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(b) If naturalised British subjects, they must have resided in His Majesty's dominions and/or been employed elsewhere in the service of the Crown for at least five years out of the last eight years preceding the date of their appointment.

(c) If not qualified under (a) or (b) of this paragraph, they must satisfy the Commissioners that they are so closely connected with His Majesty's dominions either by ancestry, upbringing, or residence, or by reason of national service, that an exception may properly be made in their favour.

4. *Health and Character.*

Successful candidates must satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners as to their health and character.

5. *Examination.*

The examination consists of:—

(a) A written qualifying examination:

<i>Compulsory subjects—</i>	<i>Maximum Marks</i>
1. English	200
2. Arithmetic	100
3. General Knowledge	100
<i>Optional subjects—</i>	
4. Lower Mathematics	200
5. Higher Mathematics	200
6. French	200
7. German	200
8. Spanish	200
9. Welsh	200
10. Latin	200
11. Greek	200
12. History	200
13. English Literature	200
14. Geography	200
15. Economics	200
16. Physics	200
17. Chemistry	200
18. Botany	200
19. Zoology	200
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Candidates may take three optional subjects in all, but

(i) they must take at least one of the languages in subjects 6 to 11 and reach a satisfactory standard in it;

(ii) a candidate who takes Biology may not also take either Botany or Zoology.

(b) An interview before the Final Selection Board, to which only those who obtain a certain minimum number of marks in the written examination will be summoned.

The final order of merit will be determined by the mark awarded by the Final Selection Board (out of a maximum of 300). This will take into account the candidate's record, his intelligence and personal qualities, and his work in the written examination. In the event of a tie between two or more candidates the Commissioners will decide which to declare successful.

6. *Candidates Trained as Teachers.*

Candidates who have been trained as teachers and upon whose training public money has been spent cannot be appointed until the consent of the appropriate central education authority (e.g., the Ministry of Education, the Scottish Education Department, the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland) has been notified to the Commissioners.

7. *Fee*

A fee of 15s. is payable by all candidates. This must be sent with the application form, and is not returnable in any circumstances.

The Civil Service Commissioners further give notice that an Open Competition will be held under the above Regulations, the written examination commencing on the 1st April, 1952.

No person will be admitted to the competition from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 17th January, 1952, an application on the prescribed form which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

Civil Service Commission, 27th November, 1951.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that the following Regulations are published with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of H.M. Treasury, viz.:—

RECRUITMENT TO THE EXECUTIVE CLASS (AND CORRESPONDING DEPARTMENTAL CLASSES) AND INFORMATION OFFICER CLASS OF THE HOME CIVIL SERVICE.

1. *Age.*

Candidates must be at least 17½ and under 19 years of age (a half-year equals six calendar months) on the 1st March, 1952.

2. *Sex.*

Both men and women are eligible, but women will not ordinarily be appointed to posts in the Admiralty or to the Immigration Service of the Home Office.

3. *Nationality.*

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Candidates who wish to be assigned to the post of Actuarial Assistant in the Government Actuary's Department must take both Lower Mathematics and Higher Mathematics and reach a satisfactory standard in each.

(b) An interview, to which only those who obtain a certain minimum number of marks in the written examination will be summoned. The maximum mark for the interview is 300.

The final order of merit will be determined by the total marks gained in the whole examination. (The number of vacancies to be filled will be decided by the Civil Service Commission and the Treasury.)

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