Applications are invited from among Tradesman’s Assistants (Painter) of the Local Government Service who wish to be considered for appointment as Painter in the Municipal Town Council of Curepipe.

The permanent and pensionable post carries salary in the scale of Rs 13010 x 260 – 14050 x 275 – 15150 x 300 – 15750 x 325 – 17700 x 375 – 19575 x 475 – 21950 x 625 – 23200 x 775 – 23975 a month.

Appointment to the grade in a temporary capacity carries salary at the flat rate of Rs 13010 a month.

II. QUALIFICATIONS:

By selection from among Tradesman’s Assistants in the Local Government Service possessing the trade test in Painting or holding a certificate in Painting from a recognised institution, acceptable to the Local Government Service Commission.

NOTE

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

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

3. Candidates may be outposted to any sub office of the Local Authority.

III. DUTIES:

1. To carry out the necessary measurements and calculations of the trade.

2. To use and keep in good condition the tools in general use in the trade.

3. To remove all paint with soda solution, wash and burn off paint.

4. To prepare surfaces for painting.
5. To make a putty.

6. To sand paper, paint (brush), stop up, flat down with pumice and varnish (brush) and apply putty, paints and varnishes.

7. To do ordinary distempering including preparation of walls if required.

8. To do simple glazing.

9. Must be able to prepare, mix and match paints and to use linseed oil, boiled and raw.

10. To ensure good safety conditions while on duty.

11. Other duties directly related to the main duties listed above or related to the delivery of the output and results expected from incumbents in the roles ascribed to them according to their postings.

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 applications 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 Painter, Municipal Town Council of Curepipe”

V. **CLOSING DATE**

Applications should reach the **Secretary**, Local Government Service Commission, Louis Pasteur Street, Forest Side not later than 15 00 hours on Monday 21 May 2018.

**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:

   (a) not to make any appointment following this advertisement;
   (b) to convene only the best qualified candidates for interview; and
   (c) to fill from this selection exercise any vacancies which might occur in other Local Authorities.

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

Date: 8 May 2018