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**General Circular Letter No:** 02 - 166 / 2024

Provincial Health Secretaries

Deputy Director General – Sri Lanka National Hospital, Colombo

Director - National Hospital, Kandy

Director - National Hospital, Galle

All Hospital Directors under Line Ministry

Provincial Directors of Health Services

Regional Directors of Health Services

Heads of Institutions

### **Third Efficiency Bar Examination for the Associated Officer Service Category (MN-4-2016) of the Ministry of Health - 2025 (First Term)**

It is hereby notified that the Efficiency Bar Examination which should be passed by the officers of the Associated Officer Service Category for which MN-4-2016 salary scale is stipulated of the Ministry of Health before expiry of 5 years from the date of promotion to Grade I, will be held on **16.02.2025** in the medium of Sinhala, Tamil and English. venue and time of the examination will be mentioned on the admission card.

#### **02. Qualifications**

Only the officers who have not completed this examination upto now and have been promoted to Grade I of a post (**Development Assistant, Planning and Program Assistant, Public Coordinating Assistant, Medical Record Assistant**) belonging to Related Officers' Service Category of the Ministry of Health for which the salary scale MN-4-2016 has been prescribed are eligible to apply for this examination.

**N.B. :**

**N.B. Take necessary actions to send applications of the officers only who has been promoted to grade I 20.12.2024 and already received the appointment letters. (It is mandatory to attach a certified copy of Grade I appointment letter along with the application.)**

### 03. Applications

Applications prepared by the candidates in accordance with the specimen form of application appended at the end of this circular should be sent by registered post to reach " Director (Examinations) Ministry of Health, Suwasiripaya, No.385, Rev. Baddegama Wimalawansa Thero Mawatha, Colombo 10, on or before 20.12.2024 .through their Head of Institutions. The name of the examination applied for should be mentioned as "Third Efficiency Bar Examination for the Assoicated Officer Service Category (MN-4-2016) of the Ministry of Health - 2025 (First Term) on the top left corner of the envelope. It is mandatory that the subject officer in charge of personal files and the head of the institution certify that all the information provided in each application is correct that the applicant meets the required qualifications to appear for this efficiency bar examination. one self-addressed envelope (Candidates can write their official or private address) in the size of 9" x 4" inches, affixed with stamps to the value of Rs.110.00 should be sent along with the application.. (Applications which are received lete, incomplete or inaccurate will be rejected without any further notice.)

#### N.B. :

The application should be prepared using an A4 paper based on the specimen form of application so to accomadate from No.01 to 04 on the first page and from No 05 to 09 on the second page. Applications that do not comply with the above format will be rejected without notice.

### 04. Examination fees:-

- I Candidates who sit for the examination for the first time need not pay examination fees. However in every subsequent sitting they should affix stamps to the value of Rs. 25/= per subject in the stamps cage provided in the application and cancel the same by placing their signature and the date.
- II The fees once paid will not be allowed to transfer for any other examination or refunded under any circumstances.

### 05. Admission to the Examination :-

- I Candidates whose applications have been accepted will be issued with admission cards. The admission cards should be duly completed and submitted to the Supervisor at the Examination centre. Otherwise they will not be allowed to sit the examination.
- II Candidates should prove their identity to the Supervisor at the examination hall. For this purpose one of the following documents will be accepted.
  - ( a ) National Identity Card
  - ( b ) A formal identity card issued by the Ministry of Health or a relevant institution
  - ( c ) Valid Driving License
  - ( d ) Valid Passport

**06. Scheme Of The Examination**

This examination consists of an essay type written question paper named "Case Study". Five questions out of eight questions should be answered. Duration is 03 hours and total marks is 100. 40 marks should be obtained in minimum to pass the examination. The examination can be completed at one sitting or at several sittings. At the first attempt officer should apply for all relevant subjects.

**07. Syllabus of the Examination:**

**Case Study**

Candidates are required to answer several questions based on one or more problematic cases created relevant to the field concerned which will test their logical thinking, creativity, skill in analyzing the problem, ability to take correct decisions and ability to apply theoretical knowledge practically.

**08. To follow the Regulations Related to Examination Procedure**

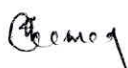
Candidates are warned against copying or attempting to copy from the script of another candidate or from any book or paper or notes whatsoever. No candidate should attempt to look at the script of another candidate and should not help any candidate either help another candidate or obtain help from another candidate or person. Further mobile phones & the similar electronic equipments should not be used. Any candidate who disregards this rule is liable to punishment.

**09.** Please bring the contents of this circular letter to the notice of all relevant officers in your Institution who are in the posts for which the salary scale MN-4-2016 is stipulated of Related Officer Service Category of Ministry of Health. The information is also available on the web site – [www.health.gov.lk](http://www.health.gov.lk)

Web Path ; [www.health.gov.lk](http://www.health.gov.lk) → Staff Access → Administration → Examination → Circulars

**N.B. :**

**Sinhala medium notification on the examination will be effected if any contradictory is arisen in the examination notification published in Sinhala, Tamil and English medium.**

  
Chamika H Gamage  
Deputy Director General (Admin) II  
For Secretary

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**Third Efficiency Bar Examination for the Associated Officer Service Category  
(MN-4-2016) of the Ministry of Health - 2025 (First Term)**

01. (a) i. Full Name of the Applicant (In Sinhala) : .....
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- ii. Full Name of the Applicant (In block letters)
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- iii. Name with initials (In Sinhala) : .....
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- iv. Name with initials (In block letters)
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- (b) i. Post :- .....
- ii. Date of promotion to Grade I :- .....
- The number of the letter of promotion :- .....
- (Attach a certified copy of Grade I appointment letter along with the application.)
- iii. Present Annual Salary :- .....
- iv. Mobile Phone Number :- 

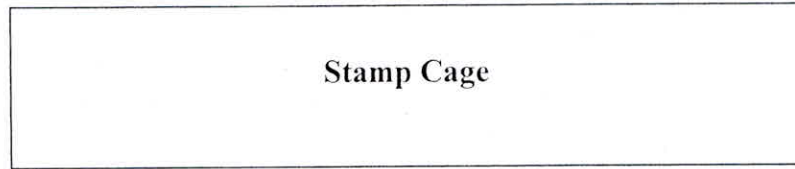
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- v. National Identity Card Number :- 

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- vi. E- Mail address .....
02. (a) Present working Station of service (In Sinhala) :- .....
- (In English) :- .....
- (b) District of the Present working Station :- .....
- (c) The working Station administrate by - Line Ministry 

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- Provincial Council 

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- (d) If provincial council, mention province :- .....
- (e) Whether a self -addressed one envelope in the size of "9"x"4" inches with stamps affixed to the value of Rs.110.00 has been attached to the application to post the Admission Card.....
- (f) 1. Postal Address (In Sinhala) :- .....
- .....
2. Postal Address (In English Capitals).....
- .....
03. Medium in which you sit for the examination (Sinhala/Tamil/English) :-.....

04. (a) Have you sit this examination before ? .....
- (b) If so, have you affixed stamps for this time ?



**05. Certification of the candidate :-**

- (I) I do hereby certify that the particulars furnished by me in this application are true and accurate to my knowledge and I need not affix stamps since I sit the Examination for the first time / have affixed stamps to the value of Rs. .... since I repeat the Examination\*, and the stamps affixed by me to the application genuine and not used before.
- (II) I agree to abide by the rules and regulations imposed on this examination by Ministry of Health and I agree with whatever decision taken to cancel my candidature, if it is found that I am not eligible according to the rules of this examination.

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Date

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Signature of the candidate

**06. Certification of the officer who have handle the personal file.**

I certify that Mr./Mrs./Miss\*..... has correctly handed over me the duly filled application before the closing date and particulars furnished in this application are true and accurate as per the personal file and kept a copy of this application attached to the personal file.

Date : .....

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Name and Signature

**07. Certification of Head of Institution:**

I do hereby certify that Mr./Mrs./Miss\*..... serves as a ..... in this institution and he / she\* sits the Examination for the first time / not for the first time\* and has affixed stamps to the value of Rs. .... / not necessary to affix stamps\* and the particulars furnished in the Application are true and correct to his/her\* personal file and he/she\* is eligible to sit for the Examination. he/she\* placed his/her\* signature before me.

Date : .....

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Signature of the Head of Institution  
(Rubber Stamp)

**08. Certificate of the Head of Decentralized unit / specialized Campaign**

I certify that Mr./Mrs./Miss\*..... serves as a ..... in my institution and particulars furnished in the application are correct in accordance with the particulars available in the personal file of the candidate and he/she\* is eligible to sit for this examination.

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Date

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Signature of Head of Decentralized Unit /  
Specialized campaign ( Frank / Rubber stamp)

\* -Delete words which are inapplicable