1. Members of the Public:-

   (i) holding from a recognized university or institution, a degree or diploma in natural or agricultural science with chemistry or agricultural chemistry as the main subject or one of the main subjects in which he/she has qualified at the final examination for such degree or diploma; and

   (ii) worked for a minimum of one year in an approved laboratory under the supervision of a registered Agricultural Chemist; or

   (iii) holding the licentiateship, membership or fellowship, of the Royal Society of Chemistry;

and wishing to register as Agricultural Chemists as per the Agricultural Chemists Act 1979, are invited to submit their applications to the Director, Agricultural Services, Réduit, who is also the Chairperson of the Committee for the Registration of Agricultural Chemists and Laboratories, at latest by 15 April 2019.

2. Successful applicants will be registered as an Agricultural Chemist upon payment of a prescribed fee. The registration will be valid for a period of five years and may be renewed subsequently.

3. Members of the Public are reminded that any person who is not a registered Agricultural Chemist but carries out analysis of any agricultural product or by-product; or any substance used in agriculture or in any industry dealing with agricultural products shall, as per the Agricultural Chemists Act 1979, commit an offence.

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