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IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING ACCEPTANCE OF NOTICES FOR PUBLICATION IN THE WEEKLY “GAZETTE”

ATTENTION is drawn to each of the ‘Notices’ appearing in the 1st week of every month, regarding the latest dates and times of acceptance of notices for publication in the weekly *Gazette* at the end of each Part of the *Gazette of the democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka*.

All notices to be published in every Part of the *Gazette* shall close at 12 noon of each Friday, *a fortnight before the date of publication*. All Departments, Corporations, Boards, etc., are advised that any notification fixing specific dates for closing times of applications in regard to vacancies, tender notices and the dates and times of auction sales, etc., should be prepared with due regard to this change, i.e., by giving adequate time both from the time of despatch of notice to the Government Press and from the date of publication thus enabling those interested in the contents of the notices to actively and positively participate.

All notices to be published in the weekly *Gazette* should reach this Department positively by 12 noon of the Friday, two weeks prior to date of publication e.g., Notices for publication in the weekly *Gazette* of 06th July, 2007 should reach the Government Press on or before 12 noon on 22nd June, 2007.

LAKSHMAN GOONEWARDENA,
Government Printer.

Department of Govt. Printing,
Colombo 08,
January 01, 2007.

1. General Qualifications required :

1:1 Every applicant must furnish satisfactory proof that he is a Sri Lankan. A "Sri Lankan" is a citizen of Sri Lanka by descent or by registration as defined in the Sri Lanka Citizenship Act.

1:2 A candidate for any post for which the minimum educational qualification prescribed is a pass in the Senior School Certificate Examination or equivalent or higher examination, should have a pass in the Senior School Certificate Examination or equivalent or higher examination, should have a pass either in Sinhala language or Tamil language obtained, as the case may be, at the Senior School Certificate Examination or its equivalent if he is either a Sinhalese educated in Sinhala Medium or if he is a Tamil educated in Tamil Medium (This requirement will not apply to those who are in the public service from a date prior to January 01, 1961, and who seek appointments to other posts in the public service).

1:3 Application from the "New Entrants" Public Officers, who are not either Sinhala or Tamil educated, whose probationary trial appointments have been terminated for failure to pass the prescribed official language proficiency tests will not be entertained unless they have obtained the qualifications which could entitle them to seek exemptions from the highest proficiency test prescribed for the post.

2. Conditions of Service-General :

2:1 All officers in the Public Service will be subject to the Financial Regulations, the Establishments Code, Departmental Orders or Regulations and any other Orders or Regulations that may be issued by the Governments from time to time.

2:2 A Public officer may be required to furnish security in terms of the Public Officers (Security) Ordinance, in such sum and in such manner as the secretary to the Ministry concerned may determine.

2:3 A Public Officer may be called upon to serve in any part of the Island.

3. **Conditions of Service applicable to Public Officers holding permanent appointments:**

3:1 In addition to the conditions referred to in Section 2 above Public Officer holding permanent appointments will be subject to the following further conditions:

3:1:1 All appointments will be on probation for a period of 3 years unless a longer period is considered necessary in respect of any post. Any appointment may be terminated at any time during the period of probation without a reason being assigned.

3:1:2 All public officers are required to conform to the provisions of the Chapter IV of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka and any other laws, regulations or rules that may be made from time to time to give effect to the Language Policy of the Government.

3:1:3 All Public officers who have not entered the Public Service either in Sinhala Medium or in Tamil Medium are required to acquire a working knowledge in one of the official languages.

3:1:4 Confirmation at the expiry of the period of probation of an officer who entered the Public Service in a medium other than Sinhala or Tamil will depend, inter alia, on the passing of the Grade I proficiency Test in one of the Official languages within one year; Grade II Proficiency Test within two years, and Grade III proficiency Test (where applicable) within three years from the date of appointment.

Failure to pass a test within the prescribed period will result in the suspension of increments. Suspension will be converted to a stoppage if the test is not passed within a further period of six months beyond the prescribed period such stoppage operating until the test is passed or until such time as the provisions of Section 3:1:6 below apply.

3:1:5 Such officers should, on receiving appointment, be given facilities on full pay, for a period of 6 months to obtain proficiency in one of the official languages. He will thereafter, be required to sit the relevant proficiency examination and if he does not pass he will be given the opportunity to pass the examination within a period of 2 years immediately after the period of 6 months on full pay, while he performs his normal duties.

3:1:6 If he fails to pass the examination in this prescribed period of 2 1/2 years his services will be terminated.

3:1:7 A Public Officer already confirmed in permanent post in the Public Service will not normally be required to serve the period of probation on being appointed to another permanent post in the Public Service. Such Officers may in the first instance be appointed to act in

the new post for a specified period with a view to testing him in his new post.

3:1:8 Selected candidates (Other than those already holding permanent or temporary appointments in the Public Service) who have already been medically examined will be required to undergo a medical examination by a Government Medical Officer to test their physical fitness to serve in any part of the Island.

4. Terms of Engagement :

4:1 Public officers appointed to permanent and pensionable posts should contribute to the Widows ' and Orphans' Pension Scheme from their salary an amount equivalent to the percentage the Government requires to recover from their salary.

4:2 Public officers appointed to permanent or temporary posts on Provident Fund basis will be required to contribute 6% of their consolidated salary to the Public Service Provident Fund. The Government will contribute as its share of contributions an amount equal to 150% of the compulsory contributions credited to the fund at the close of the Financial Year.

4:3 Officers who hold pensionable appointments in the Public Service and who are released for appointments to pensionable posts in the Local Government Service and those officers in the Local Government Service who hold pensionable appointments and who are released for appointments to pensionable posts in the Public Service will be allowed pensionability in their posts in the Local Government Service and Public Service respectively.

4:4 Regular Force personnel in the Army, Navy and Air Force who are released for appointments to posts in the Public Service which are pensionable under the Minutes on Pension will be allowed pensionability in their posts in the Public Service. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in these Minutes the unforfeited full pay service of any member of the Armed forces who is released to accept an appointment as a Public Officer in a post which has been declared to be pensionable under these Minutes shall be reckoned for the purpose of any pension or gratuity payable under these Minutes.

5. Serving officers in the Public Service :

5:1 Applications from officers of the Public service who possess all the necessary qualifications must be forwarded through the Heads of their respective Departments. In the case of applications from Public officers holding post in the permanent establishment in the Public Service, Heads or Departments in forwarding such applications should state whether the applicants could be released or not to take up the new appointment, if selected.

5:2 Candidates may be required to present themselves for interview at an appointed time and place. No traveling or other expenses will be paid in this connection.

5:3 Anyone desiring to recommend a candidate should do so by giving a testimonial. Any form of canvassing or any attempt to influence the selection of a candidate will disqualify such candidates.

5:4 Any statement in the application which is found to be incorrect will render the applicant liable to disqualification if the inaccuracy is discovered before the selection and to dismissal if discovered after the selection.

5:5 Application not conforming in every respect with the requirements of the advertisement will be rejected.

6. Definition of Salary for the purpose of Eligibility.

6:1 Salary for purposes of eligibility means only the consolidated salary and does not include any action salary, allowances etc.

7. New National Policy on Recruitment and Promotions :

Recruitment and Promotion in the Public Service, Provincial Public Service, Public Corporate Sector and Companies fully owned by the Government will be done in accordance with the policy laid down in the Public Administration Circulars No. 15/90 of 09.03.1990, 15/90 (1 of 25.03.1990 & 15/90 (ii) of 15.06.1990 with effect from 01.01.1990 subject to amendments that will be done by subsequent public Administration Circulars.

Rules and Instructions for Candidates

"All candidates are bound to act in conformity with the provisions of the Examinations Act, No. 25 of 1968."

All candidates are bound to abide by the rules given below. A candidate who violates any of these rules is liable to one or more of the following punishments at the discretion of the Commissioner of Examinations :-

- (i) Suspension from the whole or part of the examination or one subject or a part thereof ;
- (ii) Disqualification from one subject or from the whole examination ;
- (iii) Debarment from appearing for an examination for a period of one year or two years ;
- (iv) Debarment for life ;
- (v) Suspension of the certificate for a specified period ;
- (vi) Reporting the candidate's conduct to his Superiors or handing over the candidate to the Police or making a complaint to the Police over his action.

The Commissioner reserves himself the right to take action at any time before the Examination or at any stage of it or thereafter, and his decision shall be deemed final. In the case of examinations for recruitment to the Public Service, the decision of Commissioner of Examinations shall be subject to the supervision of the Public Service Commission.

1. All candidates should conduct themselves in a quiet manner in and around the Examination Hall so as not to disturb or obstruct the Supervisor, his assistants or the other candidates. They should enter and leave the Examination Hall as quietly as possible.

2. Candidates should obey the Supervisor. Therefore, when the Examination is in progress and before the commencement of the Examination as well as immediately after the end of the Examination they should act in accordance with the instructions of the Supervisor and his assistants.

3. Under no circumstances whatsoever will a candidate be allowed into the Examination Hall after the lapse of half an hour after the commencement of a paper. No candidate will be permitted to leave the hall till after half an hour from the time of commencement of the paper. Candidates who come late for practical and oral Examinations are liable to be refused admission.

4. Every candidate should sit at the desk bearing his/her index number and not at any other desk. Unless with the permission of the supervisor no candidate should change his/her seat. The occupation of a seat other than the one assigned to him by a candidate is liable to be considered as an act with a dishonest intention.

5. Absolute silence should be maintained in the Examination hall. A candidate is forbidden to speak to, communicate with or have dealings with any person within or outside the Examination hall other than a member of the Examination hall staff. If there is an urgent need for a candidate to communicate with another, prior permission must be obtained from the supervisor.

6. A candidate's answer script is identified only by the index number and his/her name should not be written on the answer script. Another candidate's index number appearing on the answer script of a candidate is considered as an attempt to commit a dishonest act. Answer scripts bearing an index number that is difficult to decipher is liable to be rejected.

7. Candidates should write only on the paper provided and should not write anything on the blotting paper, question paper, desk or any other place. Non conformity with this rule could be taken as an act with dishonest intentions.

8. Any paper or answer book supplied should not be torn up, crushed, folded or erased. Each and every sheet of paper used for rough work should be tied up with the answer script. If should be a part of the answer script. (Such rough work should be neatly crossed out.) Anything written inside the Examination hall should not be taken out. If a question has been answered twice, the unnecessary answer should be neatly crossed out. Failure to abide by these requirements may be considered as an attempt to cheat.

9. When answering questions in Mathematics the submission of correct answers with incorrect working or with no working at all and in art if the work of art is similar or very close in resemblance to that of another candidate in concept, in form or in execution it is liable to be considered as a dishonest act.

10. The removal of any paper or stationery supplied to candidates out of the Examination hall is prohibited. All such material remains the property of the Commissioner of Examinations. Breach of this rule shall be liable to be considered an act with dishonest intention.

11. While in the Examination hall a candidate should not have with him or near him any book, note book, pocket note book, exercise book, sheet of paper or pieces of paper other than the stationery supplied to him. Nor should any handbag, travelling bag or parcel other than the candidate's boxes of colours and boxes of instruments where necessary or any file cover, card board pad, folded newspapers, brown papers should be brought into the Examination hall. Breach of this rule is a punishable act.

12. A candidate is strictly forbidden to keep with him any book, note book or a sheet of paper with written notes once inside the Examination hall. Should the Supervisor so requires each candidate is bound to declare everything he has with him/her. Breach of this requirement shall be considered as an attempt to commit an act of dishonesty.

13. Candidates are forbidden to copy or attempt to copy from the answer script of another candidate, a book, paper containing notes or any other source. A candidate should not attempt to look at the answer script of any another candidate. A candidate should refrain from helping another Candidate and also from getting help from another candidate or a person. Every completed answer sheet should be kept underneath the sheet on which the answer is being written. Sheets of writing paper should not be strewn all over the desk.

14. A candidate will under no circumstance whatsoever be allowed to leave the Examination hall even for a brief period during the course of the paper. However in an emergency if a candidate needs to leave the hall, he/she shall be allowed to do under the surveillance of the supervisor or his assistant. He/she shall be subject to search before leaving the hall as well as before re-entering it.

15. Impersonation while answering a paper or before the commencement of the Examination is a punishable offence. Tampering with identity cards, presenting false identity cards or tampering with someone's identity are also such offences. Candidates are warned not to commit such offences.

16. Assistance given to a candidate in a dishonest manner by a person who is not a candidate, is considered a serious offence.

Candidates should adhere to the following instructions for their own safety :-

(i) Be at the Examination Hall well in time. It is sufficient to be at the Examination hall 10 or 15 minutes before the commencement of each paper. If you have any doubt as to the location of the Examination hall, make inquiries on a day prior to the date of Examination and be sure of its location.

(ii) In case of any doubt regarding your entry for a paper or eligibility to sit a paper you should bring it to the notice of the Supervisor and get your doubts cleared. Failure to do so may result in your candidature for the subject being cancelled.

(iii) When appearing for the Examination, candidates should produce their identity cards at every paper they sit. If a candidate fails to produce identification documents at the Examination hall, his candidature is liable to be cancelled. In case a candidate forgets to bring such documents into the Examination hall, it should be brought to the notice of the Supervisor and arrangements should be made to produce them before the Examination concludes.

(iv) Standard stationery (i.e. writing paper, graph paper, ledger paper, precis paper) will be supplied. If you receive any stationery that is different from the kind generally distributed or distributed to the others it should be promptly brought to the notice of the supervisor. No paper other than those issued at the Examination hall should be used for answering questions. Excess paper and other material should be left on the desk, in good condition. When log tables are supplied they should be used with care and left on the desk when you leave.

(v) Candidates should bring their own pens, pencils, bottles of ink, erasers, pieces of cloth, rulers, geometrical instruments, coloured pencils, coloured chalk, etc.

(vi) When you start answering you should promptly write down your index number and the name of the Examination on each sheet of paper used. Write neatly and legibly on both sides of the paper. Leave a blank line after the answer to each part of a question. After the answer to a full question leave one or several blank lines. Do not crowd in your work.

(vii) The left-hand margin of the answer sheet is set apart for you to enter the number of the question you answer. The right hand margin is reserved for the examiner's use and nothing should be written there. Number your answers correctly as incorrect numbering leads to confusion.

(viii) You should read carefully the instructions given at the head of the question paper, with regard to the compulsory questions and the manner in which the other questions should be selected. Disregard to these instructions is often liable to affect you adversely.

(ix) When Mathematics questions are answered, give all details of calculations and any roughwork, in their serial order as part of the working of the problem. Necessary sketches, diagrams and figures should be accurate and sufficiently large. In an answer running into several pages if reference must be made to a diagram drawn in an earlier page, that diagram should be drawn repeatedly.

(x) At the end of each paper, arrange your answer sheets in the order you answered the questions. Then using the piece of twine supplied, tie them up at the top left hand corner. Do not tie up at the top right hand corner.

(xi) You should personally handover your answer script to the Supervisor or to an Invigilator. Or else remain in your seat till it is collected. Failure to do so may result in the loss of your script and your being treated as an absentee for the paper. On no account should your script be handed over to a peon or an attendant.

(xii) If it becomes necessary for you to speak to the Supervisor or an Invigilator, or if you need stationery, remain in your seat and raise your hand.

Depart. of Examinations, Commissioner General of Examinations.
Pelawatta,
Battaramulla.

Posts - Vacant

CANCELLATION OF NOTICES OF CALLING FOR APPLICATIONS FOR THE VACANT POSTS OF MARRIAGE, BIRTH & DEATH REGISTRARS IN THE REGISTRAR GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

THE cancellation of notices of calling for applications to fill the vacancies in the post of Marriage, Birth and Death Registrars is hereby published by me as follows:-

This calling of applications is hereby cancelled for implement of new scheme of recruitment of Marriage, Birth and Death Registrars (2006). Applications of the applicants who have already applied are returned to them by registered post.

The relevant notice will be republished in the *Gazette* to fill the vacancies when necessary.

L. K. RATNASIRI,
Registrar General.

29th May 2007.

Schedule

<i>District</i>	<i>Division of the Divisional Secretary</i>	<i>The Division & the Post for which applications are called</i>	<i>Particulars pertaining to Gazette notification of calling for Applications</i>
1. Colombo	Kesbawa	Post of Additional Registrar of Marriage (General) for Kesbawa area in Salpiti Korale Division	Gazette No. 1,434 of Friday 24th February, 2006
2. Colombo	Kesbawa	Post of Registrar of Marriage (General) in Salpiti Korale and Births and Deaths in Kesbawa Division	do.
3. Colombo	Colombo	Post of Marriage Registrar (General) in Slave Island Division	do.
4. Colombo	Colombo	Post of Medical Registrar of Birth and Deaths in Modera Division	do.
5. Colombo	Colombo	Post of Marriage Registrar (General) in New Bazar Division	do.
6. Colombo	Colombo	Post of Marriage Registrar (General) in Colombo Modera (South) Division	do.
7. Colombo	Thimbirigasyaya	Post of Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths in Borella Division	do.
8. Colombo	Thimbirigasyaya	Post of Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths in Kollupitiya Division	do.
9. Colombo	Thimbirigasyaya	Post of Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths in Colombo General Hospital Division.	do.
10. Colombo	Sri Jayawardanapura Kotte	Post of Marriage Registrar (General) in Colombo South Division	do.

<i>District</i>	<i>Division of the Divisional</i>	<i>The Division & the Post for which applications are called</i>	<i>Particulars pertaining to Gazette notification of Calling for Applications</i>
11. Colombo	Homagama	Post of Marriage Registrar (General) in Hewagam Korake and Births and Deaths in Athurugiriya Division	Gazette No. 1,434 of Friday 24th February, .2006.
12. Colombo	Maharagama	Post of Marriage Registrar (General) in Kalalgoda Pannipitiya area in Maharagama Division	do.
13. Colombo	Kolonnawa	Post of Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths in Kolonnawa Town Division	do.
14. Colombo	Padukka	Post of Marriage Registrar (General) in Hewagam Korale and Births and Deaths in Waga Division	do.
15. Colombo	Homagama	Post of Marriage Registrar (General) in Hewagam Korale Division and Births and Deaths in Kottawa Division	do.
16. Colombo	Moratuwa	Post of Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths in Moratuwa Town-North Division	Gazette No. 1,307 of Friday 03rd October, 2003
17. Colombo	Colombo	Post of Muslim Marriage (General) Registrar in Maradana in Colombo Division	do.

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MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

Admission to National Colleges of Education to follow a Pre-service Professional Course in Teacher Education — 2008

- 1.0 Applications are called from those with requisite academic qualifications and eligibility to follow a three year Pre-Service Professional Course in Teacher Education in National Colleges of Education.
- 2.0 *Eligibility :*
Every candidate should—
 - 2.1 be a citizen of Sri Lanka ;
 - 2.2 be of excellent character and sound physical and mental health ;
 - 2.3 *Age:*
 - 2.3.1 not be more than 25 years of age on 01.01.2008
 - 2.3.2 not be more than 30 years of age on 01.01.2008
 - 2.3.3 not be more than 27 years of age on 01.01.2008 for the Buddhist Monks/Buddhist Nuns applying for Buddhism course.
 - 2.4 Should be unmarried.

3.0 *Basic Educational Qualifications ;*

- 3.1 Passed three subjects in one sitting at G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in 2006 (two passes in one sitting for Sri Pada National College of Education) held in 2006.
(Applicants for technical studies course should refer the note in 4.14 and applicants from Clergy for Catholicism/Christianity course should refer the note in 4.10)
- 3.2 Passed G. C. E. (O/L) Examination/Mulika Pirivena Final Examination in six subjects including Mathematics and Sinhala/Tamil Language in not more than two sittings with three credit passes (Five subjects in the first sitting).
- 3.3 If the special requirements at the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination mentioned under 3.2 are not completed in two sittings, they should have been completed in the third sitting.
- 3.4 English proficiency for English language course and English medium courses.

- 3.4.1 Those who apply for English Medium Courses except for English language course should have obtained a credit pass in English Language/ordinary pass in English Literature at the G. C. E. (O/L) examination. However priority will be given to Distinction/Very Good pass in English Language, Distinction /Very Good/Credit pass in English Literature.
- 3.4.2 Applicants for English language course should have obtained Very Good pass in English Language/Credit Pass in English Literature.
- 3.4.3 Although the Library and Information Studies, Health and Physical Education and Information Communication Technology courses are held in English medium, the number of places will be decided from the applicants who have sat for G. C. E. (A/L) in Sinhala/Tamil medium, based on the vacancies in Sinhala and Tamil medium schools.

3.5 All applicants should fulfill their required on or before the closing date of applications.

4.0 *Educational Qualifications and Other Special Requirements :*

Educational Qualifications and other special requirements applicable to each Course in National Colleges of Education are as follows.

4.1 **Course No. 01 - Primary Education**

- 4.1.1 Three passes including Sinhala/Tamil Language in one sitting at G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in 2006 (Two passes in one sitting for Sri Pada National College of Education), and
- 4.1.2 Passed G. C. E. (O/L) in 6 subjects including mathematics with credit passes in Sinhala/Tamil language and two other subjects (Minimum three credit passes)

4.2 **Course No. 02 Science (Sinhala)**
02 Science (Tamil)
02 Science (English)

- 4.2.1 Three passes in one sitting at G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in 2006 in following subjects ; Botany, Zoology, Physics, Chemistry and Biology (two passes in above mentioned subjects in one sitting for Sri Pada National College of Education), and
- 4.2.2 Passed G. C. E. (O/L) Examination in six subjects with a pass in Sinhala/Tamil language and a Credit pass in Mathematics 32 or in Mathematics 42.

4.3 **Course No. 03 Mathematics (Sinhala)**
03 Mathematics (Tamil)
03 Mathematics (English)

- 4.3.1 Three passes in one sitting at G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held on 2006 in following subjects ; Applied Mathematics, Pure Mathematics, Mathematics, Combined Mathematics, Higher Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry (Two passes in one of the following subjects including Mathematics, Combined Mathematics and Higher Mathematics Sri Pada National College of Education) and

4.3.2 Passed G. C. E. (O/L) Examination in six subjects with a pass in Sinhala/Tamil Language and a Credit Pass in Science 34.

4.4. **Course No. 04 Physical Education (Sinhala)**
04 Physical Education (Tamil)
04 Physical Education (English)

4.4.1 Passed any three subjects in one sitting at G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in 2006 and

4.4.2 Passed G. C. E. (O/L) Examination in six subjects with passes in Sinhala/Tamil Language and Mathematics (in the admission of students in year 2009 for the Physical Education Course in National Colleges of Education candidates should have passed the subject of physical Education in G. C. E. (O/L) Examination) and

4.4.3 Achievement/Preformance of the recognized Track and field Athletics and Organized Sports

A maximum of 75 marks will be awarded for three various games/events in the following priority order.

PRIORITY ORDER OF SPORTS/EVENTS

Serial No.	Levels/Subject	Single	Team	Place/Grade	Marks
1	International Level	Single	-	1	25
2	International Level	Single	-	2	24
3	International Level	Single	-	3	23
4	International Level	-	team	1	22
5	International Level	-	team	2	21
6	International Level	-	team	3	20
7	International Level participation	Single	team	-	19
8	National Level	Single	-	1	18
9	National Level	Single	-	2	17
10	National Level	Single	-	3	16
11	National Level	-	team	1	15
12	National Level	-	team	2	14
13	National Level	-	team	3	13
14	Provincial Level	Single	-	1	12
15	Provincial Level	Single	-	2	11
16	Provincial Level	Single	-	3	10
17	Provincial Level	-	team	1	09
18	Provincial Level	-	team	2	08
19	Provincial Level	-	team	3	07
20	Regiment Sergeant Major/Warrant Officer 1	-	-	-	06
21	Presidents' Scout and Girl Guide	-	-	-	06
22	Sergeant Major/Warrant Officer 2	-	-	-	05
23	District Level/Zonal/Divisional Secretariat Level	Single	-	1	06
24	District Level/Zonal/Divisional Secretariat Level	Single	-	2	05
25	District Level/Zonal/Divisional Secretariat Level	Single	-	3	04
26	District Level/Zonal/Divisional Secretariat Level	-	team	1	03
27	District Level/Zonal/Divisional Secretariat Level	-	team	2	02
28	District Level/Zonal/Divisional Secretariat Level	-	team	3	01

4.4.4 Following marks will be awarded for passes obtained for the Health and Physical Education subject at G. C. E. (O/L) Examination.

Pass A - 04

Pass B -03

Pass C-02

Pass S -01

Note : i. Recognized Sports Competitions (International)

Participation at International Competitions representing Sri Lanka National Teams or School National Sports Teams (except Chess, Carrom and Draught)

Through Ministry of Education/Ministry of Sports and their relevant registered Sports Associations. (Participations in International Competitions in Personal basis by School Sports Teams will not be considered).

ii. *Recognized Sports competitions - National level competitions organized by the Ministry of Education/Ministry of Sports/National Youth Services Council*

Provincial level competitions organized by the Provincial Ministry of Education/Provincial Ministry of Sports/National Youth Services Council.

District Level Competitions organized by the Provincial Ministry of Sports/National Youth Services Council.

Zonal level competitions organized by the Provincial Ministry of Education.

iii. 1st, 2nd and 3rd places in “A grade” competitions organized by Sports Associations registered under the Ministry of Sports and Ministry of Education only will be given priority in order.

iv. Sports performance/ achievement should be within the preceding 5 years before the closing date of applications.

v. Marks will be awarded to the highest certificate obtained for the same event, in the same year out of three Certificates.

4.5 Course No. 5 - 05 Home Economics and Food Technology (Sinhala)
05 Home Economics and Food Technology (Tamil)

4.5.1 Three passes including Home Economics in one sitting at G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in year 2006 and

4.5.2 Passed G. C. E. (O/L) Examination in six Subjects with Sinhala/Tamil Language, Mathematics and Credit pass for Science.

4.6 Course No. 06 - English

4.6.1 Passed any three subjects at G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in year 2006 in one sitting including English Language (Not General English) and Very Good Pass for English Language/Credit Pass in English Literature at G. C. E. (O/L) Examination and passed in G. C. E. (O/L) Examination including Sinhala/Tamil Language and Mathematics/London G. C. E. (O/L) examination in six subjects.

4.6.2 Passed any three subjects in one sitting at G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in 2006 and three passes in one sitting including English in London G. C. E. (A/L) examination held in year 2006 and Very Good pass in English Language/Credit pass in English Literature at G. C. E. (O/L) examination/London G. C. E. (O/L) examination and passed six subjects including Sinhala/Tamil language and Mathematics.

4.6.3 Passed any three subjects in one sitting at G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in 2006 and Very Good pass in English language/Credit pass in English Literature at G. C. E. (O/L) examination and passed G. C. E. (O/L) examination in six subjects including Sinhala/Tamil Language and Mathematics.

- Note :**
- Priority will be given to those who qualify under 4.6.1 and 4.6.2. They don't need to sit the Proficiency Test. Their Qualifications should be proved at the interview.
 - Candidates who are qualified under 4.6.3 should sit for the proficiency test

4.7 Course No. 07 - Buddhism

Buddhist Priests/Buddhist Nuns and the laity all can apply for the Buddhism Course. All requirements should have been completed in year 2006 or earlier. (Laity candidates should have completed all educational qualifications in their laity name in year 2006 or earlier)

- 4.7.1 Three passes in one sitting including two of the following subjects - Buddhism, Buddhist Civilization, Pali, and Sinhala at G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in 2006,
- 4.7.2 Passed Pracheena Preliminary Examination (only for Buddhist Priests/Nuns),
- 4.7.3 Passed Bauddha Dharmacharya Examination,
- 4.7.4 Passed Daham School Final Examination,
- 4.7.5 Passed G. C. E. (O/L) Examination in six subjects with Sinhala, Buddhism and Mathematics/Passed the Mulika Pirivena final examination in six subjects with Sinhala, mathematics and Tripitaka Dhamma.

Note : Priority order in selection :

- Candidates having all the certificate 4.7.1, 4.7.2, 4.7.3, 4.7.4, 4.7.5
- Candidates having Certificates 4.7.1, 4.7.2 and 4.7.5
- Candidates having Certificates 4.7.1, 4.7.3 and 4.7.5
- Candidates having Certificates 4.7.1, 4.7.4 and 4.7.5
- Candidates having Certificates 4.7.1 and 4.7.5

4.8 Course No. 08 – Hinduism

- 4.8.1 Three passes in one sitting including one of the following subjects - Hinduism, Hindu Civilization and Sanskrit in the one sitting at G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in 2006,
- 4.8.2 Candidates having Shaiva Siddhantha Pandithar Certificate,
- 4.8.3 Candidates having Shaiva Pulaver Certificate,
- 4.8.4 Candidates having Ilang Shaiva Pulaver Certificate,
- 4.8.5 Passed G. C. E. (O/L) Examination in six subjects including Tamil Language, Mathematics and Hinduism.

Note : Priority order in selection :

- Candidates having 4.8.1, 4.8.5 and all other certificates
- Candidates having certificates 4.8.1, 4.8.4, 4.8.5 and one certificate out of other two.
- Candidates having certificates 4.8.1, 4.8.5 and one certificate out of other three.
- Candidates having certificates 4.8.1, 4.8.5.

All the requirements mentioned above should have been completed in 2006 or earlier

4.9 Course No. 09 – Islam

- 4.9.1 Three passes including one of the following subjects - Islam, Islamic Civilization and Arabic in one sitting at G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in 2006,
- 4.9.2 Passed Al -Alim Examination (Both Part I and Part 2),
- 4.9.3 Having Moulavi Certificate and passed Part I in Al -Alim examination,
- 4.9.4 Having Moulavi Certificate,
- 4.9.5 Passed G. C. E. (O/L) Examination in six subjects with Tamil Language Mathematics and Islam.

Note : *Priority order in selection*

- (a) Candidates having 4.9.1, 4.9.5 and all certificates indicated above
- (b) Candidates having certificates 4.9.1, 4.9.3.4.9.4 and 4.9.5
- (c) Candidates having certificates 4.9.1, 4.9.4 and 4.9.5
- (d) Candidates having certificates 4.9.1 and 4.9.5

All the requirements mentioned above should have been completed in 2006 or earlier.

4.10 Course No.10 - Catholicism/Christianity

- 4.10.1 Passed any three subjects at G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in 2006 and Passes in six subjects with Sinhala/ Tamil language, Mathematics subjects at G. C. E. (O/L) Examination; and Ordinary pass for Christianity in G. C. E. (A/L) Examination or Credit pass for Chatholicism/Christianity in G. C. E. (O/L) Examination; and The Certificate of Catholic Bishop for Catholics to be a teacher of Catholicism and the certificate of National Christian Council for Chritian to be a Teacher of Christianity.
- 4.10.2 Selection of Catholicism Candidates will be made by giving priority in the order of following qualifications:—
- 4.10.2.1 Four year Course certificate on Theology (BTH); or
 - 4.10.2.2 Christian Philosophy certificate conducted by the National Seminary ;or
 - 4.10.2.3 Three year religious education Course Certificate in Deva Dharma Nikethanaya; or
 - 4.10.2.4 Certificate issued by Superior or relevant Bishop of the Clergy Sect that the candidate has successfully completed the study of the religious education and training course (Novitiate) to become a member of the clergy ;or
 - 4.10.2.5 Passed the Catholic Dharmacharya Examination conducted by the National Catechetical Centre Namely Dharmacharya Hons/Dahamguru 3; or Dharmacharya Special (Dahamguru 2) or Dharmacharya Ordinary (Daham guru 1) or
 - 4.10.2.6 Passed Christianity subject in G. C. E. (A/L) Examination.
- 4.10.3 Selection of Candidates for Christianity will be made according to the qualifications indicated in the following order.
- 4.10.3.1 Should have obtained Dharma Vedi Diploma conducted by Lanka Theological College Pilimalalawa.
 - 4.10.3.2 Should have obtained National Certificate on Religious knowledge conducted by National Christian Council.

Note : (In the selection, 90% of the total Number of admissions will be selected from among catholic candidate 4.10.1 based on the serial order under 4.10.2 if 90% of the Catholic candidates have not applied Christian candidates will be selected for relevant vacancies.)

- (ii) 10% of the total number of admission will be selected from among Christian candidates who qualify under 4.10.1 according to the serial order under 4.10.3 If 10% of Christian candidates have not applied Catholic candidates will be selected for such vacancies.
- (iii) 40% of the total number of admissions will be selected from Catholic and Christian Clergy. If the required number of candidate who have passed G. C. E.(A/L) in year 2006 in not available selection will be made from laity applicants.
- (iv) Applicants of the Clergy who have passed the G. C. E. (A/L) Examination immediately preceding the years 2005, 2004, 2003, 2002 and 2001 in the serial order. If 40% of the Clergy candidates have not applied layman candidates will be selected for relevant vacancies.
- (v) Indicate whether the religion is Catholicism/Christians in the space provided for in the application form.

4.11 Course No 11 – Library Science and Information Study

- 4.11.1 Passed any three subjects at the G. C. E. (A/L) examination in year 2006; *and*
4.11.2 A credit pass for English Language/ordinary pass for English Literature in G. C. E. (O/L) examination and passed G. C. E. (O/L) examination with 06 subjects including Sinhala/Tamil Language and Mathematics.

4.12 Course No.12 – Special Education

- 4.12.1 Passed any three subjects at G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in 2006; *and*
4.12.2 Passed G. C. E. (O/L) Examination in six subjects including Sinhala/Tamil Language and Mathematics.

4.13 Course No. 13 – Agriculture

- 4.13.1 Three passes including Agriculture at G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in year 2006; *and*
4.13.2 Passed G. C. E. (O/L) Examination in six Subjects including Sinhala/Tamil Language, with Credit pass for Mathematics and Science.

Note : Students who have obtained three passes in Biology, Chemistry and Agriculture at the G. C. E. (A/L) examination will be considered for the Agriculture Course in National Colleges of Education for year 2009 and if a sufficient number of students Having such qualifications are not available students who have passed two Arts Subjects along with Agriculture and those who have passed three subjects in the Biological Stream at the G. C. E. (A/L) examination will be considered.

4.14 Course No. 14 – Technical Studies

- 4.14.1 Three passes at G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in 2006; *and*
4.14.2 Passed G. C. E. (O/L) examination.
4.14.2.1 *Design and Technology*
Passed G. C. E. (O/L) Examination in six subjects with one of the subjects out of Mathematics and Sinhala/Tamil language, Wood Working, Masonry, Construction Technology, Metal work, Motor Mechanism, Mechanic, Technology, Radio Technology/ Electrical and Electronics.
4.14.2.2 *Craft and Art*
Passed G. C. E. (O/L) Examination in six subjects with Mathematics and Sinhala/Tamil Language and one of the subjects out of Weaving/Pottery/Art and Craft; *and*
4.14.3 Should have followed and successfully completed a Technical Course relevant to the subject area of not less than 10 months duration which is formally issued indicating the subject performance level and conducted by a Government approved Technical College/ National Apprenticeship Board/Vocational Training Authority/Textile Industries Department/ Small industries Department.

Note : (i) *Priority Order of Selection :*

- (a) Candidates having Certificates 4.14.1 - 4.14.2- 4.14.3
(b) Candidates having Certificates 4.14.1 and 4.14.3
(c) Candidates having Certificates 4.14.1 and 4.14.2

If a sufficient number of candidates who have passed G. C. E. (A/L) in year 2006 and fulfilled qualifications as per 4.14.3 are not available, the applications of candidates who have passed G. C. E. (A/L) in year 2005 and 2004 and fulfilled qualifications as per 4.14.3 will be considered.

- (ii) Subject selected should be clearly stated as in the application Design and Technology/Craft and Art.
(iii) All requirements indicated above, should have been completed on or before the last date of calling for applications.
(iv) Please indicate in the cage provided for the "Name of the Technical Course" under 17.0 in the application the priority order for which application is forwarded under (a) (b) and (c) above.

4.15 Course No.15 - Art

- 4.15.1 Three passes including Art as a Subject in one sitting at G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in year 2006 *and* passed G. C. E. (O/L) Examination in six subjects including Art, Mathematics and Sinhala/Tamil Language.
- 4.15.2 Additional marks will be awarded based on the Grade obtained in G. C. E. (A/L) Examination in year 2006 for Art/Art and Sculpture.

Note : If sufficient number of candidates who have fulfilled all qualifications are not available, qualifications 4.15.1 candidates who have passed in three subjects in one sittings at the G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in year 2005 *and* passed G. C. E. (O/L) Examination in six subjects including Sinhala/Tamil Language and Mathematics and with a credit pass for Art will be considered).

4.16 Course No.16 - Dance (Oriental)/Dance (Bharatha)

- 4.16.1 Three passes including Oriental Dance/Bharatha Natyam in one sitting at the G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in year 2006 (Two passes for Sri Pada National College of Education).
- 4.16.2 Additional marks will be awarded based on the Grade obtained in G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in year 2006 for Dance (Oriental)/Dance (Bharatha Natyam).
- 4.16.3 Passed G. C. E. (O/L) Examination in six subjects including Sinhala/Tamil Language, Mathematics and Oriental Dance/Bharatha Natyam.

Note : If sufficient number of candidates who have fulfilled the relevant qualifications for Sri Pada National College of Education are not available, applications of candidates who have passed in two subjects in one sitting in the G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in year 2006 and who have obtained credit pass for Bharatha Natyam in G. C. E. (O/L) Examination will be considered).

4.17 Course No.17- Music (Oriental)/Music (Carnatic)

- 4.17.1 Three passes including Oriental Music/Carnatic Music in one sitting at G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in year 2006 (Two passes for Sri Pada National College of Education); *and*
- 4.17.2 Additional marks will be awarded based on the Grade obtained in G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in year 2006 for the subject of Music (Oriental)/Music (Carnatic).
- 4.17.3 Passed G. C. E. (O/L) Examination in six subjects including Sinhala/Tamil Language, Mathematics and Oriental Music/Carnatic Music.

Note : If sufficient number of candidates who have fulfilled the relevant qualifications for Sri Pada National College of Education are not available, applications of candidates who have passed in two subjects in one sitting at the G.C.E. (A/L) Examination held in year 2006 and who obtained a credit pass for the Carnatic Music at G. C. E. (O/L) Examination will be considered.

4.18 Course No.18 - Western Music

- 4.18.1 Three passes including Western Music in one sitting at G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in year 2006; *and* Passed G. C. E. (O/L) Examination in six subjects with passes in Sinhala/Tamil Language, Mathematics, Western Music and a Credit Pass in English Language/English Literature.
- 4.18.2 Any three passes in one sitting at G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in year 2006 *and* Passed six subjects at G. C. E. (O/L) Examination with Sinhala/Tamil Language Mathematics and Western Music and credit pass in English Language/ordinary pass English Literature; *and*

Passed Grade 5 of Western Music (theory and practical) from a recognized institute approved by the Colleges of Education Board or Passed Western Music at G. C. E. (A/L) examination as an additional subject.

- Note :*
- Candidates should reach a satisfactory level of performance at the Practical Test conducted for Western Music course.
 - In selection priority will be given to applicants qualifying under 4.18.1.

4.19 **Course No.19 - Drama and Theatre**

- 4.19.1 Three passes including Drama and Theatre in G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in year 2006; and
- 4.19.2 Passed six subjects at G. C. E. (O/L) Examination with Music/Dance/Art/Drama and Theatre, Mathematics and Sinhala/Tamil Language.
- 4.19.3 Additional marks will be awarded based on the Grade obtained at the G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in year 2006 for the subject of Drama and Theatre.

4.20 **Course No. 20 – Information Communication Technology**

- 4.20.1 Passed any three subjects at G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in year 2006 and
- 4.20.2 Passed G.C. E. (O/L) Examination in six subjects including Sinhala/Tamil Language and a credit pass for Mathematics and Credit pass in English Language/Ordinary pass in English Literature.

4.21. **Course No. 21 Social Science (Sinhala)** **21 Social Science (Tamil)** **21 Social Science (English)**

- 4.21.1 Three passes at G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in year 2006 including one subject out of History, Political Science, Economics and Geography (Two Subjects for Sri Pada National College of Education) and
- 4.21.2 Passed G. C. E. (O/L) Examination in six subjects including Sinhala/Tamil Language, and Mathematics and Credit pass for Social Science and History.
(Admission of students in year 2009, three passes at G. C. E. (A/L) examination with one the Subjects History, Political Science, Geography (Two subjects for Sri Pada National College of Education) has to be fulfilled.)

4.22 **Course No.22 – First Language (Tamil)**

- 4.22.1 Three passes at G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in year 2006 including credit pass for Tamil Language (Two subjects for Sri Pada National College of Education) and
- 4.22.2 Passed G. C. E. (O/L) Examination in six subjects including Mathematics and credit pass for Tamil Language.

4.23 **Course No. 23 – Second Language (Sinhala)**

- 4.23.1 Should have passed G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in year 2006 in three subjects including credit pass for Sinhala Language in one sitting. and
- 4.23.2 Passed Second Language (Tamil)/Optional Second Language (Tamil) at G. C. E. (O/L) Examination.
When sufficient number of applicants are not available with 4.23.2, Second Language (Advanced) Certificate in Tamil Language issued by the Official Languages Department will be considered.
- 4.23.3 Passed G. C. E. (O/L) Examination in six subjects including Sinhala Language and Mathematics.

4.24 Course No.24 – Second Language (Tamil)

- 4.24.1 Should have passed G. C. E. (A/L) Examination held in year 2006 in three subjects including credit pass for Tamil Language; and
- 4.24.2 Passed Second Language (Sinhala)/ Optional Second Language (Sinhala) at G. C. E. (O/L) Examination. When sufficient number of applicants are not available with 4.24.2, Second Language (Advanced) Certificate in Sinhala issued by the Official Languages Department Language will be considered.
- 4.24.3 Passed G. C. E. (O/L) Examination in six subjects including Tamil Language and Mathematics.

5.0 Number of the Course, Name of the Course and the Medium of the National Colleges of Education where each course will be conducted and the respective numbers of the NCOE are given below.

(Refer the chart carefully and identify the number of your course correctly before filling in the application form. Your application will be computerized by your Course number. Applications that are filled incorrectly will be rejected. No alteration is permitted after your application is sent to the Department of Examinations.).

- (i) Column - Course Number
- (ii) Column - Course Name
- (iii) Column - NCOEs where Sinhala medium Courses are conducted.
- (iv) Column - NCOE s where Tamil medium Courses are conducted.
- (v) Column - NCOE s where English medium Courses are conducted.

(The numbers of the National College of Educations are given within brackets).

Course	Course Name	NCOEE by Courses and Numbers		
		Sinhala Medium	Tamil Medium	English Medium
<i>i</i>	<i>ii</i>	<i>iii</i>	<i>iv</i>	<i>v</i>
01	Primary	(7) Sri Pada (11) Pulathisipura (13) Ruwanpura (14) Ruhuna (17) Hapitigam	(6) Vavuniya (7) Sri Pada (8) Addalaichenai (9) Batticaloa (15) Jaffna (16) Dharga Nagar	
02	Science	(2) Nilwala (5) Siyane (7) Sri Pada	(6) Vavuniya (7) Sri Pada (9) Batticaloa (8) Addalaichenai	(2) Nilwala (5) Siyane (15) Jaffna
03	Mathematics	(2) Nilwala (5) Siyane (7) Sri Pada	(7) Sri Pada (8) Addalaichenai (9) Batticaloa	(2) Nilwala (5) Siyane (15) Jaffna
04.	Physical Education	(1) Uva (2) Nilwala	(6) Vavuniya (8) Addalaichenai	(1) Uva (2) Nilwala
05	Food Technology and Home Economics	(14) Ruhuna	(6) Vavuniya (16) Dharga Nagar	
06	English			(3) Mahaweli (10) Pasdunrata (15) Jaffna
07	Buddhism	(4) Sariputta		
08	Hinduism		(6) Vavuniya	
09	Islam		(8) Addalaichenai	

Course	Course Name	NCOEE by Courses and Numbers		
		Sinhala Medium	Tamil Medium	English Medium
i	ii	iii	iv	v
10	Catholicism/Christianity	(12) Wayamba	(6) Vavuniya	
11	Library Science and Information Studies			(3) Mahaweli (10) Pasdunrata (15) Jaffna
12	Special Education	(17) Hapitigam	(8) Addalachenai (16) Dharaga Nagar	
13	Agriculture	(11) Pulathisiipura	(6) Vavuniya	
14	Technical Studies	(5) Siyane	(9) Batticaloa	
15	Art	(12) Wayamba	(8) Addalachenai (9) Batticaloa (15) Jaffna	
16	Dance(Oriental)/ Dance (Bharatha)	(12) Wayamba	(7) Sri Pada (9) Batticaloa (15) Jaffna	
17	Music(Oriental). Music (Carnatic)	(12) Wayamba	(7) Sri Pada (9) Batticaloa (15) Jaffna	
18	Western Music			(3) Mahaweli
19	Drama and Theatre	(12) Wayamba	(9) Batticaloa (15) Jaffna	
20	Information Communication Technology			(1) Uva (2) Nilwala (5) Siyane (6) Vavuniya (7) Sri Pada (9) Batticaloa (11) Pulathisiipura (12) Wayamba (13) Ruwanpura (14) Ruhuna (16) Dharga Nagar
21	Social Science	(13) Ruwanpura	(7) Sri Pada (9) Batticaloa (16) Dharga Nagar	(13) Ruwanpura
22	First Language (Tamil)		(7) Sri Pada (9) Batticaloa (16) Dharga Nagar	
23	Second Language	(14) Ruhuna		
24	Second Language		(14) Ruhuna	

Note :

- (i) Only Muslim candidates should apply for the Addalaichenai National College of Education.
- (ii) Only Tamil medium female applicants should apply to Dharga Town National College of Education.
- (iii) Bharatha Dance, Carnatic Music, First Language courses are conducted only in Tamil medium and the Oriental Dance and Oriental Music courses are conducted only in Sinhala medium and the Western Music, Library Science and Information Studies, Information Communication Technology courses are conducted only in English Medium.

6.0 Selection of Students – 2008

6.1 *Criteria of Selection :*

- 6.1.1 The number of students to be admitted will be decided on the teacher cadre requirements for the school system in year 2011.
- 6.1.2 The basis of selection will be the Z score obtained at the G. C. E. (A/L) examination 2006 Selection for all courses will be 30% on National Level and 70% on difficult District Level, except for Sri Pada National College of Education.
- 6.1.3 Applicants who prefer to follow English medium courses in Library Science and Information Studies, Information Communication Technology, Science, Mathematics, Western Music and Physical Education should qualify with a credit pass in English Language/ordinary pass for English Literature, Applicants for English Language course should have obtained a Distinction pass in English Language/Credit pass in English Literature at G. C. E. (O/L) Examination including six subjects with Sinhala/Tamil Language.
- 6.1.4 Applicants should reach a satisfactory level at the practical test conducted for Physical Education, Dance (Oriental)/Dance (Bharatha), Music (Oriental)/ Music (Carnatic) and Western Music courses.

6.2 *Difficult District Basis*

- 6.2.1 Admission for difficult districts will be made from candidates those who belong to the 17 districts deemed as difficult based on the distribution of educational facilities. Number to be admitted from each district will be decided for each course proportional to the number of students appeared for G. C. E. (A/L) - 2006 examination in all media in respective district.
- 6.2.2 If the expected number from relevant difficult district is not available, places will be filled from other difficult districts.

6.2.3 *Difficult Districts and Numbers :*

Matale	04
Nuwara Eliya	06
Hambanthota	09
Jaffna	10
Kilinochchi	11
Manar	12
Mulletivu	13
Vavunia	14
Trincomalee	15
Batticaloa	16
Ampara	17
Puttalam	18
Anuradhapura	20
Polonnaruwa	21
Badulla	22
Monaragala	23
Rathnapura	25

6.2.4 *Determination of District :*

- 6.2.4.1 The district of any school candidate will be the district of the location of the school/schools in which he/she had studied during the entire or the major part of the **five year** (more than two and half years) period ending on the last day of the month immediately preceding the month in which he/she had sat the G. C. E. (A/L) Examination at the first sitting.
- 6.2.4.2 If any private candidate had left school after having previously sat the G. C. E. (A/L) Examination as a school candidate, his/her district will be the district of location of the school from which he/she had first sat the above examination.
- 6.2.4.3 If any private candidate has left school without having previously sat for the G. C. E. (A/L) Examination on as a school candidate, his/her district will be the district of location of the school or schools in which he/she has studied during the entire or the major part of the five year (more than two and half year) period ending on the last day of the month immediately preceding the month in which he/she had sat the G. C. E. (A/L) Examination at the first sitting.
- 6.2.4.4 If any private candidate has not studied in a school he/she should confirm his/her district of residence with the voters' list of Election commissioner's office or Grama Niladhari and Divisional Secretary's affidavit.

6.3 Selections for Sri Pada National College of Education :

- 6.3.1 75% of the number of vacancies will be filled by applicants of Indian Tamil origin and 25% from Sinhalese applicants.
- 6.3.2 75% will be selected to Tamil medium courses and 25% will be selected to Sinhala medium courses.
- 6.3.3 Primary, Mathematics and Science courses will be conducted in Sinhala medium and Primary, Mathematics, Science., Carnatic Music, Bharatha Dance, and First Language (Tamil) courses will be conducted in Tamil medium and Information Communication Technology course in English medium.
- 6.3.4 Applications will be entertained only from the children of the residents of following estate districts, Nuwara Eliya, Kandy, Matale, Badulla, Monaragala, Ratnapura, Kegalle, Kalutara, Matara, Galle and Kurunegala to Sripada National College of Education.
- 6.3.5 Priority will be given to the children of estate workers residing in the plantation districts mentioned above. Children of estate and registered private estate companies have to provide a letter from the Estate Superintendent. (Including the dates of service of the employee), the letter certified by the Estate Superintendent stating that the last five years or more that you were resident in estates permanently, a letter promising that you will continuously serve for ten years in estate schools after the training, and letters to prove that deductions are being done for the employees provident fund including registrar numbers. Paragraph 6.2.2 will be applied for the applicants of Sripada National College too, When deciding the district of the applicant.
- 6.3.6 In selection at least one candidate will be considered for each relevant district.

Note : Candidates of Indian origins who have studied in Sinhala Medium will be considered under the percentage entitled to Indian origin. Similarly Sinhala candidate who studied in Tamil medium will be considered under Sinhala Medium percentage.

7.0 Other criteria relating to Selection :

- 7.1 Applicants should produce necessary documents and original certificates to prove their eligibility for the particular course at the interview date. More applicants than the required number will be called for interviews.
- 7.2 Candidates who fail to submit the originals of all certificates on the date of the interview will not be considered for selection.

- 7.3 If the Board of Interview considers it necessary that an applicant face a special Board of Interview in order to ascertain the mental or physical status for enrollment in the Course, the applicant will be called upon to face such interview. The report of the special Board of Interview will be submitted to the Colleges of Education Board, for a final decision.
- 7.4 Selected applicants, who fail to get themselves registered in the respective National College of Education within three days from the specified registration date, will forego their Chances of admission and the resulted vacancies will be filled according to the merit order.
- 7.5 All the selected applicants should undergo a medical examination prior to the admission to prove their mental and physical fitness to follow the three year programme and to serve in any part of the island.
- 7.6 It is not permitted to change the course or the National College of Education once selected. If sufficient number of candidates is not available for a particular course in any NCOE the selected candidates will be transferred to another near by NCOE where such courses are conducted.
- 7.7 In selecting candidates for a Course, if the number of applicants who have obtained the same Z score at the G. C. E. (A/L) is in excess of the number of places available, the results obtained by the applicants in the G. C. E. (O/L) at the first sitting will be considered. Marks will be awarded for the eight Core subjects ; three marks for a distinction pass, two marks for a credit pass and one mark for a Ordinary pass and candidates will be finally selected on the basis of their total marks.
- 8.0 Persons not eligible to apply or seek admission to the National College of Education :
 - 8.1 Those who are appointed as teachers in a Government or Private Schools ;
 - 8.2 Those who have been selected to be appointed to Government Schools;
 - 8.3 Those who are following a course or have followed a course in a National College of Education ;
 - 8.4 Those who are following or have followed an internal course or courses in a University or University Institute or other Higher Education Institution ; where G. C. E. (A/L) is the entry requirement and, those who have completed degree courses.
 - 8.5 Those who have been discontinued from a College of Education on disciplinary grounds.
- 9.0 Conditions related to Training :
 - 9.1 The duration of the training course in three years. This consist of two years residential institutional training in the National College of Education and one year of Internship training attached to a school Attendance of a student teacher should be not less than 90% to sit the External Final examination conducted by the Examinations Department at the end of the second year.
 - 9.2 All trainees should pass the Internal First year and Second year Examinations and Final External Examination conducted by the Sri Lanka Examinations Department. All the trainees who follow the courses except the English course should obtain a pass in English in the above Examinations. Applications should be submitted by only those who are willing to abide by these requirements.
 - 9.3 A trainee will be provided with board and lodging facilities to the value of Rs. 2000 per month for a period of 10 months annually during the two years of residential training. An allowance of Rs. 2,500 per month for a period of 10 months will be provided during the year of Internship. All other expenses should be borne by the trainee.
 - 9.4 A trainee will not be allowed to pursue an academic course in a University, University Institution or other Higher Educational Institute, for which the G. C. E. (A/L) is the entry requirement. If it is proved that a trainee following such a course all the costs incurred will be charged and will be removed from course.
 - 9.5 If trainees get married during the period of training their registration will be cancelled. The act of disrobing of Buddhist monks after admission will result in removal from the training. Clergy who are in various religions should enter to an agreement with the Ministry of Education to serve the Ministry of Education without disrobing for a minimum period of five years.

- 9.6 If during the training period the general conduct, interest and academic progress of the trainee is not up to the standard expected, the trainee will be removed forthwith from the training. All those who do not reach a satisfactory standard in the assessment during the first year of academic training or following course in any other institute mentioned under 9.4. will be likewise removed. On these matters, the decision of the Colleges of Education Board of the Ministry of Education will be final.
- 9.7 If any complaints are made on the physical or mental fitness of the trainee by either President of the College during the training period or by the Principal of School during the Internship period, the trainee will be sent before a Special Interview Board, the report of which will be submitted to the colleges of Education Board for a final decision.
- 9.8 A Trainee should enter into an agreement with the Ministry of Education undertaking to Pay back the costs incurred by the Ministry training, if the training is terminated by the training before the completion of the specified period of three years.
- 9.9 Trainees who satisfactorily complete the course of training will be awarded the National Diploma in Teaching. Course - work and personality development (inclusive of compulsory co-curricular activities) will be continuously assessed during the period of training and this assessment will form a component of the final assessment in awarding the Diploma.
- 9.10 Those who have successfully completed the training course will be considered for appointments as teachers in government schools in Education Divisions within the difficult districts mentioned in this *gazette* notification under 6.2.3 based on the availability of vacancies.
 - 9.10.1 Teacher Trainees following Science, Maths, Physical Education, Social Science in English medium will have to teach in their mother tongue Tamil/Sinhala in Schools when they are posted and if there is no vacancy for English medium teachers.
 - 9.10.2 When Teaching appointments are made to government schools, priority will be given to those who successfully complete their Diploma in Teaching Programme. Those who agree to abide by the condition stated in this notice should appear for interview if they are called for.

Those who complete the Library Science and Information Studies Successfully will be qualified to be appointed as Teacher Librarian in government schools.

Those who complete Second Language (Sinhala), Second (Tamil) will have to serve in Tamil medium and Sinhala Medium schools respectively.
 - 9.10.3 Those who are appointed as teachers on the above conditions stated they will be expected to sign an agreement with Ministry of Education to serve in the selected Education Division for five years. The Education Division to which these teachers are posted will not be changed under any circumstances.
- 9.11 Those completing the training course successfully and not accepting the appointments as teachers in government schools, should refund the cost incurred for this training to the Ministry of Education. They are expected to enter into a bond in this regard.
- 9.12 All Educational and other qualifications should have been completed before the last date of calling applications.

10.0 Application :

- 10.1 A candidate can apply for a maximum of three Courses. It is considered as two courses if applied for the same course in two different media, this applicant can apply to one more course only.

E. g. If a candidate applies for Science Sinhala Medium and Science English Medium he/she can apply for one more course only.

- 10.2 A candidate should forward only one application, Two certified photocopies of this original application (original and two photocopies) should be enclosed and forwarded in the same envelope. All applications other than these will be rejected.
- 10.3 The application should be prepared in accordance with the instructions given herein and, in the specimen form given below.
- 10.4 Applications should be sent under registered post to be received on or before 20th July 2007, addressed to "Chief Commissioner (Teacher Education) Colleges of Education Branch, Isurupaya, Ministry of Education, Battaramulla."

Information relating to the following texts should be clearly written in block letters on the top left-hand corner of the envelope enclosing the application.

"Application for Admission to National Colleges of Education - 2008

Course indicated as First preference and No. ..."

(Applications should not be addressed to the Department of Examination or to the National Colleges of Education.)

- 10.5 A photocopy of the application and the posted receipt of registration should accompany any inquiry or appeal regarding admissions to Colleges of Education. Therefore, these should be retained by the candidate carefully.
- 10.6 **Applications in which the Index Number, Year, Course number incorrectly stated, as well as the incomplete and informal applications will be rejected.**
- 10.7 Applications will not be acknowledged.
- 10.8 No other documents should be annexed to the application.
- 10.9 If any certificate submitted by the candidate is subsequently revealed to be forged or fraudulent such candidate will be dismissed from service even after getting the appointments as teachers and he will not be eligible for any appointment in Public Service.
- 11.0 The decision of the Colleges of Education Board shall prevail as the final decision relating to any problems arising from the information indicated above in the *Gazette* Notification.

ARIYARATNE HEWAGE ,
Secretary,
Ministry of Education.

Ministry of Education,
"Isurupaya",
Battaramulla.

INSTRUCTIONS TO PREPARE THE APPLICATION

- 1.0 Read the *Gazette* notification very carefully. Apply only for three courses to which you are eligible Submit only one application form which two of its photocopies enclosed in one envelope. Prepare the application according to specimen given below on a white sheet of paper of A4 (21cm x 29.7cm) size. Prepare sections 01-10.0 to appear on first page. In places where information has to be given in a cage, mark "x" in the relevant cage.
- 2.0 Please note that the candidates are called for the interview based on the computerized list prepared the Ministry of Education according to the information given in 1.0- 10.2 Make sure, the name of the Course applied for, its number, and the index number of the G. C. E. (A/L) are mentioned correctly. The application will be rejected if the numbers are not clear or in correct.

3.0 The information given in paragraph 13.0 for Physical Education, para 14.0 for Buddhism, para 15.0 for Chatholicism/ Christianity, para 16.0 for Hinduism/Islam, para 17.0 for Technology Studies, para 18.0 Western Music should be considered carefully in filling the application. The innformation specified will not be changed under any circumstances.

4.0 Refer to section 5.0 to find out the numbers assigned to Courses and numbers assigned to National Colleges of Education.

Instructions :-

The computer sheet for the Interview will be prepared by the Ministry of Education on the basis of the particulars given from (1.0 -10.3) in the application.

Numbers assigned to Districts are as follows :

Colombo	01	Vavuniya	14
Gampaha	02	Trincomalee	15
Kalutara	03	Batticaloa	16
Matale	04	Ampara	17
Kandy	05	Puttalam	18
Nuwara Eliya	06	Kurunegala	19
Galle	07	Anuradhapura	20
Matara	08	Polonnaruwa	21
Hambanthota	09	Badulla	22
Jaffna	10	Monaragala	23
Kilinochchi	11	Kegalle	24
Mannar	12	Rathapura	25
Mulleitivu	13		

7.0 Symbol for the medium as follows : Sinhala - S Tamil - T English - E

SPECIMEN APPLICATION FORM

Office use only

ADMISSION TO NATIONAL COLLEGES OF EDUCATION - 2008

(A candidate should submit only one application and two of its photocopies enclosed in one envelope. Applications which are not prepared in accordance with the specimen form will be rejected. Details up to para 1.0 - 10.3 in the application should be included in the first page. Computerized list of names for the interview will be prepared by using details in 1.0 - 10.3 paras)

1.0	Preference	Course No.	College No.	Medium
	1.			
	2.			
	3.			

2.0 2.1 Name with initials (in block letters): Ex : Mr. PERERA R. C.

Rev./Mr/Miss :_____.

2.2 Full name in Sinhala/Tamil :_____

3.0 Permanent residential Address :

3.1 In English (in block letters) :_____

3.2 In Sinhala/Tamil :_____

3.3 Postal Code No :_____

4.0 Administrative District of permanent residence District:_____ District No. :

5.0 District according to para 6.2.4, if relevant para 6.2 of Gazette notification

District:_____ District No :

6.0 6.1 Date of Birth : Year Month Date

6.2 National Identity Card No :

7.0 Whether Male/Female : Male 1 Female 2

8.0 Ethnicity : Sinhala 1 Sri Lankan Tamil 2 Indian Tamil 3 Muslim 4 Others 5

9.0 Results of G. C. E. (A/L) Examination in year 2006

9.1 Index No.

9.2 Year

9.3 Z Score

9.4 9.4 Details of Results

Subject	Grade
1. -----	-----
2. -----	-----
3. -----	-----

10.0 10.1 Grade for English Language/English Literature at G. C. E. (O/L) Examination of applicants in English and English Medium Courses

Year Index No.

10.2 An applicant for Sri Pada National College of Education should indicate whether you are a Estate Worker's child by marking X in the relevant cage. :

Yes 1 No 2

10.3 Only for the candidates of Physical Education Sinhala/Tamil/English medium Applicant should look to para 13.0 total marks (4.4.3 and 4.4.4)

11.0 If you have sat for G. C. E. (A/L) Examination before 2006 give full particulars of each attempt even if you have sat only for one subject.

	1	2
11.1 Sitting		
11.2 Year	-----	-----
11.3 Index No.	-----	-----
11.4 Examination Centre No.	-----	-----
11.5 Z - Score	-----	-----
11.6 Details of Results		

1st Sitting		2nd Sitting	
Subject	Grade	Subject	Grade
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

12.0 Particulars of G. C. E. (O/L) Examination :

12.1 Sitting	1	2	3
12.2 Year	_____	_____	_____
12.3 Index No.	_____	_____	_____
12.4 Examination Centre No.	_____	_____	_____
12.5 Details of Results			

1st Sitting		2nd Sitting		3rd Sitting	
Subject	Grade	Subject	Grade	Subject	Grade
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

13.0 Particulars of Sport competency according to the clause 4.4.3 in para 4.4 of the *Gazette notification* (only those who apply for Physical Education Course should complete) It is necessary to give your attention to all the clauses in 4.4.3 when you complete this part. Particulars are sufficient for forward only highest 3 sports/competency.

If you have passed Health and Physical Education in G. C. E. (O/L) Examination, state the relevant mark according to the grade as in 4.4.4 must be mentioned below.

The total number of marks of your competency on sports should be included in 10.3 in the first page of this application.

Certificate/Sports Competency

S. No.	Year	Ministry/Institution clubs issued	Represented for competitions International/National/ Provincial/District/Zonal	Events/Sports	Place obtained	Relevant marks for 4.4.3
1.						
2.						
3.						
If you sat for G. C. E. (O/L) Health and Physical Education Grade:					Marks	
Total Marks						

14.0 Results (if any) of Pracheena Preliminary, Bauddha Dharmacharya and Pirivena Final Examination according to 4.7 of the *Gazette Notification*.

<i>Examination</i>	<i>Pracheena Preliminary</i>	<i>Bauddha Dharmacharya</i>	<i>Pirivena Final</i>
14.1 Year			
14.2 Index No. :			
14.3 Examination Centre :			
14.4 Subjects and Grades	1. 2. 3. 4.	1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.	1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11.

15.0 The applicants of Catholicism/Christianity should fill the relevant part according to para 4.10 of the *Gazette* notification.

<i>Name of the Course/Certificate</i>	<i>Duration</i>		
	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Grade</i>
15.1 Degree in Theology (BTH)			
15.2 Philosophy Certificate (BPH) conducted by the National and Seminary			
15.3 Dharmachariya Certificate conducted by the National Catechetical center.			
15.4 Three year religious education course in Deva Dharma Niketanaya			
15.5 Certificate issued by Supirior or relevant Bishop of the clergy sect that the candidate has successfully completed the study of the religious education and training course (Novitiate) or become a member of the clergy.			
15.6 Should have obtained Dharma Veda Diploma conducted by Theological College Pilimalalawa			
15.7 Should have obtained National Certificate on Religious Knowledge conducted by National Christian Council			
15.8 Certificate issued by relevant Bishop be a religious Teacher of Catholicism or Christianity.			
15.9 Obtain a pass in G. C. E. (A/L) Christianity subject			

16.0 The applicants of Hinduism (4.8) /Islam (4.9) should fill the necessary particulars according to section 4.8 and 4.9 of the *Gazette Notification*.

<i>Name of the Course</i>	<i>Duration</i>	<i>Valid Date of the Certificate</i>

17.0 The applicants who have successfully completed a Technology Studies in a recognized government institute and hope to follow the Technical Skills Course para 4.14 should fill the following table.

<i>Name of the Technical Course</i>	<i>Number and Date of Registration in Government</i>	<i>Institution</i>	<i>Duration</i>	<i>Whether Successfully Completed the Course</i>

18.0 Candidates for the Western Music according in term of para 4.18.1, 4.18.2 in the *Gazette Notification* should include relevant particulars.

<i>Year</i>	<i>Institute issuing Certificates</i>	<i>Competency/Class passed</i>

19.0 Declaration of the Applicant :

- (i) I have forwarded only one application. I am aware that all my applications will be rejected if I send more than one application.
- (ii) I certify that the particulars given by me are true and correct. I am aware that if any particulars given by me in this application are found to be false or incorrect, I am liable to be disqualified if detected before selection or to be discontinued if detected after selection.
- (iii) I declare that I have applied for University admission and that I am not registered for/following a course in a University/ University Institute/Affiliated University College/any other education institution.

_____,
Applicant's Signature.

Date:_____.

20.0 Declaration by the Head of School/Pirivena in respect of School/Pirivena applicants :

I certify that this applicant sat the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination and the G. C. E. (A/L) Examination/and Preliminary Pirivena Final Examination as a Student of this School/Pirivena and that the particulars 20.0 given above by the applicant are correct according to my knowledge and that the Aggregate marks /Z Score. _____ (write in words) obtained by the applicant at the G. C. E. (A/L) Examination in the year _____ is according to the official results sheet issued by the Commissioner - General of Examinations.

_____,
Signature of the Principal/Head of the Pirivena.

Name of Principal of School/Head of Pirivena : _____,

Name and Address of School/Pirivena : _____.

Date : _____.

2.10 Declaration in respect of private applicants :

I certify that the Aggregate marks/Z Score obtained by me at the G. C. E. (A/L) Examination in the year _____ is _____ . (write in words) according to the official results sheet issued by the Commissioner - General of Examinations.

Signature of Candidate.

Date : _____.

Signed before me.

Signature of Justice of the Peace .

Date : _____.

Official Frank

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AMENDMENT NOTICE

MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Open Competitive Examination for Filling Vacancies in the Public Management Assistants' Service Cadre in Sri Lanka Missions Abroad.

IN the *Gazette Notification* published in the *Gazette* of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka No. 1,499 dated 25.05.2007, calling applications for Competitive Examination to fill the Vacancies in the Public Management Assistants' Service in Sri Lanka Missions abroad the following amendments are made:-

2. Eligibility:

The age limit for the applications referred to in the 2(b) (i) is hereby amended as 56 years.

The requirement for those who have served in Sri Lanka Missions abroad to have completed 02 years after returning from their last posting, referred to in 2. Note – (ii), is hereby deleted.

5. Method of Application:

The closing date for receiving applications, referred to in 5.2 is hereby amended as 09th July, 2007.

T. B. Maduwegedera,
Acting Secretary/Foreign Affairs.

Ministry of Foreign Affairs,
Republic Building,
Colombo 01.

18th June, 2007.

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