Applications are invited from qualified candidates who wish to be considered for appointment as Psychologist in the Police Department.

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**

A. Candidates should possess a Master’s Degree in Clinical Psychology or Counselling Psychology or Psychology from a recognised institution or an equivalent qualification acceptable to the Public Service Commission.

B. Candidates should –

(i) possess good communication and interpersonal skills; and

(ii) 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 (Tertiary Education Commission or Mauritius Qualifications Authority) rests on the candidates. Applications will not be considered failing the non-submission of Equivalence Certificate, as appropriate, by the closing date.**

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

IV. **DUTIES AND SALARY**

1. To be responsible to the Commissioner of Police through the Chief Police Medical Officer for –

   (i) providing counselling and support services and psychological advice to police officers on matters relating to personal and emotional problems;

   (ii) providing psychotherapy to police officers and their families;

   (iii) assessing therapeutic needs of police officers and effecting site visits in the workplace, if required;
(iv) devising, implementing and monitoring psychological assessment programmes and treatment services for police officers and effecting site visits in the workplace, if required;

(v) conducting mass counselling sessions; and

(vi) collecting and updating data and ensuring the upkeep of records.

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 Psychologist in the roles ascribed to him.

Note

The Psychologist may be required to work after normal working hours including Saturdays, Sundays, Public Holidays and during emergencies.

The permanent and pensionable post carries salary in scale Rs 29,400 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.

V. 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 or from the offices of the Mauritius High Commission/Embassies overseas.

2. Candidates already in the service should submit their application in duplicate, the original to be sent directly to the Secretary, Public Service Commission and the duplicate through their respective Supervising/Responsible Officers.

3. 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

4. Candidates are encouraged to submit on-line application through the government web portal at http://www.govmu.org

5. Acknowledgement of applications will be made, as far as possible, by e-mail. Candidates are therefore advised to submit their e-mail address.

6. Candidates are also 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.
VI. CLOSING DATE

Applications should reach the Secretary, Public Service Commission, 7, Louis Pasteur Street, Forest Side, not later than 3.00 p.m. on Thursday 26 January 2017.

Date: 06 January 2017

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