LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICE COMMISSION PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENT NUMBER 37

VACANCY FOR THE POST OF COMMITTEE CLERK IN THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICE

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

Applications are invited from qualified candidates who wish to be considered for appointment as **Committee Clerk** in the Local Government Service.

The permanent and pensionable post carries salary in the scale of Rs $21150 \times 325 - 21475 \times 375 - 22225 \times 400 - 23425 \times 525 - 26050 \times 675 - 27400 \times 825 - 35650 \times 900 - 37450 \times 950 - 38400$ a month.

Appointment to the grade in a temporary capacity carries salary at the flat rate of Rs 21150 a month.

$2. \qquad \underline{\mathbf{AGE LIMIT}}:$

Candidates should have reached their **18**th birthday and, unless already in the Local Government Service/Public Service/Approved Service should not have reached their **45**th birthday by the closing date for the submission of applications.

3. **QUALIFICATIONS**

By selection from among candidates who possess -

- A. A Cambridge School Certificate with credit in at least five subjects including English Language, French and Mathematics or Principles of Accounts obtained on one certificate or Passes not below Grade C in at least five subjects including English Language, French and Mathematics or Principles of Accounts obtained on one certificate at the General Certificate of Education "Ordinary Level" or any equivalent qualification acceptable to the Local Government Service Commission.
- B. A Certificate in typewriting at a speed of at least 30 words a minute from a recognized institution.

Or

A Certificate in Word Processing/Data Processing from a recognized institution.

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Any equivalent qualification acceptable to the Local Government Service Commission.

Note:

Candidates not possessing a credit in English Language at the Cambridge School Certificate will also be considered provided they possess passes in at least two subjects at "Principal Level" and one subject at "Subsidiary Level" as well as the General Paper obtained on one certificate at the Cambridge Higher School Certificate Examinations.

NOTE:

- 1. The onus for the submission of written evidence of knowledge/experience claimed and equivalence of qualification and recognition of institution (if applicable) from the relevant authorities (Higher Education Commission or the 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/professional/technical qualifications.
- 3 Candidates may be requested to submit a Character Certificate.
- 4 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.

4. DUTIES

- 1. To issue convocation letters, to take down notes at meetings and draft minutes of proceedings of these meetings.
- 2. To ensure that decisions taken at meetings are promptly communicated to Heads of Department.
- 3. To keep a proper index of meetings, minutes and decisions.
- 4. To draft and type all correspondence and papers relating to meetings.
- 5. To obtain from Heads of Department, items to be included in the agenda of meetings.
- 6. To ensure that all documents and reports are received in time for submission to members attending meetings.

- 7. To ensure that the committee room is clean and tidy and tables and chairs etc. are properly placed.
- 8. To arrange site visits at the request of members.
- 9. To supervise the binding of the Council booklet etc.
- 10. To perform word/data processing and other basic ICT functions.
- 11. To perform such 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 posting.

Note: Committee Clerks are expected to work on a roster basis or at staggered hours.

5. MODE OF APPLICATION:

- (i) Qualified candidates should submit their applications on <u>LGSC Form 7a</u> which may be obtained <u>either from</u> the office of the Local Government Service Commission, Louis Pasteur Street, Forest Side <u>or from any Local Authority.</u>
 - 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 already in the Local Government Service should submit their applications in <u>duplicate</u>, 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:-

"Post of Committee Clerk -Local Government Service"

6. **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 pm on Thursday 01 August 2024**.

IMPORTANT

- (i) Qualifications and equivalence of qualifications and recognition of institution obtained <u>after</u> the closing date will <u>not</u> 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 <u>not</u> made on the prescribed form will <u>not</u> be considered.
- (iv) Applications received <u>after</u> the closing date and time will <u>not</u> 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) <u>not</u> 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: 19 July 2024