

## LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICE COMMISSION CIRCULAR NOTE NO 19 OF 2024

### VACANCY FOR THE POST OF SENIOR HEALTH INSPECTOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICE

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

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

The permanent and pensionable post carries salary in the scale of Rs 28225 x 825 – 35650 x 900 – 37450 x 950 – 42200 x 1300 – 46100 x 1575 – 49250 a month.

Appointment to the grade in a temporary capacity carries salary at the flat rate of Rs 28225 a month.

#### II. QUALIFICATIONS:

By selection from among officers in the grade of Health Inspector reckoning:

- (i) four years' service in the grade and possessing the Diploma in Sanitary Science or the Diploma in Environmental Health  
Or
- (ii) six years' service in the grade and possessing the Certificate in Sanitary Science  
Or

Equivalent qualification acceptable to the Local Government Service Commission

#### NOTE

- 1) *The onus for the submission of written evidence of knowledge/experience claimed and equivalence of qualification (if applicable) from the relevant authorities (Higher Education Commission or Mauritius Qualifications Authority) rests on the candidates. Applications will not be considered in case of non-submission of written evidence of knowledge/experience claimed and Equivalence Certificate, as appropriate, by the closing date.*
- 2) *Candidates should enclose photocopies of their National Identity Card and academic/technical qualifications.*
- 3) *Candidates are informed that they may be outposted to any sub office of the Local Authority, and also, with the approval of the appropriate authority, to any other Local Authority where their services will be required.*

### **III. DUTIES:**

1. To be responsible to the Chief Health Inspector/any other officer delegated by him and to assist the latter generally in the performance of his duties and in particular to: -
  - (i) carry out regular supervisory works related to inspections carried out daily by Health Inspectors and ensure compliance with the relevant laws and regulations;
  - (ii) control and supervise the work of Health Inspectors, Junior Staff and other manual grade staff in connection with duties associated with Markets, Cemeteries, Scavenging Service, Licences/Permits, Entertainment Tax, Night/Soil Service, Advertisements, Trade and Industrial Establishments, etc;
  - (iii) process returns of work and other documents submitted by junior staff;
  - (iv) keep the necessary records, files, information and to perform other related office duties;
  - (v) conduct enquiries as and when necessary and to record statements;
  - (vi) execute all summons and orders issued in relation to any offence against a law relating to a Local Authority;
  - (vii) attend Council meetings as and when required;
  - (viii) attend meetings with Ministries/Departments and other bodies as and when required.
2. To be responsible for the prosecution of cases before Court.
3. To use ICT in the performance of his/her duties.
4. To perform such other duties directly related to the main duties listed above or related to the delivery of output and results expected from Senior Health Inspectors in the roles ascribed to them.

### **IV. MODE OF APPLICATION:**

- (i) Qualified candidates should submit their applications on LGSC Form 7a which may be obtained from the Office of the Local Government Service Commission, Louis Pasteur Street, Forest Side and from any Local Authority.

**Note:** Details of this advertisement as well as the application form (LGSC Form 7a) are also available on the website of the Local Government Service Commission at the following address: <http://lgsc.govmu.org>.

- (ii) 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.
- (iii) Candidates are advised to read carefully the 'NOTES AND INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES' before filling in the application form.
- (iv) The envelope should be clearly marked on the top left-hand corner as follows: -

**“Post of Senior 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 3.00 p.m on Thursday 07 March 2024.**

**IMPORTANT**

- (i) *Qualifications/equivalence of qualifications and recognition of institution 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: 23 February 2024**