# PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, WEST BENGAL.

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Scheme and Syllabus of the *Preliminary Screening Test* for recruitment to the post of Controller of Examination

In the Secretariat of Public Service Commission, West Bengal

### Scheme:

- (i) <u>No. of questions and marks on each question</u>: 100 objective M.C.Q. type question carrying 1 mark each and 20 marks will be on descriptive type questions.
- (ii) Duration of the examination: 1 ½ (one and half) hours.

**N.B.:** There will be negative marking for wrong answers in respect of the objective-type questions. 1/3 mark will be deducted for each wrong answer.

# Syllabus:

#### Section A: General Knowledge (100 marks/objective type)

- (i) Current Affairs National and International.
- (ii) Issues of National and International Economy.
- (iii) Sports.
- (iv) Science and Technology.
- (v) Environment including Climate Change.
- (vi) History and Cultural Heritage.
- (vii) Indian Polity including Indian Constitution.
- (viii) Geography.

#### Section B: English Language aptitude test (20 marks/descriptive type)

- (i) Comprehension of a given passage 8
- (ii) Identifying figures of speech in given sentences 4
- (iii) Letter drafting 8