



MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE

CLIMATE SMART IRRIGATED AGRICULTURE PROJECT

RECRUITMENT OF PROJECT STAFF

The Ministry of Agriculture is implementing the Climate Smart Irrigated Agriculture Project with US\$ 130 Million financial support of the World Bank to improve the productivity and climate resilience of smallholder agriculture in selected hotspot area in Sri Lanka. The project implementation period is 6 years (2019-2024) and the estimated total cost of the project is US\$ 125 Million. The project implementation districts are Polonnaruwa, Anuradhapura, Hambantota, Kollomachchi, Kurunegala, Moneragala, Mullaitivu, Puttalam, Trincomalee, Batticaloa and Ampara. The Project Management Unit (PMU) is located in Rajagiriya.

For more information please visit - <http://www.csiap.lk/>

Applications are invited from citizens of Sri Lanka with below mentioned qualifications and experience to fill the following positions to serve on full time basis as follows:

01. Agriculture Specialist (PS 3) - 01 Position (Northern Province, Killinochchi)

1. A successfully completed Bachelor's Degree in Agriculture which is recognized by the University Grants Commission

or

A qualification recognized by the University Grants Commission as an equivalent qualification to the degree in the relevant field.

or

An Associate membership / a similar professional qualification obtained from a recognized professional institution in the relevant field.

with

At least 12 years post qualifying experience at Managerial Level with Agriculture Extension.

2. A successfully completed Bachelor's Degree in the relevant field, which is recognized by the University Grants Commission.

or

A qualification recognized by the University Grants Commission as an equivalent qualification to the degree in the relevant Field.

or

An Associate membership/ a similar professional qualification obtained from a recognized professional institution in the relevant field.

and

A postgraduate Degree in the relevant field or corporate / chartered membership or a professional qualification obtained from a recognized professional institution in the relevant field.

with

At least 9 years post qualifying experience in Managerial Level with Agriculture Extension.

3. Class 1 Officer of a Government All Island Service or a similar status in the relevant field.

with

At least 04 years of experience in the Class 1 Posts.

02. Senior Engineer (Water Management) PMU, Rajagiriya (PS 03) - 01 Position

1. A successfully completed Bachelor's Degree in Civil Engineering which is recognized by the University Grants Commission.

or

A qualification recognized by the University Grants Commissions as an equivalent qualification to the degree in the relevant field of Civil Engineering.

or

An Associate membership / a similar professional qualification obtained from a recognized professional institution in the relevant field of Civil Engineers.

with

At least 12 years post qualifying experience at Managerial level as an Engineering.

2. A successfully completed Bachelor's Degree in the Civil Engineering, which is recognized by the University Grants Commission.

or

A qualification recognized by the University Grants Commission as a equivalent qualification to the degree field of Civil Engineering.

or

An Associate membership / a similar professional qualification obtained from a recognized professional institution in the field of Civil Engineering.

and

A postgraduate Degree in the relevant field or corporate / chartered membership or a similar professional qualification obtained from a recognized professional institution in the field of Civil Engineering.

with

At least 9 years post qualifying experience in Managerial Level as an Engineer.

3. Class 1 Officer of a Government All Island Service or a similar status in the field of Civil Engineering.

with

At least 04 years of experience in the Class 1 Post as an Engineer.

03. Hydrologist - DPD Irrigation Division (PMU, Rajagiriya) (PS 03) - 01 Position

1. A successfully completed Bachelor's Degree in (Hydrology or Water Resources Engineering or Water Resources Management equivalent) which is recognized by the University Grants Commission

or

A qualification recognized by the University Grants Commission as an equivalent qualification to the degree in the relevant field of Hydrology or Water Resources Engineering or Water Resources Management.

with

At least 12 years post qualifying experience at Managerial Level as an Engineering.

2. A successfully completed Bachelor's Degree in the Hydrology or Water Resources Engineering or Water Resources Management which is recognized by the University Grants Commission.

or

A qualification recognized by the University Grants Commission as an equivalent qualification to the degree field of Hydrology or Water Resources Engineering or Water Resources Management.

and

A postgraduate Degree in the relevant field or corporate / chartered membership or a similar professional qualification obtained from a recognized professional institution in the field of Hydrology or Water Resources Engineering or Water Resources Management.

with

At least 9 years post qualifying experience in Managerial Level as an Engineer.

3. Class 1 Officer of a Government All Island Service or a similar status in the field of Hydrology or Water Resources Engineering or Water Resources Management.

with

At least 04 years of experience in the Class / Post as an Engineer.

04. Social Development Officer (PS 6A) - 01 Position (PMU Rajagiriya)

1. A Bachelor's degree in Social Science (Sociology, Social Work) which is recognized by the University Grants Commission.

or

A qualification recognized by the University Grants Commission as an equivalent qualification to the degree in the relevant field.

or

An Associate membership / a similar professional qualification obtained from a recognized professional institution in the relevant field.

or

Having obtained a certificate of proficiency not below than the National Vocational Qualification (Level 7) issued by a Technical / Vocational Training Institute accepted by the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission for a post related to Technical field.

and

At least 03 years of experience in the required area of specialization.

2. Having obtained a certificate of proficiency not below than the National Vocational Qualification (Level 6) issued by a Technical / Vocational Training Institute accepted by the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission for a post related to Technical field.

and

At least 08 years of experience in the required area of Specialization.

3. 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.

and

At least 13 years of experience in the resurgence in the required area of specialization

and

Preference will be given to report writing skills and fluency of English language.

05. Gender Development Officer (PS 6A)

Northern Province, Kilinochchi - (01 Position)

Southern Province, Hambantota - (01 Position)

1. A Bachelor's degree in Social Science (Sociology, Social Work & Gender Studies) which is recognized by the University Grants Commission.

or

A qualification recognized by the University Grants Commission as an equivalent qualification to the degree in the relevant field.

or

An Associate membership / a similar professional qualification obtained from a recognized professional institution in the relevant field.

and

Having obtained a certificate of proficiency not below than the National Vocational Qualification (Level 7) issued by a Technical / Vocational Training Institute accepted by the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission for a post related to Technical field.

and

At least 03 years of experience in the required area of specialization.

2. Having obtained a certificate of proficiency not below than the National Vocational Qualification (Level 6) issued by a Technical / Vocational Training Institute accepted by the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission for a post related to Technical field.

and

At least 08 years of experience in the required area of specialization.

3. 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.

and

At least 13 years of experience in the resurgence in the required area of specialization.

and

Preference will be given to report writing skills and fluency of English language.

06. Environmental Safeguard Officer (PS 6A) - 01 Position

North Western Province, Kurunegala

1. A Bachelor's degree in Science (Environment/Natural Science & Geography) which is recognized by the University Grants Commission,

or

A qualification recognized by the University Grants Commission as an equivalent qualification to the degree in the relevant field.

or

An Associate membership / a similar professional qualification obtained from a recognized professional institution in the relevant field.

and

Having obtained a certificate of proficiency not below than the National Vocational Qualification (Level 7) issued by a Technical / Vocational Training Institute accepted by the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission for a post related to Technical field.

and

At least 03 years of experience in the required area of specialization.

2. Having obtained a certificate of proficiency not below than the National Vocational Qualification (Level 6) issued by a Technical / Vocational Training Institute accepted by the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission for a post related to Technical field.

and

At least 08 years of experience in the required area of specialization.

3. 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.

and

At least 13 years of experience in the resurgence in the required area of specialization.

and

Preference will be given to report writing skills and fluency of English language.

07. Category A Procurement Officer (PS 6A) - 01 Position, PMU, Rajagiriya

1. A Bachelor's degree in Science (Environment, Natural Geography Science) which is recognized by the University Grants Commission,

or

A qualification recognized by the University Grants Commission as an equivalent qualification to the degree in the relevant field,

or

An Associate membership / a similar professional qualification obtained from a recognized professional institution in the relevant field.

and

Having obtained a certificate of proficiency not below than the National Vocational Qualification (Level 7) issued by a Technical / Vocational Training Institute accepted by the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission for a post related to Technical field.

and

At least 03 years of experience in the required area of specialization.

2. Having obtained a certificate of proficiency not below than the National Vocational Qualification Level 6 issued by a Technical / Vocational Training Institute accepted by the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission for a post related to Technical field.

and

At least 08 years of experience in the required area of specialization.

3. Having obtained a certificate of proficiency not below than the National Vocational Qualification Level 5 issued by a Technical / Vocational Training Institute accepted by the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission for a post related to Technical field.

and

At least 13 years of experience in the resurgence in the required area of specialization.

and

Preference will be given to report writing skills and fluency of English language.

08. Development Officer (Finance) - (PS 6A) - 01 Position, PMU, Rajagiriya

1. A Bachelor's degree in Finance/ Management which is recognized by the University Grants Commission.

or

A qualification recognized by the University Grants Commission as an equivalent qualification to the degree in the relevant field.

or

An Associate membership / a similar professional qualification obtained from a recognized professional institution in the relevant field. (The Association Membership of the AAT also considered as a professional qualification)

or

Having obtained a certificate of proficiency not below than the National Vocational Qualification (Level 7) issued by a Technical / Vocational Training Institute accepted by the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission for a post related to Technical field.

and

At least 03 years of experience in the required area of specialization.

2. Having obtained a certificate of proficiency not below than the National Vocational Qualification (Level 6) issued by a Technical / Vocational Training Institute accepted by the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission for a post related to technical field.

and

At least 08 years of experience in the required area of specialization.

3. Having obtained a certificate of proficiency not below than the National Vocational Qualification (Level 5) issued by a Technical / Vocational Training Institute accepted by the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission for a post related to Technical field.

and

At least 13 years of experience in the resurgence in the required area of specialization.

and

Preference will be given to report writing skills and fluency of English language.

09. Management Assistant

Project Management Unit (PMU), Rajagiriya (02 Positions)

Southern Province, Hambantota (02 Positions)

North Central Province, Anuradhapura (01 Position)

Eastern Province, Trincomalee (01 Position)

Uva Province, Moneragala (01 Position)

1. Having Passed all Subjects in G.C.E. (A/L) Examination of one sitting (except the General Paper)

and

Six (6) passes at the G.C.E. (O/L) examination with four (4) Credit passes including Sinhala/Tamil-English and Mathematics at one sitting.

with

At least 06 years of work experience in English Speaking, and Multicultural Working Environment a Computer Literacy (MS Package, Word, Excel, Power Point), handling Internet, e-mail communication. Documentary evidence is required to prove the competency of computer literacy & report writing skills in English Medium.

10. Office Assistant - 01 Position (Deputy Project Director Irrigation Division - PMU, Rajagiriya)

Having passed all subjects in G.C.E. (A/L) examination in six subjects with credit passes for at least two subjects including Sinhala/Tamil at not more than two sittings.

Experience in Graphics, Video Editing, Videoclip, Typing and Writing skills will be an added qualification.

GENERAL CONDITIONS:

a. Age Limit:

Candidates above 64 years of the age on the Closing date of application are not eligible to apply.

b. Conditions of Employment:

Officers belonging to government services will be recruited on secondment basis and persons outside the Government Service will be recruited on contract basis. All appointments will be initially for a period of one year and extension of service will be based on successful performance.

c. Salary:

Salary for each position will be based on the Management Services Circular No 06/2019 dated 05.03.2019.

d. Interview:

Short-listed applicants based on qualifications and experience will be called for the interview.

APPLICATIONS:

All applicants are required to forward their applications together with Curriculum Vitae along with non-redacted references and Copies of the certificates under registered post on or before 31st of October 2020 to reach the address given below.

Applicants currently in government/ semi government services should forward their applications through the Heads of Departments.

Applied post, Location and name of the project should be clearly stated on the top left-hand corner of the envelope containing the application.

Applicants of provincial staff are required to mention the Postname clearly on the envelope.

Separate applications enclosed in separate envelopes should be forwarded if applying for more than one post.

The decision of the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture/Chief Secretary of respective province is final and conclusive on the above appointments.

Project Director

Climate Smart Irrigated Agriculture Project

Ministry of Agriculture

288, Sri Jayawardene Mawatha,

Rajagiriya.

Correction of the paper notice on 13.07.2020 Page No. 2B regarding the advertisement of recruitment of the Project Director (PS 01) - 01 Position

The clause under the conditions of Employment:

“Officers Currently working in donor funded projects under the purview of the Ministry of Mahaweli, Agriculture, Irrigation and Rural Development with above qualifications are required to complete a minimum of two years of successful service in the particular project to be eligible to apply.” is excluded.

The closing date for the post of Project Director is extended from 31st of July 2020 up to 24th of October 2020 and the particular application should be sent to:

Secretary,

Ministry of Agriculture,

Climate Smart Irrigated Agriculture Project,

80/5, "Gorijana Mandapaya", Rajamalwatta Lane,

Battaramulla.