

ANNEX :

SYLLABUS OF THE DIRECT COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION FOR THE RECRUITMENT OF 45 CADET SUPERINTENDENTS OF POLICE IN THE 1st YEAR

1st PAPER: GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

Candidates write an essay on the evolution of political, economic, social and cultural issues in the world since the beginning of the 20th century with emphasis on the specific problems of Africa in general and Cameroon in particular.

- The rise of extremism
- Economic growth and recession
- Religions
- Price inflation
- International relations
- International organisations
- Migrations
- Human trafficking
- Patriotism
- Social networks
- School failure
- Living together
- Climate change
- Demography
- Emergence
- Depravity of morals
- Terrorism
- Cybercrime

2nd PAPER: LAW

The question on law shall be drawn from the field of Private law or Public law as outlined below:

A) – PRIVATE LAW

a) – CRIMINAL LAW : (Books 1 et 2)

- Classification of offences
- Areas of application of the criminal law
- The legality of penalties and offences
- Criminal liability
- Offences against physical integrity, violence, assault and injury (murder, assassination, fatal blows, etc.)

- Damage to property
- Court warrants
- The arrest

b) - CRIMINAL PROCEDURE: (New Criminal Procedure Code)

- Public action
- Court warrants
- The arrest
- Judicial Police and Judicial Police Officers
- Police investigation
- The Legal Department and its functions with regard to criminal Courts;
- Police custody
- The evidence
- Prosecution of offences
- The functions of Judicial Police Officers
- Rogatory Commissions (Judicial delegation of power).

c) THE JUDICIAL ORGANISATION

- Civil justice
- Military justice

B) - PUBLIC LAW :

a) ADMINISTRATIVE LAW:

- The administrative organisation of the State (centralisation, devolution and decentralisation);
- Functions of Heads of administrative units;
- Organisation of councils in Cameroon from 1974 till date;
- The unilateral administrative act;
- Administrative contracts;
- Administrative responsibility and public authority;
- Administrative litigations;
- Public estates, State property;
- Public Service;
- The major public services of the State;
- The Administration's means of action.

b) CONSTITUTIONAL LAW (the evolution of Cameroonian institutions from 1956 to date)

- The Constitution (1st March 1960, 1st October 1961, 2nd June 1972 and its revision of 18th January 1996 and its amendment of 14 April 2008
- The presidential and Parliamentary systems of government)
- The forms of the state
- The separation of powers principle
- The Constitutional Council;

- The hierarchy of legal norms
- Electoral systems;
- The Prime Minister, Head of Government.
- Political immunities
- The law of exception

d) PUBLIC LIBERTIES:

- General principles;
- Individual freedoms;
- Civil liberties;
- Economic liberties.

e) THE NATIONAL SECURITY:

- Special Statute of the National Security Civil Servants Corps;
- Organisation chart of the General Delegation for National Security.