

Examinations, Results of Examinations, &c.

TELECOMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY COMMISSION OF SRI LANKA (TRCSL)

Examination for the Issue of Amateur Radio Operator's License by the Telecommunications Regulatory Commission of Sri Lanka

CATEGORIES of Amateur Radio Operator's Licenses :

- (a) Amateur Radio Operator's Advance Class License ;
- (b) Amateur Radio Operator's General Class License ;
- (c) Amateur Radio Operator's Novice Class "A" License ;
- (d) Amateur Radio Operator's Novice Class "B" License.

2. *Minimum Entry Requirements.*— Every candidate entering for the examination must be fourteen (14) years of age or over on the closing date of applications.

3. *Scheme of Examination.*— (a) *Advance Class* - The examination consists of 2 parts : -

Part 1.— Two (2) compulsory written papers to be undertaken at one sitting :

Paper I.— Advanced Electrical Technology and Radio Communications (3 hours) ;

Paper II.— Licensing conditions, operating practices and procedures (2 hours) ;

Part 2.— Practical Morse Code Test (20 words per minute).

(b) *General Class.*— The Examination consists of 2 parts : -

Part 1.— Two (2) compulsory written papers to be undertaken at one sitting :

Paper I.— Fundamentals of Electricity and Radio Communications (2 hours) ;

Paper II.— Licensing conditions operating practices and procedures (1 hour).

Part 2.— Practical Morse Code Test (12 words per minute).

(c) *Novice Class "A".*— The Examination consists of 2 parts : -

Part 1.— Two (2) compulsory written papers to be undertaken at one sitting ;

Paper I.— Basic Electricity, Radio and Electronic theory (2 hours) ;

Paper II.— Licensing conditions, Operating practices and procedures (1 hour).

Part 2.— Practical Morse Code Test (5 words per minute).

(d) *Novice Class "B".*— The Examination consists of two (2) compulsory written papers to be undertaken at one sitting : -

Paper I.— Basic electricity, Radio and Electronic Theory (2 hours);

Paper II.— Licensing conditions, operating practices and procedures (1 hour).

Morse Code Test is not required for a Novice Class "B" License.

4. *Conditions of Examination.*— The following conditions shall apply to all categories of Amateur Radio License Examination :-

- (i) To pass the Examination, the candidates should pass all parts of the examination ;
- (ii) Candidates must pass the Part I of the Examination (2 written papers) at the same sitting ;
- (iii) Only those candidates who pass Part I of the Examination will be allowed to appear for Part II (Morse Test) ;
- (iv) Candidates who obtain a pass in Part I, may apply only for Part II (Morse Test) at any successive examination.

5. *Medium of Examination.*— The examination will be conducted in English Medium only.

6. *Examination Fees.*— Applicants who conform to the requirements of the examination are required to remit the Examination Fees mentioned in this notification to the 'Telecommunications Regulatory Commission of Sri Lanka'. If further information in this regard is required, the applicants are requested to write to the Telecommunications Regulatory Commission of Sri Lanka.

The Examination fee is payable either by a Money Order or a Pay Order/Draft from any Bank drawn in the name of the "Telecommunications Regulatory Commission of Sri Lanka". The entry form must be sent by recorded delivery on registered post or delivered by hand. Official receipts must be retained as the Telecommunications Regulatory Commission of Sri Lanka will not consider any claim that a form has been overlooked or lost unless proof of posting of delivery is produced.

Fees are not refundable or cannot be transferred from one examination to another at a later date. Any candidate who withdraws his application or cannot appear for the examination due to any reason whatsoever will be required to pay approximate examination fee for any subsequent entry.

Category of Examination	Fee for Part I Rs.	Fee for Part II Rs.
Advance Class	276	138
General Class	138	138
Novice Class (A)	138	69
Novice Class (B)	138	—

7. *Closing Date of Applications.*— The examinations will be held thrice each year in February, June and October. The date of examination will be informed by the Commissioner of Examinations. Applications must be made on the appropriate entry form obtained from the under-mentioned Office, completed and submitted to the address given below on or before the closing date mentioned :

Director - General of Telecommunications,
No. 276, Elvitigala Mawatha,
Manning Town, Colombo 08.

<i>Category of Licence</i>	<i>Last Date of Entry</i>
Advance Class	28.10.2005
General Class	do.
Novice Class (A)	do.
Novice Class (B)	do.

8. *Attestation.*— Candidate's signature must be attested by one of the following :—

A Justice of Peace, Commissioner of Oaths, an Attorney-at-Law and Notary Public, Commissioned Officer of the Army, Navy or Air Force, Gazetted Officer of the Police, a person holding a permanent post in the State Service drawing a consolidated salary of not less than Rs. 42,720 per annum. All other applications will be rejected.

9. *Identification of Candidates.*— A candidate will be required to prove his/her identity in the examination and for this purpose any of the following documents will be accepted :

- (a) A valid Identity Card issued by the Postmaster-General ;
- (b) A Valid Passport ;
- (c) An Identity Card issued by the Department of Registration of Persons.

All candidates are required to act in conformity with the Provisions of the Examinations Act, No. 25 of 1968.

Any matter which has not been provided for under these Rules and Regulations will be settled at the discretion of the Director-General of Telecommunications.

Director - General of Telecommunications.

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