

GAZETTE DATE : 31/12/2024  
LAST DATE : 29/01/2025

**CATEGORY NO: 569/2024**

Applications are invited online only through “ONE TIME REGISTRATION” scheme from qualified candidates for appointment in the under mentioned post in Kerala Government Service. Before applying for the post, the candidates should register as per One Time Registration through the official website of Kerala Public Service Commission. Candidates who have already registered can apply through their profile.

1. **Department** : **Kerala Collegiate Education (Government Law Colleges)**
2. **Name of Post** : **Assistant Professor in Law**
3. **Scale of pay** : **U G C scale**
4. **Number of vacancies** : **26 - (Twenty six)**

**Note :-**

- (i) The above vacancies are now in existence. The Ranked list of selected candidates 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 noted above and also against the vacancies that may be reported to the Commission during the period of currency of the Ranked list.
- (ii) 4% of the total vacancies reported for the post shall be reserved for eligible Differently Abled candidates with disabilities as specified vide GO(P) No.5/2023/SJD dated 01.10.2023.  
[Please click the link to see the Government Order and Medical Certificate in this regard]

Link:

[Present Order for Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 Section 34](#)

5. **Method of appointment** : Direct Recruitment
6. **Age Limit** : **22- 50**. Only candidates born between 02.01.1974 and 01.01.2002 (both dates included) are eligible to apply for this post. (GO(P) No.4/2023/HEDN dated 11.04.2023.) (Age relaxation as per general condition 2(i) is not applicable for this post)
7. **Qualifications**:
  1. Degree of Master of Law with least 55% marks .
  2. Experience at the Bar for a period of not less than 3 years.
  3. Must have passed a Comprehensive Test in the subject concerned specifically conducted for the purpose by UGC or any agency duly constituted by the state government in this behalf. When qualifications are equal, preference shall be given to those candidates who possess adequate knowledge in Malayalam.

**Note:-**

- i) Candidates who have acquired non-qualifying degrees viz .Ph.D/M.Phil/Post Doctoral Fellowship will be awarded weightage marks provided that such non-qualifying degrees shall be in the subjects pertaining to the basic qualification stipulated for the post. Weightage marks for Non-qualifying degrees for ranking will be awarded as detailed below.  
Non-Qualifying M.Phil - 2 Marks  
Non - Qualifying Ph.D - 4 Marks  
Both M.Phil & Ph.D (Non-Qualifying) - 5 Marks  
Post Doctoral Fellowship - 2 Marks

Non-Qualifying degree means the additional qualifications which are earned apart from the

- ii) qualifications insisted on as essential qualifications for the post. If Ph.D/M.Phil/Post Doctoral Fellowship is reckoned as the essential qualification for the post, weightage marks will not be awarded for it. **Weightage marks will be awarded only to those non-qualifying degrees which are claimed in the application and which are acquired on or before the last date for receipt of applications**
- iii) Candidates who have obtained Ph.D Degree in the subject concerned are exempted from passing the NET examination. (G.O.(P)No.86/07/H.Edn dated 19.06.2007)
- iv) Experience certificate as Advocate issued by Bar council of Kerala or concerned Judicial officer shall be produced.
- v) For SC, ST, OBC (Non Creamy Layer) & Differently Abled candidates, minimum 50% marks for Masters degree shall be sufficient. (G.O.(Ms). No.02/07/H.Edn. Dated 04/01/2007 & G.O(P) No.10/2018/H.Edn. Dated 13/04/2018)
- vi) For recruitment to various posts under these rules, Degrees awarded by the Universities recognized by UGC alone shall be considered
- vii) KS & SSR Part II Rule 10 (a) ii is applicable.
- viii) Candidates who claim equivalent qualification instead of qualification mentioned in the notification shall produce the relevant Government Order to prove the equivalency at the time of verification, then only such qualification shall be treated as equivalent to the prescribed qualification concerned.

**Probation:-** Every person appointed to the post shall from the date on which he joins duty be on probation for a period of two years on duty within a continuous period of three years

#### **8 Mode of submitting Applications:-**

- (a) Candidates must register as per ONE TIME REGISTRATION with the official Website of Kerala Public Service Commission [www.keralapsc.gov.in](http://www.keralapsc.gov.in) before applying for the post. Candidates who have registered can apply by logging in 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.** Name of the candidate and the date of photograph taken should be printed legibly at the bottom portion. The photograph once uploaded meeting all requirements shall be valid for 10 years from the date of uploading. **Candidates creating new profile shall upload photograph taken within six months.** There is no change in other instructions regarding the uploading of photographs. No application fee is required. **Candidates shall take a print out of the application by clicking the link My Application in their profile.** All correspondence with the Commission regarding the application should be accompanied with the print out of the application. Candidates are responsible for the correctness of the personal information and secrecy of password. Before the final submission of the application on the profile candidates must ensure correctness of the information on their profile. They must quote the User-ID for further communication with the Commission. Application once submitted is received as provisional and the details cannot be deleted or altered after the last date for receipt of applications. The application will be summarily rejected if non compliance with the notification is found in due course of processing. Documents to prove qualification, age, Community etc. have to be produced as and when called for. The profile correction made by the candidates themselves or in the office of KPSC on request, after the last date fixed for the receipt of applications will not reflect in the application. Such corrections will come into effect only on the date on which corrections have been made.
- (b) If a Written/OMR/Online Test is conducted as part of this selection, candidates shall submit a confirmation on 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 period 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 the candidates in their respective profiles and

mobile phone number registered in it.

- (c) Candidates who have AADHAAR Card should add AADHAAR as ID Proof in their profile

**9 Special Instructions to Candidates:**

- (a) In the case of difference in Caste/Community claimed in the application and that entered in 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.
- (b) Candidates are required to acquaint themselves with the instructions given in the notification as Part II, General Conditions before submitting application for the post. Applications which are not submitted in accordance with the terms and conditions laid down in the General Conditions are liable to be rejected.
- (c) Appropriate disciplinary action as per Rule 22 of the Kerala Public Service Commission Rules of Procedure shall be initiated against those candidates who submit applications with bogus claims of qualification regarding education, experience etc. and are liable to be disqualified for being considered for a particular post or debarment from applying to the Commission either permanently or for any period or the invalidation of their answer scripts or products in a written/practical test or the initiation of criminal or other proceedings against them or their removal or dismissal from office or the ordering of any other disciplinary action against them if they have already been appointed, or any one or more of the above.

**10 Last date for submission of application :-29/01/2025, Wednesday upto 12.00 midnight.**

**11 Address to which applications are to be sent: [www.keralapsc.gov.in](http://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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