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## <u>Getting Public Administration Circulars No. 21/2018, 24/2018, 31/2001(XIV), 27/2018 and Public Administration Circular letter 02/2018 applied for the Western Province.</u>

I have been informed by the Secretary to the Governor by his letter No. GOS/ADM/02/19/02/2019 dated 2019.02.13 that the assent of the Hon. Governor has been given to get the below mentioned Public Administration Circulars issued by the Secretary of the Ministry of Public Administration and Disaster Management applied for the Western Province. (Copies of the said circulars have been annexed herewith.)

Serial No.	Circular No. and Date	Subject		
	Public Administration Circular No. 21/2018, 2018-09-28	Exemption of the Officers, who have been recruited to Grade III of Sri Lanka Engineering Service, from the requirement of passing examination on other official language proficiency.		
	Public Administration Circular No. 24/2018, 2018-09-07	Definition of salary		
	Public Administration Circular No. 31/2001(XIV), 2018-12-14	List of names of disciplinary inquiry officers under sub- section 19.5 of chapter XLVIII of the Establishment Code.		
	Public Administration Circular No. 27/2018, 2018-12-31	Revision of section 16 of chapter XII of the Establishment Code.		
	Public Administration Circular Letter No. 02/2018, 2018-11-28	Posts in the public service and provincial public service belonging to Field Officer category.		

02. I kindly request you to function according to said circulars and to make all Heads of Departments, Heads of Institutions and Officers functioning under you aware of the circulars.

K. N. Sooriyaarachchi Assistant Chief Secretary For Chief Secretary Western Province.

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## **Revision of Section 16, Chapter XII of the Establishments Code**

Your attention is drawn to Section 16, Chapter XII of the Establishments Code.

02. The Cabinet of Ministers has decided at its meeting held on 28.08.2018 to revise sub section 16:2 and 16:2:1 as follows and include the new sub sections from 16:2:2 to 16:2:4.

- 16:2 No pay leave for study abroad can be granted to a Public Officer on the recommendation of the Head of the Department to study a substantive course at a recognized institute.
  - 16:2:1 Extending the probation period of an officer who is on probation, from a period equal to the period of study leave abroad.
  - 16:2:2 Granting leave with no pay to the spouse subject to sub sections 16:1:9 and 16:1:10 in case where the spouse of the officer, who is studying abroad is also serving in the Public Service.
  - 16:2:3 An officer who obtains study leave under this should complete a period which is determined by the Head of the Department out of the compulsory period of service prescribed under sub section 16:15 within the same department from which the recommendation for leave is made. However, this condition should not be made applicable to reject a request made for releasing such officer to another service in the Public Service.
  - 16:2:4 All the other conditions stipulated in Section 16 in respect of granting no pay leave for study abroad shall also be applied when granting leave under sub section 16:2.

Sgd/ J.J. Rathnasiri Secretary Ministry of Public Administration & Disaster Management