

Examinations, Results of Examinations, &c.

OPEN COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION FOR RECRUITMENT TO CLASS II GRADE II OF THE SRI LANKA SCIENTIFIC SERVICE - 2004

APPLICATIONS are invited for the vacancies in Class II Grade II of the Sri Lanka Scientific Service existing in the following Government Departments. The applications should be in the form of the specimen appended to the notification and should be prepared on a paper of size 34 x 21 cm. (13" x 8") containing No. 1-6 in the first page of the application form. Completed applications should be sent by registered post to reach the Commissioner General of Examinations, Department of Examinations, Pelawatta, Battaramulla, on or before 02.05.2005. The top left corner of the envelope containing the application should bear clearly the title, "Examination for Recruitment to Class II Grade II of the Sri Lanka Scientific Service 2004."

Separate applications need not be sent for each post applied for and the post applied should be indicated in the application in the order given in this Notification. For example, a candidate who wishes to apply for the vacancies of the posts of Research Officer, Assistant Forest Conservator *etc.*, in the Department of Forest Conservation should indicate the relevant Code Numbers as D-12, D-13 in the Code Number Column in *para.* 6 of the application.

<i>Department</i>	<i>Post/Vacancy</i>	<i>Code Number</i>
A. Department of Health	1. Chemist	A-1
	2. Biochemist	A-2
	3. Entomologist	A-3
	4. Research Officer (Natural Products Chemistry)	A-4
	5. Regional Anti Malaria Officer	A-5
	6. Physiologist	A-6
	7. Pharmaceutical Analyst (Chemical)	A-7
	8. Pharmaceutical Analyst (Bio)	A-8
B. Department of Meteorology	9. Meteorologist	B-9
C. Department of Export Agriculture	10. Assistant Director	C-10
	11. Research Officer	C-11
D. Department of Conservation of Forests	12. Research Officer	D-12
	13. Assistant Conservator of Forests	D-13
E. Department of Measurement Units standards and Service	14. Assistant Director	E-14
F. National Museum	15. Assistant Director in Entomology	F-15
G. National Zoological	16. Assistant Director	G-16

2. *Terms of Engagement and Conditions of Service:*

- The post is permanent and eligible to a contributory pension under the contributory pension fund. The appointment will be on probation for a period of three years.
- The selected candidate should be prepared to serve in any part of the Island and will be subject to serve in the Provincial Public Service as well.
- A selected candidate will be appointed to Class II Grade II of the Sri Lanka Scientific Service on the general conditions governing appointments in the Public Service. The terms and conditions set out in the minute of the Sri Lanka Scientific Service published in the *Gazette* Extraordinary of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka No. 509/7 of 7th June, 1988 and subject to any amendments made or to be made hereafter to the minute will also be applicable for such appointment.

3. **Salary Scale.**—The consolidated annual salary of the post is will be Rs. 112,500- 15 x 2,700- Rs. 153,000-. The first Efficiency Bar will be before the annual salary step of Rs. 120,600- and second Efficiency Bar will be before the annual salary step of Rs. 128,700.

Note:

(i) **First Efficiency Bar**.— The selected candidate should before proceeding beyond the annual salary step Rs. 120,600/- pass the first Efficiency Bar Examination, which includes the following subjects.

- (a) Financial System ;
- (b) Administration ;
- (c) Departmental Regulations.

(ii) **Second Efficiency Bar**.— Selected candidate should, before proceeding beyond the annual salary step of Rs. 128,700/- obtain a Postgraduate Degree such as Ph.D or M.Sc./M.Phil in the relevant field.

(iii) An officer who, at the time of recruitment possesses a Postgraduate Degree of a recognized University will be placed on the annual salary step of Rs. 123,300.

4. **Educational and Other Qualifications**:- All applicants should furnish satisfactory evidence in proof of the following,

- 4.1 Should be of an excellent moral character and physically sound.
- 4.2 Should be over 22 years and under 35 years of age as at the closing date of application (maximum age limit will not be applicable to those who are in the Government Service.)
- 4.3 Should possess relevant educational and other qualifications indicated below as at the closing date of application.

<i>Department</i>	<i>Designation</i>	<i>Educational and other Qualifications</i>
(a) Department of Health	1. Chemist	(a) B.sc.(Special) Degree in Chemistry from a recognized University or Membership of the Sri Lanka Institute of Chemistry and 3 years experience in Food Science or Food Analysis from a recognized institute.
		; or
	2. Bio-chemist	(b) B.Sc. Degree in Food Science or Food Technology or Food Analysis from a recognized University and 2 years experience in Food Science or Food Analysis from a recognized institution.
		(a) B.Sc. (Honours) Degree in Chemistry or Bio-Chemistry with a 1st or 2nd Class from a recognized University.
		; or
		(b) B.Sc. Degree with Chemistry as a subject and Phd. or MSc./M Phil Postgraduate Degree in Chemistry from a recognized University.
		<i>Note</i> :- Medical Laboratory Technicians who have completed ten years period of satisfactory service in the Department of health and hold B.Sc Degree with Chemistry as a subject from a recognized university are also eligible to apply for this post.
	3. Entomologist	(a) B. Sc. (Honours) degree in Zoology with Entomolgy as a subject from a recognized University.
		; or
		(b) Ph.D. or M. Sc./M. Phil. Degree in Entomology from a recognized University.

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	4. Research Officer (Natural Products Chemistry)	<p>(a) B.Sc. (Honours) Degree in Chemistry with a 1st or 2nd Class from a recognized University.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">; or</p> <p>(b) B.Sc. Degree with Chemistry as a subject and M. Sc./ M. Phil. or Ph. D. Degree on Natural products Chemistry from a recognized University.</p>
	5. Regional anti Malaria Officer	<p>(a) B.Sc. (Special) Degree in Zoology or Biology with Entomology or Parasitology as a subject from a recognized University. (Preference will be given for those who have 1st or 2nd class Special Degree); or</p> <p>(b) Ph.D. or MSc/M.Phil. Degree in Entomology or Parasitology from a recognized University.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">; or</p> <p>(c) B.Sc Degree in Applied Entomology or Applied Parasitology from a recognized University with three years experience in recognized institution. (Recognized Institution shall mean Universities, Government Departments, Public Corporations and Statutory Boards).</p>
	6. Physiologist	<p>(a) Hon. Degree (Special) from a recognized University with Physics as a subject.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">; or</p> <p>(b) Physics (Special) Degree or B.Sc Degree with Physics as a subject and five years service as a Radiographer in a recognized institution.</p>
	7. Pharmaceutical Analyst (Chemical)	<p>(a) B. Sc. Special Degree on Chemistry preference will be given for those possessing first or second class Hons. Degree.</p> <p>(b) B.Sc. Degree with chemistry as a subject along with a post graduate degree on Chemistry or an relevant subject from a recognized university ; or</p> <p>(c) B.Sc. Degree on Pharmacy ; or</p> <p>(d) A member of the Royal Institute of Chemistry (Sri Lanka) or Institute of Chemistry.</p> <p><i>Note:-</i> The Pharmacists and Medical Laboratory Technician Possessing B.Sc. general degree with Chemistry as a subject from a recognized University along with at least 10 years service in the Department of Health are eligible to apply.</p>
	8. Pharmaceutical Analyst (Bio)	<p>(a) Special B.Sc Degree on Chemistry or Zoology with Zoology or Chemistry as a subsidiary subject (preference will be given for those with first or second class Hons. Degree holders) ; or</p> <p>(b) B.Sc. Degree on Pharmacology or Pharmacy ; or</p> <p>(c) B.Sc. Degree with a post graduate degree on Pharmacology;</p> <p style="text-align: right;">or</p> <p>(d) First or second class B.Sc general Degree with Zoology and Chemistry as subjects.</p>

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		<p><i>NOTE:-</i> The Pharmacists and Medical Laboratory Technician Possessing B.Sc. general degree with Chemistry and Zoology as subjects along with 10 years service in the Department of Health are also eligible to apply.</p>
B. Department of Meteorology	9. Meteorologist	<p>(a) B.Sc. (Special) Degree in physics or Mathematics from a recognized University ; or</p> <p>(b) B.Sc. Degree with 1st or 2nd Class offering Physics and Mathematics as subjects from a recognized University ; or</p> <p>(c) Ph.D. or MSc./M.Phil Degree on Meteorology or Physics from a recognized University.</p> <p><i>Note:</i> (i) Officers of Sri Lanka Technological Service who have completed satisfactory period of service of 10 years in Department of Meteorology and possess a B.Sc. Degree with Physics and Mathematics as subjects from a recognized University are also qualified to apply for this post.</p> <p>(ii) if the candidate has obtained B.Sc (special) Degree in Mathamatics he should pass the subject of physics at the General Science Qualified Examination.</p>
C. Department of Export Agriculture	10. Assistant Director	<p>(a) B.Sc. Special Degree in Agriculture from a recognized University ; or</p> <p>(b) Ph.D. or M.Sc./M.Phil Degree on Agriculture from a recognized University ; or</p> <p>(c) B.Sc. Degree with 1st or 2nd Class offering at least 2 among the subjects of Botany, Biology, Chemistry or Zoology from a recognized University. ; or</p> <p>(d) B.Sc. (Special) Degree in Botany or Chemistry from a recognized University offering Botany, Chemistry, Zoology, Economics, Mathematics Biometry or Bio Chemistry as Subsidiary subject.</p>
	11. Research Officer	<p>(a) B.Sc. Degree in Agriculture from a recognized University ; or</p> <p>(b) B.Sc. (Special) Degree in Botany offering Chemistry or Zoology as a subsidiary subject from a recognized University ; or</p> <p>(c) B.Sc. Degree in Mathematics offering Botany, Zoology, Chemistry or Physics as a subsidiary subject.</p> <p>(d) B.Sc. (Special) Degree in Chemistry with Botany or Zoology as a subsidiary subject from a recognized University. ; or</p> <p>(e) Ph.D. or M.Sc./M.Phil Degree on Agriculture or Bio Science from a recognized University.</p>