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MPPSC toppers get postings

INDORE: Madhya Pradesh Public Service Commission (MPPSC) on Friday alloted postings to toppers of the PSC 2012 examination, papers of which were leaked after investigating agencies caught impersonators.

Interviews of the shortlisted candidates had concluded recently. Sateesh Rai, Nitin Kumar Tale, Sanjay Kumar and Anurag Singh are the top rankers. They have been appointed as deputy collector. Sub-registrar Pradeep Kumar Soni has also been selected as deputy collector. He is younger brother of AICTSL CEO Sandeep Soni.

Among the four toppers, who have been appointed as deputy superintendent of police are Poorti Tiwari, Dreamy Agrawal, Akhilesh Gour and Shreelekha Shrotriya. "The Commission has released post-wise final section list. Letter will be sent to them personally," said MPPSC secretary Manohar Dubey.

Rai has topped the merit list by scoring 1502 marks out of 2350, while Tale and Sanjay are second and third toppers respectively. Tale has scores 1495 marks, while Sanjay has scored 1486 marks respectively. Among the top 10 candidates, two are female. The total marks included main exams (2300) and interviews (250) mark.

Interviews of PSC-2012 were conducted from July 1 to 31 following high court orders. Selection process for filling up nearly 400 posts lying vacant was suspended in July 2014 after it was established that the papers of preliminary and main exams were leaked.

After initial exams held in 2013, around 1150 candidates were declared qualified for interview round. Interviews were scheduled from July 30, 2014 but in the first week of July, a gang involved in paper leak cases was busted in Delhi and its members had admitted to have leaked papers of MPPSC-2012. MPPSC had then suspended the interviews.

Special Task Force (STF) of MP Police had confirmed that the papers of MPPSC-2012 were leaked by the gang.