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PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL

Government Notifications

06TH AMENDMENT

The Medical Service Minute of the Sri Lanka Health Service

THE Medical Service Minute of the Sri Lanka Health Service published in the *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 1883/17, dated 11th October 2014 of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka as amended by the *Gazettes Extraordinary* mentioned in Part I below is amended as following Part II. Other matters and conditions stated therein remain unchanged.

By order of the Public Service Commission,

W. H. M. M. C. K. DAYARATNE,
Secretary,
Public Service Commission.

15th of December, 2023.



Part I

Amendment No. 01 - *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 1950/4, dated 18th January 2016
Amendment No. 02 - *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 1981/45, dated 24th August 2016
Amendment No. 03 - *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 1996/46, dated 09th December 2016
Amendment No. 04 - *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 2218/50, dated 09th March 2021
Amendment No. 05 - *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 2277/59, dated 29th April 2022

Note:

The 'Amendment No. 01' has not been included when publishing the amendments introduced later to the Medical Service Minute of the Sri Lanka Health Service which was published in the *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 1883/17, dated 11th October 2014, hence the Amendment Numbers of the amendment *Gazettes* are revised as stated above.

Part II

Sub sections 7.2 a 2 and 7.2 a 5 are amended as follows.

7.2 a 2 Educational and Professional Qualifications and Experience for Recruitment.

All medical graduates with valid full registration of Sri Lanka Medical Council for practicing as a Medical Officer who have obtained a medical degree awarded by a faculty of medicine of a State University or any Local Medical College or a foreign university approved and recognized by the Sri Lanka Medical Council and successfully completed one year period of compulsory internship at a hospital recognized by the Sri Lanka Medical Council, are eligible for recruitment.

Note 1:

Sri Lankan citizens who have obtained foreign medical degrees after the date 01.11.1988 should have passed the special examination for Sri Lankan citizens in terms of the sections 29.1 (b) (II) (cc) and 29.2 (b) (III) of the Medical Ordinance and successfully completed the compulsory internship for a period of one year at a hospital recognized by the Sri Lanka Medical Council.

7.2 a 5 Method of recruitment, calling applications and selection.

Applications will be called from eligible candidates with the above qualifications by a departmental circular and a public notice published in the *Government Gazette* and on the website of the Ministry of Health. Accordingly, the priority for appointments will be given as follows,

1. Medical Graduates of State Universities.
2. Medical Graduates of any other Local Medical College approved by the Sri Lanka Medical Council.
3. Medical Graduates of foreign universities who have qualified with the special examination under the Sections 29.1 (b) (II) (cc) and 29.2 (b) (III) of the Medical Ordinance.

Selections are made in the order of merit of the graduates of state universities, order of merit of graduates of General Sir John Kotelawala Defence University, graduates of other local medical colleges provided by the University Grants Commission and in case of graduates of foreign universities, in the order of merit provided by the Sri Lanka Medical Council. Selected graduates will be recruited to the Preliminary Grade as Medical Officers with the approval of the Public Service Commission.

Above amendments shall come into force with effect from 31.07.2019.

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