- FROM: Permanent Secretary, Public Service Ministry
- TO: All Permanent Secretaries, Heads of Departments and Regional Executive Officers

SUBJECT:

Appointment of Economists

DATE: 17th June, 1981

Consequent upon Cabinet's decision – Cp (79) 28th Meeting (held 19th June, 1979). Conclusion 4 refers - that "Economics be identified as a Scare Field", approval has been given for persons appointed as Economists to be paid commencing salary four (4) increments above the minimum of the A24 salary scale.

2. As this decision is effective from 19th June, 1979, inclusive, the revised commencing salary attaching to the post is as follows:-

\$631.84 per month applicable during 1979

\$101.53 per month applicable during 1980 and onwards.

3. For your information, I set out below the qualification requirements for appointment to the position of Economist:-

A degree in Economics or Commerce or other equivalent qualification, from a recognized University.

<u>OR</u>

A degree in Social Science with a major in Economics from the University of Guyana or other recognized University.

4. Please bring the contents hereof to the attention of all Officers concerned so that appropriate adjustments could be effected to the salaries of persons who had been appointed as Economists prior to the date of issue of this Circular; also, that persons so appointed currently would be paid salaries at the correct rate.

(Sgd.) H. Ali H. Ali For permanent Secretary.