

# EASTERN UNIVERSITY, SRI LANKA

THIRD YEAR SECOND SEMESTER SPECIAL SEDGRRE EXAMINATION IN  
ECONOMICS (2011/2012 Batch) – 2013/2014 (Nov/Dec – 2016)

ECS 3251 – English for Economics IV

Duration: 01 hour

Answer questions 1 and 2 from part A, and one question part B

## Part A

Complete each sentence with the correct tense of a verb from the box. Use the passive form. One is done for you.

repair	catch	employ	deliver	postpone	open
paint	charge	include	transfer	send	

- Service is included .....in the bill so you don't need to leave a tip.
- I .....some flowers yesterday but I don't know who they're from.
- The goods that you ordered..... next Friday.
- My car broke down last week. It.....right now.
- Don't use the medicine if the bottle .....already.
- It's unlikely that the robbers.....
- I was annoyed because we .....for a dessert we didn't order.
- She was fired after she..... by that company for over 15 years.
- He ..... to the head office in July last year.
- Every summer the walls of our school buildings .....
- Due to the poor weather condition our Annual General Meeting .....

(20 Marks)

(3) Read the following advertisement and write a suitable letter of application for the post.  
DO NOT WRITE YOUR CV.

(40 Marks)

## BANK OF SERENDIB

Bank of SERENDIB which serves over 12 million customers through its network of over 600 branches covering the entire country wishes to recruit

### Management Trainees

#### ➤ Eligibility Criteria

Should be a citizen of Sri Lanka

Academic/ Professional Qualifications

- A degree with a minimum 2<sup>nd</sup> class (Upper Division) from a local or foreign University recognized by university Grants Commission of Sri Lanka, in any of the following subjects / disciplines - Economics/ Statistics / Mathematics / Physical Science/ Accountancy / Banking / Finance / Commerce / Business Administration (Accounting / Finance)/ Computer Science / Informatics

#### ➤ Age

- Below 30 years, as at the closing date of applications.

#### ➤ Other Attributes

- Ability to work effectively under pressure
- Possess leadership qualities
- Inter personal skills with ability to work with team
- Literacy in IT and proficiency in English Language and Sinhala / Tamil Languages

#### ➤ Terms and Conditions

- Initial training period will be for 02 years on a training agreement.
- A monthly training allowance Rs 50,000/= will be paid during the training period.
- Should be prepared to serve in any part of the country

#### ➤ Selection Procedure

- Competitive Examination and subsequent interview for short listed candidates

#### ➤ Application Procedure

Send your resume through our website [www.bos.lk](http://www.bos.lk) (under the tab "Careers") on or before 19.12.2016.

**Human Resource Division**

**Bank of SERENDIB**

**Head Office**

**Colombo 01.**

i) Write an Essay on “Tourism in Batticaloa: Advantages and disadvantages”

Use around 200 words in the Essay. Include the following in your essay.

Introduce how the tourism industries grows after the civil war

The development of this region

Advantages of tourism industry

Disadvantages of tourism industry

Your opinion how the future of the industry should be or could be.

OR

ii) Write an Essay on “how the rural industries can be developed in the Batticaloa region”

Use around 200 words in the Essay. Include the following in your essay.

Give an introduction about the region: location, important places, etc.

Introduce the rural industries

The contribution of rural industries for the economy of the region

The problems/ struggles the industries face

Your suggestions to develop the industry