

ARMY

1. National Cadet Corps `C` Certificate holders will be required to compete in UPSC Examination for grant of commission in the Army through IMA and OTS. However, 32 vacancies in every regular course of IMA are reserved for National Cadet Corps `C` Certificate holders who have passed UPSC entrance examination and have also been declared successful by the Service Selection Board.

2. The point to note is that from amongst the National Cadet Corps Cadets who have passed UPSC Examination and the SSB, 32 cadets will be selected to undergo training at the IMA irrespective of the position in the general merit list, i.e. 64 vacancies in a year.

3. NCC `C` Certificate holders with minimum `B` Grade are exempted from appearing in Written Examination conducted by UPSC for SSC (Non-Tech) Course of OTA Madras through NCC Special Entry Scheme. There are 50 vacancies reserved for one course. Total vacancies are 100 per year.

4. (a) The candidates who are NCC `C` Certificate holders seeking enrolment for Sol(GD) are exempted from Part-I of the written examination and will be placed at the top of the merit list. But, as far as Sol Clk/SKT/Tech/NA are concerned, they will not be exempted from Pt-I of the written exam, but 10% bonus marks will be awarded of the total marks earned in the written exam for overall placement in the merit list.

(b) As far as NCC `A` and `B` Certificate holders are concerned, the percentage of bonus marks will be awarded as under with a view to improve the candidates overall order of merit:-

(i) Soldier GD Category. 8% bonus marks for NCC `B` certificate holders and 5% bonus marks for NCC `A` Certificate holders will be awarded on the basis of the total marks scored by a candidate in physical and written examination.

(ii) Soldier Tech/NA/SKT/Clk. Bonus marks as per percentage given in para 3 (b) (i) above will be based on the total marks scored by a candidate in the written examination only.

NOTE:- It is clarified that if a candidate is both a son of an exservicemen/servicemen and a NCC Certificate holder, he is entitled to only one type of concession.