

Public Administration Circular No 04 /2011 (i)

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Absorption into Sri Lanka Information and Communication Technology Service

Sections 5.1 (i) (a) and 5.3 (ii) of the Public Administration Circular no 04/2011 dated 15.02.2011 issued with regard to the implementation of the Minute of Sri Lanka Information and Communication Technology Service dated 08th December 2009 published in the Gazette extraordinary of Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka no 1631/20 dated 09th December 2009, are revised with the inclusion of new Sections 2.5 and 3.3 as per the direction of the Public Services Commission.

02. Sub Section 5.1 (i) (a):

“In order to be absorbed into Class III of Sri Lanka Information and Communication Technology Service, the requirement of passing G.C.E. (O/L) Examination mentioned in 8.1.1 (e) of the Minute of Sri Lanka Information and Communication Technology Service, can be satisfied at any number of sittings with in the interim period”.

03. Sub Section 5.3 (ii)

“Officers who have not satisfied the qualifications mentioned in 8.6.1 (e) of the Service Minute, but have applied to be absorbed into Class I of the service and have not completed 15 years of service in a post related to a field of Information Technology or Computer of SL 1- 2006 salary scale or in a correspondent salary scale as at 01.07.2009, shall be considered to be absorbed after satisfying the qualification of Post Graduate Diploma in Information Technology within the concessionary period i.e. before 31.12.2013”.

04. Section 2.5

All the officers who have not exercised the option to be absorbed into Information and Communication Technology Service even though formal recruitments have been made to the posts related to computer/ Information and Communication as at 09.12.2009, shall exercise their option before 08.11.2012. Option which shall be exercised in accordance with the Appendix 1 of Gazette no 1631/20 dated 09.12.2009 shall be referred to Director General of Combined Services before the prescribed date.

05. Section 3.3

Officers who do not exercise the option to be absorbed into service by 08.11.2012 shall be subjected to a compulsory retirement as per Section 11.2 of the Service Minute and such retirement shall be made by the relevant appointing authority.

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