Applications are invited from qualified candidates who wish to be considered for appointment as Technical Design Officer in the Ministry of Public Infrastructure and Land Transport (Land Transport Division – Traffic Management and Road Safety Unit).

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 –

(i) possess a Cambridge Higher School Certificate with a pass at “Principal Level” in Geometrical and Mechanical Drawing or Design and Technology (Communication) or Design and Technology or Passes in at least two subjects including Geometrical and Mechanical Drawing or Design and Technology (Communication) or Design and Technology obtained on one certificate at the General Certificate of Education “Advanced Level” or an equivalent qualification acceptable to the Public Service Commission;

(ii) reckon at least two years’ experience in draughtsmanship in a design office; and

(iii) be computer literate and have a good knowledge of Computer Aided Design Software (AutoCAD).

NOTE

1. Candidates should produce written evidence of experience/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 prepare plans, site plans, survey plans, sketches and working drawings in connection with traffic engineering and road safety projects.

2. To carry out survey works in connection with the preparation of plans relating to traffic management and road safety.

3. To perform levelling works on roads and bridges.

4. To ensure the safe keeping of plans and drawings and their easy retrieval.

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

6. 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 Technical Design Officer in the roles ascribed to him.

The permanent and pensionable post carries salary in scale Rs 17,375 x 325 – 17,700 x 375 – 19,575 x 475 – 21,950 x 625 – 23,200 x 775 – 32,500 x 925 – 35,275 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 02 February 2017.**

Date: 13 January 2017