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Civil Service Commission, 6th May, 1955.

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.:—

REGULATIONS FOR THE RECRUITMENT OF DISTRICT (FOREST) OFFICERS (MALE) UNDER THE FORESTRY COMMISSION.

1. Age.

Candidates must have been born on or before 1st July, 1934. There is no upper age limit, but in appointing persons in a permanent capacity Departments expect regular and effective service for a reasonable period, and the Commissioners will take this requirement into account.

2. Sex.

Men only may compete under these Regulations.

3. Nationality.

Candidates must be British subjects. They must also satisfy one of the following conditions:—

(a) If natural-born British subjects, they must either:—

(i) have at least one parent who is or was at death a British subject; or

(ii) have resided in Her 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.

(b) If naturalised British subjects, they must have resided in Her 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 Her 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. Qualifications.

Candidates must have passed an examination qualifying for (a) a University degree in Forestry, or (b) a University Diploma in Forestry, or (c) a post-graduate degree in a Forestry subject.

Candidates who propose to sit in midsummer 1955 for the final examination for one of the qualifications mentioned above may be provisionally admitted to the competition. Such candidates may be declared successful provisionally but they would not be appointed unless on the result of the examination they obtained the prescribed qualification.

5. Health and Character.

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

6. Competition.

The candidates who appear from their applications to have the best qualifications and experience will be invited to interview in London before a Selection Board, which will recommend to the Civil Service Commissioners those considered most suitable for appointment. The Board will take into consideration the candidates' record of education and experience, recommendations from referees named by the candidates, and the personal qualities of the candidates as shown at the interview. The decision of the Commissioners will be final.

7. Candidates Trained as Teachers.

Persons upon whose training for the occupation of teacher 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.

8. Canvassing.

Any attempt on the part of candidates to enlist support for their applications through Members of Parliament or other influential persons, except as

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TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACTS, 1944 AND 1947.

EXTINGUISHMENT OF PUBLIC RIGHT OF WAY.

County Borough of Swansea.

Notice is hereby given that the Minister of Housing and Local Government in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 23 of the Town and Country Planning Act, 1944, as incorporated with the Town and Country Planning Act, 1947, proposes to make an Order extinguishing the public right of way over part of Park Street, Swansea.

A copy of the draft Order and a map showing the land over which the right of way proposed to be extinguished subsists may be inspected at the Town Clerk's Department, The Guildhall, Swansea, during usual office hours.

Any objection to this proposal must be made in writing and addressed to the Under Secretary, Welsh Office, Ministry of Housing and Local Government, Cathays Park, Cardiff, before the 6th day of August, 1955.

The Minister is not in all cases required to cause a local inquiry to be held. It is important, therefore, that an objection should include a full statement in writing of the grounds on which objection is made, as the objector may have no further opportunity to make such a statement.

Dated this 26th day of April, 1955.

Thomas Vose, Assistant Secretary.

Welsh Office,

Ministry of Housing and Local Government.

ROYAL BOROUGH OF KINGSTON-UPON-THAMES.

Whereas the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of the Royal Borough of Kingston-upon-Thames (hereinafter called "the Corporation") have made application to the Minister of Housing and Local Government (hereinafter called "the Minister") for the issue of an order under sections 297 and 303 of the Public Health Act, 1875, wholly or partially to repeal, alter or amend section 22 of the Kingston-upon-Thames Improvement Act, 1888, as modified by the Kingston-upon-Thames Order, 1924, which was confirmed by the Ministry of Health Provisional Orders Confirmation (No. 6) Act, 1924, and as further amended by the Kingston-upon-Thames Order, 1926, which was confirmed by the Ministry of Health Provisional Orders Confirmation (No. 3) Act, 1926, so as:—

(1) to empower the Corporation with the consent of the Minister to utilise for the purpose of providing a parking place under section 68 of the Public Health Act, 1925, as amended by section 16 of the Restriction of Ribbon Development Act, 1935, and for such other purposes as they may be authorised, the lands or any part or parts of the lands which they were authorised by Article 1 of the Order of 1924 and Article 1 of the Order of 1926, respectively, to use for the purposes of their cattle market at the Fairfield; and

(2) for the several purposes of the application, or for purposes connected with, incidental to or consequent on those purposes, to make such alteration or amendment of the said local Act, or of any other local Act, or of any Act confirming a Provisional Order made in pursuance of any of the Sanitary Acts or of the Public Health Act, 1875, and in force in the borough as may be necessary or desirable:

Notice is hereby given that A. F. Brennand, Esq., M.I.C.E., having been duly appointed by the Minister, will attend at the Guildhall, Kingston-upon-Thames on Wednesday, 1st June, 1955, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon to hold a local inquiry into the subject-matter of the said application:

And notice is hereby also given that copies of section 22 of the Kingston-upon-Thames Improvement Act, 1888, the Kingston-upon-Thames Order of 1924 and the Kingston-upon-Thames Order of 1926