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Union Public Service Commission
Dholpur House, Shahjahan Road
New Delhi-110069

Dated the 23rd May, 2023.

To

The Chief Secretary,
Government of West Bengal,
NABANNA,
HOWRAH (West Bengal)-711102.

[Kind Attn.: Shri B.P. Gopalika, Addl. Chief Secretary (Personnel)]

Sub: Selection Committee Meeting for preparation of Select List of 2021 for selection of Non-SCS officers for appointment to the IAS of West Bengal Cadre-Reg.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to Commission's letter dated 4th May, 2023 whereby the Selection Committee Meeting (SCM) for interview of Non-SCS officers for selection for appointment to the IAS of West Bengal Cadre for the Select List of 2021 scheduled for 8th and 9th May, 2023 was postponed.

2. The aforesaid SCM for interview of Non-SCS officers is now scheduled for **15.06.2023 and 16.06.2023 at 11:00 AM onwards at office of UPSC, Dholpur House, Shahjahan Raod, New Delhi.**

3. The State Government is requested to kindly intimate all the members of the Selection Committee from the State Government about the date, time and venue of the aforesaid meeting.

4. The Non-SCS officers in the zone of consideration may also be informed about the date, time and venue of the SCM for attending the interview on the date and time mentioned in the Annexure.

Yours faithfully,

(S.P.Singh)
Deputy Secretary/Consultant (AIS)

Copy to: The Secretary to the Govt. of India, DoP&T, North Block, New Delhi.**[Kind Attn: Shri Pankaj Gangwar, Under Secretary (AIS-I)]** with the request that two officers not below the rank of Joint Secretary to Govt. of India may be nominated for the aforesaid meeting. A copy of the indicative syllabus may be provided to them.

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Annexure

Date of interview	S. No.	Name (Shri/Smt.)
15.06.2023 At UPSC, New Delhi at 11:00 AM	1.	Pampa Sur
	2.	Arun Kumar Mondal
	3.	Gautam Kumar Ghosh
	4.	Chinmoy Gupta
	5.	Mingma Bhutia
	6.	Sima Sarkar
	7.	Anindya Mitra
	8.	Subrata Biswas
	9.	Sudeshna Mukhopadhyay
	10.	Rishi Pada Naskar
	11.	Sabnam Mukhopadhyay
	12.	Maîtree Sen
	13.	Nilima Mondal
16.06.2023 At UPSC, New Delhi at 11:00 AM	14.	Brajesh Kumar Singh
	15.	Kunal Biswas
	16.	Subrata Kumar De
	17.	Somenath Mukherjee
	18.	Mobin Al-Rashid
	19.	Amit Kumar Sarkar
	20.	Amit Kumar Mondal
	21.	Md. Shah Nawaz
	22.	Chandana Mitra
	23.	Partha Pratim Jana
	24.	Mohammed Zafrullah
	25.	Dilip Kumar Das

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Indicative syllabus regarding personal interview for selection of Non-SCS officers for appointment to the IAS.

1. Good knowledge of history, culture and geography of the State in which the candidate is already working.

2. A broad awareness of India's historical background for the evolution of its diverse and multi-cultural society, its composite culture and its rich heritage; India's struggle for freedom and the emergence of the Republic of India.

3. A broad perspective of Indian political system, concepts of parliamentary democracy, cabinet form of government, unitary vs. federal systems of government, rule of law, rights, judicial review etc.; characteristics of Indian Constitution, Indian federalism, Centre-State relations, regional disparities, regional identities and conflicts.

4. Basic knowledge of India's economy, economic inequalities and social disparities. India's developmental issues and goals. India's internal and external trade. India's monetary and fiscal policies. The role, responsibility and strategy formulation of Governments (Centre and States) in social and economic development and in improving the Human Development Indices. Emerging trends and issues in India's internal trade, taxation, economy and financial management. Digitalization of financial system, reduction of corruption and promotion of financial inclusion.

5. Emerging trends in governance, good governance practices, e-governance, use of information technology and communication

technology in government business, role and impact of social media in governance, citizens' charter, transparency in governance including policies and initiatives of the government in furtherance of this objective viz., RTI Lokpal etc., quality of service delivery, Policies and initiatives of the government for inclusive growth & women's empowerment, disaster management, utilization of public funds and such other knowledge of governance which a civil service officer is expected to possess.

6. Awareness of India's human capital, India's demographic profile, India's policies and programmes to take advantage of 'Demographic Dividend'.

7. Fundamental awareness of India's ecology and environment, India's vulnerability to 'Global Warming and Climate Change', India's preparedness, policies and programmes for adaptation to the impending hazards and dangers of global warming and climate change etc. Ecological assessment of developmental projects, integration of environmental costs in budgets and development programmes. Emerging issues and developments in Ecology and Environment at national and international level.

8. Fundamental awareness of India's natural resource base including biodiversity. The concepts of judicious and sustainable use of natural resources. The role, responsibility, plans, policies and programmes of the Governments (Centre and States) in the conservation of natural resources including Genetic Resources.

9. Concept of sustainable development, awareness of emerging issues and trends in this regard. India's preparedness and programmes to achieve "Sustainable Development Goals".

10. Awareness of India's scientific and technological power and progress, developing a high-tech, knowledge-based economy; and visualizing India as an advanced country.

11. A broad awareness of developments in international arena. Emerging trends in geopolitics, economy, regional rivalries and conflicts. United Nations and various associations and groupings like ASEAN, BRICS, G4, G20, BIMSTEC, SCO etc., and important and influential international voluntary organizations. India as an emerging economic and regional power, India's strategic interests and core concerns. India's bilateral and multilateral relations including trade relations. An awareness of emerging trends and developments in global economy and their impact on India; the phenomenon of globalization, India's integration in globalization, consequences of globalization, etc. and such other aspects of knowledge of global politics and economy which a civil service officer is expected to possess.

{Vide Commission's decision dated 17 March, 2017}

(Kumar Vaibhav Gaur)
Joint Secretary (AIS)