#### लोक सेवा आयोग

# नेपाल इन्जिनियरिङ्क सेवा, मेट्रोलोजी समूह, राजपत्रांङ्कित प्रथम श्रेणी, सहसचिव वा सो सरह पदको खुला तथा आन्तरिक प्रतियोगितात्मक लिखित परीक्षाको पाठ्यक्रम

# द्वितीय पत्र :- प्राविधिक विषय

## 1. **Metrology in General**

Global Legal, Industrial, Scientific and Chemical measurement system & its status in Nepal

2. **Mass standards** – Types and classes; mass comparators; Industrial weighing systems namely mechanical, electrical, pneumatic, hydraulic and electrical systems;

Accuracy classes of balances; Calibration of electronic balances/ single pan, two knife edge balances and including direct reading electronic precision balances

- 3. **Calibration of weights** by direct comparison and using weighing designs
- 4. **True Mass, Apparent Mass and Conventional Mass** value, buoyancy corrections, Estimation of air density, errors due to non-correction for buoyancy;

## 5. Measurement of Temperature

Thermodynamic Scale/Practical temperature Scales; International Temperature Scale of 1990, ITS 90, Industrial Thermometers, Calibration of Liquid in Glass Thermometer Calibration of Thermocouples

#### 6. Measurement of Force and Pressure

Characteristics of Force Measuring devices, Proving Ring, Verification of Tensile and compressive Testing machines,

Verification of Pressure Gauze

# 7. Measurement of Electrical Parameters

Calibration of multifunction Calibrator

Calibration of digital multimeters

Calibration of analogue multimeters

#### 8. Uncertainty of Measurement

Errors and uncertainty in measurement and their statistical analysis:

Calibration of 1 kg weight with buoyancy corrections,

Determination of the uncertainty of the value of a test mass,

Determination of the volume of a cylinder,

Calibration of a digital thermometer,

Determination of combined standard uncertainty and effective degrees of freedom Expanded uncertainty

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# 9. **Conformity Assessment (CA):** CA Infrastructure, Proficiency testing

SAARC Agreement on Multilateral arrangement on Recognition of Conformity Assessment; SAARC agreement on Implementation of Regional Standards ISO/IEC 17043 Conformity Assessment – General requirements for Proficiency

testing

Proficiency testing bodies; laboratories; Accreditation Bodies; Reference material producers; Regulators Standard Bodies; Professional bodies (for educational value of PT), Proficiency Testing by interlaboaratory comparisons; Development and operation of Proficiency Testing Schemes; Selection and use of proficiency testing Schemes by Laboratory Accreditation Bodies

# 10. General requirements for the competence of testing and calibration laboratories (ISO /IEC 17025)

Management requirement, technical requirement, test and calibration methods and method validation, Equipment, Calibration, Testing, Reference standards and reference material; Test reports and calibration certificates

#### 11. Quality Management Systems ISO 9001

General requirement; Documentation requirements, Quality policy; Quality objectives; Quality manual

## 12. Environmental Management System

General requirements, Environmental policy and planning

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## Sample Questions

- 1. Distinguish between Proficiency Testing bodies, Accreditation bodies and professional bodies.
- 2. Classify industrial thermometers. What instrument do you suggest for accurate and precise measurement of liquid metal in foundry workshop? Justify your answers with logical reasons.