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#### IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING ACCEPTANCE OF NOTICES FOR PUBLICATION IN THE WEEKLY "GAZETTE"

ATTENTION is drawn to the Notification appearing in the 1st week of every month, regarding the latest dates and times of acceptance of Notices for publication in the weekly *Gazettes*, at the end of every weekly *Gazette* of Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka.

All notices to be published in the weekly *Gazettes* shall close at 12.00 noon of each Friday, two weeks before the date of publication. All Government Departments, corporations, Boards, etc. are hereby advised that Notifications fixing closing dates and times of applications in respect of Post-Vacancies, Examinations, Tender Notices and dates and times of Auction Sales, etc. should be prepared by giving adequate time both from the date of despatch of notices to Govt. Press and from the date of publication, thereby enabling those interested in the contents of such notices to actively and positively participate please note that inquiries and complaints made in respect of corrections pertaining to notification will not be entertained after **three months** from the date of publication.

All notices to be published in the weekly *Gazettes* should reach Government Press two weeks before the date of publication *i.e.* Notices for publication in the weekly *Gazette* of 23rd September, 2011 should reach Government Press on or before 12.00 noon on 09th September, 2011.

LAKSHMAN GOONEWARDENA, Government Printer.

Department of Govt. Printing, Colombo 08, January 01, 2011.

#### 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 :---

- Suspension from the whole or part of the examination or one (i)
- 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

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- (iii) Department 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

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.

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 dispersed intentions

authonest 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. It 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 externet to check

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

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 namers should be brought into the Examination Hall Breach of this rule. 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

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 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.

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

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 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 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 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.
(ii) When you should read carefully the instructions given at the head of paper your has the name of the examinatio

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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 serveral 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. (xi) 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.

your hand **COMMISSIONER GENERAL OF EXAMINATIONS,** 

Department of Examinations, Pelawatta, Battaramulla.

### Examinations, Results of Examinations &c.

#### MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

#### Selection of Candidates to follow the full time (Internal) Course of Post Graduate Diploma in Education in Academic Year - 2012

APPLICATIONS are invited for selection for the study of one year full time (Internal) Post Graduate Diploma Course during the academic year 2012.

02. This course will be held in Colombo, Peradeniya and Jaffna Universities.

03. Language medium conducted in each university are indicated below :

University of Colombo - Sinhala Medium and Tamil Medium University of Peradeniya - Sinhala Medium University of Jaffna - Tamil Medium

Applications for the course can be made only in one medium.

04. Every candidates should establish that he/she is holding the following qualifications :

- (i) Should be a citizen of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka.
- (ii) Should not be more than 50 years of age as on 16.10.2011.
- (iii) Should be physically and mentally in good health and having a good character.
- (iv) Should be a graduate from a recognized University.
- (v) Should have obtained a permanent appointment and serving in a relevant post belonging to the following services :
  - (a) Sri Lanka teacher's service.
    - Sri Lanka private school teacher's service.
    - Sri Lanka Parivenacharya service
  - (b) Sri Lanka Principal's Service.
  - (c) Sri Lanka Educational Administrative Service.
  - (d) Sri Lanka Teacher Educators' Service.
- (vi) Should have completed service for a period of one year in a post in the services indicated at Para. 04(v) as on 16.10.2011 after obtaining the Degree.

#### Note.-

1. Teachers who are on study leave and serving under a bond will be qualified to apply only if they have completed the compulsory period of service indicated in the bonds as on 16.10.2011 or have completed at least five (5) years out of the period. 2. Those having Bachelor of Education Degree will not be eligible to apply for the study of this course.

#### 5.1 Method of Selection :

- (i) Every candidate should appear for a written examination.
- (ii) Candidates will be called for the interview according to the order of marks obtained by them at the written examination and the number to be called for the interview will be three times the number of candidates to be admitted for the course.
- (iii) Marks will be allocated at the interview for the period of service in the post of the service the candidate is belonging to indicated at 4(v) in the *Gazette* Notification. Marks will be allocated at the rate of 04 marks for each year of service; maximum number of marks granted will be 40. Period of service of a candidate will be calculated from the date he/she assumed duties in the post.
- (iv) The total of the marks obtained at the written examination and the marks for the period of service will be treated as the final marks and the selection for the course will be made according to the order of such marks.
- (v) If disabled candidates have applied for the course 1% of the number of candidates selected will be reserved for them.
- (vi) The number of candidates to be selected for the course will be decided according to the accommodation available in each university.

#### 5.2 Written Examination :

- (i) The written examination for selection conducted by the Commissioner General of Examinations will be held in Sinhala and Tamil Languages in Colombo and Jaffna.
- (ii) Candidates may appear for the examination at once of the two centers indicated above preferred by them and in a medium they prefer.
- (iii) Candidates should act in accordance with the rules and regulations published by the Commissioner General of Examinations relating to the examination.
- (iv) Written examination will consist of two question papers :
  - (a) General Knowledge.- Question Paper on Current Affairs, General Knowledge, Educational Information and problems (Time 01 hour);
  - (b) Aptitude Test.- Question Paper on Language ability, Comprehension, Logic, Arithmetical Skills (Time 01 hour 30 minutes).

#### 5.3 Interview :

- (i) At the interview candidates should establish that they are qualified to follow the course under Para. 04 in the *Gazette* Notification.
- (ii) Candidates should submit to the Interview Board the documents required to establish their period of service in the post/posts relevant at Para. 4(v) in the *Gazette* Notification. Specially the date of assuming duties in the Post should be established at the interview. It will be helpful for the candidate in obtaining the marks assigned for the period of service.
- (iii) Teachers who apply for the course from Pirivenas and approved Private Schools should submit a statement at interview obtained from the Manager/Administrative Board Manager certified by him as follows :-
  - (a) That the teacher will be released for the course ;
  - (b) That salaries will be paid to the teachers during the period of study of the course ;
  - (c) That the teacher will be re-deployed at the end of the course ;
  - (d) That a request will not be made for a substitute teacher;
  - (*e*) That the duties of the teacher will be distributed among the approved teaching staff of the school.
- 06. Method for submission of applications :
  - (i) Applications should be prepared by using both sides of A4 size Paper in conformity with the given specimen form.
  - (ii) Regarding applications made for candidates who are visually impaired/hearing impaired/having other special needs the words "An applicant visually impaired/hearing imparied/having other special needs" should be written in red on the top left hand corner of such applications.
  - (iii) Payment of Examination Fees.– As examination fees a sum of Rs. 750 should be paid at the nearest post office and the receipt obtained should be affixed in the cage provided for in the application. Post Master General has been notified by the Commissioner General of Examinations to make provisions for the issue of this receipt at all post offices from 16.09.2011 up to 16.10.2011.
  - (iv) Submission of Applications :
    - (a) The words "Post Graduate Diploma in Education (Internal) Course 2012" should be written on the top left hand corner of the envelope enclosing the application.
    - (b) Applications should be sent under registered post to be received on or before 16.10.2011 addressed to

Commissioner General of Examinations, Department of Examinations, Evaluation and Testing Service, Pelawatta, Battaramulla.

- (c) A copy of the application should be handed over to the personal file of the applicant. If the applicant is selected to follow the course it will be usefull to obtain study leave.
- (v) Time table and the Admission Cards will be posted to the candidates and if any candidate does not receive his Admission Card at least 07 days before the date of the examination he/she should inform accordingly to the Commissioner General of Examinations, Department of Examinations, Pelawatta, Battaramulla along with the following information :-
  - (a) Name of Examination;
  - (b) Candidate's name in full;
  - (c) Address ;
  - (d) Post office where fees were paid and receipt No.;
  - (e) Date of posting the application ;
  - (f) Post office of posting the application and Receipt No.
- (vi) Refund of examination fees or transfer of fees for any other examination will not be made for any reason whatsoever.
- (vii) Incomplete applications will be rejected without any notification.
- (viii) Every candidate should establish his identity at the written examination by a valid identity card.
  - (ix) It will not be allowed to change the university after selecting candidates for a particular university for following the course.
  - (x) Even after the selection, if it is revealed that a particular candidate has not fulfilled the requirements according to the *Gazette* Notification the selection of such candidate is liable to be cancelled.

07. *Study Leave.* – Full pay and study leave will be granted to the candidates to follow this course. For this purpose the study leave of officers in Sri Lanka Educational Administrative Service, Sri Lanka Teacher Educators' Service and those serving in the staff of National Schools, Private Schools and Pirivenas will be approved by the Secretary of the Ministry of Education while the approval of study leave of other officers should be made by the Provincial Secretary of Education.

08. *Bond.*– Candidates who are selected for the course should sign a security bond with the Secretary Education/Provincial Director of Education that he/she will after successfully completing this course serve in the Department for a minimum period of three and half (3 1/2) years. When the cost of training is exceeding Rs. 10,000 the compulsory period of service under the Security Bond will be decided

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in accordance with the rules and regulations stipulated in the Establishment Code of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka.

09. If any selected candidate fails to obtain his Diploma Certificate within the stipulated period without successfully completing this course owing to reasons within his control the salaries and allowances paid to him during the period of study leave should be fully recovered from him/her.

10. If the work, conduct and attendance of the students are found to be unsatisfactory during the period of study of the course they will be removed from the course. 11. In the event of any inconsistency between Sinhala and Tamil or English Text of this *Gazette* Notification the Sinhala text shall prevail.

H. M. GUNASEKERA, Secretary, Ministry of Education.

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Ministry of Education, Isurupaya, Pelawatta, Battaramulla, 02nd September, 2011.

#### SPECIMEN APPLICATION FORM

SELECTION OF CANDIDATES TO FOLLOW THE FULL TIME (INTERNAL) COURSE OF POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN EDUCATION - 2012

For office use

Medium applied for	Examination center applied	University applied (Colombo/	
(Sinhala/Tamil)	(Colombo/Jaffna)	Jaffna/Peradeniya)	
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- - (ii) Name in full (in English Capital letters) :------.
- 02. (i) (a) Official address (in English capital letters) :-----. (b) Official Telephone Number :-----.
  - (ii) (a) Private address (in English capital letters) :-----.
    (b) Private Telephone Number :-----.
  - (iii) Location of school/ institute serving (in English capital letters) :------.

Province	District	Zone

(iv) Nature of institute (Govt. school/private school/Pirivena/other) :------

03. (i) Date of birth :

Year :------, Month :------, Date :------.

(ii) Age as on 16.10.2011 : Years :------, Months :-----, Days :-----.

#### 04. Details of Degree :

Degree	Period of study of course in the University (From To)	Year of passing degree	Date of validity of degree	Degree subjects	Nature of the pass (General/ class)	Institute/ University	Degree (Internal/ External)

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- 05. (i) (a) Date of posting to the Sri Lanka Teachers service :-
  - (b) Date of assuming duties in the Sri Lanka Teacher service :-----

 (ii) (a) Date of posting to the Sri Lanka Principles service/Sri Lanka Teacher Educator service/Sri Lanka Education Administrative Service :------.

- (iv) Period of service in a post in Teacher's Service/Sri Lanka Principles service/Teacher Educators Service/Education Administrative Service on 16.10.2011 :-------.
- (v) Current Designation :—

06. Details of Professional Training :

Institute of studying the Course (Teacher's College/			ourse in the Institute
NCOE or other)	in eu)	From	То

#### 07. Details of study leave obtained :

Reason for study leave	Duration of the Bond From To		Balance period ahead for completion of Bond	

Note.- Period of study of the National Diploma in Teaching in a National College of Education will not be treated as study leave .

09.	Receipt obtained for payment of fees to be affixed here	I certify that a sum of Rs. 750 in figures was paid to Post/Sub Post Office :
		Under receipt No. : Dated : Signature of the Candidate :

#### 10. Candidate's Declaration :

I hereby certify that all details indicated in this application are true and correct and I am eligible to study this course under paragraph 04 in *Gazette* Notification dated 16.09.2011 and I will abide by the rules and regulations in the Examination Act for candidates and also I have affixed hereto a valid receipt for payment of the prescribed examination fees.

Candidate's Signature.

Date :-----

11. Recommendation relating to release from this institute for the Course :

(Principal/President NCoE/Manager/Manager Administrative Board or Head of Department) :

If the above candidate is selected for the study of this Course he/she can be released/cannot be released in consideration of the requirement of the study of a Professional Course.

Signature of Principal/Head of Institute and Official Frank.

Date :-----

12. Recommendation of the Zonal Director of Education :

If the above candidate is selected for the study of this course he/she can be released/cannot be released.

Signature of the Zonal Director of Education and Official Frank.

Date :-----

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