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GENERAL CONDITIONS APPLICABLE TO APPOINTMENTS TO POSTS IN THE PUBLIC SERVICE ADVERTISED IN THE "GAZETTE OF THE REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA (CEYLON)"

1. *Allowances.*—Unless otherwise stated, Rent Allowance, temporary Cost of Living Allowances and temporary Special Living Allowance are payable according to Government Regulations.

2. *Conditions of Service.*—Appointments will be subject to the Public Service Commission Rules, the Financial Regulations, the Regulations of the Manual of Procedure, Departmental Orders or Regulations, and any other orders or regulations issued from time to time by the Government.

3. *Terms of Engagement.*—(i) In the case of appointments to the non-pensionable establishment (excluding those on daily rates of pay) appointees will be required to contribute 5 per cent. of their salary to the Public Service Provident Fund, and they will be allowed to contribute at their option a further 5 per cent. The Government contribution in either case will be equal to 7½ per cent. of the salary paid in at the close of each financial year.

(ii) Appointees may be required to furnish security in terms of the Public Officers (Security) Ordinance, if so required by the Head of their Department.

(iii) Appointees other than those already in the Public Service will be required to pass a medical examination by a Government Medical Officer as to their physical fitness to serve in any part of the Island.

4. *New Entrants to the Public Service.*—(i) The period of probation/trial of New-Entrants Officers

appointed to pensionable posts/non-pensionable posts, as the case may be, shall be three years, unless a longer period is prescribed in respect of any posts.

(ii) All New-Entrant Officers must subscribe to the condition that they will conform to the provisions of the Official Language Act, No. 33 of 1956 and any laws and rules that now exists or may be introduced in the future for giving effect to the language Policy of the Government.

(iii) (a) They should acquire a working knowledge of the Official Language—Sinhala—during their period of probation/trial except in exceptional cases where it is not essential for the efficiency discharge of their duties.

(b) Their confirmation, at the expiry of the period of probation/trial, will depend *inter alia*, on their passing within specified periods of time prescribed proficiency tests in Sinhala leading up to a level not higher than the J. S. C. Standard. Failure to pass these proficiency tests within the prescribed period will result in the non-payment of the increments falling due, until the tests are passed. The services of those officers who do not reach the requisite standard of proficiency in Sinhala by the end of their period of probation/trial will be liable to be terminated.

Note.—Those who qualify for entry into the Public Service through the Sinhala medium will be exempted from passing these proficiency tests in Sinhala as a pre-requisite for confirmation.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

ALL notices to be published in Part I Section (IIA) and (IIB) of the Weekly Gazette of Sri Lanka will be accepted till 12.0 noon on the Wednesday previous to the week of publication. Notices received after the scheduled time and date will not be accepted under any circumstances.

L. W. P. PEIRIS,
Government Printer.

Department of Government Printing,
Colombo, December 15, 1972.

5. Qualifications Required.—(i) Every applicant must furnish satisfactory proof that he is a Ceylonese. A "Ceylonese" is a citizen of Ceylon by descent or by registration.

(ii) A candidate for any posts for which the minimum educational qualification prescribed is a pass in the Senior School Certificate examination or equivalent or higher examination shall have a pass in the Sinhala Language or its equivalent obtained at the Senior School Certificate examination or its equivalent if he is a Sinhalese, educated in the Sinhala medium. (This requirement will not apply to those officers who are in the Public Service from a date prior to January 1, 1961, and who seek appointment to other posts in the Public Service.)

6. War Service Concession.—Provided they are qualified in all other respects, ex-Servicemen of Her Majesty's Fighting Forces and full-time members of the Auxiliary Fire, Air Raid Precautions and Civil Defence Services (excluding those who had left these Services of their own accord) will be allowed to deduct periods of such service commencing from September 3, 1939, at the earliest, and up to December 31, 1949, at the latest from their ages for purposes of eligibility alone provided that they joined the Forces before August 15, 1945, and that such service was satisfactory and continuous.

7. Other Requirements.—(i) Applications from officers of the Public Service who are qualified must be forwarded through the Heads of their respective Departments. Every such officer applying for a post advertised by the Secretary, Public Service Commission, must, however, notify the date of despatch by him

of his application, direct to the Secretary, Public Service Commission, on the printed Post Card (marked "B") provided for that purpose to reach him on or before the closing date. In the case of applications from officers holding permanent posts in the Public Service, the Heads of Departments should in forwarding the application, state whether or not they are prepared to release the applicant (if selected) in accordance with Administrative Regulation 100 of the Manual of Procedure.

(ii) Candidates may be required to present themselves for interview at an appointed time and place. No travelling or other expenses will be paid in this connection.

(iii) Anyone desiring to recommend a candidate should do so by giving a testimonial. Any form of canvassing or attempt to influence the selection of a candidate will disqualify such candidate.

(iv) 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.

(v) Applications not conforming in every respect with the requirements of the advertisement will be rejected.

8. Definition of Salary for the Purpose of Eligibility.—Salary for purposes of eligibility means only the basic substantive salary and does not include any acting salary, allowance, &c.

**POST OF REGISTRAR OF MARRIAGES (GENERAL)
COLOMBO (RATMALANA-WEST) DIVISION IN
COLOMBO DISTRICT**

APPLICATIONS are invited from either sex for the above mentioned post from permanent residents of the area of Ratmalana-West or from persons, who, having settled down or taken up residence therein, have acquired sufficient interest and influence within it. Applicants should be not less than 21 years of age on the date on which applications close. This age limit does not apply to applicants already in Government Service.

2. Further details with regard to educational and other qualifications, etc., could be obtained from the notices exhibited in this office and in public places and offices within the division such as office of the D. R. O.,

Grama Sevakas, Local Government Bodies, Rural Courts, Post Offices, Police Stations, Community Centres, Public Markets and Co-operative Societies, etc.

3. All applications should be on the prescribed form obtainable from this office and should be sent by registered post to reach me on or before 24th February 1973.

M. B. DISSANAYAKE,
Additional District Registrar
for District Registrar.

District Registrar's Office,
Colombo.
1st. January, 1973
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**POST OF REGISTRAR OF MUSLIM MARRIAGES
(DEMATAGODA) COLOMBO DIVISION IN
COLOMBO DISTRICT**

APPLICATIONS are invited from married male Muslims whose wives are living for the above-mentioned post from permanent residents of the Colombo Division or from persons who, having settled down or taken up residence therein, have acquired sufficient interest and influence within it.

2. Further details with regard to other qualifications, etc. could be obtained from the notices exhibited in this office, and in public places and offices within the division such as office of the Divisional Revenue Officer,

Gramasevakas, Local Government Bodies, Rural Courts, Post Offices, Police Stations, Community Centres, Public Markets and Co-operative Societies etc.

3. All applications should be on the prescribed form obtainable from this office and should be sent by registered post to reach me on or before 24th February, 1973.

M. B. DISSANAYAKE,
Additional District Registrar.

District Registrar's Office,
Colombo, 3rd January, 1973.
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**STATE DEVELOPMENT AND CONSTRUCTION
CORPORATION**

Sinhala Steno-Typist Clerks

APPLICATIONS are invited from Nationals of Sri Lanka for posts of Sinhala Steno-Typist Clerks in the service of the Corporation.

Qualifications:—A pass in S.S.C. or pass in 6 subjects at the G.C.E. (Ordinary Level) obtained in not more than 2 sittings, with the competency to type and take down dictation in shorthand.

A working knowledge of Tamil/English and competency in Tamil/English shorthand and Typewriting will be useful. Preference will be given to those with

experience in a Government Department, State Corporation or recognised Mercantile Establishment.

Salary:—Salary will depend on qualifications, experience and the present salary, in the case of those who are already employed; but it will not be less than Rs. 265 per month all inclusive on an incremental salary scale.

Applications giving full particulars regarding experience and qualifications should be sent to reach the Personnel Manager, State Development and Construction Corporation, No. 7, Gregory's Avenue, Colombo 7, on or before the 31st of January, 1973.

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MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

Government of India General Cultural Scholarships,
1973

APPLICATIONS are invited for the award of scholarships offered by the Government of India under the General Cultural Scholarships Scheme for the year 1973 for studies either at post-graduate level or at under-graduate level.

There is no restriction of fields of study at post-graduate level. But in the case of under-graduate studies, applications are restricted to the following fields of study:—

- Category 'A'—1. Architecture
2. Engineering
- Category 'B'—1. Agriculture
2. Food Technology
3. Forestry
4. Textile Technology
5. Pharmacy
6. Home Science
- Category 'C'—1. Medicine
2. Dentistry
3. Veterinary Science
- Category 'D'—1. Music
2. Dancing
3. Community Development & Rural Uplift.

The scholarships are meant for persons of good intellectual promise who may be expected to make a significant contribution to the life of the country on their return after completion of the scholarships.

Applications for under-graduate scholarships will not be entertained from the following:—

- (a) Government servants holding permanent appointments and confirmed in their appointments.
- (b) Employees of Boards, Corporations, Universities and similar Government-aided or sponsored Institutions, holding permanent appointments and confirmed in their appointments.
- (c) Students already following a course of study at any University in Sri Lanka or abroad.

Note 1.—No application from a Government servant will be entertained unless the Head of his/her Department certifies in terms of Treasury Circular No. 514 of 16.5.60 that the training provided by the scholarship is essential in connection with a project and the particulars of such project are indicated as required in that circular.

Note 2.—Applications from employees of Boards, Corporations, Universities and similar Government-aided or sponsored Institutions should be sent through the Heads of respective institutions, who should be requested to complete the certificate in page 27 of the application appropriately, when forwarding the application.

Note 3.—Each applicant should send only one application and should apply only for one course of study.

2. Tenure.—The duration of the scholarships will depend on the particular course selected. Post-graduate scholarships generally be of 2 years' duration, and under-graduate scholarships may be of 4-6 years' duration.

Scholarships are, however, liable to be terminated at any time during the currency of the course at the discretion of the Indian authorities for misconduct, irregularity in attendance, absence without permission of the authorities concerned from College or Hostel or unsatisfactory progress in studies or failure to pass examinations. In such an eventuality, the scholar might be required to return to Ceylon at his/her own expense.

3. Eligibility.—Candidates should—

- (i) be Citizens of Ceylon;
- (ii) be less than 25 years of age on 1.6.73. In the case of post-graduate scholarships, but preference will be given to those between 20 and 22 years. In the case of under-graduate scholarships, candidates should be below 20 years of age on 1.6.73;
- (iii) in the case of post-graduate scholarships—should possess at least a second class degree of a recognised University in subjects relevant to the desired course of study;

(iv) in the case of under-graduate scholarships—

- (a) if applying for a course under category 'A' have passed the G. C. E. (Ordinary Level) Examination at least in 6 subjects at not more than two sittings obtaining the following passes too at those two particular sittings:—
 - (1) Credit pass in Mathematics (Pure, Applied or Advanced);
 - (2) Credit pass in Physics;
 - (3) Credit pass in one and an ordinary pass in the other in Chemistry and English Language;

or

an equivalent examination recognised in India with good gradings.

- (b) if applying for a course under category 'B' have passed the G. C. E. (Ordinary Level) Examination at least in 6 subjects at not more than two sittings obtaining the following passes also at those two particular sittings:—

- (1) Credit pass in Biology or both Botany, Zoology or Physics;
- (2) Credit pass in Chemistry;
- (3) Credit pass in one and an ordinary pass in the other in Physics and Mathematics (Pure, Applied or Advanced);

- (4) A pass in English Language;

or

an equivalent examination recognised in India with good gradings;

- (c) if applying for a course under category 'C' have passed the G.C.E. (Advanced Level) Examination in 3 subjects at one and the same sitting including Chemistry and two subjects out of the following:—

- (1) Botany;
- (2) Zoology;
- (3) Physics;

or

an equivalent examination recognised in India with good gradings.

- (d) if applying for a course under category 'D' applicant should have passed the G.C.E. (O/L) Examination, at least in six subjects at not more than two sittings including the following passes:—

- (1) Credit pass in Sinhala/Tamil Language;
- (2) If applying for "Music"—a credit pass in Music at the G.C.E. (O/L) Examination or a pass in an equivalent or higher examination.

If applying for "Dancing".—The inter-mediate certificate of the Government Music and Dancing Examination/Lanka Gandharva Sabha Certificate or an equivalent or higher certificate.

If applying for Community Development and Rural Uplift.—Should have passed in Geography and Civics. One of these should be a credit pass and the other an ordinary pass. The applicant should furnish two certificates to the effect that he/she is engaged in social and welfare activities.

Note 1.—A candidate who has entered into a Bond or Agreement to serve the Government or in a Board, Corporation, University or other Government-aided or sponsored institution for a specific period shall not be eligible to apply unless by 1.6.73, he/she has served the period specified in the Bond or Agreement and discharged fully the obligations entered into in the Bond or Agreement.

Note 2.—Government servants holding temporary appointments and those holding permanent appointments but not confirmed in their appointments, will similarly not be eligible to apply unless they are prepared to resign their posts in the event of their being selected for awards. Such willingness to resign, should be specifically stated in page 15 (d) of the application.

4. *Terms of Award.*—The scholarships will carry with them the following benefits:—

- (a) Tuition fees, examination fees and all other fees compulsory payable by each student;
- (b) Cost of books, instruments and equipment necessary for the course within the ceiling of Rs. 300 per year for Ph.D., Medical and Engineering course and Rs. 200 per year for others;
- (c) Typing charges at prescribed rates for the thesis, if submitted by the scholar before leaving India within the ceiling fixed in (b) above;
- (d) Study tour expenses at prescribed rates when such tours are certified as necessary for the course;
- (e) Maintenance allowance at Rs. 300 per month to cover the cost of board, lodging, clothing, treatment of minor ailments and other personal expenses, etc.;
- (f) All expenses on medical treatment undergone on the advice of the Medical Officer or the Head of the institution;
- (g) Cost, travel and per diem allowance at prescribed rates to those scholars who attend holiday or youth camps approved by the Government of India;
- (h) Cost of travel at prescribed rates to those scholars who attend Introduction Courses.

(N.B.—Travel expenses to India and back have to be borne by the selected candidates themselves).

Note.—The grant of leave to Government servants selected for these scholarships will be governed by the Treasury and Departmental rules and regulations in force at the time.

5. *Interview.*—Eligible candidates will be required to present themselves for an interview to be held in Colombo at an appointed time and place. No travelling or other expenses connected with this interview will be paid. They should also be prepared to produce at this interview, the originals of their certificates, birth certificate and any other documentary evidence in support of their candidature.

6. *Agreement.*—The selected candidates should, before their departure for India, enter into agreements with the Government of Sri Lanka—

- (a) undertaking among other things to pursue faithfully and diligently the prescribed course of studies and complete it satisfactorily, and to serve the Government of Sri Lanka if so required, for a specific period (to be determined by Government) after completion of the course of studies; and
- (b) undertaking to re-pay to the Government of Sri Lanka the full cost of the Scholarship (i.e., all expenses incurred by the Government of Sri Lanka and the Awarding Agency in connection with the entire scholarship, including in the case of Government servants, salary, allowances fees &c.) in the event of their failure to comply with the terms and conditions of their Agreement.

7. *Medical Examination.*—Selected candidates will be required to pass a medical examination, by a Special Medical Board appointed by the Government, as to their physical and mental fitness to undertake a course of studies in India.

8. The study proposed will not, in the case of Government servants, entitle them to enhance emoluments or enhance their promotion prospects. In the case of others, the Government will not undertake to provide employment on their return after completion of the scholarship.

9. Any statement in the application which is found to be incorrect will render the applicant liable to disqualification, if the inaccuracy is discovered before selection, and to withdrawal of the award if discovered after selection.

10. A successful candidate who after selection declines to be nominated or after nomination declines to accept an award, will be debarred from any other scholarship award for a period of two years.

11. It should be clearly understood that nomination by the Sri Lanka authorities should not be treated by any applicant as acceptance of his case for an award, because acceptance is a matter entirely within the discretion of the awarding agencies to whom nominations are forwarded.

12. Any form of canvassing or attempt to influence the selection of a candidate will disqualify such candidate.

13. Applications not conforming in every respect with the requirements of this advertisement and the instructions printed on the application form will be rejected.

14. Applications which should be made on a special form to be obtained from this office, should be sent addressed to the Secretary to the Ministry of Education, Malay Street, Colombo 2, to reach him on or before 26.1.73. Late applications will not be entertained.

15. A stamp fee of Rs. 10 is payable in respect of each application. Stamps to the value of Rs. 10 should be affixed in the cage provided for the purpose on the first page of the application form, and cancelled by the signature of the applicant. The stamp fee will not be refunded under any circumstance.

16. Applicants already in Government service should send their applications through the Heads of their Departments; and those attached to Boards, Corporations, Universities and similar Government-aided or sponsored institutions, through the Heads of respective institutions. This requirement will apply even if the applicant is prepared to resign. Officers under the Ministry of Education should send their applications through the respective Regional Directors of Education.

17. All applications will be acknowledged and any applicant who does not receive an acknowledgment within 7 days of the closing date should at once notify the Secretary to the Ministry of Education. Failure to do so will deprive the applicant of any claim for consideration.

Secretary to the Ministry of Education.

Ministry of Education,
Malay Street,
Colombo 2, 29.12.1972.

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POST OF SUB-POSTMASTER, "NEGOMBO BAZAAR"
"B" Grade Sub-Post Office

APPLICATIONS are invited for appointment of a Sub-Postmaster to the Negombo Bazaar "B" Grade Sub-Post Office which is to be opened within the Negombo Municipal Council limits. The minimum monthly allowance paid to this post is Rs. 50.

2. Applicants both male and female should be Ceylonese over 21 years and under 45 years of age on 20.2.1973.

3. Applicants should be permanent residents within the Municipal Council area for a period of 10 years or more. Preference will be given to applicants who are residing in the ward in which the Sub-Post Office will be opened or in the adjoining wards.

4. Applicants should have passed the Senior School Certificate/General Certificate of Education (Ordinary Level) Examination in at least three subjects including

Sinhala/Tamil Language and Arithmetic/Pure Mathematics/Commercial Arithmetic/Advanced Mathematics/Applied Mathematics/Accountancy.

5. A building free of rent suitable for housing the "Negombo Bazaar" Sub-Post Office, should be furnished by the applicants.

6. Printed forms of application which can be obtained from the Divisional Superintendent of Post Offices, Colombo North Division, Building No. 5, Echelon Square, Colombo 1, should be perfected and forwarded to reach him on or before 20.2.1973.

7. Further particulars, if necessary, can be obtained from the Divisional Superintendent of Post Offices.

C. J. SERASINGHE,
Acting Postmaster-General and
Director of Telecommunications.

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AUDITOR-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Post of Senior Deputy Auditor-General

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of Senior Deputy Auditor General in the Auditor-General's Department. Applications which should be as per specimen form appended to this notification, should be addressed to the Auditor General, Audit Office, Colombo 7, and should be forwarded under registered post to reach him on or before the following dates:—

- (a) Local Applications : February 14, 1973 ;
- (b) Overseas Applications : February 21, 1973.

The top left-hand corner of the envelope must be clearly marked "Post of Senior Deputy Auditor General."

Note.—(i) No allegation that an application form has been lost or delayed in the post can be considered. Candidates who delay their applications until the last day will do so at their own risk.

(ii) Overseas candidates may forward the form of application within the prescribed time, if they so desire, to the Office of the Sri Lanka (Ceylon) Representative abroad assigned to or nearest to the country of their residence for transmission to the Auditor General.

(iii) *Medical Examination and Passages.*—Ceylonese Officers selected abroad for appointment under the Republic of Sri Lanka (Ceylon) will be required to present themselves for examination to approved Medical practitioners with a view to it being ascertained whether they are physically fit for service. The fee for such examination as well as the cost of their passage expenses to Sri Lanka shall be paid by the Officers themselves.

2. *Terms of Employment and Conditions of Service.*—The post is permanent. The appointment will be on a Provident Fund basis. The selected candidate, if not already holding a pensionable appointment, will be required to contribute 6% of his salary to the Public Service Provident Fund. The Government contribution will be 9% of the salary.

If the selected candidate is already holding a pensionable appointment in the Public Service on the date of appointment he will continue to enjoy pensionable status.

The selected candidate, if not already in the Public Service, will be appointed on probation for a period of three years, in the first instance. If the selected candidate is holding a permanent and pensionable appointment in the Public Service, his appointment will, in the first instance, be in an acting capacity for a period of one year.

3. *Salary and Allowances.*—Either—

- (a) consolidated salary on the scale Rs. 20,040—2x600—Rs. 21,240 per annum plus married allowance, on a permanent basis ; or
- (b) Corporation Officer on secondment on their Corporation salaries together with an allowance ; or
- (c) Contract Officer on a non-pensionable basis engaged for a period not exceeding 3 years in the first instance on the scale Rs. 2,000—50—Rs. 2,500 per mensem.

Note.—The selected candidate may, in consultation with the Director of Establishments, be placed at an appropriate point in the above salary scales depending on his qualifications and experience.

4. *Qualifications required.*—Every candidate must furnish satisfactory proof that he—

- (a) is of excellent moral character and physically sound ;
- (b) is not more than 45 years of age on December 7, 1972; (This age limit does not apply to candidates already holding appointments in the Public Service).
- (c) (i) is an Associate Member of the Institute of Chartered Accounts of Ceylon ; or
- (ii) is an Associate Member of the Institute of Cost and Management Accountants ; or
- (iii) is an Associate Member of the Association of Certified and Corporate Accountants ; and
- (iv) has at least 10 years' experience in accounting/financial management and/or auditing after obtaining the membership of the professional bodies mentioned above.

Note.—(a) In the case of candidates already holding appointments in the Public Service (other than members of the Ceylon Audit Service) or Corporation Service, the period of post-professional qualification experience will be 8 years where such candidates possess at least 10 years' experience in staff rank ;

(b) In the case of candidates who are members of the Ceylon Audit Service, the period of post-professional qualification experience will be 6 years where they possess at least 10 years' experience in staff rank in the Audit Department.

5. Candidates will be required to produce any or all of the following documents when called upon to do so:—

- (a) certificate of registration of birth. (*N.B.*—Baptismal certificates or certificates of birth issued for the purpose of the Code of Regulations for Assisted Schools will not be accepted.);
- (b) certificates of professional and other qualifications ;
- (c) certificates in regard to post-professional qualification experience (only in the case of candidates who are in employment in the Private Sector) ;
- (d) two recent testimonials as to character.
- (e) certificate of highest examination passed in Sinhala, Tamil and English.

Note.—(i) No documents or copies of documents should be attached to the application form.

(ii) Applications of candidates who fail to produce documents when requested to do so will not be considered.

6. Applications from officers in the Public Service must be forwarded through their Heads of Departments.

A copy of the application should be sent to the Auditor-General direct, before the closing date.

7. Applications and any other communications relating thereto must be addressed to the Auditor-General and NOT personally to any officer in the Department.

8. Reference is invited to the general conditions applicable to appointments to posts in the Public Service published at the beginning of Part I, Section (II) of this *Gazette*.

9. The receipt of applications will be notified to the candidates within three weeks commencing from the closing date. If an acknowledgement is not received it should, immediately be notified to the Auditor-General, Audit Office, Colombo 7.

P. M. W. WIJESURIYA,
Auditor-General.

Audit Office,
Colombo 7, 3rd January 1973.

**SPECIMEN FORM OF APPLICATION
AUDITOR-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT
POST OF SENIOR DEPUTY AUDITOR-GENERAL**

No. :
(For office use only)

1. Name in full : _____
(In block letters—underline Surname)
2. Postal Address : _____
3. (a) Date of birth :—
Year : _____ Month : _____ Date : _____
(b) Age on 1972.12.07 :—
Years : _____ Months : _____ Days : _____
4. Nationality :—
(a) whether a Citizen of Sri Lanka (Ceylon) by descent or by registration : _____
(b) If a Citizen of Sri Lanka (Ceylon) by descent, state place of birth of : _____
(i) Applicant : _____
(ii) Applicant's father : _____
(iii) Applicant's paternal grandfather : _____
(iv) Applicant's paternal great grandfather : _____
5. Academic/Educational Qualifications :—

Examination/Degree	Year	Subjects

6. Professional Qualifications :—

Details	Date of obtaining such qualifications

7. Particulars of present post :—

- (a) Post :—
- (b) Department/Institution :—
- (c) Date of appointment :—
- (d) Whether permanent/Pensionable, temporary or on contract basis :—
- (e) Whether confirmed in the post :—
- (f) Annual salary scale :—
- (g) Present annual salary :—

8. Particulars of employment since obtaining professional qualifications :—

Post & Nature of duties	Department/Institution	From	To	Annual Salary

9. Highest examination passed in —
Sinhala :—, Tamil :—, English :—

10. Names and addresses of two referees :—
(i) —
(ii) —

11. Any further particulars :—

I do hereby certify that the particulars furnished by me in this application are true and accurate. I am also aware that if any particulars contained herein are found to be false or inaccurate, I am liable to disqualification if the discrepancy is discovered before selection and to dismissal without any compensation if detected after the appointment.

Date :— Signature of Applicant.
Report of the Head of the Department, if the candidate is in the Public Service :—
Date :— Signature of the Head of Department/Ministry.
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MILK BOARD

Posts of Technical Assistants—Grade V

APPLICATIONS are invited from citizens of Sri Lanka for the above mentioned posts in the Boards Service. Applications which should be substantially in the form given below, should reach the undersigned on or before 1973.2.3.

2. Salary.—Rs. 600—3 × 25— Rs. 800 per month (all inclusive).

3. Qualifications.—Every applicant must furnish satisfactory proof that he—

- (a) is not less than 25 years and not more than 40 years of age on 1973.2.3;
- (b) is of excellent moral character and physically sound;
- (c) Possesses—
 - (1) Diploma in Mechanical or Electrical Engineering, or
 - (2) Junior Technical Officers' Course Parts I & II; or
 - (3) Engineering Apprentices Day Course Parts I & II, or
 - (4) Any other qualifications equivalent to the above; and

- 1. At least three years' practical experience in Mechanical and/or Refrigeration Engineering AND
- 2. At least one year's experience in a supervisory capacity in Mechanical and/or Refrigeration Engineering work.

Preference will be given to candidates who have served in a recognised factory. Experience in any of the following fields will be an advantage :—

- (a) Boilers;
- (b) Refrigeration Plants;
- (c) Electric motor and starter of up to 50 H.P.;
- (d) Pump;
- (e) Heavy Mechanical Plants.

4. Conditions of Service.—(a) An officer of the Public Service, if selected, will be required to relinquish his substantive office in the Public Service before appointment to the post. If he relinquishes such office with the approval of the Government, he will retain the pensionary benefits that have accrued to him at the time of his joining the Board's Service, in terms of Section 48A of the Minute on Pensions. Application from officers in Government Departments and Corporations

will be considered only in terms of Treasury Circular No. 666 of 20th August, 1965. The Heads of Departments or Corporations should specifically state whether the Officer could be released in terms of the above Treasury Circular.

(b) The appointments will, unless the candidates have already been confirmed in the Public Service, be on trial for a period of three years from the date of appointments.

(c) Applicants will be required to subscribe to the conditions in conformity with the provisions of the Official Language Act No. 33 of 1956 and any laws and rules that now exist or may be introduced in the future for giving effect to the Language Policy of the Government.

(d) Confirmation at the end of the period of trial will depend, *inter alia*, on his complying with the Official Language requirements.

5. Terms of Engagement.—The posts are permanent and the selected candidates will be eligible for Provident Fund benefits.

6. Security.—The selected candidates will be required to furnish security.

7. Medical Examination.—The appointees will be required to pass a Medical Examination in a Government Medical Institution before assuming duties.

8. Applicants must attach to their applications copies (NOT ORIGINALS) of—

- (a) Certificates of Registration of Birth. (N.B.—Baptismal certificates or certificates issued for the purpose of the Code of Regulations for Assisted Schools will not be accepted).
- (b) Certificates of the highest academic and professional qualifications obtained.
- (c) Two certificates of character, one of which should be from the Director of Studies, College, Tutor or professor.
- (d) Certificates from previous employers indicating nature of duties performed.

9. Applications or any other communications relating thereto must be addressed to the Chairman, Milk Board and not personally to any officer in the Board's Service.

CHAIRMAN,
Milk Board Headquarters,
P. O. Box 1155,
Narahenpita, Colombo 5.
January 2, 1973.

FORM OF APPLICATION

POSTS OF TECHNICAL ASSISTANTS—GRADE V

Name of the Examination Year passed Particulars of Subjects passed

1. Name in full : _____.
2. Private Address : _____.
3. Date and place of birth of applicant : _____.
(a copy of the birth certificate should be attached.)
4. Place of birth of applicant's father : _____.
5. Highest educational and Professional qualifications : _____
(copies of certificates should be attached.)

6. Knowledge of Sinhala and/or Tamil : _____.
 7. Details of previous experience : _____.
(copies of certificates should be attached.)
- | | | |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| Name the establishment worked | Designation worked | Period worked From To |
| _____ | _____ | _____ |
8. Details of present employment : _____.
- Date : _____ Signature of Applicant.
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DEPARTMENT OF AYURVEDA

Posts of Medical Officers—General Grade—Ayurvedic Hospitals

APPLICATIONS are invited for the posts of Medical Officers—General Grade for Ayurvedic Hospitals in the Department of Ayurveda. Applications should be made on the specimen form shown below and addressed to the Commissioner for Ayurveda, Colombo 8, to reach him on or before 9th February, 1973.

2. Salary Scale.—The consolidated salary scale attached to these posts is Rs. 5,736—8 × 144, 8 × 180 and 6 × 240—Rs. 9,480 per annum with efficiency bars before Rs. 6,780, Rs. 7,500 and Rs. 8,280.

Efficiency Bars :—

- (i) Before confirmation, the officers must get through a departmental test in Financial Regulations, Administrative Regulations, Public Service Commission Rules and Regulations regarding Hospital Administration.
- (ii) Before promotion over Rs. 6,780 the officers must get through a departmental test on the proficiency of a second language.
- (iii) Before promotion over Rs. 7,500 the officers must get through the departmental test on any two of the following subjects on Ayurveda system of medicine. The Commissioner for Ayurveda will decide the subjects relevant to this examination :—
 - (1) Preventive Health and Sanitation (Ayurveda).
 - (2) Panchakarma Chikitsa.
 - (3) Nutrition.
 - (4) Paediatrics.
 - (5) Diagnosis by Pulse.
 - (6) Dentistry.
 - (7) Mental Diseases etc.
- (iv) Before promotion over Rs. 8,280 the officers must qualify themselves in elementary research or gain sufficient reputation in producing books and/or articles on Ayurveda or acquire Post Graduate qualifications.

3. Terms of Engagement and Conditions of Service.—

- (i) The posts are permanent. Contributions are made to the Public Service Provident Fund.
- (ii) The selected candidates will have no right to engage themselves in private practice.

4. Educational and other qualifications.—Every candidate must furnish satisfactory proof that he/she—

- (i) is of excellent moral character and physically sound;
- (ii) is not less than 23 years and not more than 35 years on 09.02.1973. (The upper age limit will not apply to officers already in Government Service).
- (iii) (a) possesses a diploma granted by a recognized Ayurvedic Institution and completed one year's satisfactory training at a hospital of the Department of Ayurveda or should have been in practice over 5 years; OR
(b) is a registered Ayurvedic Physician with not less than 10 years' experience as a general Ayurvedic Practitioner.

5. All applicants should attach to their applications copies of the following certificates (NOT ORIGINALS) :—

- (a) a certificate of registration of birth. (Baptismal certificate or certificate of birth issued for the purpose of the Code of Regulations for Assisted Schools will not be accepted).

(b) Professional and highest educational qualifications :

(c) Two certificates of character recently obtained (candidates who are already in public service will not be required to furnish testimonials under the sub-section).

Note.—Documents attached to applications will not be returned.

Conditions applicable to appointments to posts in the Public Service published at the beginning of Part I: Section (II) of the Government Gazette will apply to these posts.

W. B. WEWEGAMA,
 Commissioner for Ayurveda.

Department of Ayurveda,
 Colombo 8,
 27th December, 1972.

DEPARTMENT OF AYURVEDA

SPECIMEN FORM

POSTS OF MEDICAL OFFICERS—GENERAL GRADE OF AYURVEDIC HOSPITALS

1. Name in Full : _____.
(a) Surname : _____
(in block letters)
(b) Other names : _____.
2. Address : _____.
3. Date and place of birth : _____.
(copy of birth certificate should be attached)
Exact age on 09.02.1973 :—
Years : _____ Months : _____ Days : _____.
4. Whether Ceylonese or not : _____.
(b) Whether Ceylonese by descent or by registration : _____.
5. Highest educational qualifications obtained : _____
(copies of certificates to be attached)
6. If the applicant is a diploma holder, state professional qualifications : _____
(copies of certificates should be attached)
(1) Title of diploma : _____
Section—Ayurveda/Unani/Siddha.
(ii) Year of diploma : _____.
(iii) Class : _____.
(iv) Institution : _____.
7. Registration number and year of registration, in case the applicant is a registered physician : _____.
8. Experience in private practice : _____
(copies of certificates to be attached)
9. If employed under government, state designation of post, date of appointment, date of resignation with cause of resignation : _____.
10. Remarks : _____.

I do hereby certify that the particulars furnished by me in this application are true and accurate. I am also aware that if any particulars contained herein are found to be false or incorrect, I am liable to be disqualified if the inaccuracy is discovered before the selection and to dismissal without any compensation to me if detected after the appointment.

Date : _____ Signature of Applicant.
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REGISTRAR GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Post of Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths, Jaffna
Town West Division, Jaffna

APPLICATIONS for the post of Medical Registrar of Births and Deaths, Jaffna Town West Division, Jaffna, will be received by the District Registrar, Jaffna. Applications should be made substantially in the specimen form set out below so as to reach the District Registrar, Jaffna, on or before 31st January, 1973.

2. *Salary*.—The post carries a fixed consolidated salary of Rs. 5,160 per annum.

3. *Allowances*.—Married Allowance and a Clerical Allowance are payable. A conveyance allowance of Rs. 300 per annum will also be paid.

4. *Terms of Engagement*.—

- (i) The post is permanent and contribution is made to the Public Service Provident Fund.
- (ii) The selected candidate will be appointed on probation for three years.
- (iii) The selected candidate should provide himself/herself with an office with equipment in a central spot within the registration division to the satisfaction of the Registrar-General. An office allowance (the amount of which will be determined after the appointment is made) will be paid.
- (iv) The office hours will be 7 a.m. to 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. on week days except Public Holidays and 7 a.m. to 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Sundays and Public Holidays.
- (v) The selected candidate will be allowed private practice, but he/she should not take part in the affairs of any commercial business or agricultural undertaking or any firm engaged in professional work of any description in Ceylon without the approval of the Registrar-General.

5. *Qualifications*.—All applicants should be—

- (i) citizens of Ceylon (by descent or registration);
- (ii) not less than 25 years or more than 50 years of age on the closing date for applications; and
- (iii) (a) a registered Medical Practitioner or
(b) a Practitioner of Indigenous Medicine registered under the Indigenous Medicine Ordinance (Cap. 106); or
(c) a person holding a certificate of competency issued by the Director of Health Services, under Section 6 (3) of Births and Deaths Registration Act (Cap. 110).

6. *Other Requirements*.—(i) The applicant should furnish satisfactory proof of citizenship when called upon to do so.

(ii) Applications from officers of the public service, who are qualified, must be forwarded through the Heads of their respective Departments. In the case of applications from officers holding permanent posts in the public service the Heads of the Departments concerned should in forwarding the application state whether or not they are prepared to release the applicant (if selected) in accordance with Section I (Cap. V) of the Establishments Code.

(iii) Candidates may be required to present themselves for interview at an appointed time and place. No travelling or other expenses will be paid in this connection.

(iv) The selected candidate, if not already in the Public Service, will be required to pass a medical examination as to his/her physical fitness.

(v) An applicant who is in receipt of a pension from the Government must state the amount of his pension.

(vi) Anyone desiring to recommend a candidate should do so by giving a testimonial. Any form of canvassing or attempt to influence the selection of a candidate will disqualify such candidate.

(vii) 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.

(viii) Applications not conforming in every respect to the requirements of this advertisement will be rejected.

(ix) The appointee will be required to comply with any rules already made or that may hereafter be made for giving effect to the language policy of the Government and in particular for implementing the provisions of the Official Language Act, No. 33 of 1956.

(x) Reference is also invited to the General Conditions applicable to appointments to posts in the Public Service published at the beginning of Part I, Section (II) of the *Government Gazette*.

H. M. Z. FAROUQUE,
Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo 1, 27th December, 1972.

FORM OF APPLICATION FOR THE POST OF MEDICAL
REGISTRAR OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS, JAFFNA TOWN WEST
DIVISION—JAFFNA

1. Name in full and place of residence : _____
(in block letters)
2. (a) Whether a Ceylon citizen and if so, by descent
or registration : _____
(b) Place of birth : _____
3. Date of Birth : _____
4. Married or Single : _____
5. Medical Qualifications : _____
(Date or year of registration as medical practitioner, or the date of certificate of competency issued by the Director of Health Services.)
6. Previous experience of registration work : _____
7. If a Government pensioner, amount of pension and present employment : _____
8. Proficiency in languages : _____
Sinhalese : _____
Tamil : _____
English : _____
9. Names and addresses of two persons of standing from whom copies of testimonials are attached : _____
10. Special qualifications (if any) : _____

I hereby certify that the particulars furnished by me in this application are true and accurate. I am also aware that if any particulars contained herein are found to be false or incorrect, I am liable to disqualification if the inaccuracy is discovered before the selection, and to dismissal without any compensation, if the inaccuracy is discovered after the appointment.

Signature of Applicant.

Date : _____

N.B.—Copies only of certificates (if any) should be attached to the application.

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Reference No. GA/20/166.

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

Post of Technical Assistant, Language Laboratory,
Peradeniya Guru Vidyalaya

APPLICATIONS are invited from those possessing the following qualifications for post of Technical Assistant, Language Laboratory, Peradeniya Guru Vidyalaya in the Ministry of Education. Applications, which should substantially be in this specimen form given below should reach the Secretary, (General Administration Branch), Ministry of Education, Malay Street, Colombo 2, on or before 12.02.1973.

2. *Terms of Engagement and Conditions of Service*.—(i) The post is permanent and non-pensionable. Contributions should be made towards the Public Service Provident Fund.

(ii) If the appointee is a new entrant to the Public Service in so far as the Official Language requirements are concerned the period of probation shall be three years.

(iii) If a permanent officer in the Public Service is selected he will be appointed acting, for a specified period.

(iv) The appointee should serve in any part of the island.

(v) Recruitment is by interview and practical test.

3. *Salary and allowances*.—The consolidated salary scale attached to the post is Rs. 3,864 per annum rising to Rs. 6,456 by 18 annual increments of Rs. 144 with an efficiency bar before the annual consolidated salary of Rs. 5,304.

Note.—The corresponding salary scale that existed prior to 1.10.1969 was Rs. 1,620—120—3,780 with efficiency bar before the annual salary Rs. 2,820..

4. *Qualifications.*—(i) Should not be more than 35 years of age on the closing date of applications. (The upper age limit will not apply in the case of those in Government Service).

(ii) Is of excellent moral character and physically sound.

(iii) Should have passed the General Certificate of Education, (Ordinary Level) Examination in six subjects including Chemistry, Physics and Mathematics (Pure or Applied) or the Senior School Certificate Examination with Chemistry, Physics and Mathematics (Pure or Applied) or higher examination.

(iv) Should have at least three years experience in the manipulation and general maintenance of tape-recording equipment. Knowledge of studio recording will be preferred.

(v) Should possess knowledge/experience of repairing electrical/electronic equipment and ability in the use of test equipment.

Additional Qualifications.—Preference will be given to applicants with additional qualifications such as —

(1) experience in the manipulation of projector equipment specially pertaining to 16 mm. Sound Films and 35mm. Films ; and

(2) use of photographic cameras of various description, taking of photostat copies of documents and darkroom procedure connected with the enlarging of photos.

5. Every applicant should be ready to produce one or more of the following documents when called upon to do so :—

- (a) Senior School Certificate or the General Certificate of Education,
- (b) Certificates mentioned in sub-paras 4 (iv) and (v),
- (c) Certificate of highest examination passed in Sinhala,
- (d) Birth Certificate.

Note.—(i) Documents or copies of documents should not be attached to the application ;

(ii) Applications of those who fail to produce documents when required to do so will not be considered.

6. Applicants should forward their applications through the Heads of their respective Departments/Institutions. Any such applications received after the prescribed date will not be entertained unless they have been received by the Heads of the Departments/Institutions before the prescribed date and the Heads of Departments/Institutions concerned recommend acceptance adducing valid reasons for the delay.

7. Reference is invited to the general conditions applicable to appointments to posts in the Public Service published at the beginning of Part I : Section (IIA) of this *Gazette*

8. Applications will be acknowledged. Any applicant who does not receive an acknowledgement within twenty-one days of the closing date should at once notify the Secretary, Ministry of Education. Failure to comply with this provision will deprive the applicant of any claim for consideration.

PREMADASA UDAGAMA,
Secretary,
Ministry of Education.

The General Administration Branch,
Ministry of Education,
Malay Street,
Colombo 2,
12.01.1973.

No. GA/20/166

SPECIMEN APPLICATION FORM

1. Name in full (in block capitals) : _____
2. Permanent Postal Address : _____
3. Home Station : _____
4. Exact age on the closing date of applications : _____
5. Place of birth—
(a) Applicant : _____
(b) Applicant's father : _____
(c) Applicant's paternal grandfather : _____
(d) Applicant's paternal great grandfather : _____
6. Whether Ceylonese by descent or by registration : _____

7. Educational Qualifications—

(i) General : _____

(ii) Particulars of Professional and/or Technical certificates : _____

(iii) Particulars of the highest examination passed in Sinhala/Tamil : _____

8. Particulars of service under sub-para (iv) and (v) in para 4 :—

Post	Institutions served	Period of service

9. Whether single, married or widower : _____

10. State whether you have been convicted of any criminal offence in a Court of Law, if so give details : _____

(a) Date : _____

(b) Case No. : _____

(c) Nature of the offence : _____

11. Are you free from pecuniary embarrassment ; if not, what is the extent of your commitments : _____

12. Whether any disciplinary action has been taken against you if so give particulars : _____

13. If Ex-Servicemen, state particulars of (a) Unit (b) Rank (c) Date of recruitment and date of release : _____

14. Particulars of employment since leaving school :—

(i) Post held : _____

(ii) Period of employment : _____

(iii) Cause of leaving : _____

15. If the applicant was employed permanently or temporarily under government or local government institutions, and if the services were terminated, sometime or other :—

(a) Particulars of such employments : _____

(b) Period of Service : _____

(c) Reasons for termination of service : _____

16. Present Employment :—

(i) Name of Institution : _____

(ii) Post and Grade : _____

(iii) Date of appointment to the post : _____

(iv) Whether pensionable, temporary or casual : _____

(v) Present salary excluding allowances and salary scale : _____

(vi) Date of next increment : _____

17. Any other particulars : _____

18. I hereby certify that the particulars furnished by me in this application are true and accurate. I am also aware that if any particulars contained herein are found to be false or incorrect I am liable to disqualification if the inaccuracy is discovered before selection and to dismissal without compensation if it is detected after the appointment.

Date : _____

Signature of Applicant.

CERTIFICATE OF THE HEAD OF DEPARTMENT/INSTITUTION

My No.

Your No.: GA /20/166

S.F.

This application was received in this office before/after* the closing date of applications.

I certify that the particulars given in paras are correct/* subject to the following amendments and forwarded here with.

Date : _____ Signature of Head of Department/Institution.

(Delete whatever is inapplicable).

**SRI LANKA STATE TRADING (TEXTILES)
CORPORATION—SALU SALA**

Post of Quality Controller (Textiles)

APPLICATIONS are invited from citizens of Sri Lanka for the above post.

Qualifications :

Educational.—A Bachelors Degree in Science with Chemistry or Physics or Double Mathematics.

Applicants should also have one or more of the following Professional qualifications :—

- (a) Be an Associate of the Textile Institute of England ; or
- (b) Possess a Bachelors Degree in Textiles of a recognised University with 3 years' experience ; or
- (c) Possess the V. J. T. I. or an equivalent Diploma with 6 years' experience ;
- (d) Knowledge and/or experience in the Marketing of Textiles will be an added qualification.

Age :

Not less than 30 years and not more than 45 years on 25th January, 1973.

Salary Scale.—Rs. 900 — 7 × 50—Rs. 1,250 (all inclusive) per month.

Those with additional qualifications and experience may be placed on a suitable point in the above scale.

Applicants should give full particulars of their age, Educational and Professional qualifications, employment since leaving School, and experience and forward only copies (not originals) of the Certificates and Testimonials.

Applicants who are already in Government Service, State Corporations or Boards should forward their applications through their respective Heads.

The selected candidate will be required to comply with any rules already made and may be made hereafter in giving effect to the Language Policy of the Government and in particular for implementing the provisions of the Official Language Act No. 33 of 1956.

Applications should be sent under Registered cover to reach the undersigned on or before 25th January, 1973.

Sri Lanka State Trading (Textiles)
Corporation—Salu Sala,
93, Jawatte Road,
Colombo 5.

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CHAIRMAN.

**APPOINTMENT OF AN INQUIRER INTO SUDDEN
DEATHS, FOUR GRAVETS DIVISION IN
MATARA DISTRICT**

APPLICATIONS are invited from suitable applicants resident in Madiha-Godagama Village Committee, Matara Urban Council or Nivimana-Makaviata Village Committee and possessing the qualifications stipulated below :—

Application forms obtainable from this office or from the Divisional Assistant Government Agent's Office, Wellabada Pattu (West) and Four Gravets should be suitably filled in, together with copies of certificates and forwarded by registered post to reach the following address on or before 25th January, 1973. Receipt of applications will not be acknowledged.

1. **Address.**—The Government Agent, Kachcheri, Matara.

2. Eligibility :

- (a) Should not be under 30 years of age or over 60 years of age on 25th January, 1973.
- (b) Be of exemplary character and physically sound.
- (c) Be permanent residents of the area mentioned above.
- (d) Has passed either—
 - (i) The School Leaving Certificate Examination during 1925 to 1944 or the J.S.C. Examination conducted by the Department of Education with Sinhala Language as a subject

OR

- (ii) the Senior School Certificate Examination or a higher examination with Sinhala Language as a subject.

- (e) Should not be an employee of the Government, Corporation or Local Authority.
- (f) Should not be a member of a Local Authority.

3. Copies of the following Certificates should be forwarded with the application :—

- (a) Certificate of Birth.
- (b) Certificates of the highest educational qualifications.
- (c) Two copies of character certificates (recently obtained) one of which should be from the Grama Sewaka.
- (d) Grama Sewaka Certificate regarding permanent residence (this should be forwarded through the Divisional Assistant Government Agent).

4. Affidavit sworn by the applicant declaring that the information given in the application are true and that he is not indebted, should be attached to the application.

5. Applications should be filled in by the applicant's own handwriting.

6. Applicants will be required to present themselves for an interview. Travelling or other expenses will not be paid in connection with this interview.

GARVIN KARUNARATNA,
Government Agent, Matara District.

The Kachcheri,
Matara, 26th December, 1972.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING PUBLICATION OF GAZETTE

THE Weekly issue of the *Gazette of the Republic of Sri Lanka (Ceylon)* is normally published on Fridays. If a Friday happens to be a Public Holiday the *Gazette* is published on the working day immediately preceding the Friday. Thus the last date specified for the receipt of notices for publication in the *Gazette* also varies depending on the incidence of public holidays in the week concerned.

The Schedule below shows the dates of publication and the latest time by which notices should be received for publication in the respective weekly *Gazette*. All notices received out of times specified below will not be published. Such notices will be returned to the sender by post for necessary amendment and return if publication is desired in a subsequent issue of the *Gazette*. It will be in the interest of all concerned if those desirous of ensuring the timely publication of notices in the *Gazette* make it a point to see that sufficient time is allowed for postal transmission of notices to the Government Press.

The Government Printer does not accept payments of subscriptions for the Government Gazette. Payments should be made direct to the Superintendent, Government Publications Bureau, P. O. Box 500, Secretariat, Colombo 1.

Note.—Payments for inserting Notices in the *Gazette of the Republic of Sri Lanka (Ceylon)* will be received by the Government Printer and not by the Superintendent, Government Publications Bureau.

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L. W. P. PEIRIS,
Government Printer.

Department of Government Printing,
Colombo, August 18, 1972.