Applications are invited from qualified Rodriguan candidates who wish to be considered for enlistment as Student Midwife (to be restyled Trainee Midwife) in the Rodrigues Regional Assembly (Medical and Health).

II. AGE LIMIT

Candidates should be between 18 and 35 years of age by the closing date for the submission of applications.

III. QUALIFICATIONS

Candidates should:

A. possess a Cambridge School Certificate with credit in at least five subjects including Biology or Human and Social Biology or Chemistry or Physics obtained on one certificate or Passes not below Grade C in at least five subjects including Biology or Human and Social Biology or Chemistry or Physics obtained on one certificate at the General Certificate of Education “Ordinary 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 (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. CONDITIONS OF TRAINING AND ALLOWANCE

Student Midwives (to be restyled Trainee Midwives) will be required to follow such theoretical and practical training including on-the-job training in all aspects of the work of a Midwife for a period of at least two years, as arranged and approved by the Rodrigues Regional Assembly.

During their training period, Student Midwife (to be restyled Trainee Midwife) will draw an allowance in scale Rs 13,790 x 260 – 14,050 x 275 – 14,325 a month.

On successful completion of the training, which includes the obtention of the Certificate of Competency in Midwifery, Student Midwives (to be restyled Trainee Midwives) will become eligible for full registration as Midwife with the Nursing Council in accordance with legislation in force in Mauritius. On registration, they will be considered for appointment as Midwife, as and when vacancies occur.

The post of Midwife carries salary in scale Rs 15,750 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.

NOTE

Student Midwives (to be restyled Trainee Midwives) may be required to undergo practical training during the day and at night, on weekdays, Saturdays, Sundays, Public Holidays and officially declared cyclone days.

V. BOND

The 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 five hundred and ninety six thousand and eight hundred rupees (Rs 596,800) to the effect that they will follow and complete the training course and serve in any Government Hospital or Health Institution in Rodrigues for a period of five years as from the date of appointment in the grade of Midwife.

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 advised to submit their e-mail address.

4. 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.

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 21 July 2016.

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.

Date: 08 July 2016

Public Service Commission,
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MAURITIUS.