

GOVERNMENT OF MAURITIUS

**SCHEME OF SERVICE SPECIFIED UNDER REGULATION 15 OF THE  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION REGULATIONS**

**Ministry:** Environment, Solid Waste Management and Climate Change  
(Environment and Climate Change Division)

**Post:** Scientific Officer (Environment)

**Salary:** Rs 38,215 x 925 – 39,140 x 970 – 46,900 x 1,050 – 49,000 x 1,100 – 54,500 x 1,450 –  
58,850 x 1,750 – 62,350 x 1,850 – 67,900 x 1,900 – 75,500 x 2,250 – 77,750 (19 061 090)

**Effective Date:** 18 August 2026

**Qualifications:** A. A degree from a recognised institution in one of the following subjects –

Biology

Chemical and Environmental Engineering

Chemistry

Microbiology

OR

an equivalent qualification acceptable to the Public Service Commission.

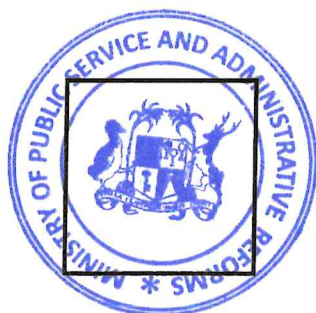
- B. Candidates should –
- (i) be conversant with laboratory analytical instruments; and
- (ii) be computer literate.

Candidates should produce written evidence of knowledge claimed.

**Role and Responsibilities:** To be responsible to scientifically monitor and assess the quality of the environment and provide scientific support in controlling or minimising the harmful effects of the environment.

- Duties:**
1. To plan and conduct research into the physical, chemical and biological nature of the environment.
  2. To analyse pollutants, assist in the identification of their sources, assess their effects on the environment and submit report thereon.

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for Secretary for Public Service

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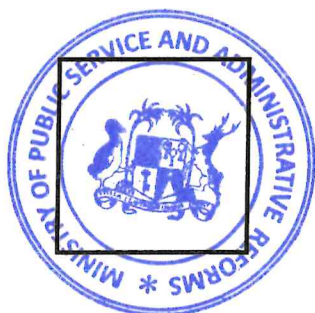
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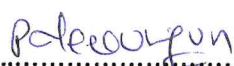
3. To conduct testing and adapting analytical methodologies for environmental analyses.
4. To assist with environmental emergencies, such as chemical spills and environmental accidents.
5. To carry out laboratory audits within accreditation schemes.
6. To maintain and continually improve the quality management system in accordance with MS ISO/IEC 17025.
7. To undertake and work in collaboration with other divisions of the Department of Environment in carrying out environmental surveys.
8. To carry out site visits and collect samples, as and when required.
9. To assist in developing environmental policies, strategies and codes of practice.
10. To train and supervise junior technical staff in the performance of their duties.
11. To ensure that the laboratory equipment is properly calibrated and maintained.
12. To attend technical meetings, as and when required.
13. To use ICT in the performance of his duties.
14. 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 the Scientific Officer (Environment) in the roles ascribed to him.

**Note**

Scientific Officers (Environment) may be required to work outside normal working hours including Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays.



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