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

Organisation: Rodrigues Regional Assembly (Water Resources)

Post: Hydrological Officer

Salary: Rs 27,425 x 750 – 29,675 x 900 – 34,175 x 1,200 – 37,775 x 1,500 – 52,775 (26 54 75)

Effective Date: 31 March 2016

Qualifications: By selection from among officers in the grades of Hydrological Technician, Technical Officer, Technical Officer (Agriculture), Technical Officer (Civil Engineering), Technical Officer (Environment), Technical Officer (Fisheries), Technical Officer (Legal Metrology) and Technical Officer (Mechanical) on the establishment of the Rodrigues Regional Assembly who –

A. possess a degree in Civil Engineering or Physics or Mathematics or Geology or Geography or Hydrology from a recognised institution or an equivalent qualification acceptable to the Public Service Commission.

B. reckon at least two years’ postgraduate experience in hydrological science and/or hydrological studies connected with civil engineering works directed towards water resources.

Candidates should produce written evidence of experience claimed.

NOTE 1

In the absence of qualified officers on the establishment of the Rodrigues Regional Assembly, by selection from among candidates possessing the qualifications at A and B above.

Candidates selected under “NOTE 1” above should be computer literate and should produce written evidence of experience/knowledge claimed.

NOTE 2

In the absence of qualified Hydrological Technicians and Technical Officers and candidates under “NOTE 1” above, consideration will be given to candidates possessing qualification at A above but who do not possess the postgraduate experience specified at B above.

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Candidates selected under “NOTE 2” will be appointed in a temporary capacity in the first instance. They will be required to undergo appropriate training/attachment to acquire experience in hydrology for a period of at least two years. On satisfactory completion of the training and on being favourably reported upon, they will be eligible for consideration for appointment as Hydrological Officer in a substantive capacity.

Candidates selected under “NOTE 2” above should be computer literate and should produce written evidence of knowledge claimed.

**Duties:**

1. To be responsible to the Officer-in-Charge, Water Resources Unit for performing the following duties –
   (i) collection of hydrological data including field measurements;
   (ii) keeping of an up-to-date computerised database;
   (iii) supervision of field staff;
   (iv) maintenance of equipment and instruments;
   (v) checking, recording, analysing and collating data for publication;
   (vi) survey of water resources involving the assessment of rainfall, evaporation, river flow and underground water; and
   (vii) investigation of water resources for development projects.

2. To use ICT in the performance of his duties.

3. 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 Hydrological Officer in the roles ascribed to him.

**Note**

Hydrological Officers may be required to work outside normal working hours, including Sundays and Public Holidays.

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