

## NOTICE OF EXAMINATION

### **REQUIRED FORMS**

APPLICATION

EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE TEST PAPER

FOREIGN EDUCATION FACT SHEET (IF APPLICABLE)

### Bus Maintainer – Group B Exam No. 2619

WHEN TO APPLY: From: June 6, 2012 APPLICATION FEE: \$68.00

To: June 26, 2012 (This Fee is Non-Refundable)

**THE TEST DATE:** The practical test is expected to begin on Wednesday, October 17, 2012

The eligible list resulting from this examination may also be used to fill vacancies in the title of Mechanical Maintainer – Group C. If you are found eligible and accept or decline appointment either as a Bus Maintainer – Group B or as a Mechanical Maintainer – Group C, you will have your name removed from the eligible list.

JOB DESCRIPTIONS: Bus Maintainers – Group B, under supervision, maintain, inspect, test, diagnose, alter, rebuild and repair the electrical, electronic, mechanical, hydraulic, pneumatic and air conditioning equipment of New York City Transit's buses, trucks and other motor vehicles. They inspect, test, alter and repair diesel and gasoline engines; hybrid natural gas/electric engines/motors, inverters, high pressure fuel systems, clutches, transmissions, axles, generators, compressors, air conditioning systems, brake assemblies, door wheelchair lifts, and electrical and mechanical accessories; align, adjust and/or repair wheels, steering equipment and suspension systems; reline and adjust brakes and clutches; diagnose and repair modular automotive multiplex systems; operate power machine tools and portable power tools; use electronic diagnostic tools; use hand tools; record data and keep records; use computerized equipment; drive motor vehicles; may travel for training and vehicle inspection functions; and perform related work.

Some of the physical activities performed by Bus Maintainers - Group B and environmental conditions experienced are: crawling under buses and working in confined areas; lifting and carrying heavy equipment; moving out of the way of moving buses and overhead cranes; manually removing and installing parts and bolts in confined areas; making visual inspections of equipment; distinguishing colors; reading gauges and prints; responding to sounds from warning bells, horns and vehicle movement; and working outdoors in all weather conditions.

**Mechanical Maintainers – Group C**, under supervision, maintain, install, inspect, test, alter, and repair shop equipment and machinery in New York City Transit's bus shops. They maintain, install, inspect, test, alter, and repair electro-mechanical, hydraulic, and pneumatic equipment and machinery, including cranes, forklifts, bus lifts, paint booths, pressure washers, overhead doors, and machine shop equipment; drive trucks; keep records; and perform related work.

Some of the physical activities performed by Mechanical Maintainers – Group C and the environmental conditions they experience are working outdoors in all weather conditions, crouching under equipment and machinery, making visual and tactile inspections of equipment, reading gauges and drawings, climbing into and out of maintenance pits, working in confined spaces, climbing ladders and structures, operating lifts and overhead machinery and cranes, welding, using hand and power tools, hearing warnings (verbal, horns, bells), and carrying heavy tools and equipment.

**Special Working Conditions:** Bus Maintainers – Group B and Mechanical Maintainers – Group C will be required to work various shifts, including nights, Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays.

(This is a brief description of what you might do in these positions and does not include all the duties of these positions.)

### **SALARY AND BENEFITS:**

The current minimum salary for Bus Maintainers – Group B and Mechanical Maintainers – Group C is \$29.3700 per hour for a 40-hour week, with an increase to \$31.8725 in the fourth year. These rates are subject to change. In addition, you will receive night and weekend salary differentials, paid holidays, vacations, sick leave, a comprehensive medical plan, and a pension plan.

### HOW TO QUALIFY:

Education and Experience Requirements: By the last day of the application period you must have:

Three years of full-time experience as a journey-level mechanic (i.e., a fully trained, knowledgeable, experienced, proficient and competent mechanic) repairing passenger automobiles, trucks, buses or aircraft. This experience <a href="MUST">MUST</a> include work on engines and electrical systems, and at least one other automotive or aircraft system such as brake, transmission or HVAC.

For the above journey-level experience to be credited, it must be preceded by one of the following:

- 1. Two years of full-time experience as a mechanic's helper, apprentice or trainee performing or assisting in the work described above; or
- Graduation from a recognized trade school or technical school, approved by a state's Department of Education or comparable agency, with a major course of study in automotive mechanics or a closely related field, totaling 600 hours; or
- 3. Graduation from a vocational high school, approved by a state's Department of Education or comparable agency, with a major course of study in automotive mechanics, or a closely related field; or
- 4. Graduation from an accredited college or university with an AAS degree or higher in automotive mechanics or a closely related field. Accreditation must be by a regional, national, professional or specialized agency recognized as an accrediting body by the U.S. Secretary of Education and by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA).

You may substitute three months of the full-time journey-level mechanic experience listed above for each Automotive Service Excellence (ASE) certification you possess, up to a maximum of one year of journey-level experience for four (4) ASE certifications. Only ASE certifications at the technician level in the automobile/light truck, medium/heavy truck, transit bus, and truck equipment series will be accepted as appropriate substitutions. All applicants <u>must</u> possess a minimum of two (2) years of journey-level experience.

The following are types of experience that are <u>not</u> acceptable: auto body and fender repair; auto or truck assembly; dealership make-ready repair; fuel, oil and lube servicing; vehicle inspection; exclusive specialty replacement shop work, such as tire replacement, replacement of exhaust parts (muffler), glass, climate control parts, etc.; and salvage and junkyard extraction.

You may be given the test before we review your qualifications. You are responsible for determining whether you meet the qualification requirements for this examination prior to submitting your application. If you are marked "Not Qualified," your application fee will **not** be refunded and you will not receive a score.

### **REQUIREMENTS TO BE APPOINTED:**

### **Driver License Requirement:**

Bus Maintainers – Group B: At the time of appointment, you must possess either:

- 1. A Class B Commercial Driver License valid in the State of New York with a passenger endorsement and no disqualifying restrictions that would preclude the performance of the duties of Bus Maintainer Group B; or
- A Motor Vehicle Driver License valid in the State of New York and a Learner's Permit for a Class B
  Commercial Driver License valid in the State of New York with a passenger endorsement and no
  disqualifying no restrictions.

If you qualify under "2" above, your appointment will be subject to the receipt of a Class B Commercial Driver License valid in the State of New York with a passenger endorsement and no restrictions at the end of a special training course in bus operation.

If you fail to successfully complete the special training course in bus operation, including the receipt of a Class B Commercial Driver License valid in the state of New York with a passenger endorsement and no restrictions, you will be terminated. If you have serious moving violations, license suspension or an accident record you may be disqualified.

The Class B Commercial Driver License, as described above, must be maintained for the duration of your employment. Such license and/or Learner's Permit must not include any restrictions which would preclude the performance of Bus Maintainer - Group B work.

Mechanical Maintainers - Group C: At the time of appointment, you must possess either:

- 1. A Class B Commercial Driver License valid in the State of New York with no restrictions; or
- A Motor Vehicle Driver License valid in the State of New York and a Learner Permit for a Class B Commercial Driver License valid in the State of New York with no disqualifying restrictions that would preclude the performance of the duties of Mechanical Maintainer - Group C.

If you qualify under "2" above, you must meet the following conditions or your employment will be terminated:

- 1. You must pass a special training course in truck operation offered by New York City Transit; and
- 2. You must receive a Class B Commercial Driver License valid in the State of New York with no disqualifying restrictions within six months of your appointment.

The Class B Commercial Driver License, as described above, must be maintained for the duration of your employment. Such license and/or Learner's Permit must not include any restrictions which would preclude the performance Mechanical Maintainer – Group C work. If you have serious moving violations, license suspension or an accident record you may be disqualified.

**Medical Requirement:** Medical guidelines have been established for the position of Bus Maintainer – Group B and Mechanical Maintainer – Group C. You will be examined to determine whether you can perform the essential functions of the position of Bus Maintainer – Group B and Mechanical Maintainer – Group C. Where appropriate, a reasonable accommodation will be provided for a person with a disability to enable him or her to take the examination, and /or to perform the essential functions of the job.

**Drug Screening Requirement:** Bus Maintainers – Group B and Mechanical Maintainers – Group C must pass a drug screening in order to be appointed.

Residency: New York City residency is not required for these positions.

English Requirement: You must be able to understand and be understood in English.

**Proof of Identity:** Under the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, you must be able to prove your identity and your right to obtain employment in the United States prior to employment with New York City Transit

**Training:** You will be required to complete and pass all parts of a training course in bus maintenance operations as a condition of passing probation. If you do not successfully complete this training course, you will be terminated.

**HOW TO OBTAIN AN APPLICATION:** During the application period, you may obtain an application for this examination as follows:

- 1. Online at http://www.mta.info, or
- 2. In person, Monday through Friday, from 9 AM to 3 PM at:

NYC Transit Exam Information Center 180 Livingston Street (Lobby) Brooklyn, NY

### **REQUIRED FORMS:**

- 1. **Application:** Make sure that you follow all instructions included with your application, including payment of fee. Save a copy of the instructions for future reference.
- Education and Experience Test Paper: Write your social security number in the box at the top right side of
  the cover page, and the examination title and number in the box provided. Fill out Sections A, B and C. This
  form must be filled out completely and in detail for you to receive your proper rating. Keep a copy of your
  completed Education and Experience Test Paper for your records.
- 3. Foreign Education Fact Sheet (Required only if you need credit for your foreign education to meet the education and experience requirements): If you were educated outside the United States, you must have your foreign education evaluated to determine its equivalence to education obtained in the United States. The services that are approved to make this evaluation are listed on the Foreign Education Fact Sheet included with your application packet. When you contact the evaluation service, ask for a "documentby-document" (general) evaluation of your foreign education.

### HOW TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION AND PAY THE APPLICATION FEE:

If you believe you meet the requirements in the "How to Qualify" section, you must submit an application by mail. New York City Transit will <u>not</u> accept applications in person.

### Applications by Mail must:

- 1. Be postmarked by the last day of the application period.
- 2. Include all of the required forms, as indicated in the Required Forms section above.
- 3. Be mailed to the address in the "Correspondence Section" of this notice.
- 4. Include the appropriate fee in the form of a money order.

### The Money Order (Postal Money Order Preferred) must:

- 1. Be made payable to NYC Transit.
- 2. Be valid for one year.
- 3. Have the following information written on it: your name, home address, the last four digits of your social security number and the exam title and exam number.

Cash and personal checks will <u>not</u> be accepted. Save your money order receipt for future reference and proof of filing an application.

ADMISSION LETTER: You should receive an Admission Letter in the mail about 10 days before the first date of the practical test. If you do not receive an Admission Letter at least 4 days before the first date of the practical test, you may obtain a duplicate letter at: NYC Transit, 180 Livingston Street (Lobby) Brooklyn, NY 11201, Hours: Monday through Friday, 9 AM to 3 PM.

- **THE TEST:** You will be given a practical test. A score of at least 70 is required to pass this test. Your score on this test will be used to determine your place on an eligible list. The practical test will measure your ability to install, maintain and repair various automotive systems and components, use tools, read schematic diagrams and perform related tasks.
- **THE TEST RESULTS:** If you meet the education and experience requirements and pass the practical test, your name will be placed in final score order on an eligible list and you will be given a list number. You will be notified by mail of your test results. If you meet all requirements and conditions, you will be considered for appointment when your name is reached on the eligible list.

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

**Promotion Test:** A promotion examination for this title is being held for eligible New York City Transit employees. The names appearing on the promotion list will be considered first in filling vacancies.

### SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS:

**Special Testing Accommodations**: If you plan to request special testing accommodations due to a disability or an alternate test date due to your religious beliefs, follow the instructions included with the *Application* and mail your request to the address found in the "Correspondence Section" below, no later than 30 days prior to the scheduled test date.

### CORRESPONDENCE SECTION:

All correspondence, including the submission of your application, must be sent to the address below:

Bus Maintainer – Group B, Exam No. 2619 NYC Transit 180 Livingston Street, Room 4070 Brooklyn, NY 11201

# APPLICATION FOR EXAMINATION



# 7. MIDDLE INITIAL: When applying for examinations, follow the directions on the next page with money orders made out and mailings addressed to MTA New York City Transit (NYCT). Fill in all requested information clearly, accurately, and completely. MTA New York payment. All unprocessed applications will be returned to the City Transit will only process applications with complete, correct, and legible information, which are accompanied by correct Type or Print All Required Information In Blue or Black Ink. FOLLOW DIRECTIONS ON NEXT PAGE 9. APT. #: 12. ZIP CODE: 13a. CELL PHONE: applicant. 3. EXAM TITLE: Bus Maintainer Group - B 11. STATE: **New York City Transit** I 4. EXAM TYPE: Open Competitive **Brooklyn NY, 11201** 1. SOCIAL SECURITY #: 8. MAILING ADDRESS: 10. CITY OR TOWN: 2. EXAM #: **2619** 6. FIRST NAME: 5. LAST NAME: 13. PHONE:

# Questions 15 & 16

14. OTHER NAMES USED IN CITY SERVICE:

15. RACE/ETHNICITY (CHECK ONE):

representation of protected groups among applicants. This information is voluntary and will not be made available to individuals making hiring decisions. observance is prohibited by law. All MTA Agencies are race, creed, color, age, disability, status or religious Discrimination on the basis of sex, sexual orientation, equal opportunity employers. The identifying information requested on this form is to be used to determine the

White 🔘 Black 🔘 Hispanic 🔘 American Indian/Alaskan Native 🔘 Asian/Pacific Islander 🔘 17. I claim religious observance and will request an alternate test date. (see "Special Circumstances" sheet) Female 🔘 Male 🔘 16. SEX (CHECK ONE):

E-MAIL ADDRESS (OPTIONAL):

18. Total disability and will request special accommodations.

(see "Special Circumstances" sheet)

DATE:

20. YOUR SIGNATURE:

Character and Background: Proof of good character and satisfactory background will be absolute prerequisites to appointment. The following are among the factors considered for disqualification: (a) conviction of an offense, the nature of which indicates lack of good moral character or disposition toward violence or disorder; (b) repeated convictions, where such convictions indicate a disrespect for the law; (c) discharge from employment, where such discharge indicates poor behavior or an inability to follow rules and disciplinary guidelines; (d) previous unsatisfactory employment, where such discharge from the Armed Forces; (f) previous misrepresentation of identity; (g) previous misrepresentation of authority to work in the United States.

### **APPLICATION FORM INSTRUCTIONS**

Print all information CLEARLY. Failure to do so may delay or disqualify your application.

NOTE: Read the Notice of Examination carefully before completing the application form to ensure that you meet the qualifications and eligibility requirements. MTA New York City Transit will only process applications with complete, correct, legible information which are accompanied by correct payment or waiver documentation. All unprocessed applications will be returned to the applicant. When appropriate New York City Transit will issue a refund for unprocessed applications after the close of the filing period.

BOX 1-4 SSN, EXAM NO., EXAM TITLE AND EXAM TYPE	A 9 digit Social Security Number is required. Refer to the Notice of Examination prior to filling in the exam number and exam title. Check either the Open Competitive or Promotion box to indicate the type of examination you are applying for.
BOX 5–14 GENERAL INFORMATION	The address you give will be used as your mailing address for all official correspondence. <b>Do Not</b> write your e-mail address as your mailing address. Only <b>one address</b> for each person is maintained in the files of this Department. If you change your mailing address after applying, see the " <b>Change of Address</b> " section on the Special Circumstances form.
BOX 1516. ETHNICITY AND SEX	Completing this information is voluntary. This information will not be made available to individuals making hiring decisions.
BOX 17-18 SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES	For Religious Observance, Special Accommodations because of a Disability, Veterans' or Disabled Veterans' Credit, Parent or Sibling Legacy Credit, please see the "Special Circumstances" form for qualifications and definitions for this section.
BOX 19 E-MAIL ADDRESS	(Optional) Enter your e-mail address if you have one.
BOX 20 SIGNATURE	Signing the application indicates that all statements you provided on this form and all other forms required for this examination are true and subject to the penalties of perjury.

### **FORMS**

All required forms which are listed in the upper-right-hand corner of the Notice of Examination must accompany your application. Failure to include these forms may result in your disqualification.

### FEE

The amount of the fee is stated in the Notice of Examination. Apply by mail only with a **MONEY ORDER** made out to **New York City Transit** (checks or cash **are not** accepted). On the front of the money order you must clearly print your **full name** and **the exam number**. Applications that are submitted without the application fee payment at the time of filing your application during the application period will be considered incomplete applications. Candidates whose applications are deemed incomplete will have their applications and fees returned and they will not be permitted to re-submit their applications to **New York City Transit** once the filing period has closed, nor will they be permitted to take the test on the date scheduled. Keep your money order receipt as proof of filing. The money order must be valid for at least 90 days from the issuing date.

### **FEE WAIVER**

General Examination Regulations E.3.2 states a filing fee is not charged if you are a New York City resident receiving full benefits for public/cash assistance from the New York City Department of Social Services or in accordance with Civil Service Law Section 50.5(b), the application fee shall be waived for any person who meets at least one of the following criteria during the month you wish to apply for an examination:

The name written on your "Application For Examination" form must match the name on your documentation.

Please refer to the "New York City Transit Examination Fee Waiver" form for the list of appropriate documentation acceptable for each fee waiver criteria. Applications submitted without the appropriate documentation at the time of filing your application during the application period will be considered incomplete applications. Candidates whose applications are incomplete will not be permitted to re-submit their applications once the filing period has closed, nor will they be permitted to take the test on the date scheduled. Fee Waivers are limited to persons who are currently participants at the time of submission of the application.

Any person who falsifies information concerning his/her eligibility to receive benefits may be banned from appointment to any position within the MTA, and may be subject to criminal prosecution. **All such violations will be referred to the Department of Investigation.** 

### **APPLICATION SUBMISSION**

Apply by mail only. Your properly completed required form(s), supporting documents, and the application fee or fee waiver paperwork must be postmarked no later than the last date of the application period and mailed to: MTA New York City Transit, Attention: c/o (please state the specific Exam Title and Exam Number), 180 Livingston Street, Room 4070, Brooklyn NY, 11201.



Personnel Testing, Selection and Classification Unit 180 Livingston Street, Room 4070 Brooklyn NY, 11201.

# SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES Directions for completing application for examination form.

Note: These directions are designed to assist you in completing Section 17 on the APPLICATION FOR EXAMINATION form and to inform you how to notify us of a CHANGE OF ADDRESS.

### (A) RELIGIOUS OBSERVANCE:

If, because of religious belief, you cannot take the test on a Saturday or on the scheduled test date, you must request an alternate date no later than 15 days prior to the scheduled test date.

The request must include:

- your full name
- your social security number
- the exam number
- the exam title
- a signed statement on letterhead from your religious leader certifying that your religious observance prohibits you from taking the test on the scheduled date.

Submit the above information by mail only to: MTA New York City Transit, Personnel Testing, Selection and Classification, Attention (please state the specific Exam Title and Exam Number) 180 Livingston Street, Room 4070, Brooklyn NY, 11201.

Note: **DO NOT** include your religious observance documentation with your completed application form(s).

### (B) DISABILITY:

If you have a disability which will interfere with your ability to take this test without special accommodation(s) or other assistance, you must submit a written request for specific special accommodation(s) postmarked no later than 30 workdays prior to the test date.

The request must include:

- your full name
- your social security number
- the exam number
- the exam title
- the specific nature of your disability
- a justification for the special accommodations
- a statement corroborating your disability by a doctor or agency authorized for this purpose

Submit the above information by mail only to: MTA New York City Transit, Personnel Testing, Selection and Classification, Attention (please state the specific Exam Title and Exam Number) 180 Livingston Street, Room 4070, Brooklyn NY, 11201.

Note: **DO NOT** include your special accommodation documentation with your completed application form(s).

### SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES

### Directions for completing application for examination form.

### (C) VETERANS:

For Veterans' or Disabled Veterans' Credit you must meet the following requirements:

- 1. Be a resident of New York State at the time of list establishment; and
- 2. Be a United States citizen or an alien lawfully admitted for permanent residence; and
- 3. Received or expect to receive an honorable discharge or release under honorable conditions from the Armed Forces of the United States. The "Armed Forces of the United States" means the Army, Navy, Marine Corps. Air Force and Coast Guard, including all components thereof, and the National Guard when in the service of the United States pursuant to call as provided by Law; and
- 4. Have served or are now serving, on full-time active duty, other than active duty for training, in at least one of the following Time of War periods below:

### Armed Forces of the United States during:

World War II (Dec 7, 1941 - Dec 31,1946);

Korean Conflict (Jun 27, 1950 - Jan 31, 1955); or Vietnam Conflict (Feb 28, 1961 - May 7, 1975); or Persian Gulf Conflict (Aug 2, 1990 - to be determined)

You must have received the armed forces expeditionary medal, navy expeditionary medal, or the marine corps expeditionary medal for Hostilities in:

Lebanon (Jun 1, 1983 - Dec 1, 1987);

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Grenada (Oct 23, 1983 - Nov 21, 1983); or Panama (Dec 20, 1989 - Jan 31, 1990).

For Disabled Veterans' Credit, in addition to 1, 2, 3, and 4, at the time the list is established, you must have been found to have a service connected disability incurred in a Time of War period listed on the previous page, which has been rated at least 10 percent by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (V.A.). If the V.A. has not certified the disability as permanent, it must have been rated at least 10 percent by a V.A. physician no more than one year prior to the date of filing your application or the date of establishment of the eligible list.

Veterans' or Disabled Veterans' Credit should be requested at the time of application, but **must** be requested before the date the eligible list is established. If a candidate requests Veterans' or Disabled Veterans' Credit after an application for an exam has been submitted, the candidate must appear in person or write a letter indicating the candidate's name, address, social security number, and the open-competitive or promotion exam title and number. The letter must be addressed to Personnel Testing, Selection and Classification, MTA New York City Transit Attention (please state the specific Exam Title and Exam Number) 180 Livingston Street, Room 4070, Brooklyn NY, 11201.

Claims for Veterans' or Disabled Veterans' Credit cannot be made once the eligible list is established. All claims for Veterans' or Disabled Veterans' Credit will be investigated and you will be required to produce documentation, such as discharge papers, to prove that you are eligible for the credit.

### Note:

- You may use Veterans' or Disabled Veterans' Credit only once after January 1, 1951 for appointment or promotion from a City, State, or County civil service list from a jurisdiction within the State of New York.
- Veterans' or Disabled Veterans' credit will be added only to the final score of those candidates who pass all parts of the examination.
- The above is only a summary of necessary conditions. The complete provisions are contained in statutory and/or decisional law.

### (D) CHANGE OF ADDRESS:

If your mailing address changes after you file for an exam, you should send a letter stating your name, social security number, exam title, exam number, old address and new address to:

> **MTA New York City Transit** Personnel Testing, Selection and Classification Unit Transit Attention (please state the specific Exam Title and Exam Number) 180 Livingston Street, Room 4070 Brooklyn NY, 11201



### MTA New York City Transit Division of Human Resources 180 Livingston Street, Room 4070 Brooklyn, NY 11201

### REQUEST FOR AN MTA NEW YORK CITY TRANSIT EXAMINATION FEE WAIVER

### **TO ALL APPLICANTS:**

General Examination Regulation E.3.2 states that a filing fee is not charged if you are a New York City resident receiving full benefits for Public/Cash Assistance from the New York City Human Resources Administration or in accordance with Civil Service Law Section 50.5(b), the application fee shall be waived for any person who meets at least one of the following criteria during the month you wish to apply for an examination:

apply for an examination:	
A) New York City resident who is receiving full benefits for Public/Cash Assistance.	B) Unemployed.
C) Receiving Supplemental Security Income (SSI) payments.	D) Receiving Medicaid benefits.
E) Receiving Public Assistance in the form of Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)/Family Assistance or Safety Net Assistance.	F) Certified eligible for a Workforce Investment Act program through New York City's Workforce1 Career Centers.
<b>G) One-time</b> Veterans Fee Waiver for U.S. Armed Forces service reserves and/or training.	e members who have served on full-time active duty, other than
	A NEW YORK CITY TRANSIT EXAMINATION FEE exam you wish to apply for.
PRINT CLEARLY OF	R TYPE INFORMATION
Name:	ss#:
	listed below be waived in accordance with the General on 50.5(b) of the State Civil Service Law.
I have read the above-mentioned General Examination Regulation relating to the waiver of the application fee and hereby certify that	RMATION******* on E.3.2 and the portion of Section 50.5(b) of the Civil Service Law I am qualified to receive such waiver for the reason indicated below. I
understand that if I falsify information concerning my current eligi from appointment to any position within the City of New York, will be referred to the Department of Investigation.)	and may be subject to criminal prosecution. (All such violations
from appointment to any position within the City of New York,	

Check only the box that applies to you and for which you have acceptable documentation as described on pages 2 and 3 Complete, sign, and date this form and return it along with your documentation and the completed required form(s) listed on the Notice of Examination. At the time of applying for the above-indicated examination, I am currently...

- □ A) an individual who is a New York City resident and receiving full benefits for Public/Cash Assistance.
- □ B) an individual who is unemployed.
- □ C) an individual who is receiving Supplemental Security Income (SSI) payments.
- D) an individual who is receiving Medicaid benefits.
- □ E) an individual who is receiving Public Assistance in the form of Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)/Family Assistance or Safety Net Assistance.
- □ F) a participant certified eligible for a Workforce Investment Act program through New York City's Workforce1 Career Centers.
- G) an individual who has served in the U.S. Armed Forces on full-time active duty, other than reserves and/or training, and has not previously received a Veterans Fee Waiver.

See pages 2 & 3 to view the list of acceptable documentation for each fee waiver criterion.



### REQUEST FOR AN MTA NEW YORK CITY TRANSIT EXAMINATION FEE WAIVER

- A) For an individual who is a New York City resident and is receiving full benefits (Cash and Food Stamps) and not partial benefits for Public/Cash Assistance from the New York City Department of Social Services: Submit a clear copy of your Benefit Identification Card that bears your name. Since New York City Transit will verify your eligibility for full benefits through your Client Identification Number (CIN), you must make sure that all information preprinted on your Benefit Identification Card can be read when copied. Handwritten information will not be accepted.
- B) For an individual who is unemployed: Submit an "Unemployment Insurance Benefit Payment History" inquiry printout. This printout must include Week Ending dates that correspond with the month that you are applying for an exam. You may obtain this printout from the New York State Department of Labor by calling 1 (877) 221-1634 or online at <a href="www.labor.state.ny.us">www.labor.state.ny.us</a>. For the Department of Labor outside of New York State, you may access their website at <a href="www.dol.gov">www.dol.gov</a> for assistance in locating this type of documentation online for the state in which you reside. <a href="If you are unemployed">If you are unemployed</a>, but not currently receiving Unemployment <a href="Insurance Benefits">Insurance Benefits</a>, you may submit an affidavit signed by you stating that you are unemployed, and notarized by a Notary Public. Your affidavit must be dated within the application period for the exam you are applying for. <a href="For unemployment benefits received outside of New York State">For unemployment benefits received outside of New York State</a>, you may include a copy of your unemployment check that bears your Name and SS# dated and issued for the month in which you are applying for an exam.
- C) For an individual who is receiving Supplementary Security Income (SSI) payments: Submit a "Benefit Verification Break Down Letter". This printout shows the break down of your monthly payments on letterhead from a Social Security Administration Office in your state that is dated during the month for which you are applying for an exam and specifically indicates that you received SSI benefits that month. Award Letter Notifications re-issued during the month you are applying for an exam that does not include the added information in the OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION field that specifically states you are receiving SSI benefits that month will not be accepted. Parents who receive SSI benefits for their minor children are not eligible for a fee waiver.
- D) For an individual who is receiving Medicaid benefits or partial benefits that include Medicaid: Submit the "MA Case/Suffix/ Individual/Summary" printout. This printout must verify that either your eligibility for Medicaid is coded "AC" for Active, or your authorization period is currently active, or if your case has been closed, the date your case was closed. These dates must include the month for which you are applying for an exam. You may obtain this printout from your assigned worker, or from a New York City Human Resources Administration Medicaid Office or call 1 (877) HRA-8411. If you applied for Medicaid benefits through a hospital or managed care program/organization, you will need to submit documentation on letterhead from that program/organization that is dated during the month you are applying for an exam that specifically verifies your eligibility of receiving Medicaid benefits that month. For Medicaid benefits received outside New York City, you will need to submit documentation on letterhead from a social service agency in your state that is dated during the month you are applying for an exam that specifically verifies your eligibility of receiving Medicaid benefits, or indicates your case is active that month.



### REQUEST FOR AN MTA NEW YORK CITY TRANSIT EXAMINATION FEE WAIVER

- E) For an individual who is receiving Public Assistance in the form of Temporary Assistance for Needy Families(TANF)/Family Assistance or Safety Net Assistance benefits: Submit the "PA Case Composition-Suffix/Individual Summary" printout. This printout must verify that either your eligibility for Public/Cash Assistance is coded "AC" for Active, or if your case has been closed, the date your case was closed. These dates must include the month for which you are applying for an exam. If your case has been coded "SN" for Sanctioned, or if you recently applied for benefits and your case is coded "AP" for Application, you are not eligible to receive a fee waiver. You may obtain this printout from your assigned worker, or from a New York City Human Resources Administration Office or call 1 (877) HRA-8411. For TANF/Family Assistance or Safety Net Assistance benefits received outside New York City, you will need to submit documentation on letterhead from a social service agency in your state that is dated during the month you are applying for an exam that specifically verifies your eligibility of receiving TANF/Family Assistance or Safety Net Assistance benefits, or indicates your case is Active that month.
- F) For a participant certified eligible for a Workforce Investment Act program through New York City's Workforce1 Career Centers: Submit documentation on letterhead from the Department of Small Business Services that is dated during the month for which you are applying for an exam and specifically indicates that you are a participant registered with the City's Workforce1 Career Centers for that month. You may obtain this letter only by calling the New York City Department of Small Business Services at (212) 513-6406.
- G) For an individual who has served in the U.S. Armed Forces on full-time active duty, other than reserves and/or training, and has not previously received a Veterans Fee Waiver: Participants must have been discharged under honorable conditions from the Armed Forces of the United States (Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Air Force, Coast Guard or the National Guard only). The Veterans Exam Fee Waiver cannot be used retroactively for any exam for which you have already applied. Proper documentation must accompany your application. Mail a clear copy of your separation papers (Form DD214, long form) or a Statement of Service letter along with your application package. The Veterans Exam Fee Waiver is available for Promotion and Open Competitive exams. Please note that Veterans Preference Credits and the Veterans Exam Fee Waiver are two separate programs that have different purposes and criteria.

Include the "REQUEST FOR AN MTA NEW YORK CITY TRANSIT EXAMINATION FEE WAIVER" when you mail your application. You cannot request a Fee Waiver when applying on-line; Fee Waivers must be requested by mail. A separate request for a Fee Waiver must be included with each exam application you submit. Return the completed form(s) to MTA New York City Transit, Attention: Exam Fee Waiver, (please state the specific Exam Title and Exam Number), 180 Livingston Street, Room 4070, Brooklyn, NY 11201 by mail only. MTA New York City Transit will not accept applications in person from candidates, unless otherwise instructed by MTA New York City Transit personnel. An application for a particular exam must be postmarked no later than the last date of the application period for that exam.

Applications that are submitted without the required supporting documentation at the time of filing your application during the application period will be considered incomplete applications. Candidates whose applications are deemed incomplete will not be able to re-submit their applications to MTA New York City Transit once the filing period has closed, nor will they be permitted to take the test on the date scheduled.







(Manhattan and Bronx Surface Transit Operating Authority)

Division of Human Resources
Personnel Testing, Selection and Classification Unit
180 Livingston Street, Room 4070
Brooklyn NY 11201

### FOREIGN EDUCATION FACT SHEET

- To receive credit in the examination for your foreign education, you must have your foreign education
  evaluated by one of the approved services listed on the reverse side.
- Refer to the Required Forms section of the Notice of Examination to find out whether you need a "document-by document" (general) evaluation or a "course-by-course" evaluation (which includes a "document by-document" evaluation) of your foreign education.
- Evaluation fees must be paid by the applicant.
- Your evaluation must be received no later than <u>8 weeks</u> from the application deadline. If your
  evaluation is not received by this time, your foreign education will not be rated. An extension of this
  time limit is available if the evaluation service submits an acceptable reason in writing for the delay.
- All acceptable foreign education evaluation documents submitted directly by the evaluation service to the address below will be retained by MTA New York City Transit in a permanent file for future reference.
- 1. Have the evaluation service mail your completed original evaluation to:

Personnel Testing, Selection and Classification Unit c/o (please state the specific Exam Title and Exam Number)
180 Livingston Street, Room 4070
Brooklyn NY 11201

- 2. Have the evaluation service include:
  - Your <u>name</u> and <u>social security number</u> with the evaluation; and
  - The title and examination number of the examination you are applying for on the envelope.
  - A stamped, self-addressed stamped post card (as mentioned in # 6 below).
- 3. Photocopies sent by candidates will **not** be accepted.
- 4. Only evaluations which have the raised seal or original stamp of the evaluation service on the document <a href="mailto:and">and</a> are submitted directly to MTA New York City Transit by an approved evaluation service will be accepted.
- 5. If you previously had an evaluation by one of the approved services listed on the reverse side, you may request that the service send a certified duplicate original directly to MTA New York City Transit.
- 6. To obtain confirmation that MTA New York City Transit has received your evaluation from the service, have a stamped, self-addressed post card sent to us by the service along with your evaluation. We will return the post card to you to acknowledge that your evaluation has been received.

### **FOREIGN EDUCATION FACT SHEET**

# Center for Applied Research, Evaluation & Education, Inc.

International Evaluation Service

P.O. Box 20348

Long Beach, CA 90801-3341 Phone: (714) 237-9272; 237-9276

Fax: (714) 237-9279

E-mail: evalcaree@yahoo.com

### **Education Evaluators International, Inc.**

P.O. Box 5397

Los Alamitos, CA 90720-5397 Phone: (562) 421-2187 Fax: (562) 493-5021

E-mail: gary@educei.com

### Education International, Inc.

29 Denton Road Wellesley, MA 02482 Phone: (781) 235-7425 Fax: (781) 235-6831 E-mail: edint@gis.net

Web: http://www.educationinternational.org

### Educational Credential Evaluators, Inc.

260 East Highland Avenue, Suite 300 Milwaukee. WI 53202

Phone: (414) 289-3400 Fax: (414) 289-3411 E-mail: eval@ece.org Web: http://www.ece.org

### **Educational Records Evaluation Service, Inc.**

601 University Avenue, Suite 127 Sacramento, CA 95825-6738 Phone: (916) 921-0790 Fax: (916) 921-0793

E-mail: edu@eres.com
Web: http://www.eres.com

### Evaluation Service, Inc.

P.O. Box 85

Hopewell Junction, NY 12533 Phone: (845) 223-6455

Fax: (845) 223-6454 E-mail: esi2@frontiernet.net Web: www.evaluationservice.net

### Foundation for International Services, Inc.

21540 30<sup>th</sup> Drive, S.E., Suite 320

Bothell, WA 98021 Phone: (425) 487-2245 Fax: (425) 487-1989 E-mail: info@fis-web.com Web: www.fis-web.com

### Globe Language Services, Inc.

319 Broadway

New York, NY 10007 Phone: (212) 227-1994 Fax: (212) 693-1489

E-mail: info@globelanguage.com Web: www.globelanguage.com

### International Consultants of Delaware, Inc.

109 Barksdale Professional Center

Newark, DE 19711 Phone: (302) 737-8715 Fax: (302) 737-8756 E-Mail: <u>icd@icdel.com</u> Web: http://www.icdel.com

### Josef Silny & Associates, Inc.

International Education Consultants

7101 S.W. 102<sup>nd</sup> Avenue Miami, FL 33173 Phone: (305) 273-1616 Fax: (305) 273-1338 E-mail: <u>info@jsilny.com</u> Web: http://www.jsilny.com

### Span Tran Educational Services, Inc.

7211 Regency Square Blvd., Suite 205

Houston, TX 77036-3197 Phone: (713) 266-8805 Fax: (713) 789-6022

Web: http://www.spantran-edu.com

### World Educational Services, Inc.

P.O. Box 5087, Bowling Green Station

New York, NY 10274-5087

Phone: (212) 966-6311 or (800) 937-3895

Fax: (212) 966-6395 E-mail: info@wes.org Web: http://www.wes.org

### Foreign Academic Credentials Services, Inc.

P. O. Box 400

Glen Carbon, IL 62034 Phone: (618) 656-5291 Fax: (618) 656-5292

E-mail: facs@aol.com Web: www.facsusa.com

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New York City Transit  180 Livingston Street, Room 4070  Brooklyn, NY 11201	FOR OFFICE USE ONLY RATING NQ CODE		
EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE TEST PAPER (EETP)			
Do Not Write Your Name Anywhere On This EETP.	RATER(S)		
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<u>COMPLETING THIS FORM IS A TEST.</u> READ THIS SECTION CAREFULLY BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM. This test will evaluate your education and experience. To obtain appropriate credit, you must complete this form accurately.

Be sure to include your SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER and the EXAM NUMBER on each attached sheet.

If any information is missing, cannot be read, is unclear, or LACKS NECESSARY DETAIL, you may be found "Not Qualified" or receive a lower score on the test. The information you enter on this form must be verifiable. You may be disqualified if your statements are found to be false, exaggerated, or misleading.

Refer to the Notice of Examination (NOE) to find out which sections of this form you must fill out. If you are applying for Selective Certification, be sure to complete Section D on page 7 of this form.

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DO NOT attach your resume. Resumes will not be rated.

### **SECTION A - EDUCATION**

Section A.1 - FOREIGN EDUCATION EVALUATION						
In order for foreign education to be rated, it must be evaluated by an evaluation service approved by MTA New York City Transit. Follow the instructions on the Foreign Education Fact Sheet, and refer to the Notice of Examination to see which kind of evaluation is required for this test. If you are claiming credit for foreign education, check only one of the following. For this examination:						
I am having an evaluation of my foreign education submitted directly to MTA New York City Transit by an approved evaluation service.	USE ONLY					
I wish to use an evaluation of my foreign education which was previously submitted directly to MTA New York City Transit by an approved evaluation service.						
Section A.2 - HIGH SCHOOL OR HIGH SCHOOL EQUIVALENCY	FOR MTA					
CHECK THE HIGHEST GRADE OR YEAR OF HIGH SCHOOL (HS) COMPLETED: 0 8 0 9 0 10 0 11 0 12	NEW YORK CITY					
Did you graduate HS? O Yes / No - Dates of HS attendance: From / Month Year To / Month Year To / Month Year	TRANSIT USE ONLY					
Name of High School: USA Foreign						
High School located in the State of: Country of:						
Do you have a GED? O Yes / No - Name of Agency issuing GED:						
(If you attended other high schools, report this information for each additional school on a separate sheet of paper using the same format.)						

You can find a sample EETP at "http://www.mta.info/nyct/hr/appexam.htm"

Use the sample EETP as a guide for completing an EETP correctly.

Study the sample EETP as an example of an EETP that has been filled out correctly for another title.

Section A.3 - TRADE SCHOOL OR VOCATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL	
If you attended a trade/vocational school, please complete the following:	FOR NEW
Did you graduate? O Yes / O No Attendance: From / Month Year To / Month Year To / Month Year To / Month Year To / Month Year	YORK CITY TRANSIT
Name of Trade/Vocational School:OUSA O Foreign	SE ONLY
Trade/Vocational School located in the State of: Country of:	
Specialty Number of hours you completed in specialty:	
(If you attended other trade or vocational schools, report this information for each additional school on a separate sheet of paper using the same format.)	
Section A.4 – UNDERGRADUATE EDUCATION	
Addross	FOR NEW YORK CITY TRANSIT
	SE ONLY
Major:	
Number of Credits You Have Completed in Major: Total Number of Credits You Have Completed:	
Do you have a Degree? OYes ONo  Dates of Attendance: From/ To/  Month Year Month Year	
Date Degree Received: Type of Degree: (check only one) Associate Baccalaureate	
Exact Title of Degree:	
(If you attended other undergraduate institutions and/or obtained more than one degree, report this information for each additional institution on a separate sheet of paper using the same format.)	
Section A.5 – GRADUATE EDUCATION	FOR
	FOR NEW YORK CITY
State: Country:	SE ONLY
Major:	
Number of Credits You Have Completed in Major: Total Number of Credits You Have Completed:	
Do you have a Graduate Degree? OYes ONo Dates of Attendance: From/ To/ Month Year	
Date Degree Received: Type of Degree: (check only one)	
Exact Title of Degree:	
(If you attended other graduate institutions and/or obtained more than one degree, report this information for each additional institution on a separate sheet of paper using the same format.)	

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Section	A 6 -	COL	IRSES

Refer to the Notice of Examination to find out if this section applies to you. If it does, complete this section listing ONLY those courses you have **successfully** completed that are necessary to meet the requirements or qualify for extra credit as specified in the Notice of Examination. In the column headed "**Level**", print "U" for an undergraduate course, "G" for a graduate (post-baccalaureate) course, or "T" for a union training, trade, Vocational High School, or apprenticeship program. You must specify whether you are reporting time in hours or credits.

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Name and Address of Institution/College/Trade School	Course No.	Exact Title of Course	Level (U/G/T)	# of <u>Credits</u>	# of <u>Hours</u>	Date <u>Completed</u>
	(Use additional )	paper, filled out in the same	format, if no	eeded)		

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### SECTION B – EMPLOYMENT / WORK EXPERIENCE (PAID OR VOLUNTEER)

### READ THIS SECTION CAREFULLY BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM

Refer to the Notice of Examination to see whether this section applies to you. If it does, describe your <u>THREE</u> most recent relevant jobs using the format below. It is essential that you complete all sections concerning past and present employment and you describe your duties in detail. **Failure to do so may result in your disqualification.** 

Include relevant part-time and volunteer experience. Describe relevant armed forces experience. If you are or have been in business for yourself, enter "self employed" on the line labeled "Name and Address of Employer." You should not reveal your name anywhere on this test paper. A maximum of one year of experience will be credited for each 12-month period. Part-time experience will be pro-rated. If you had a substantial change of duties or a return to work after a break in service with the same employer, treat these as separate jobs. List the percentage of time spent on each duty, task, or function. The total of these percents should equal 100 percent for each job reported.

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BOX 1 Employment: From:/ To:/ To:/ Total Time:/ Year(s) Month(		FOR NEW
Dob Title: Other name of your Job Title, if any:		YORK CITY TRANSIT
No. of Hrs. Worked per Week Starting Salary \$ per Last Salary \$ per per Last Salary \$ per	The state of the s	USE ONLY
If employed with New York City or State, was this appointment:	Jei	
(check or fill in only one) Permanent Provisional Other (please specified)	ocify)	
Name of Employer:		
Address of Employer:		
<u>Title</u> of Immediate Supervisor Nature of Employer's Business		
If you <u>directly</u> supervised staff, enter title(s) and number of people:		
If you indirectly supervised staff, enter title(s) and number of people:		
Describe each of your duties separately with percentages. (Required for rating)	% Time	
Total Time Spent Performing These Duties =	100%	

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BOX 2	Employment:     From:    /	s)	FOR NEW YORK CITY
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Name of	(check or fill in only one) Permanent Provisional Other (please s	specify)	
Address	of Employer:		
Title of In	nmediate Supervisor Nature of Employer's Business		
If you <u>dir</u>	rectly supervised staff, enter title(s) and number of people:		
If you <u>inc</u>	directly supervised staff, enter title(s) and number of people:		
Describ	e each of your duties separately with percentages. (Required for rating)	% Time	
	Total Time Spent Performing These Duties =	100%	

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вох з	Employment: From:/ To:/ Total Time:/ Month Year Month Year Year(s) Month(s	- s)	FOR
	Paid Volunteer	,	NEW YORK
Job Title	:Other name of your Job Title, if any:		CITY TRANSIT
	rs. Worked per Week Starting Salary \$ per Last Salary \$ per per Last Salary \$ per P		USE ONLY
Name of	Employer:		
Address	of Employer:		
Title of Ir	mmediate Supervisor Nature of Employer's Business		
If you <u>dir</u>	rectly supervised staff, enter title(s) and number of people:		
If you <u>inc</u>	directly supervised staff, enter title(s) and number of people:		
Describ	be each of your duties separately with percentages. (Required for rating)	% Time	
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	Total Time Spent Performing These Duties =	100%	

You may describe other relevant jobs by adding additional sheets in the same format. Use a separate box for each job. Number any additional job  $BOX\ 4,5,6\ldots$  etc.

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### **SECTION C – LICENSES AND CERTIFICATES**

Refer to the Notice of Examination to see if a license or certificate is required. If it is, and you possess this license or certificate, fill in the following information. You may describe additional licenses or certificates on a separate sheet of paper using the same format.

Drivers License:  Class: Check all endorsements currently on your license: Hazardous Waste Air Brake Passenger  State where License was issued: License Number:  Date Issued: Expiration Date:	FOR NEW YORK CITY TRANSIT USE ONLY
Other Licenses/Certificates:	
Title of License or Certificate:	
Issued by:	
License Number:	
Date Issued: Expiration Date:	
SECTION D – SELECTIVE CERTIFICATION(S)	ı
If you want to apply for Selective Certification as described in the Notice of Examination, complete this section.  I am requesting selective certification(s)	FOR NEW
for:(If selective certification is for foreign language, specify the language(s) for which you are requesting selective certification.)	YORK CITY TRANSIT USE ONLY
SECTION E – SUBMISSION CHECKLIST (optional)	
Yes, my nine-digit social security number and exam number are included on every page of this document.	
No, I did not include my name anywhere in this document.	
Yes, I have read the Notice of Examination and filled out only the sections that are required for the position I am ap	plying for.
No, I have not included my resume because only this form will be evaluated.	
Yes, I have used extra sheets of paper to list schools and previous employment that did not fit on this form.	
Yes, I have only listed courses that I have successfully completed and that are necessary to meet the requirements for extra credit.	s or qualify
Yes, I have listed more than one duty for each place of employment included and those duties add up to 100%.	
Yes, I have listed the class, endorsements and restrictions for my driver license (if the position requires a driver lice	ense).