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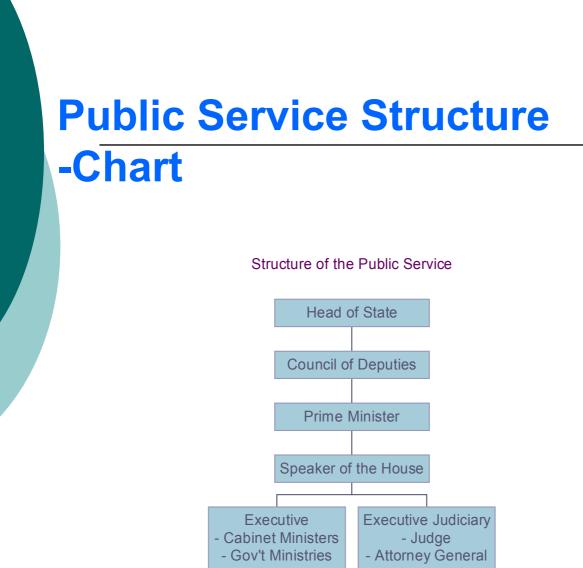
PSC Act 2004 & PSC Regulation 2008

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Public Service Structure - Government Ministries

Government Ministries

- 1. Ministry of Agriculture & Fisheries (MOA)
- 2. Ministry of Communication & Information Technology(MCIT)
- 3. Ministry of Education, Sports & Culture (MESC)
- 4. Ministry of Natural Resources, Environment & Meterology (MNRE)
- 5. Ministry of Finance (MOF)
- 6. Ministry of Foreign Affairs & Trade (MFAT)
- 7. Ministry of Health (MOH)
- 8. Ministry of Justice Courts & Administration (MJCA)
- 9. Ministry of Commerce Industry & Labour (MCIL)
- 10. Ministry of Police & Prisons & Fire Services
- 11. Ministry of the Prime Minister & Cabinet (MPMC)
- 12. Ministry for Revenue (MOR)
- 13. Ministry of Works, Transport & Infrastructure (MWTI)
- 14. Ministry of Women Affairs & Community Development (MWCD)

Constitutional Agencies

- 1. Attorney General (AG)
- 2. Audit Office (AD)
- 3. Public Service Commission (PSC)



Responsibilities of Employer

Part IV - Values, Principles and Code of Conduct . (Refer attachments)

18. Principles of Employment (page 55) of the Public Service Act 2004

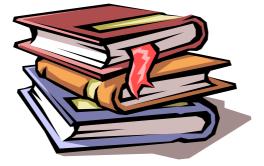


Responsibilities of the Employee

Part IV - Values, Principles and Code of Conduct .

17. Values of the Public Service(page 54) of the Public Service Act 2004

19. Code of Conduct (page 56) of the Public Service Act 2004





PSC Regulations 2008

Part 1. – Preliminary

•Title & Commencement of Regulation 25/2/2008

•Act - PSC Act 2004

•Determination – section 9 of Act

•Employment Instruction – Section 8 of the Act

Part 2 – General

- •Familiarization with PSC Act 2004
- •CEO functions





Part 3- Leave & Cash Grant Upon Discontinuation of employment

- 7. Annual Leave
- 8. Payment for untaken annual leave
- 9. Special Leave
- 10.Maternity Leave
- 11. Paternity Leave
- 12. Sick Leave
- 13. Bereavement Leave
- 14. Study Leave



15. Long Service Leave
16. Payment for Untaken Long Service
Leave
17. Leave for School Teacher
18. Cash Grant on Death of employee or
former employee
19. Cash Grant on cessation of
employment due to Disability
20. Recognition of Service



Part 4 – Holidays Observed as public holidays on full pay Observed in addition to Public holidays

23. Working on P.Holiday Equivalent period of leave convenient to the Ministry To be paid at overtime rates

Part 5 – Overtime & Allowances

24-25 Ensure overtime is kept to a minimum Rate 1 ½ of employees pay (after hours & Sat) Rate 2 on Sunday or Public Holiday

26. Higher Duties

eg. Principal Officer as Acting ACEO Refer amendments to HDA (PSC circular)

Part 6 – Appointments

All appointments are provisional prior to confirmation if there are no appeals lodged

Part 7 – Additional Conduct Requirements

-Statutory declaration 14 days of initial employment -Approved by CEO – release of information to public (media)

34. Outside work – approved by PSC onlynot to accept any payment

36. Use of drugs & Alcohol – Prohibited

- 37. **Absence from duty** approved leave or illness
- 38. Attendance Flexi hour arrangement
 - attendance book (arrival & departure)

39. **Near Relatives** –parent , child, brother & sister (whether by blood , Marriage or adoption)

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