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FROM: Permanent Secretary,  
Public Service Ministry

TO: All Permanent Secretaries,  
Heads of Departments and  
Regional Executive Officers

**SUBJECT:**

**Mashramani Celebrations 1989 – The People’s Parade.**

DATE: 1989-02-09

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The Sub-Committee responsible for the preparation and organization of the People’s Parade has indicated that as part of the annual Mashramani Celebrations, the People’s Parade will be held on Saturday, 18<sup>th</sup> February 1989. The theme for this year’s Parade is “Towards a Brighter Future”. The Parade is scheduled to commence at 08:00 hours from the following assembly points.

Camp Ayangana, Thomas Lands (for military and paramilitary personnel).

Independence Park – formerly Parade Ground (for all civilian personnel).

2. Participants are required to be present at the assembly points at 7:30 hours. All contingents would be required to march past the Square of the Revolution where the Government representative will take the salute.
3. Prizes will be awarded for the best uniformed, best turned out contingents on parade (military and paramilitary organisations would be excluded). Each Ministry / Department is expected to march under a tidy and appropriate banner. Since every Region will be holding its own People’s Parade event. There is no need for the movement of personnel from outlying regions into Georgetown (Region No. 4).
4. You are requested to impress upon all staff in your Ministry / Department / Region the necessity for them to participate fully in this National Event and to ensure that adequate steps are taken to facilitate maximum mobilization. Let us do our best to make Mashramani ’89 bigger and brighter. Please ensure that flags, banners, buntings and other forms of decoration used during Mashramani Celebrations are clean, brightly coloured and in good condition. Ministries / Departments are also encouraged to enter the Decorated Building and Costume Band Competitions.
5. Ministries and Departments should put their flags / buntings etc. on buildings by 15<sup>th</sup> February, 1989 and take them down by 25<sup>th</sup> February, 1989.
6. Please bring the contents of this Circular to the attention of all staff in your respective organisations.

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Permanent Secretary,  
Public Service Ministry.