

Public Administration Circular No : 01/95

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Ministry of Public Administration, Home Affairs,  
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All Secretaries and  
Heads of Departments

**Public Officers Retired In Terms of  
Public Administration Circular No. 44/90  
to Contest at Elections**

Public Officers retired in terms of Public Administration Circular No. 44/90 of 18.10.1990 in order to contest at the Parliamentary General Elections 1994 may be reinstated, provided that they :-

- a) are in the category of Public Officers not entitled to exercise Political Rights interms of Chapter XXXII of the Establishments Code;
- (b) were not elected due to their not obtaining a sufficient number of Preferential Votes;
- c). have made a request for re-employment; and
- d). are under the optional age of retirement.

02. The period between their retirement and the re-instatement has to be set off against their accumulated leave and if there is a balance period of absence it should be treated as no-pay leave.

03. They should submit substantial proof to the effect that they have actually retired in terms of Public Administration Circular No. 44/90 to contest at the elections and did contest.

04. Provisions of this Circular may be applied to the contestants of the Local Authority Elections 1991 and Provincial Councils Elections 1993 and 1994.

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Secretary

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