

## UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION

## ESTABLISHMENTS CIRCULAR LETTER NO. 11/2018

No. 20, Ward Place, Colombo 07.

September 11, 2018

Vice Chancellors of Universities Rectors of Campuses Directors of Institutes

ALLOWING CANDIDATES TO APPLY FOR THE POSTS OF SENIOR LECTURER GRADE II [MEDICAL/DENTAL] AND [NON-(MEDICAL/DENTAL)] AND LECTURER (UNCONFIRMED) [NON-(MEDICAL/DENTAL)] SUBJECT TO SUBMISSION OF CERTIFICATE OF THE BOARD CERTIFICATION OF PGIM OR DOCTORAL DEGREE

Your reference is invited to Commission Circulars No. 721 of 21.11.1997, 07/2018 of 02.08.2018, and Establishments Circular Letter No. 08/2016(i) of 23.10.2017, as amended, in connection with the Schemes of Recruitment of the academic staff.

- 2. The Commission at its 982<sup>nd</sup> and 992<sup>nd</sup> meetings held on 08.03.2018 and 09.08.2018, having reviewed the provisions made by the Establishments Circular Letter No. 08/2016(i) of 23.10.2017 to the candidates applying for the Senior Lecturer Gr. II post in the Medical/Dental category, so as to submit the applications subject to obtaining the Board Certification at the time of appearing at the Selection Committee, decided to extend such provisions to the candidates applying under [non-(Medical/Dental)] category and certain equivalent posts.
- 3. Accordingly, the amended provisions are as follows;
  - (i) "If a candidate who was awaiting Board Certification of the PGIM at the time of submission of his/her application for the post of Senior Lecturer Grade II (Medical/Dental), has obtained the Board Certification at the time of appearing at the Selection Committee, with effect from a date prior to the closing date of the advertisement, he/she shall be considered for the post of Senior Lecturer Grade II (Medical/Dental), provided he/she has fulfilled the other requirements of the post applied, as at the closing date of the applications, in terms of the Scheme of Recruitment of the respective post stipulated in Commission Circular No. 721, as amended."
  - (ii) "If a candidate has completed Doctoral Degree at the time of submission of his/her application for the post of Lecturer (unconfirmed)/ Senior Lecturer Gr. II, [non-(Medical/Dental)], he/she shall be considered for the post of Lecturer (unconfirmed)/Senior Lecturer Gr. II, [non-(Medical/Dental)] as the case may be, provided he/she has produced sufficient documentary proof at the time of appearing at the Selection Committee that the effective date of the Doctoral Degree is prior to the closing date of the advertisement and fulfilled the other requirements of the post applied, as at the closing date of the applications, in terms of the Scheme of Recruitment of the respective post stipulated in Commission Circulars No. 721 and 07/2018, as amended"
- 4. The above decisions will be enforced with effect from 01.10.2018.

- 5. The Establishments Circular Letter No. 08/2016(i) dated 23.10.2017 will be repealed with the implementation of the above provisions.
- 6. Please take action accordingly.

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