

Provided also that if the Civil Service Commissioners are satisfied in the case of any candidate who is a British subject but does not fulfil all the requirements of the rule as to nationality and descent, that the candidate is so closely connected by ancestry and upbringing with His Majesty's dominions that an exception may properly be made to that rule, they may accept such candidate as eligible provided that this discretion shall not be exercisable unless (a) the father or the paternal grandfather of the candidate was a natural-born British subject, and (b) neither the father nor the paternal grandfather had acquired any other nationality by naturalisation or by any other voluntary and formal act.

6. Persons holding situations in the Civil Service must obtain the permission of the authorities of their Department to apply for appointment.

No person actually serving in the Army, Navy, or Air Force will be eligible for consideration unless he produces, when called upon to do so, the permission of his Commanding Officer to apply for appointment, dated before his appearance before the Selection Board, and given in accordance with such orders as may from time to time be issued.

Persons upon whose training for the occupation of teacher, public money has been spent cannot be appointed until the consent of the appropriate education authority has been notified to the Civil Service Commissioners.

7. The Keeper of the Registers and Records will examine the candidates' credentials, and will submit to the Civil Service Commissioners the names of those candidates who appear to have the requisite qualifications and to be best fitted for appointment. The Civil Service Commissioners, if dissatisfied with the number or quality of candidates may require further search to be made for qualified candidates. The Civil Service Commissioners may, if they think fit, assist in the scrutiny of the application forms of the candidates.

The Civil Service Commissioners may submit any or all of the candidates to a qualifying examination as to educational qualifications.

8. Candidates who are recommended by the Keeper of the Registers and Records and are accepted by the Civil Service Commissioners as possessing the requisite qualifications will be summoned to an interview before a Selection Board in Edinburgh, who will recommend for the vacancy existing the candidate who appears to them to possess the highest qualifications, and the decision of the Selection Board will be final. The Selection Board will be constituted by the Keeper of the Registers and Records, who will preside over the Board, in consultation with the Civil Service Commissioners, who will be represented on the Board. The Board will take into consideration the candidate's record of experience and education, any recommendations that they may receive from persons named by candidates as having direct knowledge of their work in the past, and the personal qualities of the candidate as shown at this interview; and on their estimation of all the above evidence they will frame their decisions.

9. The appointment of selected candidates will be subject to their satisfying the Civil Service Commissioners of their eligibility in respect of age, nationality, health and character, and will not be confirmed unless and

until they have passed the prescribed period of probation to the satisfaction of the Department.

10. A candidate selected for appointment will be required to pay a fee of £5 10s.

11. Any attempt on the part of candidates to enlist support for their applications through Members of Parliament or other influential persons will disqualify them for appointment. The Selection Board will disregard spontaneous recommendations from persons who are not personally acquainted with the candidate's work, whether at school, at the university, in industry or business, in the Forces, or otherwise.

India Office, S.W.1.

24th June, 1937.

The KING has been pleased to appoint Mian Abdul Rashid, Esquire, an Additional Judge of the High Court at Lahore, to be a Judge of the said High Court with effect from the 1st April, 1937.

India Office, S.W.1.

24th June, 1937.

The KING has been pleased to appoint Khan Bahadur Sheik Din Muhammad, an Additional Judge of the High Court at Lahore, to be a Judge of the said High Court with effect from the 1st April, 1937.

WIDOWS', ORPHANS' AND OLD AGE CONTRIBUTORY PENSIONS ACT, 1936.

Notice is hereby given under the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that it is proposed by the Minister of Health, after the expiration of at least forty days from this date, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by subsection (1) of section 32 of the Widows', Orphans' and Old Age Contributory Pensions Act, 1936, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, to make regulations to be entitled the Contributory Pensions (Payments on Death) Regulations, 1937.

Copies of the draft of regulations to be made as aforesaid can be purchased directly from H.M. Stationery Office at the following addresses:—Adastral House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120, George Street, Edinburgh 2; 26, York Street, Manchester 1; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast; or through any bookseller.

Dated this 25th day of June, 1937.

Ministry of Health,
Whitehall,
London, S.W.1.

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