

Written Exam Details for The Post of Senior Section Officer (Adv. No. GSV/REG/ADM/ Direct Rectt/2024 dated on 17/01/25)

Exam duration

: 1 hour (60 minutes)

No of questions

: 60 (Each Question carries 2 Marks)

Maximum marks : 120

Negative marking: 1 mark for each wrong answer

: Computer based test (CBT)

Type of Questions: Multiple Choice Question (MCQ)

Tentative Date

: 12th Oct. 2025 (Sunday) (Exact date will be announced soon)

SYLLABUS

English Language and Drafting: 1.

Reading Comprehension, Do as Directed (Voice - Active/Passive, Narration - Direct/Indirect, Transformation of sentences), Grammar: Prepositions, Tenses, Articles, Subject-Verb Agreement, Vocabulary: Synonyms, Antonyms, One-word Substitution, Sentence Correction & Common Errors, Punctuation, Idioms & Phrases, Precis Writing, Noting & Drafting (official correspondence and office notes).

2. **Domain Knowledge:**

Fundamental Rules (FR) & Supplementary Rules (SR), CCS (Leave) Rules, CCS (Conduct) Rules, CCS (CCA) Rules, CCS (Pension) Rules & National Pension System (NPS), Disciplinary & Vigilance procedures, LTC Rules, TA/DA Rules, GPF Rules, advances: HBA & other advances, Deputation, Foreign Service, Lien, Probation, Confirmation, Retirement, Resignation, Voluntary Retirement Rules (VRS), Seniority Rules and principles, Departmental Promotion Committee (DPC) and Limited Departmental Examination (LDE), Financial Rules & Procedures, General Financial Rules (GFR) - 2017 & amendments, Delegation of Financial Powers Rules (DFPR), GeM (Government e-Marketplace) procurement rules and e-Procurement procedures.

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3. Computer Knowledge:

MS Word – Formatting, Tables, Templates, Track Changes, Mail Merge, MS Excel – Formulas, Functions, Pivot Tables, Charts, Data Validation, MS PowerPoint – Presentations, Animations, Slide Transitions, Basics of ERP systems & e-Office file management, Tally / Accounting Software basics (voucher entry, ledgers, reports), Email & Office Communication (Outlook, File Attachments, Digital Signature, PDF handling), Internet & Cybersecurity Awareness (safe browsing, phishing awareness, data protection)

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