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## Public Notice 17 January 2024

Subject: Display of Provisional Answer Key(s) and Question Paper with Recorded Responses for inviting Challenges to the Provisional Answer Key(s) of MNS: Selection for SSC 2023-24.

The National Testing Agency conducted the MNS: Selection for SSC 2023-24 on 14<sup>th</sup> January 2024 in **90 cities** across the country for **28,220 candidates**.

The Provisional Answer Key(s) along with the Question Paper with Recorded Responses are available on the website <a href="https://exams.nta.ac.in/SSCMNS">https://exams.nta.ac.in/SSCMNS</a> for the candidates to challenge. The procedure for the challenge of Answer Key is as enclosed as **Annexure – I.** 

The candidates, who are not satisfied with the Answer Key, may challenge the same by paying a fee of ₹200/- (Rupees Two Hundred only) per question challenged as a non-refundable processing fee. The details for the Answer Key Challenge are given below:

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S. No.	Description	Date(s)
1	Duration for Answer Key Challenge	17 January 2024 (from 12:00 noon.) to 18 January 2024 (upto 9:00 p.m.)
2	Last date for Payment	18 January 2024 (upto 11:50 p.m.)

The payment of the processing fee may be made through Credit Card/ Debit Card/Net Banking/UPI Payment Modes till 18 January 2024 (upto 11:50 p.m.)

No challenge will be entertained without the receipt of the processing fee. The Challenges will not be accepted through any other mode.

The Challenges made by the candidates will be verified by a panel of subject experts. If the challenge of any candidate is found correct, the Answer Key will be revised and applied in the responses of all the candidates accordingly. Based on the revised Final Answer Key, the result will be prepared and declared. No individual candidate will be informed about the acceptance/non-acceptance of her challenge.

The key finalized by the Experts after the challenge will be final. Candidates are advised to visit NTA Official website: <a href="https://exams.nta.ac.in/SSCMNS">https://exams.nta.ac.in/SSCMNS</a> for the latest updates.

Sr. Director (Exams)

## Procedure for Challenge of Answer Key(s) of MNS: Selection for SSC 2023-24

- 1. Please go to NTA website <a href="https://exams.nta.ac.in/SSCMNS">https://exams.nta.ac.in/SSCMNS</a>
- 2. Click 'Challenge (s) regarding Answer Key'
- 3. Login with **your Application Number and Date of Birth** and enter Security Pin as displayed and submit.
- 4. Click on "View Question Paper" for marked responses and to view or challenge the Answer keys, click on the link "Click to view /Challenge Answer Key".
- 5. You will see Question IDs in sequential order.
- 6. The ID next to the question under the column 'Correct Option(s)' stands for the correct Answer Key to be used by NTA. The Dropped Questions are highlighted and not for challenge.
- 7. If you wish to challenge this option, you may use any one or more of the Option IDs given in the next four columns by clicking the check box.
- 8. After clicking your desired option, scroll down, 'Save your Claims' and move to the next screen.
- 9. You will see a display of all the Option IDs you have challenged.
- 10. You may upload supporting documents in which you can select 'Choose File' and upload (all documents to be put in a single pdf file).
- 11. Click on 'Save your Claims and pay fee' or in case you wish to modify the claims, click on 'Modify your Claims'.
- 12. After saving the claims, you will find a screen displaying your Challenges.
- 13. Kindly pay the fee by clicking on 'Pay Fee'. The claims will be saved finally after successful payment of requisite fee.
- 14. Select Mode of Payment and Pay your fee @ Rs.200/- for each question challenged. Make payment through Debit/Credit Card/Net Banking / UPI payment modes.
- 15. In case of any difficulty, please feel free to contact 011 40759000 / 011-69227700 or write to ssc-mns@nta.ac.in