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Announcing a competitive engance examination and fixing the number of places for Admission into Level I Training Professional Program in Biomedical Sciences at the Faculty of Sciences of the University of Dschang for the 2016/2017 academic year.

THE MINISTER OF HIGHER EDUCATION,

Mindful of the Constitution;

DECISION N°

Mindful of Law of n°005 of 16 April 2001 on the orientation of Higher Education;

Mindfull of n°2011/408 of 09 december 2011 organising Government;

Mindfull of n°2011/410 of 09 december 2011 appointing members of Government;

Mindfull of decree N°2015/434 of 02 October 2015 to reshuffle the Government;

Mindfull of decree N°2015/398 of 02 October 2015 to appoint Rectors in some state Universities;

Mindful of Decree N°93/027 of 19 January 1993 modified and completed by Decree n°2005/342 of 10 September 2005 laying down provisions common to all Universities:

Mindful of Decree n° 93/029 of 19 January 1993 laying down the administrative and academic structures of the University of Dschang;

Mindful of Decree n°2012/433 of 01 october 2012 organizing the Ministry of Higher Education;

Mindful of Decree n°2012/366 of 06 august 2012 appointing members of the administration of State Universities;

Mindful of Decree n°2013/0891/PM of 12 march 2013 appointing members of the administration in the Ministry of Higher Education ;

Mindful of order N°16/0172/MINESUP/SG/DAUQ/SDEAC/SE of 10 February 2016 to organize the calendar of competitive entrance examinations into Faculties, Schools and Institutes of Cameroon State Universities for 2016-2017 academic year;

HEREBY DECIDES AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Article 1:</u> A competitive entrance examination for admission of 105 students into Level I of training professional program in Biomedical Sciences at the Faculty of Sciences of the University of Dschang; for the 2016/2017 academic year.

Date:

26 august 2016

Centres:

Dschang and Yaounde

Article 2: 1) The entrance examination is open to Cameroonians of both sexes who are holders of the Baccalaureat (series C or D), the General Certificate of Education Advanced Level in at least three science subjects, and the GCE "O" Level, or any other equivalent certificate recognised by the Ministry of Higher Education.

Citizens of member countries of the Central African Economic and Monetary Union (CEMAC) which have ratified texts on national treatment of students and who are holders of equivalent qualifications are eligible to write the entrance examination under the same conditions as their Cameroonian counterparts.

2) Candidates from other countries including CEMAC member countries who do not write the entrance examination but hold a scholarship from their Government or International

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Organization may apply for direct admission, which is contingent upon the number of available places and payment of tuition fees according to their status.

- <u>Article 3:</u> Candidates should apply on-line and forward to the Students' Records Service of Faculty of Sciences or to any of the University of Dschang Antennae (Yaoundé, Maroua, Ebolowa, Bambui and Belabo), **not later than 22 august 2016**, a complete application file comprising the following documents:
- 1- An application form downloaded from the University of Dschang website <u>www.univ-dschang.org</u>; when the University of Dschang website <u>www.univ-dschang.org</u>;
- 2- The receipt of payment, on presentation of a clearance ticket/quietus obtained online, of the sum of 20,000 CFA francs as application fee, intended to the University of Dschang BICEC Dschang bank account N°961864380002-66, through the authorized financial institution chosen during the on-line application procedure;
- **3-** A certified true photocopy of the GCE "A" Level certificate, "Baccalauréat" (scientific series) or an equivalent certificate; or a certified copy of results slip:
- **4-** Certified true photocopies of "Baccalauréat" and "Probatoire" transcripts or a certified photocopy of GCE results;
 - 5- A certified true photocopy of birth certificate (issued not more than 3 months earlier);
 - 6- A medical certificate signed by a Government Medical Practitioner;
 - 7-4 passport size photographs (4x4);
- **8-** A large (A4 size) self-addressed stamped envelope (postage determined with the contents of file).
- Article 4: The application fees are non refundable.
- **Article 5**: Only candidates who submit complete application files shall be authorised to write the entrance examination.

Article 6: The competition includes:

- A test of academic record (coefficient 2 or 30% of the final Mark)
- Written tests (coefficient 4 or 70% of the final Mark)
- (1) The study of academic record (coefficient 2) is based on:
- "Baccalauréat" and "Probatoire" transcripts (francophone candidates),
- General Certificate of Education "O" level and "A" level results,
- The number of times the candidate repeated.
- (2) The written tests include the following:
- A test of the Biology multiple-choice questions for two hour (coefficient 2)
- A test of the Chemistry multiple-choice questions for two hour (Coefficient 1),
- A test of Physics the multiple-choice questions for two hour (coefficient 1).
- **Article 7**: Each test of the written exam is rated from zero to one hundred. Any mark less than twenty obtained at any one of the written tests is eliminatory.
- **Article 8:** The examination syllabuses are those used in classes preparing for the "Baccalaureat D" or GCE 'A' level in the subjects: Biology, Chemistry and Physics.
- **Article 9:** The deliberations will take place within a jury appointed by the Minister of Higher Education on the proposal of the Rector of the University of Dschang.
- (1) at the end of the interview, the jury makes a list of proposed candidates for admission to the contest by alphabetic order or in order of merit, taking into account the marks obtained in the three tests.
 - (2) the final results are published by Notice of the Minister of Higher Education./_
- Article 10: In any event, there can be no postponement of eligibility or admission by one year to another.
- **Article 11:** The expenditure incurred by the organization of the examination are due to the budget of the University of Dschang, fiscal year 2016.

Article 12: As is the case with all the other professionalizing and professional programs, school fees for the Professional program in Biomedical Sciences of the University of Dschang will be decided by the University Board of governors.

Article 12: The Rector of the University of Dschang, Director for University Accreditations and Quality, and the Dean of The Faculty of Sciences of the University of Dschang are, each in his capacity, responsible for the implementation of this decision which shall be registered and published in English and French wherever need be.

Jacques FAME NDONGO,
THE MINISTER OF HIGHER EDUCATION