

**Gazette Date: 15/03/2014**

**Last Date: 16/04/2014**

**Category No: 37/2014 to 41/2014**

## **FIRST NCA NOTIFICATION**

Applications must be submitted online through the official website of the Commission after 'ONE TIME REGISTRATION'. Candidates who have already registered can apply through their profile.

- 1 Department** : Forest
- 2 Name of Post** : Forest Ranger
- 3 Scale of pay** : ₹ 11070-18450
- 4 Number of vacancies** : SC-5, ST-3, Dheevara-2, OX-1, Hindu Nadar-1

Sl. No	Category No.	Community	No. of vacancies
1	37/2014	SC	5
2	38/2014	ST	3
3	39/2014	Dheevara	2
4	40/2014	OX	1
5	41/2014	Hindu Nadar	1

The above vacancies are now in existence. The Ranked list published as per this notification will be valid until candidates are advised and appointed against the above vacancies earmarked for the above mentioned communities but remain unfilled due to the paucity of candidates during the currency of the Ranked list published on 24.10.2011 for the post.

- 5 Method of appointment** : Direct Recruitment

**Note:-** Applications submitted by candidates belonging to Communities other than the above mentioned communities will be summarily rejected. Individual communication regarding the rejection of their application will not be issued.

- 6 Age limit** : **Scheduled Caste & Scheduled Tribe:** 19-41. Candidates born between 02.01.1973 and 01.01.1995 (both dates included) only are eligible to apply for this post.  
**Dheevara, O X, Hindu Nadar:** 19-39. Candidates born between 02.01.1975 and 01.01.1995 (both dates included) only are eligible to apply for this post. (Including the relaxation as per Para 2(i) of the general conditions.

Note : Those who were converted to Christianity from SC and their children are eligible for age relaxation of 5 years in the upper age limit.

[For other conditions regarding the age relaxation, please see Para II of General Conditions]

## 7 Qualifications :

- 1 Must possess a Bachelors Degree in Forestry of the Kerala Agricultural University or any other recognized University of India.

OR

A Degree from the Indian Institute of Forest Management.

- 2 Must have the following Physical Measurements

**For Male Candidates:**

Height : 163 cms

Chest : 79 cms

Normally with a minimum expansion of 5cms of full inspiration.

**For Female Candidates:**

Height : 150 cms

Chest : 74 cms

Normally with a minimum expansion of 5cms of full inspiration.

**Note:-** Persons recruited direct to the Category of Rangers shall undergo practical training for a period of one year in the Forest Department prior to their appointment as Rangers. The period spent on practical training in the Department will not count for probation, leave, increment, pension, etc. During the period of practical training, trainees will be eligible for a monthly allowance at such rate fixed by Government from time to time.

## 8. Mode of Sending applications:

Candidates shall registered as per 'ONE TIME REGISTRATION ' system on 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 shall apply by logging on to their profile using their User- ID and password. Candidates shall click on the 'Apply Now' button of the respective posts in the Notification link for applying for a post. No application fee is required. Candidates can view and have a print-out of the details in the profile by clicking the link Registration Card, if required. Candidates are responsible for the correctness of the personal information and secrecy of password. Before applying for a post, candidates must ensure correctness of the information on their profile. They must quote the User- ID for further communication with the Commission. Applications once submitted will be received as provisional and particulars shall not be deleted or altered after submission. Applications submitted not in accordance with the conditions of notification will be summarily rejected . Documents to prove Qualification, experience , community, age etc. have to be produced as and when called for.

9. **Last date for receipt of applications :-** 16.04.2014 Wednesday up to 12 midnight.

10. **Address to which applications are to be submitted :-** [www.keralapsc.gov.in](http://www.keralapsc.gov.in)

(For details including Photo, ID Card etc. also see the General Conditions given in Part II of the Notification)

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