Entrance Exam Notice

VPM's B. N. Bandodkar College of Science, Thane

Common entrance Test for <u>M. Sc. Environmental Science</u> and <u>M. Sc. Biodiversity, Wildlife Conservation & Management.</u> (Semester I and II), 2015-2016

Eligibility:

1. For M. Sc. Environmental Science:

A learner who has passed B. Sc. Degree examination of Mumbai University or any other recognized university is eligible for the entrance examination.

The learner must have secured minimum 45% marks (40% for the candidate belonging to reserved category) or equivalent grade at B.Sc. examination in Chemistry, Botany, Zoology, Microbiology, Biotechnology, Life Sciences, Biochemistry, Geology, Geography, Natural Sciences, Agricultural Sciences or B.Sc. Degree with any other subject with Biological Sciences as one of the subject at F.Y./S.Y. Level or B.E. Degree of the university of Mumbai or any other University/ Institute recognized as equivalent.

Course fee(Semester I and II) : Rs. 41,415/-

2. For M. Sc. Biodiversity, Wildlife Conservation & Management:

- o B.Sc. in ANY subject or its equivalent.
- B.Sc. Veterinary Science or its equivalent.
- B.Sc. Agriculture or Forestry or its equivalent.

<u>Course fees</u> (Semester I and II): **Rs. 40,500/-** (Excluding Projects/Product/Service Development, On-job training and excursion/field visits; refer syllabus)

- Date of Issuing forms: 23th July, 2015
- Last date of submission of forms: 29th July, 2015
- <u>Date of Examination</u>: 30th July, 2015 at 3:30 pm to 5:10 pm Venue: Department of Environmental Science
- First Merit list: 31st July, 2015

Admissions will be on the basis of merit in the Entrance Test Examination.

Procedure and Weightage for questions in the Entrance Test for different subjects will be as follows:

Multiple Choice Questions: 100. Total Marks: 100; No negative marking

| Sr. No | Subject | No. of questions |
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| 1 | Life Sciences | 10 |
| 2 | Botany | 15 |
| 3 | Zoology and Wildlife | 15 |
| 4 | Microbiology/Biotechnology | 15 |
| 5 | Biochemistry/Molecular Biology | 10 |
| 6 | Statistics/Geology/Geography | 10 |
| 7 | Chemistry | 15 |
| 8 | General Environmental awareness | 10 |
| | Total | 100 |