## OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL (A & E) – I, UTTAR PRADESH, ALLAHABAD

O.O No.Exam/SAS/RA/I/CPDExam-1&Exam-2/2021onwards/ I/31178/2020/56973

Dated :- 18.11.2020

## **OFFICE ORDER**

As per Exam Wings' Circular No. 10 of 2020 Letter No. 370/04-Exam/MSO Chapter 9-Revision/2020 Dated 15<sup>th</sup> October 2020 and Circular No. 11 of 2020 No. 75/03-Exam/Addl. Chance/2016/Vol. I dated 19<sup>th</sup> October 2020, the SAS/RA/I/CPD Main and Supplementary SAS/RA/I/CPD Examinations has been renamed as Examination-1 and Examination-2 of the year. The cut-off dates for determining the eligibility of the officials for SAS/RA/I/CPD Examinations will be 1<sup>st</sup> March for Examination-1 and 1<sup>st</sup> September for Examination-2 of the year. Competent Authority has also increased the number of chances to pass the SAS Examination from 10 to 12.

The details of the modified system are as under:

- 1. Under the modified system, the total chances to pass the SAS Examination will be twelve (6 normal + 6 additional)
- 2. The time limit for passing the SAS Examination will be eight years considering two Examinations in a year (8 years for 12 chances). The six additional chances are not consecutive as earlier.
- 3. The additional six chances may be admissible only to those candidates who have cleared five papers within first (normal) six attempts (6+6=12).
- 4. The eligible officials will be allowed to appear afresh in the SAS Examination after exhausting either twelve chances or eight years whichever is earlier from the first registration of CBT without any carry forward of exempted papers.
- 5. The eligible officials who could not pass five papers within the first (normal) six chances will also be allowed to appear afresh in the SAS Examination without any carry forward of exempted papers (no need to wait for completion of eight years).
- 6. Afresh means that the candidates are required to be screened through the Preliminary test, mandatory training, etc as applicable to candidates appearing for the first time.
- 7. Those who have already exhausted ten chances will be allowed two more chances from next SAS Examination- I and has to avail these two chances within two years i.e. four Examinations (counting from Examination-I of 2021).
- 8. In the modified system also, chance will be counted once a candidate registers for the SAS Examination.
- 9. No scope for withdrawal of candidature under the modified system.
- 10. This modified system including the counting of eight years of SAS Examination will be applicable from the 1<sup>st</sup> examination (Examination-1) to be held in the year 2021.

Copy forwarded to the following for information and necessary action :

- 1. Secy. to Accountant General, (A & E)-I & II, U.P. Allahabad
- 2. Secy. to Principal Director, RTI Allahabad
- 3. Sr. A.O./ITCG, O/o A.G.(A&E)-I, U.P. for uploading the O.O. on the website.
- 4. Sr.A.O./WM-1, O/o A.G.(A&E)-II, U.P. Allahabad with the request to kindly send a single compiled list of all the eligible Divisional Accountants & Divisional Accounts Officer who intends to appear in SAS Examination-1 and the Examination-2 of the year 2021.
- 5. All Notice Boards

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