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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 13th October, 2006 should reach the Government Press on or before 12 noon on 29th September, 2006.

LAKSHMAN GOONEWARDENA,
Government Printer.

Department of Govt. Printing,
Colombo 08,
January 01, 2006.

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 form 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

DISTRICT SECRETARIAT – KALUTARA

Recruitment for the Post of Technician- Grade III

Applications are invited from candidates residing in the kalutara district possessing following qualifications to fill the vacancy in the Post of Technician - Grade III of the District Secretariat kalutara, Duly completed applications prepared as per specimen application, appearing at the end of this notice should be sent on or before 20.10.2006.

01. Job description - Maintenance of Electricity and water supply (pipelines) of the District Secretariat, Kalutara.

02. Age limit - Should be not less than 18 years and not more than 45 years (The maximum age limit will not be applicable to those who are already in the public and Provincial Public Service).

03. Educational qualifications - Candidate should have passed the G. C. E. (O/L) Examination in 06 subjects including two credit passes.

04. Professional Qualifications - Should have obtained certificate (not less than 3 months duration) including Electrical and plumbing from a Technical College or a Recognized Government Institution.

05. Salary Scale and Segment - Rs. 97,680 - 10 x 960 - 8 x 1,320 - 117,840 (as per P A Circular No. 09/2004).

06. This post is permanent and is entitled for a Contributory Pension under the Contributory Pension Fund. If any officer holding pensionable post is appointed to this post, he/she shall continue to enjoy pension rights under the Pension Minute's and should contribute to the Widow/Widowers and Orphans Pension Fund.

07. Method of Recruitment - Suitable candidate will be selected by an interview.

08. Method of Application - Applications should be prepared in accordance with the specimen form of application attached and duly perfected application should be sent to the "District Secretary, District Secretariat, Kalutara" by registered post on or before 20.10.2006. The words "Post of Technician - Grade III" should be written on the top left hand corner of the envelope enclosing the application. Applications received after the closing date of application or applicants who do not fulfill the necessary requirements or incomplete applications will be rejected and such applicants will not be notified. The decision of the District Secretary of Kalutara shall be final and conclusive on rejecting of the applications.

S. HAPUARACHCHI,
District Secretary/Government Agent-Kalutara,
Additional Secretary-Ministry of Home Affairs.

18th September, 2006,
District Secretariat,
Kalutara.

Specimen Application Form

Recruitment for the Post of Technician - Grade III to the District Secretariat - Kalutara

01. 1. Name with initials:-----,
2. Name in Full :-----,
02. National Identity Card No.:-----,
03. 1. Date of Birth:--
Years:-----, Months:-----, Date:-----
2. Age as at : 20.10.2006.
Years:-----, Months:-----, Days :-----.
04. If already employed in the Public/Provincial Service :-----
1. Department/Provincial:-----,
2. Designation:-----.
05. Address :-
1. Official :-----,
2. Private :-----,
06. Educational Qualifications:-----.
07. Professional Qualifications:-----.
08. Civil Status :-----.

I hereby certify that the particulars furnished by me in the application are true and correct and declare that I have not been dismissed or retired from service for inefficiency as a sympathetic alternative for dismissal or have not been treated as having vacated post. I am liable to disqualification before the selection and dismissal without any compensation to me if the inaccuracy is detected after the appointment.

-----,
Applicant.

Date:-----.

Certification of the Head of the Department if the Applicant is
Serving in Public Service.

Mr.----- is working in this Ministry/Department, as a temporary/casual----- employee and the he can be released from the present post if he is selected for the above post.

-----,
Signature of the Head of the Department
and Official Stamp.

Date :-----.

Examinations, Results of Examinations &c.

MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND PLANNING

Open Competitive Examination for Recruitment to the Class II Grade II of the Sri Lanka Planning Service - 2006

THE Open Competitive Examination for Recruitment to Class II Grade II of the Sri Lanka Planning Service will be held by the Commissioner General of Examinations in Colombo on December, 2006 and applications are invited from either sex, as per the following notification.

2. *Required Qualifications.* - Every candidate should possess the following qualifications and produce satisfactory evidence in support of them :

- (a) That he/she is a citizen of Sri Lanka,
- (b) That he/she has obtained,
 - (i) a First Class or Second Class Honours Degree from a recognized University ; or
 - (ii) a Post-graduate Degree from a recognized University ; or
 - (iii) a Degree from a recognized University with a Post-graduate Diploma;
- (c) That he/she is not less than 22 years of age and not more than 36 of age on the closing date of applications ;
- (d) That he/she is of sound constitution, possessed of good sight otherwise physically qualified fit to serve in any part of the Island. Selected candidates will be called upon to undergo a medical examination,
- (e) The candidate should be prepared to produce the following documents when requested:-
 - (i) Certificate of Birth ;
 - (ii) Degree or Post - graduate certificate or certificates (under which he/she is qualified);
 - (iii) Two character certificates (obtained recently.) ;
 - (iv) Certificates of highest examinations passed in Sinhala, Tamil and English.

N. B. — Any of these documents or copies should not be annexed to the application except the receipt for the payment of the examination fees.

3. *Terms of engagement and conditions of service :*

- (i) The post is permanent. You are eligible for a contributory pension under the Contributory Pension Fund. If you have been holding a pensionable post, before 1st January 2003, you are eligible for a pension under the Pensions Minute and contributions should be made for the W & OP Fund.
- (ii) You will be ordered to pay 8% of your monthly earnings for the Contributory Pensions Fund with effective from the date of appointment.
- (iii) If the selected candidates are already not in the Public Service, they will be subjected to a three years probationary period.
- (iv) If the selected candidates are already in the Public Service, holding Permanent and Pensionable posts, their appointments will be subjected to three years acting/test period.
- (v) Prior to confirmation in service all officers in Planning Service are required to pass the first Efficiency Bar Examination. The Efficiency Bar Examination will include the following subjects :
 - (i) Planning Concepts and Methodology, Planning Institutions, Finance and Administration,
 - (ii) Economic Analysis and Statistics,
 - (iii) Project Plannings
 - (iv) English Language.

(Full particulars are given in the Service Minute of Sri Lanka Planning Service Published in Appendix 'C' of *Gazette Extraordinary of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka No. 1134/5 of 30th May, 2000.*

4. *Structure and Monthly Salary Scale* (According to the Public Administration Circular No.6/2006):

Monthly salary scale - Rs. 22,935-10x 645 - 8 x 790- 17 x 1050 -Rs. 53,555 (1st Efficiency Bar Examination before Rs. 24,225 and 2nd Efficiency Bar Examination before Rs.28,095)

Class I - Starting Monthly Salary Rs.36,755

Class II - Starting Monthly Salary (SLPS Class II Grade I) Rs.30,175

Class III - Starting Monthly Salary (SLPS Class II Grade II) Rs.22,935

5. *Applications and Examination Fees.* -

- (a) Examination fee for this examination is Rs.300 and it must be paid to a District Secretariat or a Divisional Secretariat, crediting to Revenue Head 4000 -20-03-20-13 before the last date of receiving the applications and the receipt obtained must be affixed to the Top Cage on Page 2 of the application. (This examination fee will not be refunded.). Applications which have paid examination fees after the due date, will be rejected without notification. It is advised to keep a photocopy of the receipt with the candidate.

- (b) Applications will not be acknowledged. Admission Cards will be issued to the candidates by the Commissioner General of Examinations. A paper notice, informing the date of the examination, will be published by the Commissioner General of Examination, immediately after the issuing of Admission Cards. Candidates who do not receive the Admission card at least 07 days before the date of the examination should communicate with the Commissioner General of Examinations, Palawatta, Battaramulla giving the following information :

- (i) Name of Examination;
- (ii) Full name of candidate ;
- (iii) Address;
- (iv) Date of when the application is posted, Post Office and the Registration Number ;
- (v) Date of when examination fees paid, place and the number of receipt.

6. Admission to the Examination :

- (a) any candidate is permitted to sit this examination only thrice.
- (b) A candidate should sit the examination in the prescribed examination hall allocated to him on the date of the examination, the admission card issued by the Commissioner General of Examinations should be produced to the Head of the Examination hall with the signature certified. The examination will be held in Colombo and no candidate is entitled to any travelling expenses or subsistence.

Note.— Issue of an Admission Card to a candidate by the Commissioner General to sit the examination should not be treated as his/her eligibility for examination.

7. Method of application.-

- (a) Applications must be prepared in accordance with the specimen form given at the end of the notification using either side of a paper size 21 x 29 cm(A4). Application must be prepared in such a way to include parts 01 to 08 on Page (1).
- (b) Perfected applications must be sent under registered post addressed to the Commissioner General of Examinations, Palawatta, Battaramulla, to reach him on or before 20th October, 2006. The envelope enclosing the application should be clearly written “Open Competitive Examination for Recruitment to the Planning Service” on the top left -hand corner.
- (c) Application from candidates in the Public Service or Provincial Public Service should be forwarded through the Heads of their Departments and applications from officers in State Corporations, Local Authorities etc., should be forwarded through the Head of their Institutions, before the prescribed date.
- (d) Application should be prepared in the medium in which the candidate sits the examination.
- (e) Applications not in conformity with the specimen referred to, incomplete applications and applications received late will be rejected without any notice. Complaints regarding loss of applications in the post and applications received late will not be entertained.

8. Identity of the Candidate :

A candidate will be required to prove his/her identity in the examination hall in a way that the supervisors are been satisfied for each subject he/she offers. For this purpose, any of the following documents will be accepted :

- (i) Identity Card issued by the Commissioner for Registration of Persons,
A valid postal Identity issued by the postmaster General.
- (ii) A valid passport (not issued prior to 3 years on the date of examination).

9. Furnishing Incorrect Information.— If it is revealed that any candidate is ineligible to sit the examination, his candidature may be cancelled at any stage before the examination in the process of the examination or thereafter. If it is seen that any information submitted by a candidate, has been done so knowingly that it is incorrect, he may be dismissed from service. Rules and instructions for candidates at the beginning of this *Gazette* in Part I : Section (IIA) should also be adhered to.

10. Medium - The Examination will be held in Sinhala, Tamil and English :

- (i) A candidate could sit the examination in the medium in which he wishes ;
- (ii) A candidate should answer all the question papers in one language ;
- (iii) Change of medium is not permitted at the examination.

11. Scheme of Examination - This is a written test comprising of 03 subjects :

Part (A):

- (i) *Comprehension* - 100 marks two hour paper
- (ii) *Intelligence* - 100 marks one hour paper
- (iii) *General Awareness* - 100 marks two hour paper

Part (B) :

Viva-Voce Test (No marks will be given.)

Candidates who are qualified from the Part "A" of the examination will be informed the date for the Part "B".

12. Syllabus :

Subject No. 1 - Comprehension - This question paper will consists of two parts. Part I will be an essay and a precise. Part II will comprise several passages to test candidate's knowledge and understanding of the language. Candidate is required either to give the meaning of underlined phrases in one single sentence or to write analytical notes or to explain in detail or to select the most suitable one out of the alternative statements or to select the correct answer from several answers given. Equal marks will be given for each question.

Subject No. 2 - Intelligence - This is a Multiple Choice Question Paper to provide an assessment on the candidate's power of logical reasoning and analytical ability to draw sound inference.

Subject No.3 - General Awareness - This question paper is designed to test the candidate's knowledge of environment including geographical, political, economic, social and cultural environment of Sri Lanka, information of current National and International interest as well as scientific and technological development.

13. Method of Selection.-

1. Candidates not obtaining a minimum of 40% from prescribed marks in each subject will not be qualified to be summoned for the viva-voce test. Selections for appointments will be on the highest marks of the examination.
2. In the event of candidates having tied for a place, securing highest marks at the examination, final decision will be taken by the Public Service Commission.

14. Public Service Commission will make decisions with the concurrence of the PSC regarding any matter, which are not provided in this notice and the number of candidates to be recruited by this examination and that will be the final decision on this regard.

15. Candidates should have completed the required qualifications before the closing date of applications.

By Order of the Public Service Commission,

P. B. JAYASUNDERA,
Secretary,
Ministry of Finance and Planning.

Ministry of Finance and Planning,
Colombo 01,
22nd September, 2006.

Specimen Application Form

Open Competitive Examination for Recruitment to Class II Grade II of the Sri Lanka Planning Service

For Office use only

Medium of the Examination
Sinhala-2, Tamil -3, English -4
(write the relevant Number in the cage)

01. (i) Last Name with Initials :_____.

(In Block Capitals)

E.g. Mr./Mrs./Miss SILVA A.L.

(ii) Names for which Initials stand :_____.

(In Block Capitals)

02. Address to which Admission card should be sent. :_____.

(In Block Capitals)

03. Sex (write the relevant number in the cage)

Female- 1 Male -0 :_____.

04. Date of Birth :_____.

(i) Year :_____, Month :_____, Date :_____.

(ii) Age as at 20th October, 2006 :

Years

Months

Days

05. Ethnic Group :

- (1) Sinhala
 (2) Sri Lankan Tamil
 (3) Indian Tamil
 (4) Sri Lankan Muslim (Write the Number indicating the Ethnic Group in the Cage)
 (5) Any other

06. Highest Educational Qualifications :—

<i>Degree/Diploma Exam.</i>	<i>Year</i>	<i>Subjects</i>	<i>Class obtained</i>	<i>Name of the University or Institution</i>

Highest Examination Passed :

- (a) In Sinhala :———.
 (b) In Tamil :———.
 (c) In English :———.

07. Particulars of any previous Employment (If applicable) :—

<i>Name of the Dept./Inst.</i>	<i>Posts held</i>	<i>Period</i>		<i>Annual Salary</i>
		<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	

08. Particulars of Residence :—

- (i) Divisional Secretary's Division
 (Residence) :———.
 (ii) Grama Niladhari's Division :———.
 (iii) District and the date from which you have been resident there :———.

- (iv) National Identity Card No. :

09. (a) Are you in debt? If so, to what extent? :———.

- (b) Have you been convicted of a criminal offence by a Court of Law? :———.
 If so, give particulars? :———.

10. Receipt issued for payment of Examination Fees (Affixed) :—

- No. :———.
 Date :———.
 Office of issue :———.

To affix the receipt

11. I declare that the particulars furnished by me in this application are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief. In terms of the conditions relating to this examination, if I have given an incorrect information, I am aware that my candidature can be cancelled before or after the examination, and if detected after the selection, I can be dismissed from service.

_____,
Signature of Candidate.

Date :-----.

12. *Attestation of Applicant's Signature :*

I certify that the applicant Mr./Mrs./Miss is known to me personally and that he/she placed his/her signature before me on

_____,
Signature of Attestor.

Date :-----.

Full Name of Attestor :-----.

Address and Designations :-----.

(Applicant's signature should be attested by a Principal of a Government School or a Justice of the Peace or a Commissioner of Oaths or an Attorney-at-Law or a Permanent Government Officer, drawing an annual consolidated salary of not less than Rs.230,700).

13. *Certificate of the Head of the Department/Institution :-*

The applicant Mr./Mrs./Miss is serving in this Department/Provincial Council/Institution. He/She is holding a permanent and pensionable/temporary post. I hereby certify that during the past He/She has earned all increments, that he/she has not been subjected to any disciplinary punishment (other than warning) and that if he/she is selected for the post he/she will be/will not be released from his/her present post.

_____,
Signature and Official Seal,
of the Head of Department/Authorized Officer.

Name :-----.

Designation :-----.

Date :-----.

Department/Institution :-----.

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**NEW SCALES OF CHARGES FOR NOTICES AND ADVERTISEMENTS IN THE
"GAZETTE OF THE DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA"
EFFECTIVE AS FROM JANUARY 01, 1995**

(Issued every Friday)

1. All notices and Advertisements are published at the risk of the Advertisers.
2. All notices and Advertisements by Private Advertisers may be handed in or sent direct by post together with full payments to **the Government Printer, Government Press, Colombo 8.**
3. The office hours are from 9.00 a.m. to 4.45 p.m.
4. Cash transactions will be from 9.30 a.m. to 3.30 p.m.
5. **All Notices and Advertisements must be pre-paid.** Notices and Advertisements sent direct by post should be accompanied by Money order, Postal Order or Cheque made payable to the Government Printer. Postage stamps will not be accepted in payment of Advertisements.
6. To avoid errors and delay "copy" should be **on one side of the paper only and typewritten.**
7. **All signatures should be repeated in block letters below the written signature.**
8. Notices re-change of name from Non-Government Servants and Trade Advertisements are not accepted for publication.
9. Advertisements purporting to be issued under Orders of Courts will not be inserted unless signed or attested by a Proctor of the Supreme Court.
10. **The authorised scale for charges for notices and Advertisements is as follows from January 01, 1995 :-**

	<i>Rs. c.</i>
One inch or less	51 0
Every addition inch or fraction thereof	51 0
One column or 1/2 page of <i>Gazette</i>	504 0
Two columns or one page of <i>Gazette</i>	1,008 0

All fractions of an inch will be charged for at the full inch rate.

11. The "**Gazette of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka**" is published every Friday. Day of publication is subject to alteration in any week where Public Holidays intervene.
12. All Notices and Advertisements should reach the **Government Printer, Government Press, Colombo 8**, as shown in schedule of Separate Notice published at the end of each part of the *Gazette* of the first week of every month.
13. * **REVISED SUBSCRIPTION RATES EFFECTIVE FROM JANUARY 1ST 1995**

(Govt. Gazette Annual)

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Section I	520 0	1,007 0
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The Schedule

<i>Month</i>	<i>Date of Publication</i>			<i>Last Date and Time of Acceptance of Notices for Publication in the Gazette</i>		
	2006					
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	20.10.2006	Friday	—	05.10.2006	Thursday	12 noon
	27.10.2006	Friday	—	13.10.2006	Friday	12 noon
NOVEMBER	03.11.2006	Friday	—	20.10.2006	Friday	12 noon
	10.11.2006	Friday	—	27.10.2006	Friday	12 noon
	17.11.2006	Friday	—	03.11.2006	Friday	12 noon
	24.11.2006	Friday	—	10.11.2006	Friday	12 noon
DECEMBER	01.12.2006	Friday	—	17.11.2006	Friday	12 noon
	08.12.2006	Friday	—	24.11.2006	Friday	12 noon
	15.12.2006	Friday	—	01.12.2006	Friday	12 noon
	22.12.2006	Friday	—	08.12.2006	Friday	12 noon
	29.12.2006	Friday	—	15.12.2006	Friday	12 noon

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