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THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT HEREBY ANNOUNCES:

The competitive entrance examination into the first year of the Cycle of **Senior Technicians in Rural Engineering (STRE)** for the **2020/2021** academic year is scheduled to take place on the **30th of September 2020**,

For the **Rural Equipment and Development Specialization Training School (REDSTS) KUMBA**, the **Technical School of Agriculture (TSA) GAROUA** and the **International Centre of Polytechnics Studies (CIEPO) OBALA**;

At the following Centres: **RCA BAMBILI, EBOLOWA and MAROUA**; **NCC BAMENDA and EBOLOWA**; **CDSTS GUIDER, KUMBA and SANTA**; **REDSTS KUMBA**; **TSA ABONG-MBANG, BAFANG, BAMBILI, DIBOMBARI, EBOLOWA, GAROUA, MAROUA, NKAMBE, SANGMELIMA**; **CIEPO, IAO**; **ISSAEER**; **ISTAO**; **DOUALA, NGAOUNDERE and YAOUNDE**.

I – TRAINING OFFER

The duration of training is **two (02) years** and students will obtain the **Diploma of Senior Technician in Rural Engineering**, issued by MINADER, in the following specialisations:

- Water Resources Management (WRM);
- Rural Constructions (RC).

In addition, students can also sit for the Higher National Diploma examination and obtain a **Higher National Diploma in Rural Engineering** issued by MINESUP.

II – NUMBER OF PLACES FOR EACH TRAINING SCHOOL

❖ Options: Water Resources Management and Rural Constructions

• REDSTS of KUMBA	External candidates	100 places
• CIEPO	External candidates	50 places

❖ Option: Water Resources Management

TSA GAROUA	External candidates	40 places
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III – GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

This competitive entrance examination will take place in one session, for external candidates. Candidates should be of Cameroonian nationality, holder of the GCE A-Levels in at least two scientific papers or any equivalent diploma.

Students who sat for the 2020 national examination and are awaiting results can register for the exam and are authorized to sit for the exam while awaiting their certificates. However, these students will need to present their acceptance slips so as to justify that they sat for the GCE A Levels examination this year, and will have to complete their documents immediately after the publication of the G.C.E results. Their final admission will depend on their success in the required diploma.

Foreign candidates and candidates from enterprises, decentralized territorial services, and those from other non-governmental organisations could, within the available number of places, be admitted after a study of their files.

Registration for the competitive entrance examination will be done by deposition of a file in an examination centre.

IV – APPLICATION FILE

The application file shall be deposited in the examination centre latest the **23rd of September 2020**, and shall comprise of the following:

- A stamped application of 1000 CFA F addressed to the Minister of Agriculture and Rural Development, indicating the examination centre and the training school chosen;
- A certified true copy of birth certificate not more than 03 (three) months old;
- A certified true copy of the required diploma not more than 03 (three) months old;
- An attestation of presentation of the original of the diploma;
- A medical certificate testifying that the candidate is able to undertake agropastoral and rural works;
- 04 recent passport-size photographs;
- A receipt issued by the chief of financial affairs of the centre as follows:





- 15 000 (fifteen thousands) CFA F for external candidates;
- 30 000 (thirty thousands) CFA F for the study of files for foreign candidates or candidates from organizations.
- A registration form duly signed by candidate.

Candidates' files should be deposited at:

- The Directorates of the schools appertaining to the MINADER training dispositive (RCA, NCC, CDSTS, REDSTS, TSA, CIEPO, IAO, ISSAEER and ISTAO);
- The Agricultural Cooperative and Community Education and Training Division (ACCETD) of MINADER;
- The Regional Delegation of Agriculture and Rural Development of Littoral and Adamawa.

Application files of foreign candidates and candidates from organisations received in various examination centres must be forwarded to ACCETD for study.

V – TRAINING FEES

Training fees are as follows:

For REDSTS of Kumba and TSA of Garoua

- Annual registration fees 25 000 CFA F
- Annual tuition fees
 - For external candidates 200 000 CFA F
 - For foreigners and candidates from organizations 500 000 CFA F
- Refundable caution fee 25 000 CFA F for the duration of the course

For CIEPO

- Annual registration fees 50 000 CFAF
- Annual tuition fees 350 000 CFAF

VI – EXAMINATION CALENDAR AND MODALITIES

Date	Paper	Percentage	Duration	Time
30 September 2020	Scientific and Technical knowledge	75%	4h	8h - 12h
	General knowledge	25%	2h	14h – 16h

N.B.: Eliminary mark = 05/20

VII – EXAMINATION SYLLABUS

The examination will be based on Upper Sixth syllabus.

Scientific and Technical knowledge: this paper will be composed of:

- Mathematics
- Physics-Chemistry.

General Knowledge: this paper will be based on major current national and international development issues.

VIII – PUBLICATION OF THE RESULTS

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

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**The Minister of Agriculture and Rural
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