RAJASTHAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, AJMER

Scheme and Syllabus of competitive examination for the post of Assistant Prosecution Officer

A. Written Examination:
   (i) The examination scheme for recruitment shall consist of an objective type examination and interview.
   (ii) The standard of the paper-II (Language paper) will be that of Senior Secondary level.
   (iii) Paper shall include the following subjects carrying the number of marks and time allowed, as shown against them :

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B. Interview:
   (i) The interview shall carry 25 marks, the Commission shall call for interview up to three times of vacancy (category wise), the candidates who have obtained a minimum of 35% marks in each paper and 40% marks in aggregate in the written examination.
   (ii) It shall be compulsory for the candidate to obtain a minimum of 05 marks in interview to recommend him for appointment.

Syllabus for competitive examination

The competitive examination shall include the following papers and each paper shall carry the number of marks as shown against them. Detailed syllabus of each paper for the examination will be as prescribed by the Commission, from time to time and will be intimated to the candidates within the stipulated time in the manner as the Commission deems fit.

PAPER-I- LAW

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### PAPER-II

**LANGUAGE- GENERAL HINDI & GENERAL ENGLISH**

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**NOTE:**

(i) The pattern of question paper will be Objective Type.
(ii) Paper-I shall consist of 150 questions and Paper-II shall consist of 100 questions (50 questions each from Part-A & Part-B).
(iii) There will be Negative marking.

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