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SCREENING TEST FOR THE POSTS OF PROVINCIAL MANAGEMENT SERVICE IN HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT

In January, 2026, the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Public Service Commission, vide Advertisement No. 01/2026, advertised 35 posts of Provincial Management Service (PMS) in the Human Resource Management Department, against which a total of 19,447 applications received. In accordance with the KP PSC Functions Rules, a mandatory Screening Test prior to the written examination for PMS was conducted on 4th June, 2026. The test was based on the prescribed syllabus and comprised 100 Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs), with equal weightage of 20% assigned to each compulsory subject with a 50% minimum qualifying threshold.

To facilitate candidates, the Commission established 106 examination halls across all seven divisional headquarters of the province, enabling candidates to appear at their nearest station. Out of 19,447 registered candidates, 14,192 (73%) appeared in the Screening Test. The result was compiled and announced on 22nd June, 2026, within eight (08) working days. A total of 10,530 candidates (74% of those who appeared) were declared qualified, while 3,662 candidates (26%) failed to qualify the Screening Test.

COMPARISON OF THE TWO PMS SCREENING TESTS

Subsequent to the amendments in the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Public Service Commission Functions Rules by the Provincial Government in July, 2025, the Commission has conducted two PMS Screening Tests, a comparison of which is given below: -

Screening Test	No. of Posts	No. of Appl:	No. of Appeared Candidates	No. of Qualified Candidates
PMS-2025	55	27,921	20,827 (75%)	9,896 (48%)
PMS-2026	35	19,447	14,192 (73%)	10,530 (74%)

Comparison of the two PMS Screening Tests indicates a significant improvement in the performance of candidates. In the PMS Screening Test-2026, the majority of the candidates i.e. 74% as compared to the 48% in the PMS Screening Test-2025, qualified for the written exam. This development reflects that the candidates have taken the Screening Test with greater seriousness and preparation.

POSTS ADVERTISED DURING THE QUARTER

During the quarter under report, the Commission advertised **1354** posts against which **22773** candidates applied. Details of the advertised posts are as follows:-

A. PROVINCIAL MANAGEMENT SERVICE (PMS IN-SERVICE QUOTA)

The Commission advertised 29 posts of Provincial Management Service (PMS in Service) in Human Resource Management Department vide Advertisement No. 04/2026 for which 312 candidates including 23 female candidates applied.

B. DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE (FAST TRACK PROMOTION)

During the quarter, 27 leftover posts of Deputy Superintendent of Police (DSP) in Police Department were advertised vide Advertisement No. 05/2026. A total of 192 candidates including 15 female candidates applied for these positions.

C. SUB INSPECTOR OF POLICE (FAST TRACK PROMOTION)

The Commission vide its Advertisement No. 05/2026 advertised 667 (223 fresh and 444 leftover) posts in Police Department wherein 543 candidates including 31 female candidates applied for these posts.

D. ASSISTANT SUB INSPECTOR (TRAFFIC WARDEN SYSTEM) (IN-SERVICE QUOTA)

The Commission vide its Advertisement No. 05/2026 also advertised 44 Leftover posts in Police Department for which 482 candidates including 15 female candidates applied.

E. ASSISTANT SUB INSPECTOR FOR TRAFFIC WARDEN SYSTEM (GENERAL)

The Commission, vide its Advertisement No. 07/2026, advertised 223 posts of ASI Traffic Warden System for fresh candidates with quota-wise detail as follows: -

S#	Quota	No. of Posts	No. of Candidates
1.	ASI (General)	106	5403
2.	ASI (Female Quota)	12	413
3.	ASI (Minority Quota)	5	46
	Total	123	5862

F. OTHER ADVERTISED POSTS

The Commission vide its Advertisement No. 06/2026 advertised 464 other posts in different departments for which 15382 candidates applied.

COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS CONDUCTED

The Commission conducted the following two competitive examinations in the quarter: -

A. CIVIL JUDGES CUM JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE

The Commission conducted a competitive exam for 105 posts of Civil Judges-cum-Judicial Magistrate (BS-18) in Peshawar High Court from 21st April, 2026 to 29th April, 2026 at Peshawar city. A total 3097 candidates including 790 female candidates applied while 1024 (33%) candidates appeared in the written part of the competitive examination.



Pictorial view of the candidates appearing in the Civil Judge-cum-Judicial Magistrate examination

B. COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION FOR THE POST OF ASSISTANT SUB-INSPECTOR (EXECUTIVE CADRE)

The Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Public Service Commission conducted a competitive examination for the post of ASI (Executive Cadre) BS-11 in the Police Department from 9th June, 2026 to 12th June, 2026.

A Total of 27,061 candidates applied and after conducting physical test, 6776 candidates including 704 female

candidates were declared fit and were called for the competitive examination. Out of 6776 candidates who passed the physical tests, 4575 (68%) appeared in the written exam consisting of the following papers: -

S#	Paper	Maximum Marks	Qualifying Marks
1.	Urdu	75	40%
2.	English	75	40%
3.	General Knowledge	50	40%
4.	Computer Literacy	50	40%
5.	Viva Voce	50	40%
	Total	300	



Photograph of the candidates appearing in ASI Exam

ABILITY TEST HELD DURING THE QUARTER

During the quarter under review, the Commission conducted 10 Ability Tests for 14684 candidates against 138 posts in various Provincial Govt. departments. Details are as follows: -

S #	Post Name	Deptt:	No. of Post	No. of Appli:	Date of Test
1.	Male Lecturer Geography	HED	10	261	11.05.2026
2.	Female Lecturer Home Economics	HED	06	101	11.05.2026
3.	Male Lecturer Pashto	HED	09	766	12.05.2026
4.	Female Lecturer Pashto	HED	02	135	12.05.2026
5.	Female Lecture Psychology	HED	06	506	12.05.2026
6.	Female Lecturer Zoology	HED	09	1971	13.05.2026
7.	Assistant Director (Media)	Agri	1	158	29.06.2026
8.	Assistant Engineer	PHE	16	1180	29.06.2026
9.	Female SST (Bio/Chemistry) (ZONE-1)	E & SED	79	1518	

10.	Female SST (Bio/Chemistry) (ZONE-2)	E & SED	0	8088	30.06.2026
	TOTAL		138	14684	

RECRUITMENTS FINALIZED

The Commission finalized recruitment process for 258 posts by disposing off 24033 applications wherein 1372 candidates were interviewed. 217 candidates were recommended to the Govt. for appointment while 22 posts remained unfilled due to non-availability of eligible/suitable candidates. Post-wise details are reflected in below table; -

S#	Subject	No. of Appli:	Posts Filled	Posts Unfilled
1.	Clinical Technologist Surgical	83	1	0
2.	Assistant Director	1639	23	1
3.	Clinical Technologist Anesthesia	98	1	0
4.	Dental Surgeon (Minority Quota)	4	2	0
5.	Junior Architect	58	1	0
6.	Male DDEO	4133	7	1
7.	Senior Research Officer	132	3	0
8.	Female Lecturer Pak Study	669	5	5
9.	AD (Surveillance)) (Female Quota)	12	0	1
10.	Senior Scale Stenographer	135	1	0
11.	AD Planning & Development	453	1	0
12.	Budget & Account Officer	473	1	0
13.	Accountant	397	4	0
14.	Senior Registrar Ophthalmology	11	0	1
15.	News Editor	97	1	0
16.	Assistant Professor Nephrology	02	00	1
17.	Store Keeper (Minority Quota)	17	1	0
18.	Clinical Technologist Cardiology	94	5	0
19.	Data Analyst	380	1	0
20.	Clinical Technologist Pathology	287	1	0
21.	Male Associate Professor Pakistan Studies	76	1	2
22.	Auditor	2666	35	0
23.	Male Lecturer Pak Study	783	7	0
24.	Assistant Professor Clinical Orthopedics	24	0	1
25.	Female Lecturer Islamic Studies	2810	10	1
26.	Data Base Administrator	55	0	1
27.	Male Lecturer Chemistry	4386	48	0
28.	Theatre Nurse	672	15	4
29.	Male Lecturer Pak study	2117	28	0
30.	Manager Information	147	1	0
31.	Graphic Designer	91	0	1
32.	Deputy Director (Network)	111	1	0
33.	PHC Technologist (MP)	157	4	0
34.	Female Lecturer Maths	579	7	2
35.	Senior Scale Stenographer-Cum-Judgment Writer	185	1	0
	Grand Total	24033	217	22

PROMOTION

During the quarter, the following promotion of officers and officials were carried out in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Public Service Commission:-

S.#	Name of officer	Promoted as
1.	Mr. Hayat Hussain, Deputy Director (BPS-18)	Director (BPS-19)
2.	Mr. Fazal Qayyum, Assistant Director (BPS-17)	Deputy Director (BPS-18)
3.	Mr. Sajjad Qureshi, Assistant Director (BPS-17)	Deputy Director (BPS-18)
4.	Mr. Muhammad Aslam, Superintendent (BPS-17)	Assistant Director (BPS-17)
5.	Mr. Tanveer Musharraf, Superintendent (BPS-17)	Assistant Director (BPS-17)

RETIREMENT

Syed Ilyas Shah, Director (BS-19) retired from service on 5th April, 2026 upon attaining the age of superannuation. He joined the service of the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Public Service Commission as Assistant in 1991 and rendered 35 years meritorious service to the Institution.



Commission officers gather for a farewell photo with the retiring Director

OBITUARY

The Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Public Service Commission announced with profound grief and sorrow, the sad demise of Syed Ilyas Shah, former Director (BS-19), on 9th May, 2026. He passed away after a brief illness, merely 34 days after his retirement from service.

The Commission also mourned the passing of Mr. Anwar Khan, Ex-Assistant of the Commission, who passed away on 7th May, 2026 due to cardiac arrest.

The Commission extends heartfelt condolences to the bereaved families. May Allah grant them the highest rank in Jannat ul Firdos and give strength to their families to bear this irreparable loss. AMEEN!



COURT CASES

• Total pending cases as on 30 th June, 2026	489
• New cases instituted during the Quarter (April to June, 2026)	30
• Cases decided	45
Decided in favor of KP PSC	37
Decided against KP PSC	8

COMPLAINTS RESOLUTION THROUGH PAKISTAN CITIZEN'S PORTAL AND "EKHTYAR AWAM KA"

- 198 complaints received from citizens through Prime Minister Citizen's Portal where 190 were resolved while 08 complaints are under process
- the Commission received 12 complaints through 'Ekhtyar Awam Ka' and all were resolved.

RTI REQUESTS

Twenty-Nine (29) requests/ applications under Right to Information (RTI) Act 2013 were received from citizens where 25 were resolved while 04 are under process.

HIGHLIGHTS OF UPCOMING NEWSLETTER

- Written exam of PMS (In-Service)
- Declaration of the written result of PMS-2025, Civil Judges, and PPS