2. Service.

Candidates must on 1st June, 1954, either (a) be serving in an established situation in the Civil Service with a certificate of the Civil Service

Commissioners; or (b) if on medical grounds they were not accepted for fully established appointment, be serving on established conditions except for sick leave and pension; or

(c) be serving as Temporary Assistant Statisti-cians in the Civil Service and have had at least six months' service in the grade by that date.

3. Sex

Both men and women may compete under these Regulations.

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 component 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 para-graph, they must satisfy the Commissioners that they are so closely connected with Her Majesty's dominions either by ancestry, upbringing or resi-dence, or by reason of national service, that an exception may properly be made in their favour.

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5. Examination. There will be a written examination in the following subjects :---

1.	Essay		•••		100	marks.	
2.	English				100	marks.	
	Present 1				100	marks.	
4.	5. Two	of the	follow	ing			
ubjects in which candidates							
nust obtain a qualifying mark:							
1	Statistical	Analy	sis, Par	er 1		200 marks.	
1	Statistical	Analy	sis, Pap	er 2		200 marks.	
	Economic	and	Social	Statist	ics,		
	per 1					200 marks.	
1	Êconomic	and	Social	Statist	ics,		
	per 2					200 marks,	

... ••• A candidate may, if he wishes, take three or all of the papers in Statistics; in this case his total mark for Statistics will be the sum of the marks he obtains in his two best papers.

6. Interview. Candidates who reach a certain standard (to be determined by the Commissioners) in the written examination, and candidates who are exempted from the written examination, will be summoned for an interview before a Selection Board, which will recommend for appointment those who are con-sidered to be most suitable. The Selection Board will take into consideration 'the results of the written examination, 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 inter-view; and will recommend for appointment those candidates who appear best fitted for the posts. The decision of the Commissioners will be final.

7. Health and Character. Successful candidates must satisfy the Commis-sioners as to their health and character.

8. Candidates trained as Teachers.

Candidates trained as reachers. 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 De-partment, the Ministry of Education for Northern Ireland) has been notified to the Commissioners.

Assignment. The Commissioners will decide to which Government Department each successful candidate is to be

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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 accord-ance with the needs of the public service, but the wishes of candidates will, where possible, be taken into account.

10. 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.

Each candidate must pay a fee of £2 on admission to the written examination; a candidate ex-empted from the written examination must pay this date will be required to pay a further fee of £2, being the balance of the prescribed fee of £4 before the issue of a Certificate of Qualification for appointment.

The Civil Service Commissioners further give notice that a Limited Competition will be held under

notice that a Limited Competition will be held under the above Regulations, the written examination commencing on 1st July, 1954. No person will be admitted to the Competition from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Com-mission has not received, on or before 14th May, 1954, an application on the prescribed form which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACTS, 1944 and 1947.

EXTINGUISHMENT OF PUBLIC RIGHTS OF WAY. County Borough of West Ham.

County Borough of West Ham. Notice is hereby given that the Minister of Housing and Local Government in exercise of powers conferred upon him by Section 23 of the Town and Country Planning Act, 1944, as incorporated with the Town and Country Planning Act, 1947, has prepared in draft and proposes to make an Order extinguishing the public rights of way over parts of Claremont Road and Windsor Road, West Ham. A copy of the draft Order and a map showing the land over which the rights of way proposed to be extinguished subsist may be inspected without pay-ment of fee, at the Town Clerk's Department, West Ham Town Hall, Stratford, E.15, during normal office hours.

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office hours. Any objections to this proposal must be made in writing and addressed to the Minister of Housing and Local Government, Whitehall, London, S.W.I, before the 9th July, 1954. 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 the objection is made, as the objector may have no further oppor-tunity to make such a statement.

Dated the 6th April, 1954.

W. B. Vince, Assistant Secretary.

Ministry of Housing and Local Government.

STATUTORY ORDERS (SPECIAL PROCEDURE) ACT, 1945.

AC1, 1943. Notice is hereby given in pursuance of subsec-tion (1) of section 2 of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act, 1945, that it is the intention of the Minister of Housing and Local Government to lay before Parliament the Liverpool (Amendment of Local Enactment) Order, 1954, made by him on the 6th day of April, 1954, under section 303 of the Public Health Act, 1875, as having effect by virtue of the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) (Substi-tution) Order, 1949.

Dated this 9th day of April, 1954.

Ministry of Housing and Local Government, Whitehall, S.W.1.