EXTRA ORDINARY GAZETTE DATE: 03.08.2020

LAST DATE: 09.09.2020 CATEGORY NO: 24/2020

Applications are invited online only through One Time Registration from qualified candidates for appointment in the undermentioned post in Kerala Government Service.

1.	Department	:	Kerala State Planning Board
2.	Name of Post	:	Agronomist
3.	Scale of pay	:	Rs.60,900-1,03,600
4.	Number of vacancy	:	01(One)

The above vacancy is now in existence. The Ranked list published by the Commission in response to this notification shall remain in force for a minimum period of one year provided that the said list will continue to be in force till the publication of a new list after the expiry of the minimum period of one year or till the expiry of three years whichever is earlier. Candidates will be advised from the said list against the vacancies reported to the Commission in writing during the period of currency of the list.

5.	Method of appointment	-	Direct recruitment			
6.	Age limit	-	25-50: Only candidates born between 02.01.1970 and 01.01.1995 (both dates are included) are eligible to apply for this post.			
7.	Qualifications	_	(a) A First or Second Class Masters Degree in Agronomy (b)Five (5) years experience in agricultural planning at the state level.			

Note:

- 1). Only a pass in Masters Degree in the concerned subject is necessary in the case of candidates already in the department.
- 2). The qualification of experience prescribed for the post shall be one acquired after the acquisition of academic qualification prescribed for the post.
- 3). Candidates belonging to SC/ST communities of Kerala State need not possess the qualification of experience prescribed for the post.
- 4).Rule 10 a (ii) of Part II KS & SSR is applicable.
- 5). Candidate who claim equivalent qualifications instead of qualifications mentioned in the notification shall produce the relevant government order to prove the equivalency at the time of verification, then only such qualifications shall be treated as equivalent to the prescribed qualification concerned.

6).In the case of difference in original Caste/Community claimed in the application and that entered in the SSLC Book ,the candidate shall produce a gazette notification in this regard, along with Non-Creamy Layer Certificate/Community Certificate at the time of certificate verification.

Probation

Every person appointed to this post shall be on probation for a total period of two years duty within a continuous period of three years from the date on which he joins duty.

8. Mode of submitting Application:-

- a) Candidates must register as per ONE TIME REGISTRATION with the official Website of Kerala Public Service Commission www.keralapsc.gov.in before applying for the post. Candidates who have registered can apply by logging on to their profile using their User-ID and password. Candidates must click on the "Apply Now" button of the respective posts in the Notification Link to apply for a post. The Photograph uploaded should be taken after 31.12.2010. Name of the candidate and the date of photograph taken should be printed legibly at the bottom portion of the photograph. The photograph once uploaded meeting all requirements shall be valid for 10 years from the date of uploading. There is no change in other instructions regarding the uploading of photographs. No application fee is required. Candidates shall take a printout of the application by clicking the link "Registration Card" in their profile. Candidates are responsible for the correctness of the personal information and secrecy of password. Before the final submission of the application candidates must ensure correctness of the information in their profile. They must quote the User-ID for further communication with the Commission. Application submitted is provisional and cannot be deleted or altered after submission. The application will be summarily rejected if noncompliance with the notification is found in due course of processing. Original Documents to prove qualification, age, Community etc. have to be produced as and when called for.
- b) If Written/OMR/Online Test is conducted as part of this selection, candidates shall submit a confirmation for writing the examination through their one time registration profile. Such candidates alone can generate and download the admission tickets in the last 15 days till the date of test .The application of the candidates who do not submit confirmation within the stipulated period will be rejected summarily. The periods regarding the submission of confirmation and availability of admission tickets will be published in the examination calendar itself. Information in this regard will be given to candidates in their respective profiles and mobile phones registered in it.
- c) Appropriate disciplinary action as per Rules of Procedure Rule 22 shall be initiated against those candidates who submit applications with bogus claims of qualification regarding education, experience etc. and submit confirmation for writing the examination, irrespective of whether they are present or absent for the examination.
- **d)** Candidates who have AADHAAR card should add AADHAAR Card as I.D Proof in their profile

- 9.Last date for submission of application:- 09.09.2020, Wednesday upto 12.00 midnight.
- 10.Address to which applications are to be sent : www.keralapsc.gov.in

(Candidates must see the General Conditions in Part II of the Gazette Notification for instructions regarding Photo, ID Card etc.).

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