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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.

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Examinations, Results of Examinations, & c.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION (NORTH WESTERN PROVINCIAL COUNCIL)

Open Recruitment to the Post of Technical Assistant (Agriculture Extension) -Grade 111 for the Department of Agriculture in the North Western Provincial Council Public Service – 2019

THE approval of the Hon. Governor of North Western Province to call applications from the eligible Sri Lankan males and females who are permanent residents of the North Western Province to be recruited to the Post of Technical Assistant (Agriculture Extension) -Grade 111 for the Department of Agriculture in the North Western Provincial Council Public Service.

It is hereby announced that the above examination will be conducted by the North Western Provincial Council Public Service Commission in September, 2019 at an examination centre established in Kurunegala. The Hon. Governor of North Western Province reserves the right of postponing or cancelling the examination.

01. Salary Scale:

The monthly salary scale applicable to this post according to MT- 1-2016, is Rs. 29,840 – 10 x 300 – 11 x 350 – 10 x 560 – 10 x 660 – Rs. 48,890/= as per the Schedule 1 of the Public Administration Circular No. 03/2016 dated 25.02.2016. is

(However, salaries will be paid according to the Schedule 11 of the said circular until 01-01-2020.)

02. Qualifications:

2.1 Educational Qualifications:

Should have passed 06 subjects including language, Mathematics and Science at the General Certificate of Education (Ordinary Level) Examination, in not more than two sittings;

2.2 Professional Qualifications:

- (i) Should have followed a two years Agriculture Diploma offered by an institute approved by the government.
Or
- (ii) Should have obtained certificate for National Vocational Qualification (NVQ) level 05 in the field of concerned in terms of Public Administration Circular No. 01/2012;
Or
- (iii) Should have obtained a qualification accepted as similar to the above qualifications by Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission and should have obtained a qualification accepted as similar to the above qualifications by Sri Lanka Technical Services Statutory Board.

2.3 Physical Fitness:

Should be mentally and physically fit to serve in any part of North Western Province and to discharge the duties assigned to the post.

2.4 Other :-

- (i) Should be a permanent resident of the North Western Province during the preceding three years to the closing date of application. (Residency should be proved by the electoral register or a Certificate issued by the Divisional Secretary).

- (ii) Applicants should have excellent moral character and good health condition.
- (iii) All educational, professional, and other requirements shall be completed on or before 30.08.2019, the closing date of application.
- (iv) Age should be not less than 18 years and not more than 35 years as at closing date of application.

03. Conditions of Service:-

- 3.1 This post is permanent. The pension scheme applicable to this post will subject to a policy decision taken by the government in the future.
- 3.2 The appointees to this post will subject to probation period of (three) 03 years and will be confirmed at the end of the probation period, if his/her work and conduct is satisfactory, and if the appointee has passed the first Efficiency Bar, and if he/she has satisfied the other requirements needed to be confirmed in the service.
- 3.3 Other than the language qualified for this service the applicant shall acquire the official language/ languages proficiency during the 05 years period since the date of recruitment according to Public Administration Circular No: 01/2014 and the circulars incidental to it.
- 3.4 The appointees shall be liable to the regulations of Establishment Code of Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, Procedural Rules of the North Western Province, Financial Regulations Code and Disciplinary Procedure Code of North Western Province, Departmental orders, Service Minute of North Western Provincial Council Technical Service, and Other orders and regulations issued and will be issued time to time by the government and the North Western Provincial Council, in addition to the regulations assigned by the Scheme of Recruitment and Promotion applicable to this post.

04. Method of Recruitment:-

Recruitment will be made on the results of a written examination conducted by the North Western Provincial Council Public Service Commission. Equal number of applicants to the existing number of vacancies will be summoned to the interview in accordance with the merit order of the total of both subjects of the applicants who have obtained 40% or more for each examination paper prescribed for the examination syllabus. Only qualifications will be checked at the interview and marks will not be given.

05. Written Examination:

- 5.1 The written examination will be held in Sinhala, Tamil or English medium and the applicants will not be allowed to change the medium later.
- 5.2 This examination will consist of two question papers.

<i>Question Paper</i>	<i>Duration</i>	<i>Maximum Marks</i>	<i>Pass Mark</i>
1. Intelligence Quotient Test	01 hour	100	40% (minimum)
2. Technical and Subject Related Test	02 hours	100	40%(minimum)

Detailed Syllabus is given at the Schedule 1.

06. Examination Fees:

A sum of Rupees 600/- should be paid to be credited to the Revenue Head 2003-02-13 of North Western Provincial Council, as the examination fee. The applicants of the North Western Province shall pay it to the Divisional Secretariat of the area they are permanently resided in. The receipt NWP (☉) 02 obtained so to be affixed at the appropriate cage of the application. Other receipts or money orders will not be entertained. (Retaining a photocopy of the receipt may be useful for future reference) It should be noted that the examination fee is non refundable under any circumstances and will not be allowed to transfer for any other examination.

07. Method of Applying :

- 7.1 Applications should be prepared in A4 size paper using the both sides as per the specimen application given at the end of this notification. Duly filled applications should be sent under registered post to reach “**Secretary, North Western Provincial Council Public Service Commission, Provincial Council Office Complex, Kurunegala**” on or before 30.08.2019. The words “**Open Recruitment to the Post of Technical Assistant (Agriculture Extension) -Grade 111 for the Department of Agriculture in the North Western Provincial Council Public Service – 2019**” should be written on the top left hand corner of the envelop enclosing the application.
- 7.2 Attestation of the Signature of the Applicant:-

The signature of the applicant in the application should be attested by a Principal of a Government School/ Justice of Peace/Commissioner for Oaths/ Attorney-at-Law/ Commissioned Officer in the Army or Air Force or Staff Grade officer holding a permanent post in the public service/Provincial Public Service whose monthly salary is Rs. 32, 960/- or above.
- 7.3 The closing date of applications: - 2019.08.30
- 7.4 The applications which do not comply with the specimen, not paid the examination fee before due date, or late, unclear or incomplete will be rejected without any notice. Further it is the responsibility of the applicant to check whether the prepared application complies with the specimen. The applicant should bear the liability for the losses due to incomplete applications. It would be useful to keep the photocopy of the completed application. The receipt of the applications will not be acknowledged.

08. The issuance of an admission card for this competitive examination does not mean that he or she has fulfilled the required qualifications for this post. The originals of the documents to prove the qualifications should be produced at the interview.

09. Identity of the Applicants:

Every applicant should prove his/her identity by a below mentioned document for every subject to the satisfaction of the Supervisor of the examination hall.

- I. The National Identity Card ,
- II. Valid passport.

Note: Applicants who fail to establish their identity at the examination hall will be considered as ineligible applicants.

10. Admission Card:-

On the presumption that only those who possess qualifications indicated in the *Gazette* Notification have submitted their applications, admission cards along with copies of the examination time table will be issued to all applicants who have sent duly completed applications with the receipts obtained after paying the examination fees, on or before the closing date of applications.

Immediately after the admission cards are issued, a notification will be published in the official website in the North Western Provincial Council Public Service Commission (www.psc.nw.gov.lk) In case the admission for the examination is not received before 3 days of the examination, it should be notified immediately to the Secretary, North Western Provincial Council Public Service Commission, along with the following details. The admission card, in which the signature of the applicant is duly attested, should be produced to the supervisor at the examination.

- (i) Name of the examination
- (ii) Full name of the applicant
- (iii) National Identity card No.
- (iv) Address
- (v) Postal Registration Details and the date

11. If a candidate is found ineligible before appointment the candidature of such applicant will be cancelled. If an applicant has furnished false information, or omitted any information intentionally he/she will be dismissed from the Service.

12. The Governor of North Western Province reserves the right of taking the final decision on conducting or not conducting this examination, selecting or not selecting the candidates, after the examination, and determining the number of vacancies to be filled. Further, the decision of the Governor of North Western Province will be final and conclusive on the matters, if any, that not covered by this notification.

13. If there is any mismatch or inconsistency among the language phrases of this notification which is published in Sinhala, Tamil or English, the Sinhala text shall prevail.

R.M.R.M. RATHNAYAKE,
Secretary,

North Western Provincial Council Public Service Commission,

Provincial Council Office Complex,
Kurunegala
On 26th of July, 2019.

Schedule 01 – Detailed Syllabus

01. Intelligence Quotient Test

This question Paper will be comprised of the questions to test the logical thinking, analytical power, and decision making of the candidate.

02. Technical and Subject Related Test

1. Contribution of Agriculture for economic development in Sri Lanka
 - a) Contribution of Agriculture for Gross Domestic Product
 - b) Unemployment
 - c) The position of agriculture in exportation and importation
2. Knowledge on climatic zones in Sri Lanka
3. Soil and plant Nutrition
 - a) Soil structure, texture, physical and chemical salinity and its effects on crop cultivation
 - b) Plant nutrition, soil /plant nutrition management
 - c) Special facts on plant nutrition

4. Paddy Production

- a) Soil and climatic needs
- b) Varieties
- c) Land Preparation and Nursery management
- d) Pests and disease control
- e) Fertilizer Application
- f) Water management/Modern Approach to increase harvest.
- g) Harvesting and post harvesting methods

5. Other Field Crop Production

- a) Big onion, chillies, Potatoes, maize, and other varieties of crops

6. Vegetable production

- a) Vegetable Nursery management
- b) Propagation and planting activities, harvesting and preparation of the Vegetables that given special attention of the Department of Agriculture,

7. Fruits

- a) Propagation and planting activities of the fruits that were given special attention of the Department of Agriculture,
- b) Harvesting and preparation.

8. Protection of Crops

- a) Identification of main crop diseases and pests, and methods to control
- b) Weeding and Weeding Methods
- c) Protection methods to follow in using pesticides

9. Water drainage and its importance.

10. soil conversation -The importance of soil conversation and various methods of soil conversation.

11. Irrigational Systems and water management

- a) water supply methods and water management systems suitable for various crops
- b) Micro water management methods

12. Farm mechanization

- a) Advantages and disadvantages of Farm mechanization
- b) Agriculture machinery used for land preparation
- c) Agriculture machinery used for water supply and plant protection
- d) Operation and maintenance of the above machinery

13. Bee Keeping

- a) Economical importance
- b) Starting of Bee boxes and maintenance
- c) Harvesting and preparation for the market

14. Flowering plants cultivation and landscaping
 - a) Economical importance
 - b) Landscaping Methods
 - c) Cut flowers for the market and preparation for the market

15. Cultivation of defense crops
 - a) Importance
 - b) Planning
 - c) Selection of crops, Maintenance and preparation of harvest

16. Animal Husbandry
 - a) Poultry management and Dairy farm management
 - b) Maintain the said products under Integrated Farm Management

17. Agriculture Extension
 - a) Strategies and methodologies of agriculture extension
 - b) Agriculture extension communication methods

18. Tissue culture
 - a) Knowledge on Basic Theories and past information on tissue culture
 - b) Practices/application and examples of Tissue culture
 - c) Advantages and disadvantages of tissue culture

19. Knowledge on plant quarantine
 - a) Knowledge on plant quarantine regulations
 - b) plant quarantine methods

20. Plants conservation
 - a) The importance of plant conservation (plants/Gene Plasma)
 - b) plant conservation methods(plants/Gene Plasma)

21. DNA Technology
 - a) The importance of DNA
 - b) What a Gene? Its function
 - c) The ability to develop plants using gene engineering techniques

22. Agriculture Development

Current Agriculture Development Policies, their importance, Departments and other institutions related to Agriculture Development under the line ministry, Central government Institutions belong to Agriculture Department, Units and their roles, current problems and challenges in the field of Agriculture, how agriculture development affects the development of the country, good and bad influences of agriculture development programmes..

Specimen Application

(For office use only)

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Language Medium of Examination (Please mark √ inside the appropriate cage)

Sinhala Tamil English

- 01. 1.1 Name with Initials (Sinhala / Tamil) : Mr/Mrs/Miss.....

- 1.2 Name with initials (in English Block Letters) : Mr/Mrs/Miss

- 1.3 Full Name (Sinhala/Tamil): Mr/Mrs/Miss

- 1.4 Full Name(English Block Letters): Mr/Mrs/Miss

- 1.5 National Identity Card No :
- 02. 2.1 Permanent Address (Sinhala / Tamil)

- 2.2 Permanent Address (English Block Letters)

- 2.3 Address to which the admission should be sent.....

- 2.4 Telephone Number
- 02. 3.1 Gender Female – F Male – M
- 3.2 Date of Birth: Year: Month: Date:
- 3.3 Age as at 2019.08.30 : Years : Months : Days :

04. 4.1 Administrative District of Residency:
- 4.2 Divisional Secretary's Division :
- 4.3 Grama Niladhari Division :

05. Educational and Professional Qualifications :

5.1 Details of the G.C.E. (Ordinary Level) Examination

Year and Month of the examination (first sitting) :.....

Index No. :.....

	<i>Subject</i>	<i>Grade</i>		<i>Subject</i>	<i>Grade</i>
01			06		
02			07		
03			08		
04			09		
05			10		

Year and Month of the examination (second sitting) :.....

Index No. :.....

	<i>Subject</i>	<i>Grade</i>		<i>Subject</i>	<i>Grade</i>
01			06		
02			07		
03			08		
04			09		
05			10		

5.3 Professional Qualifications.

<i>Institute</i>	<i>Course Studied</i>	<i>Duration</i>	<i>Grade</i>	<i>Certificate No. and Date</i>

06. Details of the Payment Receipt of Examination Fees

6.1 Receipt Number Amount.....

Date :

Divisional Secretariat where the receipt was issued :

Please paste the receipt here firmly

07. Declaration of the Applicant :

- (A) I certify that the information furnished by me in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief. I agree to bear the loss resulting from filling this application incompletely or incorrectly.
- (B) I know that I will be ineligible for this post prior to appointment and liable for termination of appointment after getting the appointment, if it is found that this declaration is false.

Date :

.....

Signature of the Applicant

08. Attestation of the Signature of the Applicant :

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

Date :

Name of the Certifying Officer :

Signature :

Designation and Rubber Stamp :

(The signature of the applicant in the application should be attested by a Principal of a Government School/ Justice of the peace/Commissioner for Oaths/ Attorney-at-Law/ Notary Public/ Commissioned Officer in the Armed Forces/ An officer who holds a *gazetted* post in the police service or Staff Grade officer holding a permanent post in the Public Service whose annual basic salary is above Rs. 395,520/-)

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THE SCHEDULE

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	2019					
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	09.08.2019	Friday	—	26.07.2019	Friday	12 noon
	16.08.2019	Friday	—	02.08.2019	Friday	12 noon
	23.08.2019	Friday	—	09.08.2019	Friday	12 noon
	30.08.2019	Friday	—	16.08.2019	Friday	12 noon
SEPTEMBER	06.09.2019	Friday	—	23.08.2019	Friday	12 noon
	12.09.2019	Thursday	—	30.08.2019	Friday	12 noon
	20.09.2019	Friday	—	06.09.2019	Friday	12 noon
	27.09.2019	Friday	—	12.09.2019	Thursday	12 noon
OCTOBER	04.10.2019	Friday	—	20.09.2019	Friday	12 noon
	11.10.2019	Friday	—	27.09.2019	Friday	12 noon
	18.10.2019	Friday	—	04.10.2019	Friday	12 noon
	25.10.2019	Friday	—	11.10.2019	Friday	12 noon

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Government Printer.

Department of Government Printing,
Colombo 08,
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