

MIZORAM PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
LIMITED DEPARTMENTAL EXAMINATION FOR PROMOTION TO
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF SURVEY / ASSISTANT SURVEY OFFICER
UNDER LAND REVENUE AND SETTLEMENT DEPARTMENT,
GOVERNMENT OF MIZORAM.
(MARCH-2026)

PAPER - II

Time Allowed : 3 hours

Full Marks : 100

Pass Marks : 40

Attempt all questions.
Marks are indicated against each question.

A. MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

Direction (Question Nos. 1 - 7) : Multiple choice question:

(7×2=14)

(Each question carries **2 marks** each)

I. Conduct Rules, 1964

1. Which of the following activities is not allowed for a government servant?
- (a) Participating in an amateur sports activity
 - (b) Occasionally publishing a book novel
 - (c) Occasionally investing in the stock market through a licensed stock broker
 - (d) Participate in the making of a privately produced media programme

II. CCS(CCA) Rules, 1965

2. A day cannot be marked as dies-non:
- (a) when an official remains absent from duty without prior information
 - (b) when on duty in office, the official leaves the office without proper permission
 - (c) when the official arrives late for work
 - (d) when the official remains in office, but refuses to perform duty assigned to him

3. Which of the following amounts to a penalty as per CCS(CCA) Rules, 1965?

- (a) Compulsory retirement of a government servant in accordance with the provisions relating to his superannuation or retirement
- (b) recovery from his pay of the whole or part of a pecuniary loss caused by him
- (c) reversion of a government servant appointment on probation to any other service, grade or post to a lower service unconnected to his conduct
- (d) non-promotion of a government servant, whether in substantive or officiating capacity, after consideration of his case, to a service grade or post for promotion to which he is eligible

III. Fundamental Rules Chapter II, III, IV, V, VII

4. An honorarium is:

- (a) a fixed monthly allowance paid automatically along with salary for routine duties
- (b) any payment received from private companies in lieu of professional services rendered by a government servant
- (c) a reimbursement of daily allowance and expenses on tour due to official work
- (d) a recurring or non-recurring payment granted to a government servant as remuneration for special work of occasional or intermittent character

5. A foreign service means:

- (a) A service in which a government servant received his pay from any source other than the consolidated Fund of India/State/Union Territory with the sanction of the government
- (b) any posting outside India where the official gets his salary in a foreign currency
- (c) service under a foreign government, an Indian Embassy or a multi-lateral agency
- (d) any deputation to another government or PSU, but paid by the government treasury

IV. Central Treasury Rules Volume I

6. The full form of LOC as per the General Financial Rules is:

- (a) Leave of Credit
- (b) Liability of Contract
- (c) Letter of Credit
- (d) Lump-sum of Credit

7. The correct reason to withdraw money from a treasury would be:

- (a) To prevent lapse of grants
- (b) For immediate disbursement due to liabilities
- (c) In anticipation of demands
- (d) For the creation of a revolving fund so as to meet emergency expenditure

B. CONVENTIONAL TYPE QUESTIONS

Marks are indicated against each question.

I. Conduct Rules, 1964

1. Is it acceptable for an official of Land Revenue and Settlement Department to accept gifts in return for expediting land surveys? Justify your stance using the relevant section of Conduct Rules, 1964. (3)
2. What constitutes sexual harassment of working women as per Conduct Rules? (4)
3. Explain the restrictions on government servants and the family regarding politics and elections? (5)
4. Write the general codes of conduct that are expected from a government servant. (6)

II. CCS(CCA) Rules, 1965

5. Define a Head of Office as defined by the CCS(CCA) rules. (2)
6. Explain the difference between Censure and Warning. (3)
7. What are the types of cases that may result in the imposition of major penalties? Give some examples. (5)
8. Write the minor and major penalties as per CCS(CCA) rules. (6)

III. Fundamental Rules Chapter II, III, IV, V, VII

9. Explain how an unauthorized absence from duty can cause a break in service as per Fundamental Rules. (4)
10. Explain the regulation of pay as envisaged by FR 22 I(a) (1) and (2). (4)
11. What are the ingredients for fixing the license fee of a residence owned by the government? (2)
12. What costs can be imposed on a government servant due to overstay in government residence after the cancellation of allotment? (2)
13. What is subsistence allowance? (2)
14. How should a period of suspension be treated if a government servant dies during the period of suspension before the completion of disciplinary proceedings? (2)

IV. General Financial Rules 2017

15. What is a sanction order? (2)
16. Explain the meaning of reappropriation of a budget. (2)
17. What is direct benefit transfer? (2)

18. Up to what value of goods can be procured on the recommendation of a local purchase committee? (2)
19. Distinguish between capital and revenue expenditure. (3)
20. Describe the responsibilities of a Controlling Officer in respect of budget allocation. (4)
21. What are the necessary approvals that are required to be undertaken before undertaking a new work or incurring a new liability? (5)

V. Central Treasury Rules Volume I

22. What is a voucher? (2)
23. What is the meaning of Contingent Charge? (2)
24. What is a permanent advance/imprest? (3)
25. Describe the procedure laid down by the Central Treasury Rules on the payment of arrears of pay and fixed allowances of leave salary. (4)
26. Write down the responsibilities of Drawing and Disbursing Officers for moneys withdrawn from the Treasury. (5)

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