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To All Ministry Secretaries,
Chief Secretaries of Provincial Councils,
Heads of Departments and
Heads of Government Corporations,
and Statutory Boards.

**Holding Public Examinations on Days that are Declared
as Public Holidays Exclusively for the Benefit of
Public Officers Professing Certain Religions**

Holidays which are specific to public servants of particular religious groups have been declared along with other Public Holidays. (e.g. Mahasivarathi Day and Hadji Festival Day)

02. The Government has decided that no public examinations including those conducted by universities, institutions of higher education, and schools should be held on such holidays.

03. Please comply with this requirement.

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Secretary
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