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Assam Public Service Commission invites application from Indian Citizens as defined in Articles 5 to 8 of the Constitution of India for the under-mentioned posts under Assam Government in the scale of pay as indicated below and carrying usual allowances as admissible under Rules of the Govt. of Assam.

- (1) **Name of the Post** : Class-I (Junior Grade) Home Guards in Assam Home Guards Services Under Home and Political Department.
- (2) **No of posts** : 22 (Twenty Two) Nos.
- (3) **Reservation of posts:**

Name of the Service/ Post	Open Category		Reserved for OBC/ MOBC		Reserved for TT & ADIVASI		Reserved for SC		Reserved For STP		Reserved For STH		Grand Total		Post reserved for PwBD & Type of Disability	Post reserved For Ex-Servicemen
	Total	RFW	Total	RFW	Total	RFW	Total	RFW	Total	RFW	Total	RFW	Total	RFW		
Class-I (Junior Grade) Assam Home Guards Services	13	4	3	1	0	0	2	1	3	1	1	0	22	7	0	1

*PwBD – Persons with Benchmark Disabilities; RFW – Reserved for Women.

*Reservation as per draft advertisement received from Government against total numbers of posts in the cadre.

NB: The Ex-Servicemen must upload Ex-Servicemen Identity Card issued by Zila Sainik Welfare Office of the state of Assam and Discharge Book while applying for the reserved post.

4. **Scale of Pay:** Pay scale + Grade Pay + Other allowances as admissible to the Assam State Government employees from time to time (per month).

Pay scale	Grade Pay	Pay Band
Rs. 22,000/- to Rs. 97,000/-	Rs. 11,800/-	Pay Band - 3

BEFORE FILLING UP THE APPLICATION FORM, CANDIDATES MUST NOTE THAT THE REQUIRED CERTIFICATES RELATING TO AGE, CASTE AND MINIMUM EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION WILL BE FETCHED FROM THE OTR PROFILE. CANDIDATES ARE TO UPDATE THE OTR PROFILE IF ANY ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS ARE TO BE UPLOADED IN SUPPORT OF THE ADVERTISED POST.

5. Eligibility Criteria:

The candidate must be an Indian Citizen as defined in Article 5 to 8 of the Constitution of India and must be a permanent resident of Assam.

As a domicile proof of the candidate, he/she must upload a copy of the valid Permanent Resident Certificate issued in Assam for educational purpose/Employment Exchange Registration Certificate will be treated as proof of residency.

(Upload relevant documents)

6. Education Qualification:

Minimum qualification is Graduate in any discipline of a University recognized by Government.

(Upload relevant all semester/year mark sheet reflecting the subjects and the final pass certificate)

7. Age:

The candidates should not be less than 21 years of age and not more than 38 years of age as on **01-01-2026**.

The upper age limit is relaxable :

- (i) By 5 years for SC/ST candidates, i.e. upto 43 years.
- (ii) By 3 years for OBC/MOBC candidates i.e. upto 41 years as per Govt. Notification No. ABP. 6/2016/9 dated Dispur the 25th April, 2018.
- (iii) **For Ex-Servicemen, the maximum age shall be 50 years as on 01-01-2026 for Unreserved category, relaxable further by 3 (Three) years for OBC/MOBC candidates and 5 (Five) years for SC/ST candidates as per the Assam gazette notification no. ABP.48/2009/8, dated 19-12-2022.**

The age limit of the candidates will be calculated on the basis of the **Class-X/Class-XII Examination Admit Card/Pass Certificate/Marksheet** issued by a recognized Central/State Board/Council where **Age/Date of Birth (DOB)** is clearly reflected.

No other document shall be accepted in lieu of the above-mentioned documents for age proof.

(Upload relevant documents)

8. PwBD Category :

“ Not applicable ”

9. For Government Employees of the state of Assam:

Candidates, already in regular Government service, whether in permanent or temporary capacity other than casual/ad-hoc/daily wages/hourly paid/contract basis, in order to prove their employment, must upload a certificate against the applied post, issued by the competent authority under which he/she is working.

However, candidates, seeking pay protection, continuation in service etc., must upload **‘NO OBJECTION CERTIFICATE (NOC)’** against the applied post, issued by the competent authority under which he/she is working.

(Upload relevant documents)

10. The Small Family Norms :

As per Govt. notification No. ABP.69/2019/17, dated Dispur, the 6th November/2019, candidates have to submit a declaration regarding “The Small Family Norms” in Form - A at the time of applying for the post.

(Upload relevant documents)

11. Mode of examination:-

(i) Written Examination:

Written test comprising of following papers:

Paper -I: General Ability and Intelligence test - 200 Marks.

The question in this paper shall be of Objective (Multiple Answers) Type in which the question shall be set in English.

The objective type questions with multiple choices in this paper shall broadly cover the following areas: General Mental Ability, General Science, Current Events of National and International Importance, Indian Polity and Economy, History of India, Indian and World Geography.

Paper-II: General Studies, Essay and Comprehension -200 Marks.

In this paper candidates shall be allowed the option of writing the Essay Component in English or Assamese, but the medium of Precis Writing, Comprehension Components and other communications/language skills will be English only.

Note-I: Candidates should ensure that in Paper-II they write the answers only in the medium allowed by the Commission for the different Components as mentioned above. No credit shall be given for answers written in a medium other than the one allowed in the Paper. Candidates shall be required to indicate the medium of Essay Component in the Attendance Lists and on the Answer Book. No credit shall be given for the Essay Component if the candidate indicates a medium on the Attendance List and on the Answer Book other than the one in which he / she has written the Essay.

Note-II : There shall be minimum qualifying marks separately in each Paper as may be fixed by the Commission in their discretion. Paper-I shall be evaluated first and evaluation of Paper-II shall be done only of those candidates who obtain the minimum qualifying marks in Paper-I.

Part-A - Essay questions which are to be answered in long narrative form either in Assamese or English totalling **80 Marks**. The indicative topics are modern Indian history especially of the freedom struggle, geography, polity and economy, knowledge of security and human rights issues, and analytical ability.

Part-B - Comprehension précis writing, other communication / language skills - to be attempted in English only (**Marks 120**) – The topics are Comprehension passages, précis writing, developing counter arguments, simple grammar and other aspects of language testing.

(ii) Physical Standards / Physical Efficiency Tests and Medical Standards Tests :

Candidates who are declared qualified in the written examination shall be summoned for Physical Standards / Physical Efficiency Tests and Medical Standards Tests. Those candidates who meet the prescribed Physical Standards, specified in Schedule-IV (1) shall be put through the Physical Efficiency Tests as indicated below:

Physical Efficiency Test (PET)

Sl. No.	Physical Efficiency Test	Male	Female
a.	100 meters race	16 seconds (Max.)	18 seconds (Max.)
b.	800 meters race	3 minutes and 45 seconds (Max.)	4 minutes and 45 seconds (Max.)
c.	Long Jump (Longest jump shall be counted)	3.5 Meters (Min.) (3 chances)	3.0 Meters (Min.) (3 chances)

Pregnancy at the time of PET shall be a disqualification and pregnant female candidate shall be rejected.

Medical Standards Tests, to check the standards specified in Schedule-IV (2) of the Assam Home Guards Service Rules, 2020 shall be conducted only in respect of candidates who are declared qualified in the Physical Efficiency Test.

The Physical Standards / Physical Efficiency Tests and Medical Standards Tests shall be conducted under the supervision of a Nodal Authority to be appointed by the Government in consultation with competent authority. These tests shall be conducted at centres to be notified after the results of the written examination.

Appeals shall be entertained only against the Medical Standards Tests and shall have to be made to the Appellate Authority designated by the Government within a period of 15 days from the date of declaration of the results of these tests.

(iii) Interview / Personality Test:

Candidates who are declared qualified in the Medical Standards Tests, shall be called for Interview/Personality Test to be conducted by the Commission. Candidates who are declared medically unfit but allowed to appear before the "Review Medical Board" on their appeal by the Appellate Authority shall be called for Interview / Personality Tests provisionally.

The Interview / Personality Test shall carry 50 Marks.

(iv) Final Selection/ Merit:

The merit list will be drawn on the basis of marks obtained by the candidates in the Written Examination and Interview / Personality Test.

12. Physical Standards:

The minimum requirements for the candidate are as follows:

i. Height (minimum)

Sl. No.	Category	Male	Female
a.	General / OBC / SC	5 ft. - 4 inch (165 cm)	5 ft. - 1 inch (157cm)
b.	ST (P) / ST (H)	5 ft.- 3 inch (162 cm)	5 ft. (152.40 cm)

ii. Chest (minimum)

Sl. No.	Category	Male/Female	
		Normal	Expansion
a.	General / OBC / SC / ST (P)	80cm	85cm
b.	ST (H)	78cm	83cm

iii. Weight

Proportionate to height and age as per medical standard.

13. Medical Standards :

- (a) **Eye Sight:** The minimum distant vision should be 6/6 and 6/9 of two eyes without correction i.e. without wearing of glasses.
- (b) **Ear:**
 - (i) Candidate should not have any degree of deafness or persistent ear discharge.
 - (ii) Candidate should not have any other condition (congenital or acquired) like atresia of the meatus, exostosis, neoplasm which is causing obstruction of ear passage and should not have history of recurrent earache, tinnitus and vertigo.

- (c) **Nose:** Candidates should not have DNS, atrophic rhinitis, tubercular ulceration, chronic sinusitis.
- (d) **Neck:** Candidate should not have enlarged lymph nodes, thyroid or other swelling of neck, inability to extend the neck fully or any evidence of disease of spine or cervical vertebrae.
- (e) **Teeth:** Candidate must possess sufficient number of sound teeth for efficient mastication. Candidates should not have severe pyorrhea.
- (f) **Venereal Disease :** Candidate should not have active signs of clinical VD.
- (g) **Chronic skin diseases:** Candidate should not have chronic skin diseases like Leprosy, chronic dermatitis, extensive Pityriasis Versicolor, psoriasis, SLE etc.

14. General Standards:

- (a) Speech should be without impediment i.e. no stammering.
- (b) The candidate should not have any indication of chronic disease like TB, any type of arthritis, high blood pressure, diabetes, bronchial asthma, any heart disease.
- (c) Candidate should not have perceptible and visible glandular swelling anywhere in the body.
- (d) Chest should be well formed, devoid of any abnormality like flat chest, pigeon chest, with rickety rosary defects. Heart and lungs should be sound.
- (e) Limbs, hands and feet should be well formed and fully developed and there shall be perfect motion of all joints.
- (f) Should not have any old /mal united fracture of bones.
- (g) There should be free and perfect movements of all the joints.
- (h) Feet and toes should be well formed.
- (i) Should not have congenital malformation or defects.
(Candidate must have completed 06 months after LASIK surgery while considering for recruitment in AHGS)
- (j) Should not bear traces of previous acute or chronic disease pointing to an impaired constitution.
- (k) Candidate should have no disease of the genitourinary tract.
- (l) Candidate should have no inguinal, scrotal swelling, any type of Hernia.
- (m) (Only for male) Both the testicles are in the scrotum and of normal size.
- (n) The candidate must not have knock knees, varicose veins.
- (o) They must be in good mental and bodily health and free from any physical defect likely to interfere with the efficient performance of the duties.
- (p) Candidate should not suffer from TACHYCARDIA (more than 100 pulse rate per minute) or BRADYCARDIA (less than 50 per minute).
- (q) Candidate should not suffer from Hernia, haemorrhoids, condylomata prolapse rectum.
- (r) Physical Efficiency Test (PET), Medical Test will be done by State Level Recruitment Board(SLPRB) after the commencement of the screening and written test. The Physical Efficiency Test (PET), Medical Test will be done centrally at Guwahati.

15. Character Certificate :

A candidate shall produce to the Commission the following certificates of good character from - (a) the Principal / Academic Officer of the University or College or educational Institute in which he studied last; and (b) two respectable persons, who are well acquainted with (but not related to) the candidate.

- 16. Ex-servicemen reservation will be applicable as per the Assam gazette notification no.ABP.48/2009/8, dated 19-12-2022.
- 17. PRC/Employment Exchange will be acceptable as proof of domicile for filling up of the application form against the aforementioned posts.

The advertisement has been issued as **per draft advertisement furnished by the Government.**

- (i) **STARTING DATE FOR ONLINE APPLICATION : 08-05-2026.**
- (ii) **CLOSING DATE FOR ONLINE APPLICATION: 07-06-2026.**
- (iii) **LAST DATE FOR PAYMENT OF APPLICATION FEE: 09-06-2026.**

APPLICATION FEES: Under the Digital India initiative by Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY), Government of India, APSC has decided to launch its Online Recruitment portal with the help of CSC-SPV, a MeitY approved organization, which will charge a processing fee, etc of Rs.47.20/- from each candidate. The Application Fee is as per Govt. Notification No. FEG.32/2016/8-A dated Dispur the 28th October, 2016 communicated vide letter No.ABP.60/2014/11 dated 2nd February 2018 and Gazette Notification No. LGL.41/2024/43 dated 25th October, 2024.

Sl. No	Category	Application fee (Rs)	Processing Fee etc. Charged by CSC-SPV (Rs)	Total Amount (Rs)
1.	General	250	47.20	297.20
2.	OBC/MOBC	150	47.20	197.20
3.	SC/ST/BPL/PwBD	NIL	47.20	47.20

- (i) To avail application fees relaxation prescribed for SC/ST/OBC/MOBC/BPL/PwBD, candidates must produce certificate of the claimed category issued by competent authority.
- (ii) Applications without the prescribed fee would not be considered and summarily rejected. No representation against such rejection would be entertained.
- (iii) **Fees once paid shall not be refunded under any circumstances nor can the fees be held in reserved for any other examination or selection.**

➤ **HOW TO APPLY**

- Applicants are required to apply online through the APSC Recruitment website <https://apscrecruitment.in>. No other means/mode of application will be accepted.
- Applicants who have not yet registered in the APSC Online Recruitment Portal must first visit the APSC recruitment website <https://apscrecruitment.in>, click on the 'Register Here' link, and complete the **One Time Registration (OTR)** process by providing the required basic details.
- Applicants are advised to register with a valid and active e-mail address and mobile number.**
- After registration, applicants should log in using their registered e-mail/mobile number and password.
- After login, applicants need to provide the required registration details as asked in the form.
- Applicants must carefully read the eligibility criteria and other relevant details before applying. Mandatory fields are marked with an asterisk (*).
- Applicants must upload the required documents/certificates (e.g. Date of Birth, Educational Qualifications, caste/category etc.) in **PDF format**, ensuring that:
 - File size does not exceed **4 MB**,
 - The file is legible in print,
 - Scanning is done at **200 dpi in greyscale** (recommended).
- Applicants must upload their **recent Photograph** (size: 50 KB – 200 KB, not older than 3 months) and **Signature** (size: 50 KB – 200 KB).
- Uploaded documents will be verified at later stages of the recruitment process.
- Applicants should fill all details carefully and tick the declaration checkbox to enable the **Preview** option before final submission.
- No editing of the application will be allowed after final submission. Applicants must therefore ensure all details and uploads are correct.
- Before submission, applicants should check uploaded documents (educational qualification, age proof, caste certificate, etc.) using the Preview option to confirm that the documents are clear and legible.
- After previewing, applicants may either click '**Proceed to Pay**' to continue or '**Cancel**' to make necessary corrections.
- On completion of the form, applicants must pay the prescribed fee/charges, as applicable.
- Fee once paid will not be refunded.**

16. In case of payment failure/pending, applicants should click '**Check Status**' to verify payment with the bank/GRAS. In instances of double debit i.e. amount debited more than once for the same transaction, bank will automatically refund the fee within 5-7 working days.
17. Upon successful submission, an auto-generated confirmation e-mail/SMS will be sent to the registered e-mail ID/Mobile No.
18. Applications will not be considered valid unless the fee payment is completed.
19. Applicants may also fill their form through **Common Service Centres (CSCs)**. Those without debit card/Internet banking facilities may visit the nearest CSC.
20. After final submission, applicants must take a print-out of the submitted Online Application Form and retain the hard copy for future reference.
21. Applicants are advised to submit their Online Application well in advance, without waiting for the closing date.
22. For **Payment related queries**, contact **GRAS Helpdesk** at 1800-102-1686 (10:00 AM – 6:00 PM on all working days). For bank-related issues, applicants should contact their respective banks.
23. For **any other issues** related to the Online Application Form, contact:
 - a) E-mail: **cceapsc@gmail.com**
 - b) Helpline No.: **1800-572-23-43** (10:00 AM – 5:00 PM on all working days).

➤ **POINTS TO NOTE:**

1. The candidates before applying for the post(s)/service(s) should ensure that they fulfill all the eligibility conditions. **Their admission at all the stages of selection in which they are admitted by the Commission will be purely provisional and under scrutiny, subject to their satisfying the prescribed eligibility conditions. If on verification at any time or any stage before or after the Screening Examination or Written Examination and Interview Test, it is found that they do not fulfill any of the eligibility conditions; their candidature for the post(s)/service(s) will be cancelled by the Commission.**
2. It is for the candidates themselves to see whether they satisfy the prescribed physical requirement (physical standard) and whether he/she is eligible to apply where Examination of physical standard is conducted by the State Govt. before making any appointment.
3. No request for withdrawal of candidature received from a candidate after he/she has submitted his/her application will be entertained under any circumstances.
4. At any stage of the selection process no candidate shall be allowed to change his/her category (of caste etc)/sub-category/sub-categories as claimed by him/her in the original application form/online application form submitted to the Commission.
5. The candidates who furnish wrong, erroneous or incorrect information in their application form may be disqualified from appearing for any post advertised by the Commission up to a period to be specified by the Commission.
6. In case of detection of any false declaration / statement made by any applicant, his/her application will be rejected and will also be penalized as per prevailing Rules/Law. If in any case, submission of false material facts with a view to hoodwinking the Commission is detected even after the recommendation is made, the Commission may refer the matter to Government for taking necessary action.
7. The candidates shall have to produce identity proof like Pan Card, Driving Licence, Passport, Current ID card issued by the educational institutions, Voter ID Card, Aadhar Card (wherever applicable) at the time of Screening/Written test and Viva- Voice/ Interview.
8. The date for determining the eligibility of all candidates in every respect shall be the closing date for submitting the Online Recruitment Application on the website <https://apscrecruitment.in>. unless specifically mentioned in the recruitment advertisement.
9. Candidates must, if required, attend a personal interview/VIVA-VOCE at a specific place, as may be fixed by the Commission. The Commission does not defray the traveling or other expenses of candidates summoned for interview.
10. Candidates must be in sound bodily health. They must, if selected be prepared to undergo such medical examination and satisfy such medical authority as Government may require.

11. Candidates will be informed of the final result in due course through APSC website/News paper and any interim enquiries about the result are therefore, unnecessary and will not be attended to. The Commission does not enter into correspondence with the candidates about reasons for their non selection for interview/appointment.
12. Canvassing in any form will disqualify a candidate.

➤ **DOCUMENTS/CERTIFICATES TO BE PRODUCED AT THE TIME OF INTERVIEW.**

The following Original Documents/Certificates along with **Self-attested** copies and other items specified in the Intimation Letter/Admit Card for interview are to be produced at the time of interview, failing which the candidate would not be allowed to appear in the Interview :-

- a) Class-X/Class-XII Examination Admit Card/Pass Certificate/ Marksheet issued by Central/State Board clearly indicating **Date of Birth** in support of their claim of age.
- b) Certificates & Mark sheets of all examinations from HSLC onwards up to the level of qualifying examination.
- c) Experience Certificate (Whenever necessary)
- d) Caste certificate issued by Govt. of Assam for candidate seeking reservation as SC/ST/OBC/MOBC, from the competent authority indicating clearly the candidate's Caste, the Act/Order under which the Caste is recognized as SC/ST/OBC/MOBC and the village/town the candidate is ordinarily a resident of.
- e) BPL certificate issued by Govt. of Assam. (Wherever necessary).
- f) **The candidates will have to submit Declaration Form-A, related to the Assam Public Services (Application of Small Family norms in Direct Recruitment) Rules, 2019 published vide Notification No:ABP.69/2019/17 dated Dispur, the 6th November/2019 which may be downloaded from the official website of APSC www.apsc.nic.in (Forms & Downloads Section)**
- g) Documentary support for any other claim(s) made.

NOTE I: Date of birth mentioned in Online Recruitment Application is final. No subsequent request for change of date of birth will be considered or granted. No document other than the Class X/Class XII Board Examination Admit Card/Pass Certificate/Marksheet, in which the date of birth is properly recorded, will be accepted by the Commission for determination of age.

NOTE II: Candidates are warned that they should not furnish any particulars that are false or suppress any material information in filling up the application form. Candidates are also warned that they should in no case correct or alter or otherwise tamper with any entry in a document or its attested/certified copy submitted by them nor should they submit a tampered/fabricated document. If there is any inaccuracy or any discrepancy between two or more such documents or their attested/certified copies, an explanation regarding this discrepancy should be submitted.

NOTE III: *Candidates must ensure that they upload all necessary documents before final submission. No documents will be accepted after final submission of application. No other request for document submission will be entertained once the online application process is over.*



➤ **DIRECT RECRUITMENT:**

The selection procedure will be notified later on followed by issuing corrigendum/addendum, if required. The Commission will decide the provision for selection in respect of any post/posts or service/ services considering the status, cadre and grade or the number of applications received for the advertised post/posts or service/ services.

The Commission will also decide to conduct examination/test etc. zone wise, depending upon the numbers of candidates against the districts shown below:

SI No.	Name of Zones	Districts covered under the Zones
1	Silchar	Hailakandi, Sribhumi & Cachar
2	Jorhat	Golaghat, Dibrugarh, Jorhat, Majuli, Charaideo, Sivasagar&Tinsukia
3	Nagaon	DimaHasao, Hojai, Nagaon, Morigaon, KarbiAnglong & West KarbiAnglong
4	Tezpur	Biswanath, Dhemaji, Lakhimpur, Sonitpur & Udalguri
5	Kokrajhar	Bongaigaon, Chirang, Dhubri, Goalpara, Kokrajhar& South Salmara
6	Guwahati	Barpeta, Baksa, Kamrup, Kamrup (Metro), Nalbari, Darrang, Bajali & Tamulpur.


NB: The Commission has the discretion to reduce or increase the number of zones depending upon the number of candidates.


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2. Principal Controller of Examinations, APSC.
3. Computer Section, APSC for uploading in APSC's website.
4. Order File.


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