## **PUBLIC SERVICE**

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The development of social media and advancements in information and communications technology has influenced people's decisions about their careers. The message was that during our lives, we would all encounter a range of options that pull us in various directions. To sort through all the options, one must have the perseverance to judge, the forbearance to choose the proper vocation, and the patience to listen.

Some people chose to work for the government because they believed it would be the field where they could help others most effectively and learn the most. Public sector employees frequently change policies and services to meet new needs. They are robust and tenacious, open to suggestions from the public, and driven to carry on offering services even in the most stressful situations. It extends past finishing a task. Anyone who wants to make a difference in the world should pursue a career in public service. It means placing the well-being of the community above personal interests. Many public employees claim that they choose to work in government because they enjoy giving back to their community. However, public servants must also be committed to serving others and work hard toward a worthwhile goal; it is not only about money and prestige.

According to the Institute of Public Administration of Canada, "As professionals, public servants play a vital role in society. They are committed to the highest degrees of integrity. They are committed to delivering the best administration possible. They are committed to fair and transparent governance, delivering high-quality services, and stewardship of government funds that will maximize cost-effectiveness and

accountability. Public servants are committed to improving the state's policy-making and service delivery abilities."

Indeed, even when it is challenging, public officials are supposed to act morally. Because they are aware of the public's high standards for their job, they uphold the highest professional and ethical standards.

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