PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION CIRCULAR NOTE NO. 60 OF 2021

<u>Vacancies for Post of Nuclear Medicine Technologist</u> <u>Ministry of Health and Wellness</u>

Applications are invited from qualified officers of the Ministry of Health and Wellness who wish to be considered for appointment as Nuclear Medicine Technologist in the Ministry.

II. QUALIFICATIONS

By selection from among officers in the grades of Medical Imaging Technologist and Radiation Therapist who reckon at least three years' service in a substantive capacity in their respective grade and who –

- (i) possess good communication skills;
- (ii) have the ability to cope with emergency situations; and
- (iii) have a good knowledge of precautionary measures to be taken against ionising radiation.

<u>NOTE</u>

Selected candidates will be appointed in a temporary capacity in the first instance and will be required to follow on-the-job training and a course in nuclear medicine for a period of at least six months, either locally or abroad, as approved and arranged by the Ministry of Health and Wellness. On satisfactory completion of the training and on being favourably reported upon, they will be considered for appointment as Nuclear Medicine Technologist in a substantive capacity.

III. DUTIES AND SALARY

- 1. To be responsible to the officer in charge of the Nuclear Medicine Department and the Senior Nuclear Medicine Technologist for the –
 - (i) preparation, control and handling of radiopharmaceuticals;
 - (ii) dosimetry of radionuclides injected in patients;
 - (iii) operation of the Gamma Camera;
 - (iv) quality control of the Gamma Camera and other instruments, including the reporting of any faults on equipment and its accessories to the Senior Nuclear Medicine Technologist;
 - (v) proper handling and positioning of patients on the diagnostic table;
 - (vi) acquisition and processing of Nuclear Medicine scan including printing of hard copies of scan done on patient; and
 - (vii) disposal of radioactive waste.

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- 2. To provide training and guidance to subordinate staff.
- 3. To use ICT in the performance of his duties.
- 4. 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 Nuclear Medicine Technologist in the roles ascribed to him.

<u>Note</u>

- (i) Nuclear Medicine Technologists will be required to attend to emergencies at night, on Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays.
- (ii) Nuclear Medicine Technologists may be required to follow a training course in Nuclear Medicine Technology either locally or abroad, as approved and arranged by the Ministry.

The permanent and pensionable post carries salary in scale of Rs 30,700 x $825 - 35,650 \ge 900 - 37,450 \ge 950 - 42,200 \ge 1,300 - 46,100 \ge 1,575 - 49,250 \ge 1,650 - 54,200$ a month.

Appointment in a temporary capacity in the grade carries a flat salary of Rs 30,700 a month.

IV. MODE OF APPLICATION

- Qualified candidates should submit their application on <u>PSC Form 7</u> which may be obtained <u>either</u> from the Enquiry Counter of the Ministry of Public Service, Administrative and Institutional Reforms, Ground Floor, Emmanuel Anquetil Building, Port Louis <u>or</u> from the Enquiry Counter of the Public Service Commission, 7, Louis Pasteur Street, Forest Side <u>or</u> from the Chief Commissioner's Office, Port Mathurin, Rodrigues <u>or</u> from the offices of the Mauritius High Commissions/Embassies overseas.
- 2. Application should be submitted <u>in duplicate</u>, the original to be sent directly to the Secretary, Public Service Commission and the duplicate through the Senior Chief Executive, Ministry of Health and Wellness.
- 3. This circular together with the Application Form (PSC Form 7) are available on the website of the Public Service Commission at <u>https://psc.govmu.org</u>
- 4. Acknowledgement of applications will be made, as far as possible, by <u>e-mail</u>. Candidates are, therefore, advised to submit their e-mail address.

5. Candidates are also advised to read carefully the "<u>NOTES AND</u> <u>INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES</u>" before filling in the Application Form. Care should be taken to fill in the Application Form correctly. <u>Incomplete, inadequate or inaccurate filling of the Application</u> <u>Form may entail elimination of the candidate.</u>

V. <u>CLOSING DATE</u>

Application Forms should reach the Secretary, Public Service Commission, 7, Louis Pasteur Street, Forest Side, <u>not later than 15 00 hours (local time)</u> <u>on Thursday 02 December 2021</u>. Application Forms received after the specified closing date and time will <u>not</u> be considered.

Date: 12 November 2021

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