



ABSTRACT

Public Services – Equivalence of Degrees – Equivalence of Degrees offered by various Universities / Educational Institutions to the similar Degrees – Recommendations of 37th Equivalence Committee – Approved – Orders – Issued.

HIGHER EDUCATION (J1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms).No. 16

Dated: 27.01.2026.

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Read:

1. G.O. (Ms) No.93, Higher Education (K2) Department, Dated 30.05.2019.
2. G.O.(Ms).No. 33, Higher Education (K1) Department, Dated 15.02.2021.
3. G.O.(Ms).No. 111, Higher Education (K1) Department, Dated 24.06.2024.
4. From the Member-Secretary, Tamil Nadu State Council for Higher Education, Chennai, Letter Rc. No. 4607/ 2025 A, Dated 22.12.2025.

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ORDER:-

In the letter fourth read above, the Member Secretary, Tamil Nadu State Council for Higher Education, has forwarded the resolutions passed in the 37th Equivalence Committee meeting held on 17.12.2025 under the Chairmanship of the Secretary to Government, Higher Education Department, on the Equivalence of Degrees offered by various Universities / Educational Institutions to the similar Degrees for the purpose of employment in Public Services.

2. The Government, after careful consideration, approve the following resolutions passed in the 37th Equivalence Committee meeting held on 17.12.2025, under the Chairmanship of the Secretary to Government, Higher Education Department and direct that the following degrees offered by various Universities / Educational Institutions be equivalent to the similar degrees mentioned therein from the date of issuance of such degrees:-

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Sl. No.	Item No.	Subjects	Equivalence Committee Recommendations
1.	4.	Public Services – Educational Qualification - Consideration of B.Com., (Tax Procedure and Practice) awarded by Avinashilingam University for Women as to whether equivalent to B.Com., for the purpose of Employment in Public Services	Equivalent
2.	7.	Public Services – Educational Qualification - Consideration of B.Com., (Digital Marketing and Data Mining) awarded by Bharathiar University as to whether equivalent to B.Com., for the purpose of Employment in Public Services	Equivalent
3.	9.	Public Services – Educational Qualification - Consideration of M.Com., with Computer Application awarded by Manonmaniam Sundaranar University as to whether equivalent to M.Com., for the purpose of Employment in Public Services	Equivalent
4.	10.	Public Services – Educational Qualification - Consideration of B.Com., (Finance and Accountancy) awarded by CHRIST University, Bangalore as to whether equivalent to B.Com., for the purpose of Employment in Public Services	Equivalent
5.	12.	Public Services – Educational Qualification - Consideration of M.Sc., Medical Biotechnology awarded by Bharathiar University as to whether equivalent to M.Sc., Biotechnology for the purpose of employment in Public Services	Equivalent
6.	13.	Public Services – Educational Qualification - Consideration of M.Sc., Bio-Chemical Technology awarded by Periyar University as to whether equivalent to M.Sc., Biochemistry for the purpose of employment in Public Services	Equivalent
7.	15.	Public Services – Educational Qualification - Consideration of M.Sc., Medical Biochemistry awarded by Periyar University as to whether equivalent to M.Sc., Biochemistry for the purpose of employment in Public Services	Equivalent

8.	18.	Public Services – Educational Qualification – Consideration of B.Sc., B.Ed., (Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics) offered by Regional Institute of Education, Mysore affiliated to University of Mysore as to whether equivalent to B.Sc., Chemistry for the purpose of employment in Public Services	Equivalent
9.	19.	Public Services – Educational Qualification – Consideration of B.Sc., B.Ed., (Chemistry, Botany, Zoology) awarded by University of Mysore as to whether equivalent to B.Sc., Chemistry for the purpose of employment in Public Services	Equivalent
10.	20.	Public Services – Educational Qualification – Consideration of M.Sc., (Chemistry) Organic Chemistry awarded by Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati as to whether equivalent to M.Sc., Chemistry for the purpose of employment in Public Services	Equivalent
11.	21.	Public Services – Educational Qualification – Consideration of M.Sc., Polymer Chemistry awarded by Alagappa University as to whether equivalent to M.Sc., Chemistry for the purpose of employment in Public Services	Equivalent
12.	22.	Public Services – Educational Qualification – Consideration of M.Sc., Biochemistry awarded by Dr. A.L.M. Post Graduate Institute of Basic Medical Sciences, Taramani Campus, University of Madras as to whether equivalent to M.Sc., Medical Biochemistry for the purpose of employment in Public Services	Equivalent
13.	24.	Public Services – Educational Qualification – Consideration of B.Sc., Computer Technology offered by Kongu Arts and Science College (Autonomous) affiliated to Bharathiar University as to whether equivalent to B.Sc., Computer Science for the purpose of employment in Public Services	Equivalent
14.	25.	Public Services – Educational Qualification – Consideration of B.Sc., Information Technology offered by Kongu Arts and Science College (Autonomous) affiliated to Bharathiar University as to whether equivalent to B.Sc., Computer Science for the purpose of employment in Public Services	Equivalent

15.	26.	Public Services – Educational Qualification – Consideration of Master of Computer Applications offered by Karpagam College of Engineering, Coimbatore (Autonomous) affiliated to Anna University as to whether equivalent to M.Sc., Computer Science for the purpose of employment in Public Services	Equivalent
16.	27.	Public Services – Educational Qualification – Consideration of Master of Computer Applications offered by Karpagam College of Engineering, Coimbatore (Autonomous) affiliated to Anna University as to whether equivalent to M.Sc., Information Technology for the purpose of employment in Public Services	Equivalent
17.	37.	Public Services – Educational Qualification – Consideration of M.Sc., (Five Year Integrated Course) Life Sciences (Plant Science) awarded by Bharathidasan University as to whether equivalent to M.Sc., Botany for the purpose of employment in Public Services	Equivalent
18.	38.	Public Services – Educational Qualification – Consideration of M.Sc., (Five Year Integrated Course) Life Sciences (Animal Science) awarded by Bharathidasan University as to whether equivalent to M.Sc., Botany for the purpose of employment in Public Services	Equivalent
19.	41.	Public Services – Educational Qualification - Consideration of M.E., Software Engineering awarded by Anna University as to whether equivalent to M.E., Computer Science and Engineering for the purpose of employment in Public Services	Equivalent
20.	45.	Public Services – Educational Qualification - Consideration of B.Tech., Petrochemical Technology awarded by Anna University as to whether equivalent to B.Tech., Chemical Engineering for the purpose of employment in Public Services	Equivalent

21.	52.	Public Services – Educational Qualification - Consideration of M.A. History and Tourism Management awarded by Annamalai University as to whether equivalent to M.A., History for the purpose employment in public services	Equivalent
22.	54.	Public Services – Educational Qualification - Consideration of M.E., Degree acquired through Distance Learning Mode by the candidates enrolled during academic sessions 2001-2005 in (1) JRN Rajasthan Vidyapeeth, Rajasthan (2) Institute of Advanced Studies Education, Rajasthan (IASE) (3) Allahabad Agricultural Institute, (AAI) and (4) Vinayaka Mission's Research Foundation, Tamil Nadu, (VMRF) validated by AICTE-UGC by conducting special examination as per Honourable Supreme Court's order - validation and approval as equivalent to degree of regular stream for the purpose of employment in Public Services	Validated and approved as equivalent
23.	55.	Public Services – Educational Qualification – Consideration of B.A., (English, History, Political Science) awarded by Nagarjuna University, Andhra Pradesh as to whether equivalent to B.A., English for the purpose of employment in Public Services	Equivalent
24.	60.	Public Services – Educational Qualification – Consideration of B.A., Tamil and Economics awarded by Avinashilingam University for Women as to whether equivalent to B.A., Tamil for the purpose of employment in Public Services	Equivalent
25.	61.	Public Services – Educational Qualification - Consideration of B.A. (History, Political Science, English) awarded by Sri Venkateswara University as to whether equivalent to B.A. History for the purpose of employment in Public Services	Equivalent

26.	62.	Public Services – Educational Qualification - Consideration of B.Sc., Mathematics with Data Science offered by Ethiraj College for Women (Autonomous) affiliated to University of Madras as to whether equivalent to B.Sc., Mathematics for the purpose of employment in Public Services	Equivalent
27.	63.	Public Services – Educational Qualification - Consideration of B.Sc., (Botany, Biotechnology, Chemistry) awarded by Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupati as to whether equivalent to B.Sc., Botany for the purpose of employment in Public Services	Equivalent
28.	65.	Public Services – Educational Qualification - Consideration of B.F.A (Traditional Drawing and Painting) awarded by University of Madras as to whether equivalent to B.F.A., Traditional Sculpture for the purpose of employment in Public Services	Equivalent
29.	66.	Public Services – Educational Qualification - Consideration of M.B.A., (Human Resource Stream as Elective) awarded by Anna University as to whether equivalent to M.B.A., (Human Resource Management) for the purpose employment in Public services	Equivalent
30.	67.	Public Services – Educational Qualification - Consideration of M.B.A., (Marketing Stream as Elective) awarded by Anna University as to whether equivalent to M.B.A., (Marketing) for the purpose employment in Public services	Equivalent
31.	68.	Public Services – Educational Qualification - Consideration of M.B.A., (Personnel Stream as Elective) awarded by Alagappa University as to whether equivalent to M.B.A., (Human Resource Management) for the purpose employment in Public services	Equivalent
32.	69.	Public Services – Educational Qualification - Consideration of M.B.A. (Financial Management Stream as Elective) awarded by Annamalai University as to whether equivalent to M.B.A., (Finance)/ M.B.A., (Specialization in Finance) for the purpose employment in Public services	Equivalent

33.	71.	Public Services – Educational Qualification - Consideration of M.A., Politics and International Relations awarded by Pondicherry University as to whether equivalent to M.A., Political Science for the purpose employment in Public services	Equivalent
34.	72.	Public Services – Educational Qualification - Consideration of B.A. Public Administration awarded by Madurai Kamaraj University as to whether equivalent to B.A., Political Science for the purpose employment in Public services	Equivalent

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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