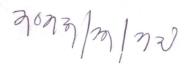
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### **English Language Proficiency Test (ELPT)**

## **PSC Recruitment (December 2023)**

**English Paper** 

**Duration: 3 Hours** 

Post: Office Assistant

Maximum Marks: 80

#### **Instructions:**

• Read all direction(s) carefully

• Attempt all questions

#### Section A: Reading (20 Marks)

Stress is a body reaction to any demands or changes in its internal and external environment. Whenever there is a change in the external environment such as temperature, pollutants, humidity and working conditions, it leads to stress. In these days of competition when a person makes up his mind to surpass what has been achieved by others, leading to an imbalance between demands and resources, it causes psychosocial stress. It is a part and parcel of everyday life.

Stress has a different meaning, depending on the stage of life you are in. The loss of a toy or a reprimand from the parents might create a stress shock in a child. An adolescent who fails an examination may feel as if everything has been lost and life has no further meaning. In an adult the loss of his or her companion, job or professional failure may appear as if there is nothing more to be achieved.

Such signs appear in the attitude and behaviour of the individual, as muscle tension in various parts of the body, palpitation and high blood pressure, indigestion and hyperacidity. Ultimately the result is self-destructive behaviour such as eating and drinking too much, smoking excessively, relying on tranquilisers. There are other signs of stress such as trembling, shaking, nervous blinking, dryness of throat and mouth and difficulty in swallowing.

A person under stress reacts in different ways and the common ones are flight, fight and flee depending upon the nature of the stress and capabilities of the person. The three responses can be elegantly chosen to cope with the stress so that stress does not damage the system and become distressed.

When stress crosses the limit, peculiar to an individual, it lowers his performance capacity. Frequent crossings of the limit may result in chronic fatigue in which a person feels lethargic, disinterested and is not easily motivated to achieve anything. This may make the person mentally undecided, confused and accident-prone as well. Sudden exposure of unnerving stress may also result in a loss of memory. Diet, massage, food supplements, herbal medicines, hobbies, relaxation techniques and dance movements are excellent stress busters.

(a) Answer the following questions	(2x5=10 marks)
(i) What is stress? What factors lead to stress?	
(ii) What are the signs by which a person can know that he is under	er stress?
(iii) What are the different diseases a person gets due to stress?	
(iv) Give any two examples of stress busters.	
(v) How does a person react under stress?	
(b) Which words in the above passage mean the same as the fo	allowing? (2v5=10 marks)
(i) excel (para 1)	mowing: (2x3-10 marks)
(ii) rebuke (para 2)	
(iii) acid reflux (para 3)	
(iv) get by (para 4)	
(v) methods (para 5)	
Section B- General Knowledge (2x5=20	0 Marks)
1. How many members are there in the Tibetan Parli	ament_in_Fvile
currently?	milent in Lane
(a) 35	
(b) 45	
(c) 43	
(d) 37	
(a) 37	
2. According to the Central Tibetan Administration's	record, how many
Tibetans have self- immolated in Tibet since 2009?	record, now many
1.500.000.000	
(a) 150	
(b) 157	
(0) 201	
(c) 158	

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3. Which city hosted the 8th World Parliamentarians' Convention on Tibet	?
(a) New Delhi	
(b) Washington D.C.	
(c) Riga	
(d) Sydney	
4. What is the name of the present US Special coordinator for Tibetan issues?	
(a) Sarah Sewall	
(b) Uzra Zeya	
(c) Maria Otero	
(d) Paula Dobrainsky	
5. Which is the official English website of the Central Tibetan Administration?	
(a) Phayul.com	
(b) Tibet.net	
(c) Tibettimes.net	
(d) vot.org	

# Section C- Writing (30 Marks)

- 1. Draft a speech to be delivered by a Sikyong (President) at a conference with the presence of Heads of State, Parliamentarians, Scholars, and media, focusing on the *Tibet' Environment* (150 words) 10 Marks
- 2. 3. Write an essay on:

(150 words) 10 Marks

a. Strategize a comprehensive campaign to raise awareness about Tibet.

OR

- b. Compose an essay addressing the grievous human rights situation in Tibet.
- 3. Write an essay on:

(150 words) 10 Marks

a) Middle-Way Approach policy for resolving the Sino-Tibetan conflict.

OR

b) Evolution of Democracy in Exile Tibetan community.

# Section D-Translation - (10 Marks)

Translate the following into English

# थर्वितःश्राथश्चम्याः सर्वेदिः श्रुः बेतः नदुः नदीः नः केदः विः सर्केवाः वीः सहं तः सुरान् सूर्या

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