



GBSHSE/EXAM/HSSC-SSC/2023

Date: 09/03/2023

CIRCULAR NO. 16

To,
All Heads of recognized
Higher Secondary & Secondary Schools
under the jurisdiction of this Board.

Sub:- Clarification regarding absentee in the First Term & Second Term
SSC/HSSC Examination of 2023....

Sir/Madam

It has been observed that some candidates have remained absent for First Term Exam SSC/HSSC of November 2022 without justifying the reason. However, some have remained absent on Medical ground or participation in National Sports events.

This matter was extensively deliberated in the Examination Committee Meeting dated 03/03/2023 held in the Boards office. The decision of the Examination Committee of the Board is conveyed as below for the information of concerned.

- a) If the candidate is absent for the First Term for whatever reason, he will be awarded zero mark in the First Term. However, he will be permitted to appear in the Second Term Exam as one time measure.
- b) If the candidate is absent for Second Term it will be treated as absent in that subject(s) and Final result will be declared as 'Needs Improvement'.
- c) The Unsuccessful candidates irrespective of number of subjects with Needs Improvement remark shall be allowed to appear in Supplementary Examination.
- d) (i) It is also decided that Syllabus for Supplementary Examination of SSC/HSSC from June/July 2023 will be the entire syllabus.
(ii) Further, no marks of First or Second Term Examination will be carried forward in the Supplementary Exam.



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(iii) The Question paper pattern will be subjective type with weightage to the content as per pattern exist in March 2020.

(iv) The decision of entire syllabus in the Supplementary Examination shall be applicable for all Repeater candidates including Unsuccessful Candidates at April 2023 SSC/HSSC Exam.

The Circular should be displayed on the Notice Board at a prominent place for information of all concerned.

(Shri. Vidhyadatta B. Naik)
Secretary

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