Applications are invited from qualified candidates who wish to be considered for appointment as Legal Research Officer in the Attorney-General’s Office.

II. **AGE LIMIT**

Candidates, unless already in the Service, should not have reached their 40th birthday by the closing date for the submission of applications.

III. **QUALIFICATIONS**

Candidates should:

A. possess a degree in Law from a recognised institution or an equivalent qualification acceptable to the Public Service Commission.

B. be computer literate.

**NOTE**

1. Candidates should produce written evidence of knowledge claimed.

2. **The onus for the submission of written evidence of knowledge claimed and equivalence of qualification (if applicable) from the relevant authorities (Tertiary Education Commission or Mauritius Qualifications Authority) rests on the candidates. Applications will not be considered in case of non-submission of written evidence of knowledge claimed and Equivalence Certificate, as appropriate, by the closing date.**

3. The Commission reserves the right to convene **only** the best qualified candidates for interview.

IV. **ROLE AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

To be responsible for the provision of timely and up-to-date research regarding legal issues.
V. DUTIES AND SALARY

1. To assist:

   (a) law officers in carrying out research work related to court cases, legislative drafting and legal advisory work generally;

   (b) the Solicitor-General and law officers in doing preparatory work prior to participating in conferences, negotiations or discussions relating to the conclusion of bilateral or international agreements or conventions;

   (c) in producing publications, pamphlets or booklets on specific laws and publication of legal literature; and

   (d) in the drafting of reports under International Conventions including Human Rights Convention.

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 Legal Research Officer in the roles ascribed to him.

The permanent and pensionable post carries salary in scale Rs 25,525 x 775 – 32,500 x 925 – 37,125 x 1,225 – 40,800 x 1,525 – 49,950 x 1,625 – 56,450 a month.

VI. MODE OF APPLICATION

1. Qualified candidates are advised to submit their application electronically at the following address:

   http://psc.govmu.org/English/Pages/PscHomepage.aspx

2. Candidates may also apply electronically at the Enquiry Counter of the Public Service Commission, 7, Louis Pasteur Street, Forest Side from 9.00 a.m. to 3.30 p.m. on weekdays and not later than 3.00 p.m. on the closing date.

3. Candidates are requested to follow the procedures that can be accessed through the “How to Apply” option on the above address.

4. Candidates already in the service should submit a printed copy of their electronic Application Form, duly signed, through their respective Supervising/Responsible Officers.

5. Acknowledgement of applications will be made by e-mail. Candidates are advised to submit their e-mail address.

6. For technical support, the Government Online Centre (GOC) may be contacted on the e-mail address: support@ncb.mu or on phone number 454 9955.
7. For any other query, the help desk of the Public Service Commission may be contacted on e-mail address pdsc@govmu.org, or phone number 670 9705 or fax number 670 3417.

8. Candidates are also advised to read carefully the “NOTES AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR ONLINE APPLICATION (in response to Public Advertisement)” before filling in the Application Form. Care should be taken to fill in the on-line Application Form correctly. **Incomplete, inadequate or inaccurate filling of the Application Form may entail elimination of the candidate.**

9. The Commission reiterates its request to candidates to submit their application electronically. However, qualified candidates not applying online may submit their application on PSC Form 7 which may be obtained either from the Enquiry Counter of the Ministry of Civil Service and Administrative Reforms, Ground Floor, Emmanuel Anquetil Building, Port Louis or from the Enquiry Counter of the Public Service Commission, 7, Louis Pasteur Street, Forest Side or from the Chief Commissioner’s Office, Port Mathurin, Rodrigues or from the offices of the Mauritius High Commissions/Embassies overseas.

VII. CLOSING DATE

Applications should reach the Secretary, Public Service Commission **not later than 3.00 p.m. on Tuesday 17 July 2018.**

Date: 27 June 2018

Public Service Commission, 7, Louis Pasteur Street, FOREST SIDE.