



# POLICE SERVICE COMMISSION

## JOB OPPORTUNITY

### COMMISSIONER OF POLICE

The Police Service Commission is seeking to appoint a suitably qualified Trinidad and Tobago national to the office of Commissioner of Police, Trinidad and Tobago Police Service, Ministry of National Security, and is inviting applications for the office.

#### **DETAILS OF THE POSITION:**

##### **JOB SUMMARY:**

An incumbent in this office plans, organizes, directs and controls all strategic activities of the Police Service in the enforcement of laws and ordinances, crime prevention and the protection of life and property in order to promote and achieve higher levels of safety and security for the nation. Work involves providing policy advice and decision making support to the Minister, Permanent Secretary and the Police Service Commission; formulating, implementing and monitoring policies plans and programmes for the Police Service; and managing the financial resources allocated to the Police Service particularly as it relates to the procurement of goods and services. Duties also include planning, organizing and directing the major divisions of the Police Service in strategic, operational and tactical planning activities, providing administrative direction and oversight and fostering cooperative working relationships with other arms of the Ministry. Work is performed with innovativeness, initiative, discretion and independent judgment and is reviewed as necessary to keep informed and to monitor effectiveness/accuracy based on functional policies.

##### **QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE:**

- Training as evidenced by the possession of a Master's Degree from a University recognised by the Ministry responsible for Higher Education in any of the following: Law, Criminal Justice, Criminology, Police Service Management or any other relevant degree; **and**
- No less than 15 years' experience of increasing responsibility in law enforcement.

#### **GUIDE FOR APPLICANTS:**

##### **ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:**

- The required qualifications for the office of Commissioner of Police are provided for in Legal Notices 219 of 2015 dated 16<sup>th</sup> December 2015 and 339 of 2019 dated 4<sup>th</sup> November 2019 and reflected in the job specification for the office.

##### **MAKING AN APPLICATION:**

- Interested applicants can access additional information, including the Job Description, the Legal Notices, Online Application Form with Instructions, Checklist and a Guide for Applicants on the website of the Service Commission Department's website at [www.scd.org.tt](http://www.scd.org.tt)
- Your Application Form must be completed via the link that has been provided. Curricula Vitae and copies of supporting documents (certificates, etc.) are to be uploaded via the link on the website.
- Interested officers/persons **MUST** submit their applications **ONLINE ONLY**, on or before but not later than **20<sup>th</sup> July, 2021 at 4:00 pm (GMT-4)**
- All communication and enquiries in relation to your application should be submitted via email to the Secretary of the Police Service Commission at [scdpolscrecruit@gov.tt](mailto:scdpolscrecruit@gov.tt)

**TO ACCESS THE INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE ONLINE APPLICATION:** [CLICK HERE](#)

\*A Trinidad and Tobago national is a citizen of Trinidad and Tobago or anyone who is entitled to such citizenship.