REGULATIONS FOR THE AWARD OF Ph.D. DEGREE OF THE SRI SRI UNIVERSITY

1. Admission of Students to the Ph.D. Programme

   I. A candidate who wishes to pursue a programme of study and research leading to
      the degree of Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) of the Sri Sri University will be
      required to seek registration to the programme under these Regulations as a
      research student in the University.

   II. Candidates who are working in research projects, relevant to the research topic,
      which have been taken up by the University, funded internally or by external
      funding agencies, shall be eligible for registration which includes regular
      Teachers/employees of Sri Sri University and candidates working in research
      projects taken up by AoL or its subsidiaries.

   III. Candidates applying for registration shall be considered for registration only in
      cases where the Research Committee constituted under these regulations is
      convinced that effective supervision can be ensured.

   IV. Research students must have a minimum attendance of sixty days in the
      University to activate their research program in phases determined by the
      university. Rest of the six months program for course work can be completed by
      modes such as video conferencing or any medium, methods of communication to
      be agreed by the research committee.

   V. Research students must complete course work as prescribed under on full-
      time basis within a maximum period of two years, from the date of admission.

   VI. Admissions shall be done once in a year in July/August.

   VII. Admission tests for Ph.D. shall be conducted by the University called
      Departmental Admission Test (DAT) mode of which will be fixed by the
      university at its discretion.

2. Eligibility for Admission to the Ph.D. Programme

   I. Candidates seeking registration to the Ph.D. programme shall hold a Master’s
      Degree from a recognized University with a minimum of 55% marks in the
      qualifying examination, or a minimum CGPA of 6.0 in the 10 point scale (or an
      equivalent grade in similar scales).

   II. Candidates seeking registration shall have passed the Departmental Admission
      Test (DAT) and ranked as per the norms laid down in these Regulations. Candidates
      who have qualified UGC-NET Lectureship examination are exempted
      from DAT.

   III. Foreign students, who have been sponsored under a scholarship scheme by the
      Government of India for undergoing Ph.D. programme in India, are exempted
      from DAT if so prescribed in sponsorship.

3. Procedure to Apply for Admission

   I. Candidates seeking registration to the doctoral programme as student shall do so by
      submitting their application in the prescribed form in response to the notification in
this respect issued once a year by the University (application form as detailed Annexure I, page 12).

II. Application for admission shall be submitted to the University in the prescribed form on payment of Rs.1000/-. 

III. Foreign students will go by standard University procedure of screening and agreements.

4. Research Guide

I. A teacher of the University coming, not below the rank of Assistant Professor in the University who has satisfactorily completed his/her probation and holds a Ph.D. Degree from a University or institution recognized by the UGC, except through Distance Education Programme, and has published at least two research papers in referred journals, shall be eligible to be recognized as Research Guide at the discretion of the Vice Chancellor who assess his/her competence and eligibility.

II. Those who have already been recognized as Research Guides by Sri Sri University or any other recognized university are ipso facto recognized Research Guides under these Regulations.

III. Teachers of Sri Sri University may continue to supervise the work of students who are already registered with them even after retirement. They are eligible to take fresh students under their supervision, on recommendation of the Research Committee, and approved by the University. Recognition granted to teachers shall continue to be valid even after their relinquishing University service for taking up employment elsewhere, if the University permits them on the recommendation of the Research Committee/Vice Chancellor.

IV. An outstanding person with a Ph.D. Degree whose service as Research Guide is considered to be of value to the University may also be given recognition as Research Guide on the recommendation of the Research Committee.

5. Number of Research Students with a Research Guide

A Research supervisor shall not have, at any given point of time, more than eight Ph.D. students whether full-time or part-time under his/her supervision.

6. Joint Supervision

If the Research Committee feels, for valid academic reasons, that the service of an additional guide is desirable it may recommend a joint guide provided both the guides are willing. For reckoning the maximum number of students who may register under a Research Guide, the students under joint guidance shall be treated as 0.5 for each guide.

7. Research Committee

I. The University shall have a Research Committee (RC) with a Research Guide nominated by the Vice-Chancellor as Chairman, and all the recognized Research Guides of the University as members. In absence of such committee what so ever
Vice Chancellor will act as one man committee but proper committee must be constituted at earliest possible opportunity.

II. The Research Committee in the University shall meet at the beginning of the academic year to decide upon the number of research students who can be admitted during the year.

III. The Research Committee shall meet at least twice a year to review the progress of research work of the registered research students in the University and submit the minutes of the meetings to the Vice-Chancellor for approval only after which it will become executable.

8. Departmental Admission Test

I. Departmental Admission Test (DAT) shall have two parts - Written test and Interview.

II. All candidates seeking admission to the Ph.D. Programme who have passed the admission with a minimum of 50% marks or who are exempted from the admission test under these regulations shall be required to present themselves for an interview before the Research Committee or a Subcommittee constituted by the Research Committee.

9. Departmental Admission Test Assessment

I. The committee shall assess the student and award marks for his/her performance in their interview. The committee shall also scrutinize the academic records of the candidate, the research proposal submitted by him/her in the application, and the long term plan of the academic work to be undertaken by the candidate.

II. The weightage for written test and interview for ranking will be as follows:
   (a) Marks obtained in the Master’s Degree level: 30%
   (b) Marks obtained in the written test: 50%
   (c) Marks obtained in the interview: 20%

III. For candidates exempted from DAT, ranking shall be done based on (a) & (c) above only.

IV. Separate rank lists shall be prepared for students including who are exempted from DAT.

V. The admission lists and the waiting list of all eligible candidates shall be displayed on the notice boards of the University. The rank list shall be valid till the 31st December of the year.

10. Admission and Registration (Registration form as detailed Annexure II, page 15)

I. A candidate who has been ranked and recommended for admission shall take provisional admission in the University within fifteen days from the date of issue of Memo after paying the required fees in the University Office and fulfilling such other requirements as per the admission rules.

II. The Vice-Chancellor shall be empowered to give an extension of time for a further period up to three months to the candidate, if so requested by the candidate and recommended by the research guide.
III The University shall allot provisional registration numbers to students admitted for the Doctoral Programme with effect from the date on which he/she was provisionally admitted to the University.

IV The registration and registration number will be confirmed as and when the student completes the course work successfully within a period of two years.

11. Doctoral Committee

I There shall be a Doctoral Committee (DC) to monitor the progress of each student registered for research in the University.

II In the case of the University, the Vice-Chancellor, in consultation with the Research Guide shall constitute the Doctoral Committee with the Research Guide as Convener, the Joint Guide, if any, and an approved Research Guide from the same or allied area in the University as members.

III The Doctoral Committee shall be in existence during the full period of registration of a candidate and shall be reconstituted with such changes in membership as may become necessary from time to time.

IV The Doctoral Committee shall provide necessary assistance to the research student to ensure that good progress is made by him/her.

V All research students shall submit progress reports to the respective Research Guides every six months which shall be discussed in the Doctoral Committees to assess the progress of the work.

VI The Doctoral Committee shall prepare the syllabi and panel of question paper setters/examiners for the course work.

VII The Doctoral Committee shall make recommendations on matters such as cancellation of registration in case of unsatisfactory progress, unethical practices in research committed by the student, or misconduct of the student.

VIII The Doctoral Committee shall be responsible for the preparation of the panel of adjudicators for the evaluation of the thesis but the names of experts may be suggested by the research guide.

IX Vice Chancellor will be the final authority to appoint the doctoral adjudicators in the manner comparable with corresponding academic processes in peer universities unless specified by UGC or corresponding regulatory body.

X The Vice Chancellor will issue administrative circular to specify the manner of adjudicator selection.

XI If Vice Chancellor is the guide the adjudicator will be appointed by the next academic person in seniority down below.

12. Payment of Fees

I Every research student shall be required to pay, in time, the fees prescribed by the University, failing which his/her name shall stand removed from the rolls if the default is more than 30 days after the due date.

II Within a period of 30 days from the date of removal from the rolls, the candidate may be readmitted by the Vice-Chancellor on an application made by the candidate, duly recommended by the Research Guide and on payment of all arrears of fees, readmission fee and the fine as the University may prescribe from time to time.

III In cases where the default in payment of fees exceeds 30 days and candidate fails to apply for readmission within the next 30 days he/she will be required to apply for readmission within 180 days, which shall be placed for consideration before the
Research Committee. If the Research Committee is satisfied with the genuineness of the causes of delay, it shall be competent to take appropriate decision. The registration of a candidate, who is in default of fees for more than 180 days from the due date, shall remain cancelled.

IV Every research student shall submit a report of the progress of the research achieved and attendance certificate countersigned by the guide during the previous semester before the payment of the next instalment of fees.

Fee Structure of Doctoral Studies as detailed below

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Note: The hostel fee is decided for various categories of students of the University and for research scholars same rate will be applicable.

13. Attendance

I Notwithstanding anything contained in these Regulations a candidate who comes under the National/State or such other fellowship or scheme/project etc., shall be governed by the respective rules governing the award of such fellowship/scheme/project, regarding attendance, leave, etc.

II A Research student will be eligible to attend conferences/ seminars/ symposia/specialized training programmes connected with his/her area of research or participate in research cruises or visit other places for collecting data, and such days when they were away from the University or Recognized Institution, including days of travel, shall count for attendance or for periods of being in residence at the University, if they have been duly authorized to do so by the Research Guide with intimation to the Vice-Chancellor/Head of the Institution.

III Research scholars should complete successfully the course work within a maximum period of two years of registration. In the remaining period minimum 60 days attendance is necessary excluding technology enabled modal contact work of another 6 months.

14. Course Work

I. After having been admitted, each Ph.D. student shall be required to undertake course work (the registration form for course work as detailed Annexure III page 18). The course work shall be treated as pre- Ph.D. preparation. The structure of the course work shall be as follows each carrying equal weight of 100 marks.

   a. The details of course shall be as follows:
b. Course I: General course comprising of the broad area of research
c. Course II: Research Methodology including Quantitative Methods and Computer Applications
e. Course III: Topics specific to the core field of research
f. Course IV: Review of literature on the topic of research

II. The syllabi and titles for courses I and II shall be prepared by the respective Doctoral Committee of the student and approved by the Research Committee. The syllabus and title for course III shall be formulated by the Research Committee. For Course IV, the Doctoral Committee shall guide/supervise and monitor the progress of the student periodically.

III. Continuous evaluation shall be done by the teachers offering the courses. Setting of the question papers and their evaluation for end-semester examination (except course IV) shall be carried out by a Board of Examiners nominated by the Research Committee. For course IV, at the end of the semester, the student shall submit a report on the scope, limitations, relevance and purpose of the research work, its identified objectives, review of literature, research methodologies to be followed and expected outcome of the work. The evaluation of Course IV shall be done by the Research Committee or a subcommittee nominated by the Research Committee at the end of contact program or seminar or otherwise to be determined by the research committee.

IV. Based on the marks obtained in the examinations the students may be awarded grades as detailed below:

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V. Overall performance at the end of the semester will be indicated by Grade Point Average (GPA) calculated as follows:

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GPA = (G1C1 + G2C2 + G3C3 + \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots GnCn)/(C1 + C2 + C3 + \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots Cn)
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where ‘G’ refers to the grade weightage and ‘C’ refers to the credit value of corresponding course undergone by the student.

VI. Students who are not able to acquire a minimum grade of 6.0 in any Course shall be given one more chance to complete the course work successfully. If he/she cannot acquire the required 20 credits within a period of 24 months from the date of his/her PhD registration, his/her registration will be cancelled.

VII. If found necessary, course work approved by the Doctoral Committee may be carried out by the doctoral candidates in other Universities or Institutions recognized by the University as Centers of research.

VIII. The Research Committee will scrutinize the grades awarded to the candidate in each course, and finalize the results. On successful completion of the course work by acquiring 20 credits, the candidate shall be given a certificate of eligibility for
continuing doctoral research (both the Grade Cards and certificate of eligibility will be issued by the Chairman of Research Committee).

IX. Registration shall be confirmed by the University on receipt of Grade Card.

15. Publication of Research Paper

Every candidate shall be required to publish at least two recent research papers in a refereed journal before submitting the thesis. A copy of the research paper or a letter of acceptance from the editor of the journal with a copy of the manuscript has to be submitted at the time of submission of synopsis of the thesis.

16. Change of Research Guide

I. The Research Committee shall have the power to consider the request of a candidate to change his/her Guide or to have a Joint Guide provided that the request is supported by his/her guide and the prospective Joint Guide, and the request is recommended by the Doctoral Committee. If the Research Committee gives assent to the request, the matter shall be reported to the University.

II. However, such request for change of Guide or Joint Guide shall be made at least six months prior to the candidate’s giving notice for submission of the thesis for adjudication by examiners, provided however that, this limitation shall not be applicable in the case where the present guide is unable to continue supervision due to reasons of health, shifting of place of work/residence to a distant place, or similar unavoidable reasons.

17. Change of Centre of Research

The Research Committee shall have the power to consider and to give assent to the request of the candidate for change of Centre of Research, provided the request is recommended by the Research Guide and the Doctoral Committee and is accompanied by a ‘no objection certificate’ from the Head of the present and newly proposed recognized Centre of Research. Such instances of change in the Centre of Research shall be reported to the University immediately.

18. Change of Area of Research

I. A candidate who is registered for research shall be eligible to apply for the change of the topic or the area of research on payment of the prescribed fee and the Research Committee shall be competent to give assent to the request, which has been duly supported by the Research Guide and the Doctoral Committee and the University shall be informed accordingly. However, such an application for change of topic / the area of research shall be permitted only once during the period of registration, and further that the application for the same shall be made at least one year prior to the notice for submission of thesis.

II. A candidate who is registered as a research student shall be eligible to request for approval or a change in the title of his/her thesis and the Doctoral Committee shall be competent to give assent to the request, provided that in the case of change in the title of research, the request shall be made at least one month prior to the submission of thesis.
19. Period of Registration of Research Students

I A candidate who is registered for the Ph.D. Degree and has completed the course requirements shall be eligible to submit his/her thesis for adjudication, on completion of two years of registration.

II A candidate who is registered research student shall remain on the rolls of the University for a maximum period of six years provided that he/she satisfies the periodic progress and the dues are cleared as per rules. The Research Committee shall be competent to extend the period of registration for one more year at the recommendation of the Doctoral Committee and the Research Guide provided that the candidate has made satisfactory progress and the application for extension is made after paying the prescribed fee. However the application should be submitted before the expiry of the registration period.

III A candidate shall cease to be on the rolls of the University as research student as soon as his/her Open Defence is over, or from the date on which his/her registration is cancelled or lapses for other reasons.

20. Submission of the Thesis for Ph.D. Degree

I Every candidate for the award of the degree of Doctor of Philosophy shall be required to submit a thesis embodying the results of his/her research findings to the University for adjudication by examiners.

II The thesis shall be written in English and should conform to the format and standard prescribed by the University from time to time.

III The candidate shall submit five copies of the synopsis conforming to the specification prescribed by the University along with a CD containing soft copy of the Synopsis in PDF format at least one month before the submission of the thesis.

IV The panel of experts prepared by the Doctoral Committee shall be forwarded to the university through the Research Guide. The panel should contain names of at least ten experts not below the rank of an Associate Professor of a University or an equivalent rank in a reputed research institution. At least five experts of this panel should be from outside the State.

V A candidate proposing to submit the thesis shall inform the University, at least one month in advance and such intimation shall be accompanied by a certificate from the Research Guide that he/she has presented the salient features of the proposed thesis in a pre-submission Seminar in the University. The request shall be accompanied by-

a. Synopsis as described
b. A panel of at least Ten experts not below the rank of Associate Professor in a University or holding an equivalent post in a reputed organization.
c. Copy of the Grade cards in respect of the Ph.D. course work.
d. Copy of at least one research paper published/ letter of acceptance with copy of the manuscript along with a certificate from the Doctoral Committee to the effect that the paper is published in a refereed journal.
e. Attendance certificate.
f. A certificate from the Research Guide countersigned by the Chairman, Research Committee, stating that the candidate has presented his/her pre-submission Seminar

g. Recommendation of the research guide to the effect that the work of the candidate is adequate and complete for the award of the Ph.D. degree.
h. Evidence of having paid the required fees prescribed by the University.
The candidate shall submit the thesis after the expiry of one month from the date of notice, but within a period of six months. The delay in submitting the thesis beyond six months, but within one year may be condoned by the Research Committee on the recommendation of the Doctoral Committee. The Vice Chancellor may condone delay for a further period of six months in exceptional cases, provided further that the candidate shall submit his/her thesis only during the currency of his/her registration.

The candidate shall submit to the University five copies of the thesis, printed or typed clearly in the format prescribed by the University along with a CD containing soft copy of the thesis in PDF format. One soft copy shall be displayed in the University one week preceding the Open Defence.

A thesis shall be accompanied by the following:
   a. A declaration signed by the candidate to the effect that the Thesis is the outcome of the original work done by the candidate, and that the work did not form part of any Dissertation submitted for the award of any degree, diploma, associate ship, or any other title or recognition from any University/Institution.
   b. A certificate by the research guide(s) to the effect that to the best of his/her/their knowledge the thesis is a bonafide record of research carried out by the candidate under his/her/their supervision.
   c. A certificate from the Research Guide to the effect that all the corrections and modifications suggested by the Research Committee in the pre-submission Seminar have been incorporated in the thesis.
   d. An appendix containing research articles published by him/her alone or jointly with others in the same area of study as additional evidence of the research work done by the candidate.

21. Procedure for Adjudication of the Thesis
   I The thesis shall be adjudicated by two external experts nominated by the Vice-Chancellor, of which at least one shall be from outside the State.
   II Each examiner shall be requested to send a separate individual report on adjudication of the thesis, wherein it shall be specifically stated, whether or not the examiner recommends the award of the degree based on the written thesis, with reasons for the recommendation. If the thesis does not meet the standard expected of a Ph.D. thesis, the thesis may be rejected.
   III In the event of one examiner recommending the thesis for the award of Ph.D. Degree and the other examiner rejecting it, the thesis shall be sent to a third examiner nominated by the Vice Chancellor, from the same panel and the decision of the third examiner shall be final.
   IV If both the examiners reject the thesis, the Ph.D. degree will not be awarded to the candidate. But if one or both the examiners suggest resubmission of the thesis, after revision, the candidate may resubmit the thesis incorporating the changes proposed by the examiner after a period of six months and on payment of such fees as may be prescribed by the University.
   V On resubmission, the thesis shall again be sent for adjudication as far as possible to the same examiner who had adjudicated it earlier and, if not, by substituting with a new examiner who shall be selected from the same panel.
   VI The candidate shall have no further chance for resubmission of the thesis and the decision to accept or reject the thesis at this stage shall be final.
   VII If both the examiners recommend for the award of the Ph.D. Degree, the University shall make arrangements for the conduct of Open Defence and a viva voce
examination. The Open Defence/viva voce board shall consist of the Chairman of the Research Committee as Chairman and any one of the examiners nominated by the Vice Chancellor, from the panel of examiners prepared for the adjudication of the thesis, the Research Guide and Joint Guide/co-guide, if any, as members.

VIII Viva voce examination shall be held at a place and time decided by the University after making prior announcement of the same, and after issuing notice to all the research guides, faculty and researchers of the University/Recognized Institutions sufficiently in advance.

IX There shall be an Open Defence of the thesis by the candidate where he/she has to explain the motivation and relevance of the work, innovation in methodology and salient features of the findings. He/She shall satisfactorily answer the questions put forward by the audience. This shall be followed by an in camera viva voce examination conducted by the viva voce board.

X The Chairman and the external expert shall be present at the Open Defence/viva voce examination.

XI If the viva voce examination is not held on the scheduled date, the candidate shall be required to be present for the Open Defence and viva voce examination on a subsequent date, as intimated to him/her.

XII If in the opinion of the viva voce board the candidate is successful in the viva voce examination and has defended his/her thesis satisfactorily in the Open Defence, the board shall prepare a consolidated report and present it to the University recommending the Award of the Degree. The candidate shall submit the hard bound copy of the thesis along with a soft copy in PDF format after incorporating all corrections/suggestions made by the examiners. The supervising teacher shall give a certificate stating that all corrections are made in the final copy of the thesis.

XIII If in the opinion of the viva voce board the candidate is not successful in the viva voce examination the candidate shall be given an additional opportunity after one month for the viva voce/Open Defence after payment of the prescribed fee, and the decision of viva voce board at this examination shall be final.

XIV The award of Ph.D. Degree will be with effect from the date of successful completion of viva voce examination as noted by the consolidated report of the Board of Examiners. If there are any minor modifications/corrections suggested by the examiners, the certificate from the University will be issued only after the receipt of the final modified thesis copy and CD.

XV The University shall issue a provisional certificate to the candidate to the effect that he/she has successfully fulfilled all the requirements including course work for the award of the Ph.D. degree, in accordance with the UGC guidelines.

22. Publication of the Thesis

I. A candidate who has been awarded the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy shall be free to publish his/her thesis with a proper acknowledgement to the University.


I. The present regulations shall be applicable for all registrations of candidates for the degree of Ph.D., from the session beginning in June 2015 onwards. Depending on the guidelines of educational regulators the university reserves the right to make retrospective or prospective amendments to the above regulations.
24. PhD Transfer Issue
1. The transferee must submit a request explaining his/her status to University;
2. Current registration must be in UGC approved university/institution;
3. Candidate must either have passed UGC-NET or test of the approved institution followed by entire course work;
4. The research topic can be carried as it is for which synopsis and progress update must be provided up front;
5. Migration process must be initiated where applicable;
6. Admission fee has to be paid as required;
7. Waiver will be granted for each completed semester from date of full doctoral registration up to 3 semesters, even if more semesters have elapsed;
8. Candidate has to pay one semester fee upfront and if at least four semesters are completed at earlier institution and at SSU, the candidate will be eligible for thesis submission process;
9. Submission fee onwards will be charged as per SSU rules;
10. Availability of research guide will be taken into account while accepting transfer.

25. Sub-rules for PhD Programme
I. If a candidate has a doctoral degree in approved faculty areas from any recognized national or international university or fellowship equivalent to PhD from an institute of repute and wants to earn a further doctoral degree (PhD) from Sri Sri University, the university will encourage on merits.
II. There is no need for entrance test or course work for obvious reason.
III. Such candidates can submit their pre-submission synopsis just after admission.
IV. The candidate has to pay admission fees, at least one term fee and submission fee onwards as applicable.
V. Other provisions are as applicable to fresh candidates except for the provision that such candidate will be excluded from count of limitations for guiding PhD by an individual guide. At present there is no provision for independent research even for such candidate.
ANNEXURE I

SRI SRI UNIVERSITY
APPLICATION FOR ENTRANCE TEST FOR SELECTION OF SCHOLARS TO
REGISTRATION INTO DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY PROGRAMME April 2015

Personal Details:
1. Name of the Candidate (in block letter):

2. Contact Details:
Present Address: .................................................................
..........................................................................................PIN/ZIP Code..
Mobile No: ..................................................Email ID .........................................................

3. Permanent Address: ............................................................... PIN/ZIP Code: ……………………..Mobile No: ………………………..
Email ID ............................................................

4. Caste………………….. Sex………………….. Nationality………………..
(SC/ST/OBC applicants are required to submit photocopy of proof certificate)

5. Whether physically Handicapped?………No……………Yes…………
(If yes, please enclose copy of certificate)

6. Educational Qualification (HSC onwards)

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Note: Attachments
Transcript and/or certificates (PDF format only & size: Max 3MB) from class X onwards. If you have semester or year wise transcripts those must be uploaded too in any case hard copies of such documents must be submitted.

7. Do you have work experience? Yes ……………… No……………

8. Details of your work experience starting with your first job (if yes).

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Note: If employed, experience certificate and no objection certificate of the employer are to be submitted.

9. Qualifying Test Scores
Are you qualified UGC-CSIR-NET/GATE/SLET/DBT/ICMR/ICAR/INSPIRE fellowship of DST or Teacher Fellowship? (If yes copy of such certificate to be enclosed)
Name of the test……………….. Month & Year of test………………..Score…………..

10. Intended Programme of Study
Sri Sri University offers Ph. D. degree in the following Areas:

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5. Whether Employed (Yes/No): …………………………………
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6. Whether qualified in entrance test and interview?………………
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