

**1. GIVE A BRIEF ACCOUNT OF JOINT PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.**

The Constitution makes a provision for the establishment of a Joint State Public Service Commission for two or more states. The JPSC can be created by an act of Parliament on the request of the state legislatures concerned. It is a statutory body. The chairman and members of the JPSC are appointed by the President. They hold office for a period of six years or until they attain the age of 62 years, whichever is earlier. They can be suspended or removed by the President. A JPSC submits its annual performance report to each of the concerned state governors. Each governor places the report before the state legislature.



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