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Circular

It is proposed to hold Limited Departmental Competitive Examination for filling up two post of Lower Division Clerk (Unreserved) in the Level-2 (pre-revised PB-1 Rs.5200-20200 + Rs.1900 (GP)) falling under "Limited Departmental Quota" from the eligible Multi-Tasking Staff of the Institute and its Centres have possessed 12th std or equivalent and five years regular service in the Level-1 (pre-revised PB-1 Rs.5200-20200 + Rs.1800 (GP)) as on 1st January 2026. The prescribed syllabus and subject for the Written Test as circulated by the Council vide letter No.14-3/98.Estt.I dated 18th August 1998 is enclosed herewith :-

Subject	Subject	Maximum Marks	Time
Paper-I	Short Essay	100 Marks	1 1/2 hours
Paper-II	General English	50 Marks	1 hours
Paper-II	General Knowledge including Geography of India	50 Marks	1 hours

Interested MTS of ICAR-CIFE Headquarters and its Centres, who are eligible to appear in the aforesaid examination, may send their applications in the prescribed Application Form (Proforma enclosed) through proper channel so as to reach the undersigned latest by **15th May 2026**.

The exact date, time and venue of the examination will be intimated to the candidates along with their allotted Roll Numbers in the Admission Certificate in due course.


(Ashish Chobey)

Sr. Administrative Officer

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**Limited Departmental Competitive Examination – 2026 for Recruitment to
the post of Lower Division Clerk at ICAR-CIFE, Mumbai**

APPLICATION FORM

(To be filled in by the candidate in his/her own handwriting in CAPITAL LETTERS)

1. Name of the candidate : _____
2. Designation : _____
3. Father/Husband's Name : _____
4. Date of Birth (DD-MM-YYYY format) : _____
5. Educational Qualification : _____
6. Date of continuous and regular : _____
Appointment to the post of LDC
7. Medium for answering Question Papers : _____
(Write in words either English or Hindi)
8. Present place of posting (Name of : _____
Section/Centre where working)
9. Category to which belongs : _____
10. Any other information : _____

DECLARATION TO BE SIGNED BY THE CANDIDATE

I, hereby, declare that all the statements made in this application form are true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature of the candidate

Tel.No. _____

Mobile No. _____

Date: _____

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Certified that:

1. Shri /Smt. /Kumari _____
is having three years regular and continuous service in the grade of Multi Tasking Staff as on 1st January 2026 and is eligible for appearing in the Limited Departmental Competitive Examination for the post of Lower Division Clerk.
2. He / She belong to _____ category.
3. There are no circumstances rendering him / her unsuitable for promotion to the post of Lower Division Clerk.
4. He / She is clear from vigilance/disciplinary angle.

(Devendra V. Raorane)
Asstt. Administrative Officer
ICAR-CIFE, Mumbai



Syllabus of the LDC Examination

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Paper-II	General English	50 Marks	1 hours
Paper-II	General Knowledge including Geography of India	50 Marks	1 hours

Where knowledge of the rules, order, instructions etc. is required, candidates will be expected to be conversant with amendments issued upto the date of notification of this examination.

Paper – I

- (a) **Short Essay** – An essay to be written on any one of the several specified subjects.

Paper – II

- (a) **General English** – Candidates will be tested in simple composition, applied grammar and Elementary Tabulation (to test Candidates ability in the art of compiling, arranging and presenting data in a tabular form).

Paper – III

- (a) **General Knowledge Including Geography of India** – Knowledge of current events and of such matters of every day observation and experience in their scientific aspects as may be expected of an educated person who has not made a special study of any scientific subject. The paper will include question on Geography of India.

Note – Candidates are allowed the option to answer paper I and / or Paper III either in Hindi (in Devnagari Script) or in English. Paper II must be answered in English by all Candidates. Paper I & Paper III will be published in bilingual for, in English and Hindi. The option for Paper III will be for the complete paper and not for different parts/ questions in it.