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PRESS RELEASE

THE MINISTER DELEGATE AT THE PRESIDENCY IN CHARGE OF DEFENCE HEREBY INFORMS:

Young male Cameroonians who are interested in building a career with the Defence Forces that the competitive entrance examinations for the special recruitment of **2,000** elite commandos comprising **700** for the **Presidential Guard** and **1,300** for the **Rapid Intervention Battalion** (including 100 State Registered Nurses) shall take place from **21st October to 2nd December 2023** in the headquarters of the applicants' regions of origin. Conditions to be fulfilled are as follows:

I - CONDITIONS TO BE FULFILLED BY APPLICANTS

- Be of Cameroonian nationality;
- Be at least 18 years old on 1st January 2023 and at most 23 years old on 31st December 2023 (that is, should be born between 31st December 2000 for the oldest and 1st January 2005 for the youngest);
- For State Registered Nurse (SRN) applicants, be at least 25 years old on 31st December 2023 (that is, should be born between 31st December 1998 for the oldest and 1st January 2005 for the youngest);
- Have a clean criminal record;
- Be single without dependent children;
- Be of good character;
- Be physically fit to take the prescribed medical, intellectual and sports tests;
- Be holder of at least the FSLC or the CEP or any equivalent certificate. **However, it is strongly recommended that applicants submit their highest certificate;**
- State Registered Nurse (SRN) applicants, must be holders of a State Registered Nursing certificate awarded by the Ministry of Public Health;
- Be at least 1.66 metres tall.

II - CONSTITUTION OF APPLICATION FILE

- A handwritten application bearing a 1,500 CFA francs stamp, signed by the applicant and addressed to the Minister Delegate at the Presidency in charge of Defence;
- A certified true copy of birth certificate, not more than 03 (three) months old;

- A certified true copy of the required certificate;
- An attestation of presentation of original of the required certificate;
- **For State Registered Nurse (SRN) applicants, a certified true copy of the required certificate and an attestation of presentation of original of State Registered Nursing certificate;**
- A certificate of non-conviction, not more than 03 (three) months old;
- An information sheet (*fiche de renseignements*) duly filled out;
- A certificate of celibacy;
- Four (4x4) passport-size photographs of the applicant with his/her name overleaf;
- An **unlegalised** photocopy of National Identity Card or its receipt;
- A certificate of Cameroonian nationality issued by the competent authority;
- An envelope bearing a 500 CFA francs stamp and the applicant's address;
- A curriculum vitae signed by the applicant;
- A sum of **5,000 (five thousand) CFA francs** as fees for participation in the recruitment (**to be paid during summary medical examination**);
- A sum of **20,000 (twenty thousand) CFA francs**, for thorough medical examination, **to be paid by applicants who have met the pre-selection requirements.**

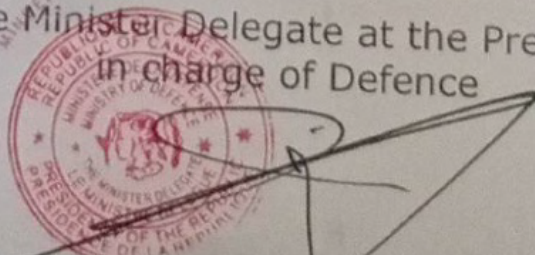
Note to applicants:

- They must take the recruitment tests only in the headquarters of their administrative regions of origin;
- They must not get married until after 03 (three) years of active service;
- They must present original certificates or any official equivalent certificate, else face legal action.

Moreover, selected applicants must report at the entry points of the various Training Centres of the Presidential Guard and the Rapid Intervention Battalion with the originals of their National Identity Card, failing which they shall be dismissed.

Complete application files should **preferably** be submitted at the Command Posts of the Military Sectors of applicants' administrative regions of origin, or at the Command Posts of the Military Sectors of applicants' administrative regions of residence, as from **Monday 4th September to Friday 6th October 2023 at 3:30 p.m.** prompt./-

The Minister Delegate at the Presidency
in charge of Defence



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