

(For Government/ Semi Government Officers/ Outsiders)

Closing Date -31.03.2026



Ministry of Transport, Highways and Urban Development

Applications are invited among the all Citizens of Sri Lanka including Government, Semi-Government officers for below positions of below mentioned projects implemented under the Ministry of Transport, Highways and Urban Development. These appointments will be subjected to the provisions of Management Service Circular No.01/2026 issued by the Ministry of Finance, Planning and Economic Development on 02.02.2026.

Project Value (USD million)	Name of the Project	Name of the Post	Mentioned Category according to the DMS Circular No.01/2026	Number of Vacancies
Above US \$ 25 million and less than US \$ 200 or its equivalent category	Inclusive Connectivity and Development Project (ICDP)	Project Engineer	D	01
		Technical Officer	F	01
	BadullaChenkaladi Road Improvement Project (BCRIP)	Project Accountant	D1	01
	Kandy Multimodal Transport Terminal Development Project (KMTTDP)	Procurement Specialist	C	01
		Senior Engineer	C	01
		Project Engineer	D	02
		Quantity Surveyor	D	01
		Senior Transport Officer	E	01
		Senior Social Service Officer	E	01
	Senior Environmental	E	01	

		Officer		
		Technical Officer	F	02
		Draughtsman	F	01
	Second Integrated Road Development Project (I Road)	Project Engineer (PMU)	D	01
		Environmental Officer (PIU-Uva)	F	01
	Miscellaneous Foreign Aided Project (MFAP)	Finance & Accounts Officer	F	01
		Administrative Officer	F	01
		Project Accountant	D1	01
		Land Officer	F	01
	Over US \$ 200 million or its equivalent category	Central Expressway Project I (CEP I)	Administrative Officer	F
Central Expressway Project III (CEP III)		Chief Engineer	C	02
		Project Engineer	D	03
		Resettlement Officer	F	01
		Accounts Officer	F	02
		Land Acquisition Officer	F	01

According to the above-mentioned MSD Circular 1/2026, Annexure 01,

Category C – Procurement Specialist, Senior Engineer, Chief Engineer basic qualifications are given below

Basic Educational Qualifications	Qualifying Experience as per Project value	
(1) or (2) or (3) below	Above US \$ 25 million and less than US \$ 200 million or its equivalent	Over US \$ 200 million or its equivalent category
01) A Bachelor's Degree in the relevant field and	with At least 10 years of Post	with At least 13 years of

A Post Graduate Degree (Masters) qualification in the relevant fields and Associated membership of a recognized professional body in the relevant field.	Qualifying experience in the relevant field at a Managerial Level.	Post Qualifying experience in the relevant field at a Managerial Level.
02) Corporate/ Fellow Membership of a recognized professional body in the relevant field	with At least 07 years of Post Qualifying experience in the relevant field at a Managerial Level.	with At least 10 years of Post Qualifying experience in the relevant field at a Managerial Level.
03) Class I officer of a government All-Island Services in a similar capacity or similar status in the relevant field and Associate Membership obtained from a recognized professional body in the relevant field	with At least 03 years of experience in the Class I Post	with At least 05 years of experience in the Class I Post

According to the above-mentioned MSD Circular 1/2026, Annexure 01,

Category D – Project Engineer, Quantity Surveyor basic qualifications are given below

Basic Educational Qualifications	Qualifying Experience as per Project value	
(1) or (2) below	Above US \$ 25 million and less than US \$ 200 million or its equivalent	Over US \$ 200 million or its equivalent category
01) A Bachelor’s Degree in the relevant field and Associate Membership in the relevant field obtained from a recognized professional body.	with At least 07 years of Post Qualifying experience in the relevant field.	with At least 09 years of Post Qualifying experience in the relevant field.
02) Class II/III officer of a government All-Island Services in a similar capacity or a similar status in the relevant field and Associate Membership/ Similar qualification in the relevant field obtained from a recognized professional body	with At least 07 years of experience in the Class II/III Post or a similar status in the relevant field.	with At least 09 years of experience in the Class II/III Post or a similar status in the relevant field.

According to the above-mentioned MSD Circular 1/2026, Annexure 01,

Category D1 – Project Accountant basic qualifications are given below

Basic Educational Qualifications	Qualifying Experience as per Project value	
(1) or (2) below	Above US \$ 25 million and less than US \$ 200 million or its equivalent	Over US \$ 200 million or its equivalent category
01) Associate Membership of a recognized professional body in the relevant field of the post.	with At least 07 years of Post Qualifying experience in the relevant field.	with At least 09 years of Post Qualifying experience in the relevant field.
02) Class II/III officer of a government All-Island Services in a similar capacity or a similar status in the relevant field	with At least 07 years of experience in the Class II/III Post or a similar status in the relevant field.	with At least 09 years of experience in the Class II/III Post or a similar status in the relevant field.

According to the above-mentioned MSD Circular 1/2026, Annexure 01,

Category E – Senior Transport Officer, Senior Social Service Officer, Senior Environmental Officer basic qualifications are given below

Basic Educational Qualifications	Qualifying Experience as per Project value	
(1) or (2) or (3) or (4) below	Above US \$ 25 million and less than US \$ 200 million or its equivalent	Over US \$ 200 million or its equivalent category
01) A Bachelor's Degree in the relevant field	with At least 04 years of experience in the required are of specialization.	with At least 06 years of experience in the required are of specialization.
02) Having obtained a certificate of proficiency not below than the National Vocational Qualification Level 7 issued by a Technical & Vocational Training Institute accepted by Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission for a post related to technical field.	with At least 04 years of experience in the required are of specialization.	with At least 06 years of experience in the required are of specialization.
03) Having obtained a certificate of proficiency not below than the National Vocational Qualification Level 6 issued by a Technical & Vocational Training Institute accepted by Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission for a post related to technical	with At least 09 years of experience in the required are of specialization.	with At least 11 years of experience in the required are of specialization.

field.		
04) Having obtained a certificate of proficiency not below than the National Vocational Qualification Level 5 issued by a Technical & Vocational Training Institute accepted by Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission for a post related to technical field.	with At least 14 years of experience in the required area of specialization.	with At least 16 years of experience in the required area of specialization.

According to the above-mentioned MSD Circular 1/2026, Annexure 01,

Category F – Technical Officer, Draughtsman, Finance & Accounts Officer, Administrative Officer, Land Officer, Resettlement Officer, Accounts Officer, Land Acquisition Officer, Environmental Officer (PIU-Uva) basic qualifications are given below

Basic Educational Qualifications	Qualifying Experience as per Project value	
	Above US \$ 25 million and less than US \$ 200 million or its equivalent	Over US \$ 200 million or its equivalent category
(1) or (2) or (3) or (4) below		
01) A Bachelor's Degree in the relevant field	with At least 02 years of experience in the required area of specialization.	with At least 04 years of experience in the required area of specialization.
02) Having obtained a certificate of proficiency not below than the National Vocational Qualification Level 7 issued by a Technical & Vocational Training Institute accepted by Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission for a post related to technical field.	with At least 02 years of experience in the required area of specialization.	with At least 04 years of experience in the required area of specialization.
03) Having obtained a certificate of proficiency not below than the National Vocational Qualification Level 6 issued by a Technical & Vocational Training Institute accepted by Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission for a post related to technical field.	with At least 07 years of experience in the required area of specialization.	with At least 09 years of experience in the required area of specialization.
04) Having obtained a certificate of proficiency not below than the National Vocational Qualification Level 5 issued by a Technical & Vocational Training Institute accepted by Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission for a post related to technical field.	with At least 12 years of experience in the required area of specialization.	with At least 14 years of experience in the required area of specialization.

General Conditions :

- Recruitment, salary, benefits and other service conditions will be as per the provisions stipulated in Management Services Circular No. 1/2026 issued by the Ministry of Finance on 02.02.2026.
- Selections will be based on a structured interview and other circular conditions.
- All applications must be filled according to the format given in this circular and send all the copies of relevant documents.
- If applying for more than one post, separate applications should be submitted for each post.

01. Age Limit:

- Below 60 years for Government, Semi- Government Officers
- Below 64 Years for Others

02. Salary:

Salary and allowances will be paid based on the Management Service Circular no. 01/2026 issued by the Ministry of Finance, Planning, And Economic Development.

03. Terms of Employment:

- The appointment will be on contract basis, initially for a period of one year. Extension could be considered based on the Service requirement and performance.
- If the applicant already holds a permanent post in the Government or Semi-Government institutions, appointment will be based on according to the releasement basis mentioned on para 2.3.3 in 1/2026 MSD Circular, that recommended by the appointing authority of the substantive post and the considering correct releasement basis.
- Candidates who have not completed the application properly and have not submitted the correct data along with the application, and those who have not fulfilled the qualifications and other requirements specified in the Management Services Circular No. 1/2026 will not be considered for appointments.
- The decision of granting appointment or not, service extensions is at the descretion of the Secretary of the Ministry according to in terms of the circulars and other provisions.

04. Recommendation of the Institution Head

Applicant who already holds a permanent post in the Public Service/ Provincial Public Service including Local Authorities/ Public Corporations/ Statutory Boards and Fully State Owned Companies should be sent their applications through the Head of the institution and with the consent of releasement from the substantive post and recommendation of the releasement basis according to the para 2.3.3 in 1/2026 MSD Circular. (Otherwise application will be rejected.)

05. Submission of the Application

Duly filled applications should be submitted along with the particulars of academic qualifications, transcript of the basic degree, work experiences and other relevant information according to the format given below under registered post, indicating the name of the post & project as appeared in the advertisement written on the top left hand corner of the envelope, to **Secretary, Ministry of Highways, “Maganeguma Mahamedura”, No.216, Denzil Kobbekaduwa Mawatha, Koswatta, Battaramulla or hand over to Ministry Administration Division on or before 31.03.2026.**

06. For Special Attention

- **Applications that are not properly filled in accordance with the given format will be rejected.**
- **Only the qualifications that submitted certificate copies with the application will be considered for selection.**

07. For any inquiry please contact -011-2271048

Application format - Annexure 1

**Secretary
Ministry of Transport, Highways and Urban Development**

Post applying for

Annexure 1

For office use

APPLICATION FORM

Application for the post of..... for Projects,
Ministry Of Highways

1) Post applying for:
(If applying for more than one post, separate application should be submitted for each post)

2) Name with Initials
(In Sinhala/ Tamil)
මයා/මිය/මෙනවිය
(In English / Block capital letters) Mr./ Mrs. / Miss:
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3) Names denoted by the initials
(In Sinhala/ Tamil)
(In English / Block capital letters)
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4) Nationality:

5) Gender: Female / Male:

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6) National identity card No:

7) Date of birth:

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8) Age:

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(As at application closing date)

9) Residence details:

Address	
Telephone No	
Mobile No	
E - Mail	

Office details: (Present Employment Place)

Address	
Telephone No	
Mobile No	
E - Mail	

10) Educational Qualifications:

No	Course Name	Degree/ P.G.Degree/ P.G Diploma/ Diploma	Subject/ Relevant filed	Validity Date	University/ Training institute
01					
02					
03					

11) Professional qualifications:

No	Professional qualification	Validity Date	Institution	NVQ level
01				
02				
03				

12) Relevant Trainings:

Training Name	Institute	Period	Relevant Field

13) Experiences Gained (Other Institutes):

Position	Institution	Period (From – to)	No of Years

14) Experiences Gained in Projects:

Position	Project Name	Period (From – to)	No of Years

15) Details of previous releasement from the substantive post – if any

Name of the Project / Institution	Position held	Time duration from-to	No of years	Releasement basis		
				Full time (with full - Pay)	Full time (with No - Pay)	Acting

16) Certificate / Letters regarding experience (Attach photocopy)

- I.
- II.
- III.

17) Certification of the Applicant

I certify that I have read the Notice regarding calling for application and fully understood all the details about for this application. There are no judicial proceedings against me and I certify that the information provided by me in this application it true and correct. I am aware that, I am not eligible to the post if the information I have provided is found to be incorrect and I have bound with the rules and regulation which are mentioned in 1/2026 Management Services Circular.

Date:

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Signature of applicant

18) Recommendation of the Head of the Institution

(For officers confirmed in Public Service/ Provincial Public Service including Local Authorities/ Public Corporations/ Statutory Boards and Fully State-Owned Companies)

01. I hereby certify that the below mentioned details are true and correct as per the details in Mr./Mrs./Miss. (Name of the applicant) personal file, who is submitted this application is serving in (Present Employment Place)

• PF Number	
• Permanent Designation	
• First Appointment Date	
• Confirmation Date	

02. Applicant is serving in (Present Employment Place) as a (Substantive post of the applicant) and no disciplinary action has been taken against him/her and there is no intention to take disciplinary action.

03.

Name of the Project / Institution	Position held	Time duration from-to	No of years	Releasement basis		
				Full time	Full time	Acting

				(with full - Pay)	(with No - Pay)	

Also His/ her previous releasement details from the substantive post that are in above table are confirmed with their personal files.

- 04.** After considering above details and provisions stipulated in Management Services Circular No: 1/2026, He/ She could be released and agreed to be released according to the Para 2.3.3 (a) – Fulltime releasement with full pay basis/2.3.3. (b) – Fulltime releasement with no pay leave basis/2.3.3 (c) – Acting releasement basis for the (Further releasement period) mentioned in said circular, from his/ her substantive post if selected to this post.

Date:

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Signature and seal of Head of the Institute