Applications are invited from qualified Rodriguan candidates who wish to be considered for enlistment as Trainee Surveyor in the State Lands and Town and Country Planning Unit of the Rodrigues Regional Assembly.

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 Cambridge Higher School Certificate with passes at “Principal Level” in Mathematics and Physics obtained on one certificate or passes in Mathematics and Physics obtained on one certificate at the General Certificate of Education “Advanced Level” or an equivalent qualification acceptable to the Public Service Commission; and

B. be computer literate.

**NOTE**

1. Candidates should produce written evidence of knowledge claimed.

2. **The onus for the submission of equivalence of qualification (if applicable) from the relevant authorities rests on the candidates.**

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

IV. **CONDITIONS OF TRAINING AND ALLOWANCE**

1. Trainee Surveyors will be required to –

   (a) follow a course leading to the obtention of a Diploma in Land Surveying at the University of Mauritius; and

   (b) undergo full-time training under the direct supervision of a Land Surveyor for a period of not less than two years after obtaining the Diploma in Land Surveying.

   The period of training shall not exceed six years after enlistment as Trainee Surveyor.

   Failure to complete the course within the prescribed time limit will entail termination of traineeship, unless the training period is extended.
2. During the training period, Trainee Surveyors will draw an allowance in scale Rs 12,425 x 250 – 13,175 a month plus compensation at approved rates and will be required, *inter alia*, to –

(a) assist in the plotting and finishing of plans;

(b) make searches in respect of immovable properties;

(c) inspect State Lands and ‘Pas Géometriques’ and report to the Surveyor and/or Senior Surveyor;

(d) ensure that conditions of leases are complied with;

(e) operate the Printing Machine/Plan Plotter in connection with printing of survey plans;

(f) perform duties of a clerical nature in the Survey Division; and

(g) use ICT in the performance of their duties.

3. On successful completion of the training and on obtaining the Land Surveyor’s Commission under Section 4 of the Land Surveyors Act, and as and when vacancies occur, Trainee Surveyors will be considered for appointment to the grade of Surveyor which carries salary in scale Rs 24,425 x 750 – 29,675 x 900 – 34,175 x 1,200 – 37,775 x 1,500 – 52,775 a month plus salary compensation at approved rates.

V. **BOND**

Selected candidates will be required, after serving a satisfactory trial period of fifteen days, to enter into a bond (which will start as from the date of enlistment) together with two sureties in the sum of **one million two hundred and forty-three thousand and three hundred rupees (Rs 1,243,300)** to the effect that they will follow and complete the training and serve in the State Lands and Town and Country Planning Unit of the Rodrigues Regional Assembly for a period of seven years as from the date of appointment in the grade of Surveyor.

VI. **MODE OF APPLICATION**

1. Qualified candidates should 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.

2. This advertisement together with the application form (PSC Form 7) are available on the website of the Public Service Commission at **http://psc.govmu.org**
3. Acknowledgement of applications will be made as far as possible by e-mail. Candidates are therefore encouraged to submit their e-mail address.

4. Candidates are advised to read carefully the “NOTES AND INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES” before filling in the application form. Care should be taken to fill in the application form correctly. Incomplete, inadequate or inaccurate filling of the application form may entail elimination of the applicant.

VII. CLOSING DATE

Applications should reach the Island Chief Executive, Chief Commissioner’s Office, Port Mathurin, Rodrigues, not later than 3.15 p.m. on Thursday 07 May 2015.

IMPORTANT

The post which falls under the Establishment of the Rodrigues Regional Assembly is restricted for service in Rodrigues only. Any request for transfer or promotion to any similar or other posts in Mauritius will not be considered at any stage from any person who is selected for enlistment.

Public Service Commission,
7, Louis Pasteur Street,
Forest Side.

Date: 24 April 2015

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