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THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT HEREBY ANNOUNCES:

The competitive entrance examination into the first year of the Technicians of Agriculture cycle of Regional College of Agriculture (RCA) of BAMBILI, EBOLOWA and MAROUA, the National Cooperative College (NCC) of BAMENDA and EBOLOWA, the Community Development Specialisation Training Schools (CDSTS) of KUMBA, the Rural Equipment and Development Specialisation Training School (REDSTS) of KUMBA, and the Technical Schools of Agriculture (TSA) of ABONG-MBANG, BAMBILI, DIBOMBARI, MAROUA, NKAMBE and SANGMELIMA for the 2016/2017 academic year is scheduled to take place on the 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> August 2016 at the following Centres: ABONG-MBANG, BAMBILI, DIBOMBARI, DOUALA, EBOLOWA, KUMBA, MAROUA, NKAMBE, SANGMELIMA and YAOUNDE.

The training duration is two years and students will obtain the Agricultural Technician Diploma.

## I - NUMBER OF OPENINGS FOR EACH TRAINING INSTITUTION

RCA de Bambili	Internal Candidates External Candidates	05 places 50 places
RCA Ebolowa	Internal Candidates External Candidates	05 places 50 places
RCA Maroua	Internal Candidates External Candidates	05 places 50 places
NCC Bamenda	Internal Candidates External Candidates	05 places 50 places

NCC Ebolowa	Internal Candidates External Candidates	05 places 50 places
CDSTS Kumba	Internal Candidates External Candidates	05 places 50 places
REDSTS Kumba	Internal Candidates External Candidates	05 places 30 places
TSA Abong-Mbang	Internal Candidates External Candidates	05 places 40 places
TSA Bambili	Internal Candidates External Candidates	05 places 40 places
TSA Dibombari	Internal Candidates External Candidates	05 places 40 places
TSA Maroua	Internal Candidates External Candidates	05 places 40 places
TSA Nkambé	Internal Candidates External Candidates	05 places 40 places
TSA Sangmélima	Internal Candidates External Candidates	05 places 40 places

## II - GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

Candidates should be of Cameroonian nationality fulfilling the following conditions:

- Be a holder of Probatoire or GCE O-Level in two papers with one scientific except religious knowledge.
- Be a professional 45 years old, holder of Assistant Agricultural Technician Diploma, and justify 5 years of experience.

However, foreign candidates and scholarship holders from decentralized territorial authorities and those from other organisations of the civil society could, within the available number of places, be admitted on the basis of qualification by the Minister in charge of Agriculture.

Registration to the competition will be done:

- either online at www.minader-deface.cm
- or by delivery of a file in a competition center

#### III - APPLICATION FILE

The application file, which should be deposited in the chosen examination centre latest the 08th of August 2016, shall comprise the followings:

- ✓ A stamped application of 1 000 CFAF addressed to the Minister of Agriculture and Rural Development, indicating the examination centre and the training school chosen;
- ✓ A letter in support of the application;
- ✓ A certified true copy of the birth certificate not more than 03 (three) months old;
- ✓ A certificate of non-conviction not more than 03 (three) months old;
- ✓ A certified true copy of the required diploma not more than 3 (three) months old;
- ✓ An attestation of presentation of the original of the diploma;
- ✓ A medical certificate testifying that the candidate is able to undertake rural works;
- √ 04 recent passport photographs;
- ✓ A detailed curriculum vitae for professional candidates;
- ✓ An authorization to sit the exams by his/her hierarchy;
- ✓ A receipt issued by the chief of financial service of the examination centre of:
  - 15 000 (fifteen thousands) CFAF for students
  - 20 000 (thirty thousands) CFAF for professionals
- ✓ A payment of 30 000 (thirty thousands) CFAF being for the study of files for foreign candidates or bursar of enterprises and civil society organization.

### Candidates files should be deposited:

- For the centre of Yaoundé, at the Agricultural Cooperative and Community Education and Training Division, Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development;
- For the centre of Abong-Mbang, at the Technical School of Agriculture;
- For the centre of Bafang, at the Technical School of Agriculture;
- For the centre of **Bambili**, at the Regional College of Agriculture or at the Technical School of Agriculture;
- For the centre of Dibombari, at the Technical School of Agriculture;
- For the centre of **Douala**, at the Regional Delegation of Agriculture and Rural Development;
- For the centre of Ebolowa, at the Technical School of Agriculture;
- For the centre of Garoua, at the Technical School of Agriculture;
- For the centre of Kumba, at the Community Development Specialization Training School;
- For the centre of Maroua, at the Regional College of Agriculture;
- For the centre of Nkambe, at the Technical School of Agriculture;
- For the centre of Sangmelima, at the Technical School of Agriculture.

Application files of foreign candidates and scholarships holder received in various examination centers must be transferred to the Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development, Agricultural Cooperative and Community Education and Training Division, for study.

- · For the centre of Nkambe, at the Technical School of Agriculture;
- · For the centre of Sangmelima, at the Technical School of Agriculture.

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### IV - EXAMINATION CALENDAR AND MODALITIES

#### · External Candidates

Dates	Subjects	Coefficient	Duration	Time
	General knowledge	4	4 h	08h - 12h
	Language	3	2 h	13h - 15h
12/08/2016	Optional - Biology or Economics	4	4 h	08h – 12h
	- Mathematics	4	4 h	13h – 17h

#### Internal Candidates

Dates	Subjects	Coefficient	Duration	Time
11/08/2016	General knowledge	4	4 h	08h - 12h
	Language	3	2 h	13h – 15h
12/08/2016	Agronomy and Environmental Science	4	4 h	08h – 12h
	- Mathematics	4	4 h	13h – 17h

## V - PUBLICATION OF THE RESULTS

The results will be published by a press release of the Minister of Agriculture and Rural Development.

## VI - EXAMINATION SYLLABUS

General Knowledge: It is based on national and international development items.

Mathematics: Candidates should refer to Upper 5 high school syllabus.

Physics and Chemistry: Candidates should refer to Upper 5 high school syllabus.

Language: English for French speaking candidates and French for English speaking candidates

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### VII - TRAINING FEES

Training fees for academic year 2016/2017 are as follows:

- Tuition fees

• For Cameroonians non scholarship holders

For Cameroonian scholarship holders

• For foreigners

Registration fees

- Refundable caution fees

200 000 CFAF

450 000 CFAF

600 000 CFAF

20 000 CFAF per year

25 000 CFAF for the duration of the course

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7 JUN 2016

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