10% reservation by creating sub category within a category of reservation and the litigations are still pending. Because of contradiction between bill No.33 of 2017 which is still pending with GoI and Act 14 of 2019 & 15 of 2019 which are under litigation under various Hon'ble courts, Kapus are neither categorized as BCs nor able to avail the reservations under EWS category. Similarly, because of litigations, members from other EWS communities are also not able to avail the reservations as contemplated under the Constitution (One Hundred and Third Amendment) Act, 2019. This issue has been further compounded by recent Supreme Court Judgement restricting the overall reservations to 50%. In view of all the issues as discussed above, any decision taken by the Government of Andhra Pradesh should be in compliance with the Constitution (One Hundred and Third Amendment) Act, 2019. Anything contrary to that leading to litigation denies the benefits of reservation to the members of EWS community as mandated in the Constitution (One Hundred and Third Amendment) Act, 2019.

19. The Government, therefore, after careful examination of the issue and as per the interim orders of the Hon'ble High Court as referred to above, have decided that the principles / guidelines issued in G.O.Ms.No.60, BC Welfare(F)Department, Dt. 27.07.2019 for the purpose of Education, be replicated in the sphere of Employment also for implementation of 10% reservation to the Economically Weaker Sections (EWS) of the citizens, for appointments in initial Posts and Services under the State Government in accordance with the purport of the

20. The operational guidelines in regard to implementation of 10% reservation to the Economically Weaker Sections (EWS) for initial appointments in the Posts and Services under the State Government are as follows.

- i. The persons who are not covered under existing scheme of reservations for the Scheduled Castes, the Scheduled Tribes and the Socially and Educationally Backward Classes and whose gross annual family income is below Rs.8.00 lakh are to be identified as Economically Weaker Sections (EWS) for the benefit of reservation. The Income shall also include income from all sources i.e. salary, agriculture, business, profession, etc. for the financial year prior to the year of application.
- ii. The term "Family" for this purpose will include the person who seeks benefit of reservation, his/her parents and siblings below the age of 18 years as also his/her spouse and children below the age of 18 years.
- iii. Regarding initial appointments in the posts and services, the persons recruited under EWS category will be adjusted against the roster points earmarked for them. The orders on the roster points earmarked for 10% reservation to EWS category will be issued separately, along with other rules to be framed/amended and guidelines to be formulated, if any.
- iv.  $1/3^{\text{rd}}$  ( $33 \frac{1}{3}$ ) of the initial appointments in posts and services under the State Government earmarked for EWS category shall be allocated to women among them. The one-third reservation earmarked for women is horizontal.
- v. The persons seeking the benefit of reservation under EWS category shall obtain the necessary EWS Certificate issued by the Tahsildar concerned.

21. As far as the posts notified for appointment by Government of India the guidelines issued by the Government of India, vide in the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> read above are applicable.

22. All the Administrative Departments concerned / District Collectors / Appointing authorities in the State shall take necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

ADITYA NATH DAS  
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To  
All the Departments in A.P. Secretariat.  
All the Heads of Departments in the State.  
All the District Collectors in the State.  
The Secretary, APPSC, Vijayawada.  
The Advocate General, A.P.  
The Law Department, A.P. Secretariat.  
The Registrar (Admn.), Hon'ble High Court of A.P.

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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

Higher Education – Introduction of Online admission process for admission into under graduate courses offered by the Degree Colleges in the State - Rules for online admissions for admission of students into Undergraduate Courses in Arts, Science, Social Sciences, Commerce, Management, Computer Applications and Social work etc. including Honours, in all faculties in Government Degree Colleges, Government Autonomous Degree Colleges, Private Aided Degree Colleges, Private Unaided Degree Colleges and Private-Autonomous Degree Colleges (Aided and Unaided) –Notification - Orders - issued.

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HIGHER EDUCATION (CE) EPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 34

Dated: 15-10-2020.

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**ORDER:-**

The objective of introducing the online admission process for admission into under graduate courses offered by the Degree Colleges in the State is to promote merit, achieve excellence, curb malpractices, implement reservations, conduct fair, non-discriminatory and merit based admissions on a transparent basis in the larger interests and welfare of the student community.

2. Whereas, the Vice-Chancellors of the ten conventional Universities in the State i.e. Andhra University, Sri Venkateswara University, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Sri Krishnadevaraya University, Adikavi Nannayya University, Yogi Vemana University, Dr. B.R.Ambedkar University, Krishna University, Rayalaseema University, Vikrama Simhapuri University and the Commissioner of Collegiate Education have authorized the Andhra Pradesh State Council of Higher Education to conduct admissions into Government, Aided and Private Unaided and Autonomous Degree Colleges in the State of Andhra Pradesh from the academic year 2020-21.

3. And whereas the recognition, approval and affiliation authorities permitted the Chairman, Andhra Pradesh State Council of Higher Education to initiate the process to conduct Undergraduate (UG) online admissions from the academic year 2020-21 through OAMDC, (Online Admission Module for Degree Colleges) of APCFSS.

4. Therefore, the following notification will be published in an Extra Ordinary Issue of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette.

**NOTIFICATION**

In exercise of the powers conferred under clause (a) and sub-clause (xxv) of clause (b) of sub-section (1) of Section 99 of the Andhra Pradesh Education Act, 1982 (Act No.1 of 1982) read with clauses (i) and (j) of sub-section (2) of Section 25 of the Andhra Pradesh Universities Act, 1991 (Act No. 4 of 1991), and sub-clause (vi) of clause (II) of sub-section (2) of Section 11 of the Andhra Pradesh State Council of Higher Education Act, 1988 (Act No.16 of 1988), the Government of Andhra Pradesh hereby makes the following Rules for on line admission of the students into Undergraduate Courses in Arts, Science, Social Sciences, Commerce, Management, Computer Applications and Social work etc. including Honours, in the faculties in the Government Degree Colleges, Government Autonomous Degree Colleges, Private Aided Degree Colleges, Private Unaided Degree Colleges and Private-Autonomous Degree Colleges (Aided and Unaided) in the State:-

**1. Short title, applicability and commencement:**

- (i) These rules may be called the Andhra Pradesh Degree Colleges on line Admission (for admission of the students into Undergraduate Courses in Arts, Science, Social Sciences, Commerce, Management, Computer Applications, Social work etc., including Honours) Rules, 2020.
- (ii) They shall apply to all Government Degree Colleges, Government Autonomous Degree Colleges, Private Aided Degree Colleges, Private Unaided Degree Colleges, Private-Autonomous Degree Colleges (Aided and Unaided).
- (iii) They shall come into force from the academic year 2020-21.

**2. Definitions:**

- (i) In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires:

(a) "Government" means State Government of Andhra Pradesh.

- (b) "State Council" means the Andhra Pradesh State Council of Higher Education, constituted under the Andhra Pradesh Council of Higher Education Act, 1988 (Andhra Pradesh Act No.16 of 1988).
- (c) "*University*" means a University established or to be established and incorporated as a University in the Schedule of the University Act;
- (d) "UGC" means University Grants Commission constituted under Parliament Act 1957;
- (e) "APHER&MC" means AP Higher Education Regulatory and Monitoring Commission constituted under the Act No. 20 of 2019.
- (f) "*Academic year*" means a period of twelve months commencing on the first day of July of the year or such other period of twelve months beginning on such date as the Executive Council may specify in respect of all the colleges under the control of the University or any particular college thereof;
- (g) "*Affiliated College*" means a college within the University area affiliated to the University in accordance with the conditions prescribed;
- (h) "*Aided College*" means a college other than a Government College which receives grant-in-aid from the State Government;
- (i) "*Unaided College*" means a College other than a Government College which does not receive any grant-in-aid from the State Government and functions with the prior approval of the Competent Authority and affiliation of the university concerned.
- (j) "*Autonomous College*" means an affiliated college on which the status of autonomy has been conferred by the University as per the guidelines of the UGC;
- (k) "*College*" means a college established and maintained by or affiliated to the University;
- (l) "*Commissioner of Higher/Collegiate Education*" includes Commissioner / Director of Higher / Collegiate Education;
- (m) "*Institute*" means an academic institution, not being a College, maintained and/or recognized by the University;
- (n) "*Student*" means a person who is admitted to a college, and is borne on the attendance register thereon;

(ii) Words and expressions used but not defined in these rules shall have the same meaning assigned to them in the respective Act of the Institution/University.

### **3. Eligibility Criteria for Admission:**

3.1 The eligibility criteria for the Undergraduate Courses such as B.A/ B.Sc./ B.Com. / B.Com. (Voc) / B.Com.(Hons) /BSW /BBA /BBM/BCA etc., shall be as mentioned below:

- (i) The Candidate should be of Indian Nationality.
- (ii) The candidate should satisfy 'local'/'non-local' status requirements as laid down in the Andhra Pradesh Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions) Order,1974, as subsequently amended (enclosed as Annexure-I).
- (iii) Candidates seeking admission into 1<sup>st</sup> year B.A./B.Com./B.Com. (Voc.)/B.Com.(Hons)/BSW/BBA/ BBM/ BCAetc Degree Courses must have passed Two Year Intermediate Examination conducted by the Board of Intermediate Education, AP OR an Examination of any other University/Board recognized as equivalent thereto, (other than Pre-Degree Course in Oriental Languages of OU), as specified in the Annexure II.
- (iv) Candidates seeking admission into the B.Sc. 1<sup>st</sup> Year Course should have passed and secured an aggregate of 40% marks (a Pass only in the case of Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes candidates) in the concerned Science Subjects (i.e. Physical Sciences and Mathematics OR Physical Sciences and Biological Sciences as the case may be) in the qualifying examination. Candidates who have passed the qualifying examination with Arts/Commerce subjects are NOT ELIGIBLE for admissions into the B.Sc. Course.

- (v) In respect to the candidates, who have passed Intermediate (Vocational) Courses from the Board of Intermediate Education, AP OR +2 Examination conducted by any Board other than listed in the Annexure-II, the candidates shall submit an equivalence certificate issued by the Board of Intermediate Education, Andhra Pradesh.
- (vi) The Candidates who have passed a Diploma in Engineering/ Technology/Non-Engineering Courses recognized by State Board of Technical Education & Training (SBTET), AP, are eligible for admission in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Year in all the Degree Programmes as per G.O.Ms.No.112, Higher Education Department, Dt.27.10.2001, in the supernumerary seats subject to a maximum of 5% of sanctioned intake.
- (vii) The Candidates who have passed Intermediate (Vocational) Medical Lab Technology Course from the Board of Intermediate Education, Andhra Pradesh OR from any other State equivalent to it are eligible for admission into B.A. /B.Com Courses only. However, those who have a Bridge Course Certificate along with Intermediate (Vocational) Medical Lab Technology are eligible for B.Sc. Courses.
- (viii) Candidates who have passed Intermediate Examination with Mathematics, Economics and Commerce combination are eligible for admission into B.Sc. with Mathematics, Statistics and Computer Science combination.
- (ix) Candidates seeking admission to BSW Course should have secured not less than 40% marks in aggregate in the qualifying examination (a pass only in the case of Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes candidates).

#### **4. Merit Criteria for admission into Undergraduate Courses (B.A. / B.Sc. / B.Com. /B.Com.(Voc)/B.Com.(Hons) /BSW /BBA /BBM/ BCA)etc:**

4.1 The order of merit of the candidates shall be on the basis of the aggregate marks secured by the candidates in the qualifying examination. However, the aggregate marks awarded by other Boards will be normalized with that of Board of Intermediate Education, AP.

4.2 In case of a tie in the aggregate marks, the following preferences shall be followed in the order: (a) the marks secured by the candidates in the group subjects, (b) the marks secured in English Language and (c) the date of birth/ age of the candidate (senior in age getting priority).

- (i) Admissions to the 1<sup>st</sup> Year of the three year Degree Courses will be made in order of merit as per the options exercised by the candidates through OAMDC.
- (ii) Fraction of 0.5% and above secured by the candidates in the qualifying examination shall be treated as 1% wherever necessary in the calculation of percentage of marks (eg.39.5% and above shall be treated as 40%).

#### **5. Allotment of Seats:**

5.1 Provisional allotment of seats into Courses / Colleges shall be made in the order of merit of by following the Rules of Reservation issued by the Government from time to time.

- (i) Allotment of Seats for B.Com: 60% of the total number of available seats in B.Com in any College under the jurisdiction of the Universities of Andhra Pradesh State shall be reserved for the candidates who studied and passed the qualifying examination with Commerce as one of the subject.
- (ii) Allotment of Seats for B.A: 50% of the total number of available seats in B.A. in any College under the jurisdiction of the Universities of Andhra Pradesh State shall be reserved for the candidates who studied and passed the qualifying examination with at least one subject of Social Sciences or Humanities at the qualifying examination level.

#### **6. Medium:**

6.1 Candidates who pass the qualifying examination through a medium other than English and desirous of studying B.A./B.Com./B.Com. (Hons.)/BSW/BBA/ BBM/BCA Courses etc., in English shall be allowed to do so without stipulating any condition provided they secured minimum percentage in English in the qualifying examination.

6.2 Candidates who desire to take admission into Telugu/Hindi/Urdu/ Kannada/ Marathi medium in Undergraduate Courses should have studied

- i. In the language concerned (Telugu/Hindi /Urdu/ Kannada/ Marathi) medium upto 10<sup>th</sup> standard or at Intermediate level.

OR

- ii. They must have studied the language concerned as one of the subjects/second language either upto 10<sup>th</sup> standard or at Intermediate level or 10 +2 level.

## 7. Special Admissions:

7.1 As per the G.O.Ms.No.112, Higher Education Department, Dt.27.10.2001, the students who have completed three year Diploma Courses in Commercial and Computer Practice conducted by the State Board of Technical Education and Training (SBTET) of Andhra Pradesh State which is equivalent to B.Com 1<sup>st</sup> Year are eligible to get admission into 2<sup>nd</sup> Year B.Com.

## 8. Rules of Reservation for Admissions:

### 8.1 Reservation for local Candidates:

8.1.1 Admission to 85% of the seats in each Course shall be reserved for the local candidates and the remaining 15% of the seats shall be unreserved as specified in the Andhra Pradesh Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions) Order, 1974 as subsequently amended (Details enclosed in Annexure-I).

8.1.2 In respect of State Universities, the State quotas apply as prescribed in the Andhra Pradesh Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions) Order, 1974.

### 8.2 Reservation for SC/ST/BC Communities/EWS

There shall be reservation of seats for SCs, STs and BCs as specified hereunder:

- (a) Scheduled Castes A total of 15% of seats in each Course shall be reserved for Candidates belonging to the Scheduled Castes Category.
- (b) Scheduled Tribes A total of 6% of seats in each Course shall be reserved for candidates belonging to the Scheduled Tribes Category.
- (c) Backward Classes A total of 29% seats in each Course shall be reserved for the candidates in respect of Backward classes candidates as shown below:

|           |   |     |
|-----------|---|-----|
| Group - A | : | 7%  |
| Group - B | : | 10% |
| Group - C | : | 1%  |
| Group - D | : | 7%  |
| Group -E  | : | 4%  |

(i) A total of 10% supernumerary seats in each course shall be reserved for the candidates in respect of economically weaker sections as per G.O.No. 60, Backward Classes Welfare (F) Department, Dt: 27.07.2019.

(ii) Candidates belonging to the above categories should submit Community, Nativity and Date of Birth Certificate as per G.O.Ms.No.58 of Social Welfare Department,dt.12.05.1997.

(iii) SC, ST and BC candidates who get seats on merit will not be considered against the seat reserved for them and such candidates will be considered under the general category of seats.

(iv) If sufficient number of candidates are not available to fill up the seats reserved for SCs they shall be filled up by suitable candidates from STs and vice-versa. If the required number of candidates is not available for filling up the quota of seats reserved for SCs and STs they may be filled up by candidates from the general pool on the basis of the merit.

(v) While filling up the seats reserved for Backward Class -A, the qualified Backward Class-A candidates should be considered in the order of merit. If qualified Backward Class-A candidates are not available, the turn will go to Backward Class-B, Backward Class-C, Backward Class-D or Backward Class-E in the order of merit in each group. If no suitable candidates are available in any of the five groups, the seats shall be filled up from general pool on the basis of merit.

### **8.3 Reservation of Seats for NCC and Games & Sports/ Extra Curricular Activities/ Children of Ex-Servicemen and Armed Personnel:**

A Maximum of 4.5% of the seats of Degree Courses shall be reserved for the candidates who have distinguished themselves in Sports, Extra-Curricular activities, N.C.C and children of Ex-Servicemen and Armed Personnel as follows:-

(i) Reservation for N.C.C : 1% of the seats are reserved for the students possessing the prescribed certificates in N.C.C. If suitable candidate is not available for any seat in the above categories, the same shall be filled up from general pool on the basis of merit.

(ii) Reservation of seats for Games and Sports: 0.5% of the seats are reserved for students who have participated in the following games and sports (list given below). The selection of the candidates under this category shall be made according to the G.O.Ms.No.20, Youth Advancement, Tourism& Culture (Sports) Department, dated: 24.08.2009.

|    |             |    |                   |    |                |
|----|-------------|----|-------------------|----|----------------|
| 1  | Archery     | 11 | Hand Ball         | 21 | Soft Ball      |
| 2  | Athletics   | 12 | Hockey            | 22 | Swimming       |
| 3  | Basket Ball | 13 | Judo              | 23 | Table Tennis   |
| 4  | Boxing      | 14 | Khabadi           | 24 | Taekwondo      |
| 5  | Chess       | 15 | Kho-Kho           | 25 | Tennis         |
| 6  | Cricket     | 16 | Roller Skating    | 26 | Volley Ball    |
| 7  | Cycling     | 17 | Rowing            | 27 | Weight-lifting |
| 8  | Fencing     | 18 | Sailing/Yatching  | 28 | Wrestling      |
| 9  | Foot Ball   | 19 | Shooting          | 29 | Ball Badminton |
| 10 | Gymnastics  | 20 | Shuttle Badminton |    |                |

If suitable candidate is not available for any seat in the above categories, the same shall be filled up from general pool on the basis of merit.

### **8.4 Reservation of seats for Extra-Curricular activities:**

(a) 1% of the total seats shall be reserved for students who participated in Extra Curricular activities such as Elocution, Debates, Essay and Fine Arts like Dance, Drama, Music, Painting, Photography and President Scouts and Guides Certificate holders. The selection of candidates shall be made in the following order of preference:-

(A) Candidates who have represented India at the International level in Extra Curricular activities and President Scouts and Guides.

(B) Candidates who have represented the State at the All India level in the Extra Curricular activities or obtained prize at the competition of All India level.

(C) Candidates who have represented the College at the Inter Collegiate level and those who have participated at Inter School level.

(a) Whenever there are more number of candidates with a similar merit than the actual number of seats available under the categories specified in item (A), (B), and (C) above, admission shall be regulated by the marks obtained in the qualifying examination.

(b) If suitable candidate is not available for any seat in the above categories, the same shall be filled up from general pool on the basis of merit.

### **8.5 Reservation of seats for Children of Ex-Servicemen and Children of Armed Personnel (CAP):**

2% of the seats are reserved for children of Ex-Servicemen and Children of Armed personnel as per existing Government orders and shall be in the following order of preference:-

(a) Children of Armed Forces Personnel killed in action.

- (b) Children of Armed Personnel disabled in action and invalidated from service on Medical grounds.
- (c) Children of Armed Forces Personnel who are in receipt of Gallantry Awards, the order of merit for consideration of the Gallantry Awards being as given below:

|      |                             |       |                             |
|------|-----------------------------|-------|-----------------------------|
| i.   | ParamVir Chakra             | vi.   | UttamYoudhSeva Medal        |
| ii.  | Asoka Chakra                | vii.  | Vir Chakra                  |
| iii. | SarvothamYodh<br>Seva Medal | viii. | Shourya Chakra              |
| iv.  | Mahavir Chakra              | x.    | YudhaSeva Medal             |
| v.   | Kirti Chakra                | x.    | Seva/NauSena/VayuSena Medal |
|      |                             | xi    | Mention of Dispatches       |

- (d) Children of other Ex-Servicemen.
- (e) If suitable candidate is not available for any seat in the above categories, the same shall be filled up from general pool on the basis of merit.

**8.6 Reservation of Seats for Physically Challenged:**

- (a) According to the G.O.Ms.No.339, Education (EC.2) Department, dated:15.12.1999, (Visually Challenged/Impaired, Hearing Impaired, Orthopedically Challenged) 3% of the total number of seats in the 1<sup>st</sup> year of Degree Courses shall be reserved for the Physically Challenged persons in the following order:-

There shall be horizontal reservation in each category (OC, BC, SC and ST) in each Course of an institution, for the following categories, to the extent indicated against them:-

|       |                              |   |    |
|-------|------------------------------|---|----|
| (i)   | Visually Challenged/Impaired | - | 1% |
| (ii)  | Hearing Impaired             | - | 1% |
| (iii) | Orthopedically Challenged    | - | 1% |

- (b) The classifications with regard to the above priorities shall be as follows:-
  - (i) Visually Challenged/Impaired: A person can be said to be Visually Challenged if the vision is from 6/18 up to 6/60 and anything less than 6/60 shall be considered as an extreme handicap. The above criteria shall also be made applicable to persons with vision in both the eyes, but coming within the range of defects indicated above.
  - (ii) **Orthopedically Challenged:**

**Defects of upper limbs:**

- (a) Quadriplegic (loss of use of 4 limbs shall be considered as the top-most priority in this category).
- (b) Loss of both the limbs – preference shall be given to loss of upper limbs from the above downwards.

**Defect of lower limbs:**

The criteria applicable to upper limbs shall also be applied to lower limbs with preference to be given for the loss of limbs from the above downwards.

- (iii) **Hearing Impaired:** The Deaf are those in whom the sense of hearing is non-functional for ordinary purpose of life. They do not hear and understand at all even with amplified speech. The cases included in this category will be those having less / more than 90 decibels in the better ear (profound impairment) or total loss of hearing in both cases. A person is deaf if he

cannot hear for all practical purposes being deaf in both the ears. Persons using hearing aids are to be considered as deaf.

- (c) The loss of one eye or one upper limb or one lower limb shall be given a very low priority.
- (d) In case suitable candidates are not available for any seat, such seat shall be filled from general pool on the basis of merit.

### **8.7 Reservation of Seats for Women Candidates:**

- (a) Wherever applicable, a minimum of 33 1/3% of the available seats in each Course will be allotted to women candidates from each category, i.e., OC/SC/ST/BC/PH/CAP/Sports/Extra Curricular Activities.
- (b) This rule is not applicable if women candidates selected on merit in each category exceed 33.33% or more of the seats therein.
- (c) In the absence of suitable women candidates in the respective categories, these shall be filled with men candidates of the same category as per G.O.Ms.No.74, Higher Education (EC.2) Department, dated: 28.07.2011.

### **9. Change of Medium:**

The candidates shall not be permitted to change the medium after the final allotment of the seat is made.

### **10. Funds for the conduct of admissions:**

10.1. Adequate funds shall be generated to meet the admission expenditure by levying reasonable charges from the candidates appearing for the Undergraduate admissions as decided by the Admission Committee constituted by AP.

10.2 The amounts that are collected from the candidates towards processing fee for counseling of students shall be directly credited into the account of the Secretary, Andhra Pradesh State Council of Higher Education.

10.3 The Convener shall draw advances from Andhra Pradesh State Council of Higher Education to incur necessary expenditure for items / services connected with the admissions and submit for audit to the Local Fund Audit and report thereof be submitted to the Andhra Pradesh State Council of Higher Education.

### **11. Fee for Undergraduate Courses:**

Fee for Undergraduate Courses in Arts, Commerce, Science, Social Science, Social Work, Management and Computer Applications etc. including Honours, of all the faculties, shall be according to the prescribed fee by the Government on the recommendation of AP Higher Education Regulatory and Monitoring Commission (APHERMC), payable per student, per annum, for each Course, in each College.

### **12. Penalty for the violation of these Rules:**

In case of the violation of these Rules by any institution, thereby resulting in making irregular admissions or for such other actions / incidents that damage the reputation of the Government / APSCH/ University, the matter will be viewed seriously and such institutions shall be liable for penalty and cancellation of affiliation by the University concerned.

### **13. Implementation Process of Online Admission Module for Degree Colleges (OAMDC) :**

13.1 The Andhra Pradesh State Council of Higher Education is authorized to implement online admission process for admissions into under graduate courses ie BA, B.Com., B.SC., etc. offered by the Degree Colleges in the State from the academic year 2020-21. The Project Monitoring Unit has the authority to identify the firm to implement the online admissions process.

**13.2 Project Monitoring Unit (PMU):** The PMU shall be the highest body empowered to take all the policy decisions for the admissions into Undergraduate Courses through OAMDC. The composition of PMU shall be as follows:-

- (a) Special Chief Secretary to Government, Higher Education Dept.,
- (b) Chairman, A.P State Council of Higher Education
- (c) Commissioner Collegiate Education (CCE)
- (d) Vice Chancellors of all the ten Universities

**13.3 The Online Admission Committee (OAC) :** The Online Admission Committee shall consist of the following Members to conduct the online admission process.

1. Convener of Admissions nominated by APSCHE
  2. Co-Convener of Admissions nominated by CCE, AP
  3. Nodal officer nominated by APSCHE.
  4. Nodal officer nominated by CCE, AP
- (a) The OAC shall decide the date of notification, immediately after the publication of Intermediate results.
  - (b) The OAC shall decide the dates of registrations, dates for the publication of lists, dates for confirming the seats in all the phases. He will also declare the schedule for admissions.
  - (c) The Convener shall coordinate and supervise OAMDC activities right from 'notification' to the preparation of the final 'Admission Registers' and sending them to the Universities concerned and work in coordination with the co-convener.
  - (d) OAC shall deal with all the academic matters related to OAMDC. It shall initiate OAMDC process by directing all the State Universities to enter the data pertaining to the number of affiliated Colleges with location details, Courses offered, Sanctioned strength of all the Courses, Fee details etc., on OAMDC portal.
  - (e) Andhra Pradesh State Council of Higher Education shall prepare seat matrix for OAMDC.
  - (f) The Convener, Admissions shall issue provisional allotment of seat in a particular course / Institution in the order of merit.
  - (g) Once a candidate secures admission to a particular College / Institution based on his / her option, no more claims for admission into other Colleges, to any other kind of seat or any other course, be entertained during that phase of admissions.
  - (h) The Convener shall handover the vacant seats, if any to the Institutions concerned after completing the counseling process.
  - (i) The Private Unaided Degree Colleges and Private Unaided Autonomous Degree Colleges shall obtain ratification from APSCHE for admissions into left over seats (spot admissions) conducted by the Institution, on or before the last date of the admission into 1<sup>st</sup> year courses of the University concerned.
  - (j) Government Degree College, Government Degree Autonomous Colleges, Private Aided Degree Colleges and Private Aided Autonomous Colleges shall obtain ratification from the CCE for admissions into left over seats (spot admissions) conducted by the Institution, on or before the last date of the admission into 1<sup>st</sup> year courses of the University concerned.
  - (k) The candidates admitted in the spot admissions are not entitled to Fee Reimbursement Scheme.
  - (l) The Convener of Admissions shall prepare the final list of candidates, admitted course-wise and Institution-wise and send the same to the concerned Universities, Institutions and APSCHE.

- (m) All the candidates admitted into a particular course / Institution shall produce the specified original documents along with allotment order to the allotted Institution / College duly paying the required course fee, if such candidates are not covered under Fee Reimbursement Scheme, for admission into that College / Institution.

**13.4 Coordination Committee:-** There shall be a coordination Committee at State level and District level consisting of the following Members to coordinate the online admission process and to address the grievance of the Colleges / Institutions and the Students during the online admission process.

**13.4.1 State level Coordination Committee**

- (i) Vice-Chairman-I, APSCHE
- (ii) Nominee of the Commissioner for Collegiate Education.
- (iii) Registrars of the ten Universities.
- (iv) Co-Convener of Online Admission Committee
- (v) OAMDC Office Help Desk Coordinator nominated by APSCHE
- (vi) Nominee of APCFSS

**13.4.2 District Level Coordination Committee (DLCC):** DLCCs shall be established in the identified Government Degree College (ID Colleges) in each District. The responsibility of all the District Level Coordination Committees shall be to redress all kinds of grievances of the students (grievances related to their admission procedure on OAMDC) and Colleges in coordination with their respective Universities/ ULHLCs. The composition of DLCC shall be as follows:-

- a) Regional Joint Director of Collegiate Education of the region concerned
- b) ID Govt. Degree College Principal where DLCC is located.
- c) Dean, CDC / University Coordinator of the respective University
- d) One Principal of Private Aided Degree College nominated by the CCE.
- e) One Principal of Private Unaided Degree Colleges, nominated by the University concerned.

**14. Help Line Centers**

**14.1 University Level Help Line Centers:** In all the University Campuses there shall be a University Level Help Line Centre (ULHLC). These ULHLCs provide assistance to the students in registering on OAMDC, making web options, issues related to allotment of seats etc. The ULHLCs shall take the responsibility of resolving all the problems faced by the Colleges and students under their jurisdiction. Government Degree Colleges shall also be help line centers along with Universities. The composition of ULHLCs shall be as follows:-

- (a) Coordinator as nominated by the Registrar of the University
- (b) Technical Assistant(s) as nominated by the Registrar of the University
- (c) Other supporting staff as nominated by the Registrar of the University

**14.2 College Level Help Line Centre:** College Level Help Line Centers (CLHLC) shall be established in Government Degree Colleges and/or Private Aided Degree Colleges. They shall work under the direction of the OAC and/or Regional Joint Director of Collegiate Education of the region concerned. These CLHLCs shall provide assistance to the students in registering on OAMDC, making web options, issues related to allotment of seats etc. The Principal of the College shall take the responsibility for students' admissions and may nominate one or two faculty members to share the responsibility of these admissions. The composition of CLHLCs shall be as follows:-

- a) Principal of the College concerned where HLC is located
- b) Coordinator, as nominated by the Principal of the College
- c) Technical Assistant(s) as nominated by the Principal of the College
- d) Other supporting staff as nominated by the Principal of the College

## **15. Implementation process:**

15.1 The APSCHE may entrust online admission process to APCFSS or any other firm with the approval of the Government.

15.2 The APSCHE may enter MoU on mutually agreed terms and conditions with APCFSS/firm concerned and University/CCE.

15.3 The recognition, approval and affiliation authorities should adopt these Rules with the approval of their respective statutory authorities concerned and display in their websites.

15.4 The APSCHE may issue further guidelines, wherever necessary, with the approval of the Project Monitoring Unit.

15.5 The disputes between the parties i.e., APCFSS/Firm concerned/University/CCE/APSCHE, if any, the decision of Project Monitoring Unit is binding on all the parties.

## **16. Power to remove difficulties**

The Project Monitoring Unit has the authority to interpret rules wherever necessary and/or required and to remove difficulties in implementation of the project.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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To

The Vice-Chancellor, Andhra University, Visakhapatnam.  
The Vice-Chancellor, Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati.  
The Vice-Chancellor, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Guntur.  
The Vice-Chancellor, Sri Krishnadevaraya University, Anantapur.  
The Vice-Chancellor, AdikaviNannya University, Rajahmundry.  
The Vice-Chancellor, Yogi Vemana University, Kadapa  
The Vice-Chancellor, Dr.B.R.Ambedkar University, Srikakulam  
The Vice-Chancellor, Krishna University, Machilipatnam.  
The Vice-Chancellor, Rayalaseema University, Kurnool.  
The Vice-Chancellor, VikramaSimhapuri University, Nellore.

Copy to:-

The Chairman, A.P State Council of Higher Education, Atmakuru (V)Mangalagiri, Guntur District.  
The Registrar, Andhra University, Visakhapatnam.  
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The Commissioner of Intermediate Education, A.P, Guntur.  
The Commissioner of Collegiate Education, A.P, Vijayawada.  
The Commissioner of Technical Education, A.P, Vijayawada.  
The Commissioner of Intermediate Education, A.P, Guntur.  
The Secretary, A.P State Council of Higher Education,  
Atmakur (V), Managalagiri, Guntur District.  
The Secretary, A.P State Board of Technical Education & Training, Vijayawada.  
The Secretary, Board of Intermediate Education, A.P, Vijayawada.  
Law Department/Finance Department  
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## **Annexure-I**

(G.O.Ms.No.34 Higher Edn. (CE) Dept., dt.15-10-2020. )

Explanation: For purpose of region wise reservation of rules,

(a) Local Area means:

The part of the Andhra Pradesh comprising of

(i) Chittoor, Kadapa, Kurnool, Ananthapur and Nellore shall be considered as local area for purpose of admission into colleges in S V University, S.K. University, Yogi Vemana University, Rayalaseema University and Vikrama Simhapuri University;

(ii) Prakasam, Guntur, Krishna, East Godavari, West Godavari, Visakhapatnam, Vizianagaram and Srikakulam shall be considered as local area for the purpose of admission into Andhra University, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Krishna University, Adikavi Nannayya University, and Dr.B.R. Ambedkar University;

(iii) to any other educational institutions (other than a State-wide University or State-wide educational institution) which is subject to the control of the State Government and is situated in that part.

(b) The Local Candidate means:

(1) A candidate for admission shall be regarded as a local candidate in relation to a local area

(a) If he/she has studied in educational Institution or educational Institutions in such local area for a period of not less than four consecutive academic years ending with the academic year in which he/she appeared or as the case may be, first appeared in the relevant qualifying examination.

(or )

(b) Where, during the whole or any part of the four consecutive academic years ending with the academic year in which he/she appeared or, as the case may be, first appeared for the relevant qualifying examination, he/she has not studied in any educational Institutions, if he/she has resided in that local area for a period of not less than four years immediately preceding the date of commencement of the relevant qualifying examination in which he/she appeared or, as the case may be, first appeared.

(2) A candidate for admission to the Course who is not regarded as local candidate under clause (A) in relation to any local area shall (A) If he has studied in educational Institutions in the State for a period of not less than seven consecutive academic years ending with the academic year in which he/she appeared or, as the case may be, first appeared for the relevant qualifying examination be regarded as a local candidate in relation to

(i) Such local area where he/she has studied for the maximum period out of said period of seven years, or

(a) Where the period of his/her study in two or more local areas are equal, such local area, where he/she has studied last in such equal period, or

(b) If, during the whole or any part of seven consecutive academic years ending with the academic year in which he/she appeared or, as the case may be, first appeared for the relevant qualifying examination, he/she has not studied in the educational Institutions in any local area, but has resided in the State during the whole of the said period of seven years, be regarded as a local candidate in relation to,- (i) Such local area

where he/she has resided for the maximum period out of the said period of seven years, or (ii) Where the periods of his/her residence in two or more local areas are equal, such local area where he/she has resided last in such equal periods.

(3) The following categories of candidates are eligible to apply for admission to the remaining 15% of un-reserved seats:

- (a) All the candidates eligible to be declared as local candidates
- (b) Candidates who have resided in the State for a total period of 10 years excluding periods of study outside the State or either of whose parents have resided in the State for a total period of ten years excluding period of employment outside the State.
- (c) Candidates who are children of parents who are in the employment of this State or Central Government, Public Sector Corporations, Local Bodies, Universities and other similar Quasi-Public Institutions, within the State.
- (d) Candidates who are spouses of those in the employment of the State or Central Government, Public Sector Corporations, Local Bodies, Universities and Educational Institutions recognized by the Government or University OR Other Competent Authority and similar Quasi Government Institutions within the State.
- (e) If a local candidate in respect of a local area is not available to fill any seat reserved or allocated in favour of a local candidate in respect of that local area, such seat shall be filled if it had not been reserved.

NOTE:

For details, see the A.P Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions) Order, 1974 as subsequently amended.

## **Annexure-2**

List of recognized State Boards to award Intermediate or +2 and recognized by Board of Intermediate Education, A.P

| S.No | Board Name                                         |
|------|----------------------------------------------------|
| 1    | Andhra Pradesh Open School Society                 |
| 2    | Assam Higher Secondary Education Council           |
| 3    | Assam Sanskrit Board                               |
| 4    | Banasthali Vidyapith, Rajasthan                    |
| 5    | Bihar Board Of Open Schooling & Examination        |
| 6    | Bihar Sanskrit Shiksha Board                       |
| 7    | Bihar School Examination Board                     |
| 8    | Bihar State Madrasa Education Board                |
| 9    | Board Of Higher Secondary Examinations, Tamil Nadu |
| 10   | Board Of Intermediate Education, Andhra Pradesh    |

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|----|---------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 11 | Board Of Intermediate Education, Telangana                          |
| 12 | Board Of School Education, Haryana                                  |
| 13 | Board Of School Education, Uttarakhand                              |
| 14 | Board Of Secondary Education, Madhya Pradesh                        |
| 15 | Board Of Secondary Education, Rajasthan                             |
| 16 | Central Board Of Secondary Education                                |
| 17 | Chhatisgarh Board Of Secondary Education                            |
| 18 | Chhatisgarh Madrasa Board                                           |
| 19 | Chhatisgarh Sanskrit Board, Raipur                                  |
| 20 | Chhatisgarh State Open School                                       |
| 21 | Council for the Indian School Certificate Examinations              |
| 22 | Council Of Higher Secondary Education, Manipur                      |
| 23 | Council Of Higher Secondary Education, Odisha                       |
| 24 | Dayalbagh Educational Institute (Deemed University)                 |
| 25 | Goa Board Of Secondary And Higher Secondary Education               |
| 26 | Govt. Of Karnataka Dept. Of Pre-University Education                |
| 27 | Gujarat Secondary And Higher Secondary Education Board              |
| 28 | Himachal Pradesh Board Of School Education                          |
| 29 | Jammu And Kashmir State Board Of School Education                   |
| 30 | Jharkhand Academic Council, Ranchi                                  |
| 31 | Kerala Board Of Higher Secondary Education                          |
| 32 | Madhya Pradesh State Open School                                    |
| 33 | Maharashtra State Board Of Secondary And Higher Secondary Education |
| 34 | Maharishi Patanjali Sanskrit Sansthan, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh       |
| 35 | Meghalaya Board Of School Education                                 |
| 36 | Mizoram Board Of School Education                                   |
| 37 | Nagaland Board Of School Education                                  |
| 38 | National Institute Of Open Schooling                                |
| 39 | Punjab School Education Board                                       |
| 40 | Rajasthan State Open School, Jaipur                                 |

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|----|------------------------------------------------------------|
| 41 | Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan, New Delhi                     |
| 42 | Tripura Board Of Secondary Education                       |
| 43 | Uttar Pradesh Board Of High School &Intermediate Education |
| 44 | Uttar Pradesh Sec. Sanskrit Education Council              |
| 45 | West Bengal Board Of Madrasah Education                    |
| 46 | West Bengal Council Of Higher Secondary Education          |
| 47 | West Bengal Council Of Rabindra Open Schooling             |
| 48 | International Baccalaureate                                |
| 49 | Bhutan Council For School Examinations &Assessment         |
| 50 | Cambridge International Examinations, UK                   |
| 51 | Edexcel, London                                            |
| 52 | Higher Secondary Education Board, Nepal                    |
| 53 | Inter Board Committee Of Chairmen(IBCC),Islamabad          |
| 54 | Mauritius Examination Syndicate                            |
| 55 | The Aga Khan University Examination Board,Karachi          |
| 56 | Telangana Open School Society                              |
| 57 | RGUKT, Basar (IIIT)                                        |
| 58 | Pre Degree Course                                          |

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**The Andhra Pradesh (50 Percent Reservation to BCs, SCs, STs, and Minorities in all the Nominated Posts) Act, 2019**

Act 24 of 2019

**Keyword(s):**

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**No. 24] AMARAVATI, SATURDAY, 17<sup>th</sup> AUGUST, 2019.**

**ANDHRA PRADESH ACTS, ORDINANCES AND  
REGULATIONS Etc.,**

The following Act of the Andhra Pradesh Legislature received the assent of the Governor on the 14<sup>th</sup> August, 2019 and the said assent is hereby first published on the 17<sup>th</sup> August, 2019 in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette for general information :

**ACT No. 24 of 2019**

**AN ACT TO PROVIDE RESERVATION IN NOMINATED POSTS FOR  
POLITICAL UPLIFTMENT OF BCs, SCs, STs AND MINORITIES AND  
FOR MATTERS CONNECTED THEREWITH OR INCIDENTAL  
THERETO.**

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Andhra Pradesh in the  
Seventieth Year of the Republic of India, as follows:

1. (1) This Act may be called the Andhra Pradesh (50 Percent Reservation to BCs, SCs, STs and Minorities in all the Nominated Posts) Act, 2019. Short title, extent and commencement.

(2) It extends to the whole of the State of Andhra Pradesh.

(3) It shall come into force on such date as the State Government may, by notification in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette, appoint.

2. In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires,-

Definitions.

- (a) "Backward classes" means the class or classes of people other than the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes, who are socially and educationally backward, as may be notified by the Government of Andhra Pradesh in the State Gazette, from time to time;
- (b) "Government" means the Government of Andhra Pradesh;
- (c) "Minority", for the purposes of this Act, means a community notified as such by the Central Government;
- (d) "Nominated Post" means Office to which an appointment is made or proposed by the Government;
- (e) "Notification" means Notification published in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette and the word notified shall be construed, accordingly;
- (f) "Prescribed" means prescribed by Rules made under this Act;
- (g) "Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes" shall have the meanings assigned to them respectively under Clause (24) and Clause (25) of Article 366 of the Constitution of India.

Reservation.

- 3. There shall be 50 % Reservation to BCs, SCs, STs and Minorities in all the nominated posts in all the Corporations / Agencies / Bodies / Boards / Societies / Committees functioning under all the Administrative Departments of the State of Andhra Pradesh,-
  - (i) There shall be 50 % Reservation to BCs, SCs, STs and Minorities in respect of all the nominated posts of Chairpersons in all the Corporations / Agencies / Bodies / Boards / Societies / Committees, functioning under all the Administrative Departments of the State of Andhra Pradesh;
  - (ii) There shall be 50% Reservation to BCs, SCs, STs and Minorities in respect of all the nominated posts of Directors/Members in all the Corporations / Agencies / Bodies / Boards / Societies / Committees, functioning under all the Administrative Departments of the State of Andhra Pradesh;
  - (iii) There shall be 50% Reservation in the Nominated Posts of Directors/ Members in Every Corporation/Agency/Body/Board/ Society/ Committee, as a Unit;
  - (iv) There shall be a minimum of 50% reservation for women out of the reservation earmarked for BCs, SCs, STs & Minorities in their respective Reservations in the nominated posts;

- (v) The above mentioned reservation is not applicable to the Bodies and Boards created under The Andhra Pradesh Charitable and Hindu Religious Institutions and Endowments Act, 1987 and The Wakf Act, 1995.

Act No. 30 of  
1987.

Central Act No.  
43 of 1995.

4. The 50% reservation to BCs, SCs, STs and Minorities in nominated posts shall be apportioned as follows :

Earmarking.

| Sl. No. | Category         | Percentage of Reservation |
|---------|------------------|---------------------------|
| 1.      | BCs & Minorities | 29%                       |
| 2.      | SC               | 15%                       |
| 3.      | ST               | 6%                        |
|         | <b>TOTAL</b>     | <b>50%</b>                |

5. General Administration Department shall be the Nodal Department to monitor the reservation in the nominated posts. The Administrative Department concerned shall submit information in respect of said reservation to the GAD which shall maintain the list of all such nominated posts.

Nodal  
Department.

6. (1) If any difficulty arises in giving effect to the provisions of the Act, the Government may, by order, make such provisions, not inconsistent with the provisions of the Act, as appear to them to be necessary or expedient for removing the difficulty:

Power to remove  
difficulties.

Provided that no such order shall be made after the expiry of two years from the commencement of the Act.

(2) Every order made under this section shall as soon as, may be, after it is made, laid before each house of the State Legislature.

7. Unless otherwise expressly provided in this Act, the provisions of this Act and of any orders and rules made thereunder shall have effect, notwithstanding anything inconsistent therewith contained in any other law for the time being in force or any instrument having effect by virtue of such law.

Act to override  
the other laws.

Power to  
make  
rules.

8. (1) The Government may, by notification, make rules for carrying out all or any of the purposes of this Act.

(2) Every rule made under this Act shall, immediately after it is made, be laid before the Legislature of the State, if it is in session and if it is not in session, in the session immediately following for a total period of fourteen days which may be comprised in one session or in two successive sessions and if, before the expiration of the session in which it is so laid or the session immediately following the Legislature agrees in making any modification in the rule or in the annulment of the rule, the rule shall, from the date on which the modification or annulment is notified, have effect only in such modified form or shall stand annulled as the case may be so, however, that any such modification or annulment shall be without prejudice to the validity of anything previously done under that rule.

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