APPLICATIONS are invited from qualified candidates (Male and Female) who wish to be considered for appointment as Temporary Band Constable in the Police Band of the Mauritius Police Force.

2. **Age limit**
Candidates should have reached their 19th birthday and should not have reached their 35th birthday by the closing date for the submission of applications.

3. **Qualifications & Other Requirements**
Candidates should:

A. possess a Cambridge School Certificate with at least a pass in English Language, French Language and Mathematics or Principles of Accounts or passes obtained on one certificate at the General Certificate of Education “Ordinary Level” either (i) in five subjects including English Language, French Language and Mathematics or Principles of Accounts with at least Grade C in any two subjects or (ii) in six subjects including English Language, French Language and Mathematics or Principles of Accounts with at least Grade C in any one subject or an equivalent qualification acceptable to the Disciplined Forces Service Commission.

B. satisfy the following minimum physical requirements:

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C. have a good physique with their Body Mass Index (BMI) values ranging between 18.50 and 27.50;

D. be able to undergo strenuous physical exercise;

E. have a normal eyesight (without glasses or contact lenses);

F. possess knowledge of music and ability to play string, wind, percussion and keyboard musical instruments; and

G. be computer literate.

**Note:** 1. Candidates should not bear tattoos on visible parts of their body whilst wearing uniform/uniform with short sleeves.

2. Candidates should produce written evidence of knowledge claimed.

**IMPORTANT:** With reference to the requirement at F above, candidates should give clear indication at para.11 of the DFSC Form 7 as regards their knowledge of music and which string, wind, percussion and keyboard musical instruments they are able to play and prepared to undergo musical test.
4. **Selection Procedure, Conditions of Training, Duties and Salary**

4.1 Candidates will be required to undergo various tests and examinations including musical test, measurements test, physical aptitude test/operational field test, medical examination and to attend an interview.

4.2 Candidates selected will be appointed in a temporary capacity in the first instance and will be required to undergo both theoretical and practical training including on-the-job training for a period of at least one year in all aspects of the work of a Band Constable, as approved and arranged by the Police Department. On satisfactory completion of the training and on being favourably reported upon, they will be considered for appointment to the grade of Band Constable, as and when vacancies occur.

They will be responsible to the Bandmaster through a senior officer designated by him for:

(i) performing on ceremonial occasions and at official and other functions;
(ii) cleaning and maintaining musical instruments under their custody; and
(iii) loading and unloading musical instruments.

They will also have to:

(i) perform such duties as directed by the Commissioner of Police under Sections 9(1), 9(2) and 9(3) of the Police Act;
(ii) use ICT in the performance of their duties; and
(iii) 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 Band Constables in the roles ascribed to them.

**Note:**

1. Band Constables will be required to undergo medical/psychological tests, including blood/urine tests for drug misuse, during their training period or, as and when required, to assess their fitness to serve the Police Force.

2. Band Constables may be required to work after normal working hours including Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays, during emergencies and whenever their services are needed.

3. Band Constables may be required to work for longer hours in cases of emergencies, raids, parades, drills and other official functions.

4. Band Constables may be called upon to perform duties with the Band Sub-Unit in Rodrigues and the Outer Islands of the Republic of Mauritius.

4.3 During their temporary appointment, the selected candidates will draw flat salary of Rs. 16,075 a month plus compensation. The grade of Band Constable carries salary in scale Rs. 16,075 x 325 – 17,700 x 375 – 19,575 x 475 – 21,950 x 625 – 23,200 x 775 – 32,500 x 925 – 33,425 a month.
5. **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](http://psc.govmu.org/English/Pages/PscHomepage.aspx)

2. Candidates may also apply electronically at the Enquiry Counter of the Public Service Commission and Disciplined Forces 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 "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 Officer/Responsible Officers.

5. Candidates should upload a **recent passport size photograph** on the space provided on the application form.

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

7. 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**

8. For any other query, the help desk of the Public Service Commission and Disciplined Forces Service Commission may be contacted on e-mail address pdsc@govmu.org or phone number **670 9705** and or fax number **6703417**.

9. 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.**

10. The Commission reiterates its request to candidates to submit their application electronically. However, qualified candidates not applying online may submit their application on **DFSC 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 Disciplined Forces Service Commission, 7, Louis Pasteur Street, Forest Side or from the Chief Commissioner's Office, Port Mathurin, Rodrigues.
6. **CLOSING DATE**

Applications should reach the Secretary, Disciplined Forces Service Commission, 7, Louis Pasteur Street, Forest Side, **not later than 3.00 p.m (local time) on Monday 17 December 2018.** Application Forms received after the specified closing date and time will **not** be considered.

Date: 27 November 2018

Disciplined Forces Service Commission, 
7, Louis Pasteur Street, 
**FOREST SIDE.**