

# RAJASTHAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, AJMER

## SYLLABUS FOR SCREENING TEST FOR THE POST OF **PROBATION AND PRISON WELFARE OFFICER,** SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT DEPARTMENT

- 1 **Sociology** : Sociology as a Science, Relationship of Sociology with Political Science, History, Psychology, Economics.
- 2 **Basic Concept** : Society, Community, Groups, Institution, Social Norms and Values.
- 3 **Socialisation and Social Control** : Meaning and Stages of Socialisation, Agencies of Socialisation, Meaning of Social Control, Types of Social Control.
- 4 **Indian Society : Family** : Types of Family, Changes in Family, **Marriage** : Meaning and Recent Changes, **Caste** : Features, Recent Changes in Caste System, **Social Changes in India** : Sanskritization, Urbanisation, Westernization.
- 5 **Social Disorganisation** : Meaning and Types of disorganization, **Social Problems** : Drug Addiction and Alcoholism, Prostitution.
- 6 **Crime** : Meaning of Crime, Legal and Sociological, Causes of Crime  
**Juvenile Delinquency** : Meaning and Causes, Crime against Women.
- 7 **Punishment** : Meaning and objectives of Punishment, Capital Punishment.
- 8 **Prison System** : Evolution of Prison System in India, Prison Reforms, Prisoner Welfare, After Care Programmes, Model Jails and Open Prisons, Rehabilitation.
- 9 **Probation and Parole** : Concept of Probation and Parole, Role of Probation Officers, Probation of Offenders Act.
- 10 **Correctional Institutions and Legislations** : Role of Police and Judiciary, Children Homes, Remand Homes, Borstal Institutions, Juvenile Justice Act.

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### Pattern of Question Papers :

- 1 Objective Type Paper.
- 2 Maximum Marks : 100
- 3 Number of Questions : 100
- 4 Duration of Paper : Two Hours.
- 5 All Questions carry equal marks.
- 6 There will be **Negative Marking**.

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