

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICE COMMISSION CIRCULAR NOTE NO.14 OF 2015**

**Vacancies for the Post of Principal Health Inspector**

**Local Government Service**

*(Details of this advertisement are also available at <http://lgsc.govmu.org>)*

Applications are invited from among qualified serving officers in the grade of Senior Health Inspector who wish to be considered for appointment as Principal Health Inspector in the Local Government Service.

The permanent and pensionable post carries salary in the scale of Rs 30575 x 900 - 34175 x 1200 - 37775 x 1500 - 45275 a month plus salary compensation at approved rates.

Appointment to the grade in a temporary capacity carries salary at the flat rate of Rs. 30,575 a month plus salary compensation at approved rates.

**II. QUALIFICATIONS:**

By selection of officers in the grade of Senior Health Inspector reckoning two years' service in the grade and possessing:

- (a) good interpersonal, communication, leadership and administrative skills; and
- (b) a fair knowledge and understanding of environment matters relating to the prevention and control of pollution.

**NOTE:**

1. Candidates should produce written evidence of any experience/knowledge claimed.
2. The onus for the submission of equivalence of qualification (if applicable) from the relevant authorities rests on the candidates.
3. Candidates should enclose photocopies of their National Identity Card, academic/professional qualifications and where applicable equivalence of qualifications.

### III. DUTIES:

- (a) To be responsible to the Chief Health Inspector/any other officer delegated by him.
- (b) To attend Committee and Council meetings whenever required.
- (c) To participate in the implementation of Council decisions under instruction of the Chief Health Inspector.
- (d) To participate in the enforcement of all regulations governing sanitation, fairs, markets, cemeteries, trades and industries and all other subjects allied to public health.
- (e) To control markets, fairs and cemeteries.
- (f) To supervise the scavenging service.
- (g) To cause inspection of private and public premises so as to maintain a good standard of sanitation within the district.
- (h) To serve notices and to prosecute for sanitary contravention against Council's regulations.
- (i) To participate in the supervision, control and to follow the works of junior staff including Senior Health Inspectors whenever required.
- (j) To participate in active health inspection campaign.
- (k) To control restaurants, bars and other food establishments and recommend such premises for licences.
- (l) To participate in the training of Health Officers and other junior staff.
- (m) To attend court and act as Prosecutor whenever required.
- (n) To effect control over production, distribution, storage and sale of foodstuffs generally.
- (o) To inspect places of public entertainment and public conveniences.
- (p) To be the responsible officer for the Public Health Department whenever necessary.
- (q) Any other cognate duties that may be assigned.

#### IV. MODE OF APPLICATION:

(i) Qualified candidates should submit their applications:

(a) either

on LGSC Form 7 which may be obtained either from the office of the Local Government Service Commission, Louis Pasteur Street, Forest Side or from any Local Authority.

(b) or

online through the website of the LGSC at <http://lgsc.govmu.org> or through the Government Citizen Portal at <http://citizen.govmu.org>

**Note 1:** Details of this advertisement as well as the application form (LGSC Form 7) are also available on the website of the LGSC at the above-mentioned address.

**Note 2:** Prospective candidates willing to submit their application online may also call on weekdays either at the seat of the Local Government Service Commission from 13 00 to 15 00 hours or at any Local Authority during the prescribed hours where such facilities are offered free of charge.

(ii) Candidates are encouraged to submit their applications online.

(iii) Candidates should submit their applications **in duplicate**, the original should be sent directly to the **Secretary** of the Local Government Service Commission and the duplicate one to their Responsible Officer, who will forward it to the Commission within a week after the closing date.

(iv) Candidates are advised to read carefully the **“NOTES AND INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES”** before filling in the application form.

(v) The envelope should be clearly marked on the top left-hand corner :-

**“Post of Principal Health Inspector -  
Local Government Service”**

V. **CLOSING DATE:**

Applications should reach the **Secretary**, Local Government Service Commission, Louis Pasteur Street, Forest Side **not later than 1500 hours on Wednesday 13 May 2015.**

**IMPORTANT**

- (i) *Qualifications and equivalence of qualifications obtained after the closing date will not be accepted. Only qualified persons should apply.*
- (ii) *Incomplete, inadequate or inaccurate filling of the application form may cause the elimination of candidates from the competition.*
- (iii) *Applications not made on the prescribed form will not be considered.*
- (iv) *Applications received after the closing date and time will not be accepted. The onus for the prompt submission of applications so that they reach the **Secretary** of the Commission in time lies solely on applicants.*
- (v) *The Commission reserves the right not to make any appointment following this advertisement.*

**Local Government Service Commission  
Louis Pasteur Street  
Forest Side**

**Date: 23 April 2015**