

the Secretary, the Flax and Hemp Wages Council (Great Britain), Queen Anne's Chambers, 28, Broadway, London, S.W.1. It is desirable that persons making objections should state the precise grounds of their objections.

Z. T. Claro, Secretary.

14th February, 1949.

#### CATERING WAGES ACT, 1943.

##### LICENSED RESIDENTIAL ESTABLISHMENT AND LICENSED RESTAURANT WAGES BOARD.

The Licensed Residential Establishment and Licensed Restaurant Wages Board hereby give notice of its intention to submit to the Minister of Labour and National Service proposals for the revocation of the Wages Regulation (Licensed Residential Establishment and Licensed Restaurant) Order, 1948 (Order L.R.(3) as amended by the Wages Regulation (Licensed Residential Establishment and Licensed Restaurant) (Amendment) Order, 1948, (Order L.R.(5) and, for fixing in substitution therefor remuneration to be paid and holidays to be allowed and holiday remuneration to be paid.

Particulars of the proposals may be obtained on application to the Secretary of the Wages Board at the address given below.

The Wages Board will consider any written representations with respect to the above-mentioned proposals which may be sent to it within one calendar month from 15th February 1949. Any such representation should be signed by the person making the same (adding his or her address) and sent to the Secretary, Licensed Residential Establishment and Licensed Restaurant Wages Board, Queen Anne's Chambers, 28, Broadway, London, S.W.1. It is desirable that persons making objections should state the precise grounds of their objections.

Z. T. Claro, Secretary.

14th February, 1949.

##### Civil Service Commission.

15th February, 1949.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that the following Regulations are published with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, viz.:

##### RECRUITMENT UNDER NORMAL REGULATIONS OF LEGAL ASSISTANTS IN VARIOUS GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS.

1. *Age.* Candidates must be at least 26 and under 35 years of age on 1st January, 1949.

2. *Sex and Marriage.* (i) Both men and women may compete under these Regulations.

(ii) Married women who have formerly been established civil servants and have drawn marriage gratuity (other than those who are widows or divorced, or who are separated from their husbands, or whose husbands suffer without hope of recovery from total physical or mental incapacity) will not be eligible unless they undertake to refund on appointment the marriage gratuity paid.

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 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;

(b) If naturalized 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. *Qualification.* Candidates must be barristers or admitted solicitors in England, except that for posts

in Scottish Departments candidates must be advocates or qualified solicitors in Scotland.

5. *Health and Character.* Successful candidates must satisfy the Commissioners as to their health and character.

6. *Competition.* The Commissioners may summon to appear before a Selection Board all who are found to be *prima facie* eligible, or may, if they see fit, summon only those whose qualifications and experience are considered to be most suitable. The Selection Board will take into consideration the candidates' record of experience and education, any recommendation from persons named by the candidates as having direct knowledge of their work, and the personal qualities of the candidates as shown at the interview; and on their estimation of all the above facts they will frame their recommendations. 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. *Assignment.* The Commissioners will decide to which Government Department each successful candidate is to be assigned. A candidate who declines to accept the post offered will have no claim to be assigned to another, but will be regarded as having declined appointment. Assignments will be made in accordance with the needs of the public service, but the wishes of candidates will, where possible, be taken into account.

9. *Canvassing.* Any attempt on the part of candidates to enlist support for their applications through Members of Parliament or other influential persons, except as referees to be named by them in their Application Forms, will disqualify them for appointment.

10. *Fee.* A successful candidate will be required to pay a fee of £1 before the issue of a certificate of qualification for appointment.

11. These Regulations apply to the competition of spring, 1949, and are liable to be modified for subsequent competitions. They are issued by the Civil Service Commissioners with the approval of the Treasury.

#### MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT.

##### TRUNK ROADS ACT, 1946.

The Minister of Transport hereby gives notice that he proposes to make an Order under section 1 of the Trunk Roads Act, 1946, the effect of which will be that the existing road, A.4084, from its junction with A.489 at Cemmas Road, in the County of Montgomery, to its junction with A.458 at Mallwyd, in the County of Merioneth, will become a trunk road on the 1st day of April next after the date on which the Order takes effect.

Copies of the draft Order and the plan showing the existing road which will become a trunk road may be inspected by any person free of charge at all reasonable hours during a period from 12th February, 1949, to 18th May, 1949, at the offices of the Ministry of Transport, Berkeley Square House, London, W.1, or at the offices of the Montgomeryshire County Council, Welshpool, or at the offices of the Merionethshire County Council, County Offices, Dolgelly, or at the offices of the Divisional Road Engineer, Marine Hydro, East Parade, Rhyl.

Any person may within a period of three months from 19th February, 1949, object to the making of the Order by notice to the Minister addressed to Berkeley Square House, London, W.1.

D. C. Haselgrove,  
An Assistant Secretary  
of the Ministry of Transport.

Berkeley Square House,  
London, W.1.

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