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PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL

Government Notifications

AMENDMENT TO THE SERVICE MINUTE OF THE SRI LANKA ENGINEERING SERVICE – AMENDMENT No. 07

THE Service Minute of the Sri Lanka Engineering Service published in the *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 1836/6 dated 11th November 2013 of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka as amended by the *Gazettes Extraordinary* mentioned in Part I below is amended again as stated in Part II below. Other matters and conditions stated therein remain unchanged.

By order of the Public Service Commission,

M.A.B. DAYA SENARATH,
Secretary,
Public Service Commission.

23rd June 2021.

Part I

- Amendment No. 01 - Gazette Extraordinary No. 1887/21 dated 05th November 2014
- Amendment No. 02 - Gazette Extraordinary No. 1905/7 dated 09th March 2015
- Amendment No. 03 - Gazette Extraordinary No. 2006/53 dated 17th February 2017
- Amendment No. 04 - Gazette Extraordinary No. 2049/14 dated 12th December 2017
- Amendment No. 05 - Gazette Extraordinary No. 2138/27 dated 28th August 2019
- Amendment No. 06 - Gazette Extraordinary No. 2190/26 dated 25th August 2020



Part II

7.1 Ratio of recruitment to Grade III

<i>Stream</i>	<i>Percentage</i>
1. Recruitment under open stream – (Only for the Engineers who possess the educational and professional qualifications)	75% of the number of vacancies existing in service
2. Recruitment under limited stream	25% of the number of vacancies existing in service

7.1.1 Section 7.1.1 will be removed.

7.2. Recruitment under open stream

7.2.1 Only the engineers who possess educational and professional qualifications in the relevant streams will be recruited.

7.2.3.2. Professional Qualifications

- (i) Shall have registered as an Associate Engineer or a Chartered Engineer under the relevant service category in the Engineering Council, Sri Lanka established by the Act, No. 04 of 2017 and obtained the associate membership or full membership (Status of Chartered Engineer) of the Institution of Engineers, Sri Lanka.

7.2.3.3. Other

- (vi) Shall be an officer confirmed in the public service or provincial public service who has completed the qualifications from 7.2.3.3 (i) to 7.2.3.3 (v) above and who has not been subject to a disciplinary punishment as per the provisions in Public Service Commission Circular No. 01/2020.

7.2.4. Age

7.2.4.2. The maximum age limit for the public officers who are qualified under 7.2.3.3. (vi) above shall be 45 years.

7.2.5. Method of recruitment

7.2.5.1 Recruitment shall be made on the results of the First Part of the Common Competitive Examination conducted for recruitment of graduates to the posts in the All-Island Services and Executive Service Category of the public service. Particulars regarding this examination are mentioned in Schedule II.

7.2.5.2.1. Candidates who passed the written examination and completed the relevant qualifications will be recruited according to the order of merit of the aggregate marks obtained by them for both the question papers. The number of candidates to be called for the interview for the recruitment under each subject stream will be decided by the Public Service Commission.

7.3. Limited recruitment

7.3.1.1. Terms and Conditions

- (iii) Shall not have been subject to a disciplinary punishment in terms of the provisions of the Public Service Commission Circular No. 01/2020.

7.3.1.2. Qualifications

Shall have registered as an Incorporated Engineer of the Engineering Council, Sri Lanka established by the Act, No. 04 of 2017 with one of the qualifications under Sections (i), (ii), (iii), (iv) and (v) below as at the date on which the qualifications should be fulfilled as mentioned in the *Gazette Notification*.

- (iv) Shall have been promoted to the special grade of the respective service with an active and satisfactory period of service of not less than 21 years as an officer of the Engineering Assistants Service of the Department of Irrigation or a Technical Officer of the Sri Lanka Technological Service.
- (v) (a). Shall have completed an active and satisfactory period of service of not less than 15 years as an officer of the Engineering Assistants Service of the Department of Irrigation or a Technical Officer of the Sri Lanka Technological Service or an officer serving in a post of supervisory manager of the Department of Railways and obtained a BSc. degree in Engineering from a university recognized by the University Grants Commission, having successfully followed a 04 year full time engineering course in a stream on which recruitments are made and recognized by the University Grants Commission and Institution of Engineers, Sri Lanka.
- (vi) Section (vi) will be removed.

10.1.1.1

- (v) Shall not have been subject to a disciplinary punishment in terms of the provisions of the Public Service Commission Circular No. 01/2020

10.2.1

- (ii) Shall not have been subject to a disciplinary punishment in terms of the provisions of the Public Service Commission Circular No. 01/2020

10.3.1

- (iv) Shall not have been subject to a disciplinary punishment in terms of the provisions of the Public Service Commission Circular No. 01/2020.

Schedule II

The following Schedule II will be substituted in place of the existing Schedule II

WRITTEN COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION FOR RECRUITMENT TO GRADE III OF THE SRI LANKA ENGINEERING SERVICE UNDER OPEN STREAM

The First Part of the Common Competitive Examination for recruitment of graduates to the posts in the All-Island Services and Executive Service Category of the public service is applicable to this examination. This examination will be conducted by the Commissioner General of Examinations.

01. Scheme of Examination

This examination shall consist of below question papers

<i>Question Paper</i>	<i>Duration</i>	<i>Nature of the Question Paper</i>	<i>Pass mark</i>
Intelligence Test	1 ½ Hours	100 marks, shall consist of multiple-choice questions and/ or short answer type questions	40
Comprehension	02 Hours	100 marks, shall consist of multiple-choice questions and/ or short answer type questions	40

02. Syllabus

Intelligence Test

Shall consist of multiple-choice questions to test candidate's skills in reasoning, substitution, interpretation, relevance awareness, conversion, problem solving, understanding of cause & effect relationships, prediction, information organization, pattern identification and adherence to instructions.

Comprehension

Shall consist of objective type questions to test candidate's ability in comprehension and skills in communication, summarization, analyzing and creativity.

03. Medium of Examination

- I. This examination will be held in Sinhala, Tamil and English Languages.
- II. Candidates can sit the examination in any one of these languages of their choice.
- III. Candidates should answer all question papers and select only one medium of language for all the papers.
- IV. Candidates will not be allowed to change the medium of examination produced by them in the application form.