

LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICE COMMISSION CIRCULAR NOTE NO 5 OF 2024

VACANCY FOR THE POST OF COMMITTEE CLERK IN THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICE

(Details of this advertisement are also available at <http://lgsc.govmu.org>)

Applications are invited from qualified serving officers of the Local Government Service who wish to be considered for appointment as Committee Clerk in the Local Government Service.

The permanent and pensionable post carries salary in the scale of Rs 21150 x 325 – 21475 x 375 - 22225 x 400 – 23425 x 525 – 26050 x 675 – 27400 x 825 – 35650 x 900 – 37450 x 950 - 38400 a month.

Appointment to the grade in a temporary capacity carries salary at the flat rate of Rs 21150 a month.

II. QUALIFICATIONS

By selection from among serving officers in the grades of Management Support Officer, Clerical Officer/Higher Clerical Officer, Clerk/Word Processing Operator, Word Processing Operator and Senior Word Processing Operator who possess either a Certificate in typewriting with at least 30 words per minute or an appropriate Certificate in Word Processing/Data Processing from a recognized institution.

NOTE:

- 1. The onus for the submission of written evidence of experience/knowledge claimed and equivalence of qualification and recognition of institution (if applicable) from the relevant authorities (Higher Education Commission or Mauritius Qualifications Authority) rests on the candidates. Applications will not be considered in case of non-submission of written evidence of experience/knowledge claimed and Equivalence Certificate, as appropriate, by the closing date*
- 2. Candidates should enclose photocopies of their National Identity Card and academic/technical qualifications.*
- 3. Candidates are informed that they may be outposted to any sub office of the Local Authority, and also, with the approval of the appropriate authority, to any other Local Authority where their services will be required.*

III. DUTIES

1. To issue convocation letters, to take down notes at meetings and draft minutes of proceedings of these meetings.
2. To ensure that decisions taken at meetings are promptly communicated to Heads of Department.
3. To keep a proper index of meetings, minutes and decisions.
4. To draft and type all correspondence and papers relating to meetings.
5. To obtain from Heads of Department, items to be included in the agenda of meetings.
6. To ensure that all documents and reports are received in time for submission to members attending meetings.
7. To ensure that the committee room is clean and tidy and tables and chairs etc. are properly placed.
8. To arrange site visits at the request of members.
9. To supervise the binding of the Council booklet etc.
10. To perform word/data processing and other basic ICT functions.
11. To perform such other duties directly related to the main duties listed above or related to the delivery of the output and results expected from incumbents in the roles ascribed to them according to their posting.

Note: Committee Clerks are expected to work on a roster basis or at staggered hours.

IV. MODE OF APPLICATION

- (i) Qualified candidates should submit their applications on **LGSC Form 7a** which may be obtained either from the office of the Local Government Service Commission, Louis Pasteur Street, Forest Side or from any Local Authority.

Note: Details of this advertisement as well as the application form (LGSC Form 7a) are also available on the website of the Local Government Service Commission at the following address: <http://lgsc.govmu.org>

- (ii) Candidates should submit their applications **in duplicate**, the original should be sent directly to the **Secretary** of the Local Government Service Commission and the duplicate one to their Responsible Officer, who will forward it to the Commission **within a week after the closing date**.
- (iii) Candidates are advised to read carefully the '**NOTES AND INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**' before filling in the application form.
- (iv) The envelope should be clearly marked on the top left-hand corner: -

“Post of Committee Clerk, Local Government Service”

V. CLOSING DATE

Applications should reach the **Secretary**, Local Government Service Commission, Louis Pasteur Street, Forest Side so as to reach him **not later than 3.00 pm on Monday 19 February 2024**.

IMPORTANT

- (i) **Qualifications/equivalence of qualifications obtained after the closing date will not be accepted. Only qualified persons should apply.**
- (ii) **Incomplete, inadequate or inaccurate filling of the application form may cause the elimination of candidates from the competition.**
- (iii) **Applications not made on the prescribed form will not be considered.**
- (iv) **Applications received after the closing date and time will not be accepted. The onus for the prompt submission of applications so that they reach the Secretary of the Commission in time lies solely on applicants.**
- (v) **The Commission reserves the right:**
 - (a) **not to make any appointment following this advertisement; and**
 - (b) **to convene only the best qualified candidates for interview.**

**Local Government Service Commission
Louis Pasteur Street
FOREST SIDE**

Date: 06 February 2024