

Local Government Service Commission Circular Note No. 21 of 2017

Vacancy for the post of Plant and Equipment Operator
Municipal City Council of Port Louis

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

Applications are invited from serving employees on the Permanent and Pensionable Establishment of the Municipal City Council of Port Louis who wish to be considered for appointment as Plant and Equipment Operator in that Council.

The permanent and pensionable post carries salary in the scale of Rs 12750 x 260 - 14050 x 275 - 15150 x 300 - 15750 x 325 - 17700 x 375 - 19575 x 475 - 21000 a month plus salary compensation at approved rates.

Appointment in the grade in a temporary capacity carries salary at the flat rate of Rs 12750 a month plus salary compensation at approved rates.

2. Qualifications:

By selection from employees on the permanent and pensionable establishment of the Local Authority.

NOTE 1: The possession of the Certificate of Primary Education and/or proven experience in the operation of plant and equipment would be an advantage.

NOTE 2: Candidates should enclose photocopies of their National Identity Card and academic/technical qualifications and, where applicable relevant documentary evidence of all experience claimed.

NOTE 3: The onus for the submission of equivalence of qualification (if applicable) from the relevant authorities rests on the candidates.

3. Duties

To be responsible for:-

1. operating manually or mechanically different types of machines or equipment viz Bitumen Sprayer, Concrete Mixer, Drilling Plant, Pneumatic Hammer and Stone Breaker/Broomwade;
2. carrying out routine maintenance and minor repairs or adjustments to the plant or equipment to ensure its safe working;

3. reporting any mechanical defects to the Chief Mechanic;
4. working the handwheel control for the tilting of mixing bowl;
5. washing the bowl after use;
6. helping to tow the concrete mixer to any vehicle pulling same;
7. helping generally in masonry work;
8. melting and proper spraying of coaltar;
9. breaking stones with pneumatic drills of air compressor;
10. operating air compressor; and
11. any other cognate duties as may be assigned to him.

4. **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 Local Government Service Commission 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 1300 to 1500 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 respective 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 :-

**“Plant and Equipment Operator
Municipal City Council of Port Louis”**

5. Closing Date

Qualified candidates should submit their applications to the **Secretary**, Local Government Service Commission, Louis Pasteur Street, Forest Side so as to reach him **not later than 3.00 p.m on Monday 17 April, 2017.**

IMPORTANT

- (i) *Qualifications/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:*
 - (a) *not to make any appointment following this advertisement; and*
 - (b) *to convene only the best qualified candidates for interview.*

**Local Government Service Commission,
Louis Pasteur Street,
FOREST SIDE**

Date : 04 April, 2017