RÉPUBLIC OF CAMEROON

ORDER N° 18/00030

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To launch the competitive entrance examination into Year one of the first cycle of the Higher Teacher Training College (ENS), University of Yaounde I, for the 2018/2019 academic year.

THE MINISTER OF HIGHER EDUCATION,

Mindful of the Constitution;

Mindful

Mindful of Law N° 2001/005 of 16th April 2001 to set up Higher Education orientation;

Mindful of Decree N° 88/1328 of 28th September 1988 to organise the Higher Teacher Training College;

Mindful of Decree N° 93/026 of 19th January 1993 to set up Universities;

Mindful of Decree N° 93/036 of 29 January 1993 to set up administrative and academic organisation in the University of Yaounde I;

Mindful of Decree N° 2005/342 of 10th September 2005 to modify and to complete certain dispositions of Decree N° 93/027 of 19th January 1993 to set up general disposition for the universities;

Mindful of Decree N° 2018/190 of 02nd March 2018 to complete certain dispositions of Decree N° 2011/408 of 09th December 2011 to organize the government;

Mindful of Decree N° 2018/191 of 02nd March 2018 to reshuffle the government;

Mindful of Decree N° 2012/433 of 01st October 2012 to organize the Ministry of Higher Education;

Mindful of Order N° 18/00091/MINESUP/SG/DAUQ/SDEAC/SE of 22nd February 2018 to set up the calendar for competitive entrance examinations into the institutions of Cameroon state universities, in the course of the academic year 2018-2019;

of Circular N° 004/CAB/PM of 10 February 2000 concerning the admission into national training

institutions and the recruitment Into the Public Service.

On the proposal of the Rector of the University of Yaounde I;

HEREBY DECIDES AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Article 1</u>: (1) A competitive entrance examination into year one of the first cycle of the Higher Teacher Training College (ENS), University of Yaoundé I, for the 2018/2019 academic year has been launched in the following series:

| Series | Number of places |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|
| Allemand | 20 |
| Biologie | 35 |
| Chimie | 35 |
| Espagnol | 20 |
| Géographie | 25 |
| Histoire | 25 |
| Informatique | 35 |
| Langues et cultures camerounaises | 20 |
| Lettres bilingues | 20 |
| Lettres classiques | 20 |
| Lettres modernes françaises | 60 |
| Mathématiques | 70 |
| Physique | 35 |
| Total | 420 |

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(2) In the Biologie, Chimie, Informatique, Mathématiques et Physique series, candidates from the section classes scientifiques spéciales, regularly registered for the academis year 2017-2018, will benefit for 10 % of the places offered in the entrance examination for their admission into ENS.

<u>Article 2</u>: The examination shall be organised in one sitting to Cameroonians of both sexes who are holders of "Baccalauréat" or GCE AL requested in subsequent series.

"Langues et cultures camerounaises" series and the "Lettres bilingues" series are opened to holders of GCE A/L in at least two (2) subjects including "French" and at least four (4) GCE O/L subjects excluding 'Religious Knowledge'.

The "Lettres bilingues" series shall be opened only to holders of Baccalaureat ABI or GCE A/L who fulfill the rest of the conditions stipulated in the present decision.

The table below specifies the series of "Baccalauréat" and the subjects candidate must pass in the GCE A/L to be qualified to register for the competitive entrance examination in a given series:

| Series | Type of Baccalauréat et subjects of GCE AL | |
|-----------------------------------|---|--|
| Allemand | A ₄ (option Allemand) | |
| Espagnol ' ' | A ₄ (option Espagnol) | |
| Biologie | C ou D | |
| Chimie | C, D ou E | |
| Géographie | A ₄ (option Allemand ou Espagnol), ABI, C ou D | |
| Histoire | A ₄ (option Allemand ou Espagnol), ABI, C ou D | |
| Informatique | C, D, E, F ou TI | |
| Langues et cultures camerounaises | A ₄ (option Allemand ou Espagnol), ABI ou A ₂ French for the GCE AL | |
| Lettres bilingues | French for the GCE AL, ABI | |
| Lettres classiques | A ₄ (option Allemand ou Espagnol), ABI, A ₁ ou A ₂ | |
| Lettres modernes françaises | A ₄ (option Allemand ou Espagnol), ABI, A ₁ ou A ₂ | |
| Mathématiques | C, D, E ou TI | |
| Physique | C, D, E ou TI | |

Article 3: (1) Foreign candidates may be allowed to sit for the examination, under the same academic conditions and according to the number of places available, in conformity with the regulations in force.

(2) Candidates must not be more than 30 years old by January 1st, 2018.

Article 4: The application files shall comprise the following documents:

- A registration form available at ENS, Regional Centres, the MINESUP website http://www.minesup.gov.cm and ENS website http://www.ens.cm.
- A certified photocopy of the birth certificate which must not be more than six (6) months old from the date of issue:
- Photocopies of transcripts of Probatoire or GCE O/L and Baccalauréat or GCE A/L signed or certified by the competent boards as well as results slips;



- A certified true photocopy of Baccalauréat or GCE A/L or equivalent diploma which must not be more than six (6) months old from the date of issue. Candidates preparing for the Baccalauréat or GCE A/L for the 2016/2017 session shall present their diploma in due time;
- A medical certificate issued by a medical officer, from the Administration, testifying that the candidate is physically and medically fit for teaching;
- A certificate of non-conviction which must not be more than six (6) months old from the date of issue;
- A receipt of twenty thousand (20,000) CFA as registration fee issued by BICEC account No 100001-06865-95647265002-11. No other form of payment is accepted;
- One A4 self-addressed machine-stamped envelope;
- Two passport-size photographs;
- An authorisation to sit for the examination issued by the Minister of Basic Education, the Minister of Secondary Education or the Minister of Higher Education for candidates working in these Ministries.

Article 5: Holders of foreign diplomas shall submit either the equivalence or the receipt showing that they applied for the equivalence of their diplomas or certificates. The order granting equivalence and the receipt are issued by the Minister of Higher Education. The final admission of these candidates shall be confirmed only upon presentation, within the dateline set by the competent authorities, of the text granting them equivalence.

<u>Article 6</u>: Candidates who are civil servants shall <u>not be eligible</u> to write the competitive entrance examination as external candidates.

.Article 7: Complete files should be submitted to ENS (Admission Office) latest September 21st, 2018 and September 14th, 2018 for Regional centres.

Article 8: The examination shall comprise:

- a. Academic performance (25% of the total assessment);
- b. Two written papers (75% of the total assessment);

Article 9: The written papers will take place on Saturday September 29th, 2018 in the following examination centers: Bafoussam, Bambili, Bertoua, Buea, Douala, Ebolowa, Garoua, Maroua, Ngaoundere, Yaoundé.

Article 10: The distribution of papers per series is indicated in the following table:

| Séries · | Première épreuve (3h) (coef. 4) | Deuxième épreuve (3h) (coef. 2) |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|
| Allemand | Langue allemande | Littérature et civilisation germaniques |
| Biologie | Biologie | Chimie |
| Chimie | Chimie | Physique |
| Espagnol | Langue espagnole | Littérature et civilisation hispaniques |
| Géographie | Géographie | Histoire |
| Histoire | Histoire | Géographie |
| Informatique | Mathématiques | Test de raisonnement logique |
| Langues et cultures camerounaises | Langues française ou anglaise | Culture générale |
| Lettres bilingues | Langue française | Essay |

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| Lettres classiques | Thème et versions (latin ou grec pour A ₁ et A ₂) Grammaire normative (pour A ₄ et ABI) | Dissertation |
|-----------------------------|---|--------------|
| Lettres modernes françaises | Langue française | Dissertation |
| Mathématiques | Algèbre et Analyse | Géométrie |
| Physique | Physique | Chimie |

- (1) The syllabuses of the competitive entrance examination are the same as those of the Baccalauréat or GCE A/L programmes.
- (2) The grading of each written paper ranges from zero to twenty according to the abovementioned coefficients. Any score below five on twenty is eliminatory.
- (3) After the written examination for admission, the jury shall prepare the list of successful candidates per series and by order of merit.
- (4) The results are published by the Minister of Higher Education.
- (5) Successful candidates cannot, under any circumstance, postpone their registration to the following academic year.

Article 11: The academic performance will be based on:

- the candidate's age; .
- the number of years spent in Secondary school;
- marks obtained in Probatoire or GCE O/L and in Baccalauréat or GCE A/L.

<u>Article 12</u>: The composition of the jury mentioned in article 7 above is specified by the Minister of Higher Education.

Article 13: A fraudulous admission, within the non-respect of de conditions concerning diplomas, grade, age or seniority shall expose the concerned candidate to be excluded at any moment without any procedure.

Article 14: Registration fees are not refundable.

Article 15: The Rector of the University of Yaoundé I, the Director of the Department of University accreditations and quality, and the Director of the Higher Teacher Training College, each in his/her own sphere, is responsible for the implementation of this decision, which shall be registered and published in English and French wherever necessary.

Yaoundé,

Jacques FAME NDONGO, MINISTER OF HIGHER EDUCATION

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