

Ministry of Irrigation

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Mahaweli Water Security Investment Program (MWSIP)

Funding Source: Asian Development Bank (ADB)

The Mahaweli Water Security Investment Program is a part of the Master Plan of the Mahaweli Multi-Purpose Development Program implemented by the Ministry of Irrigation with concessional loan facility obtained from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) and the counterpart funds provided by the Government of Sri Lanka, which is expected to be completed by the year 2024.

Applications:

Applications are hereby invited from suitably qualified citizens of Sri Lanka for the following positions on Contract Basis, and the applicants are requested to forward their applications along with their Curriculum Vitae giving educational, professional qualifications and experience with two contacts of Non-relative referees by Registered post on or before 23.08.2021 to reach the address mentioned below, while indicating the post applied for on the top left-hand corner of the envelope,

Program Director,
Mahaweli Water Security Investment Program,
No. 493-1/1, T. B. Jayah Mawatha,
Colombo 10.

or send an email with the relevant documents to hr.mwsip@gmail.com.

Shortlisted applicants based on highest qualifications and experience, will be called for an interview and selection will be based on merit. Therefore, **any influence or making representation for the recruitment process could be resulted for rejection of the application.** Copies of the certificates to prove basic qualifications should be attached with the application and all the incomplete applications will be rejected. The applications of candidates from Government Services/ Statutory Boards/ Co-operations and other Government Institutions should be forwarded through their respective Heads of Institutions, who should state whether the applicants could be released on Full Time Basis, if selected.

Posts and Job Profiles	Qualification & Experience
<p>1. SENIOR LAND ACQUISITION AND RESETTLEMENT OFFICER (PS - 5)</p> <p>Job Profile</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">To extend the fullest cooperation to complete the Project during the stipulated time period without creating any delays due to land acquisition and resettlement related delays.Deal with all matters pertaining to land acquisition, resettlement, safeguards, and ensure timely completion of resettlements as planned to the satisfaction of people resettled.Build awareness among them on the project and how to obtain optimum benefits from the project results.Conducting Socio economic surveys to finalize the Resettlement Implementation Plan and Implementation of Livelihood restoration plans,	<p>*Below mentioned qualifications (for PS-5) are in accordance with Management Services Department (MSD) Circular No. 01/2019</p> <p>1. A Successfully completed Bachelor's Degree in the relevant field which is recognized by the University Grants Commission.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Or</p> <p>A Qualification recognized by the University Grants Commission as an equivalent Qualification to the Degree in the relevant field</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Or</p> <p>An Associate Membership/ A similar Professional Qualification obtained from a recognized Professional Institution in the relevant field</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Or</p> <p>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</p> <p style="text-align: center;">And</p> <p>At least 06 years of experience in the required area of specialization.</p> <p>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 Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission for a post related to Technical field</p> <p style="text-align: center;">And</p> <p>At least 11 years of experience in the required area of specialization.</p> <p>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</p> <p style="text-align: center;">And</p> <p>At least 16 years of experience in the required area of specialization.</p> <p>Salary Level: PS-5 - Rs. 105,000.00 - Rs. 113,000.00</p>
<p>2. SENIOR ENVIRONMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OFFICER (PS - 5)</p> <p>Job Profile</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Ensure elimination or mitigation of negative impacts of the project implementation on the environment of the project areas. Implement wildlife Management plan and the grievance redress mechanism and ensure protection of environment and address issues causing grievances.Implementation of grievance redress mechanism, overseeing mitigation of negative impacts on the environment and monitoring aspects, maintain environment documentation (Environment monitoring reports, etc) and conduct environment awareness programs.Responsible for providing technical information and recommendation to facilitate the smooth execution of the wildlife management plan within project areas, ensuring the protection of wildlife and minimizing the negative impacts of the Projects on wildlife within the geographical area covered by the project; and developing and maintaining positive and strong interpersonal relations with relevant agencies and communities.	
<p>3. SENIOR DRAUGHTSMAN (PS - 5)</p> <p>Job Profile</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Maintain a database for reference of Project technical staff.Assist technical staff for designing, planning, land acquisition and construction supervision.Preparing procurement plan for the project.Maintain updated database and document library.	
<p>4. SENIOR COMMUNICATION OFFICER (PS - 5)</p> <p>Job Profile</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Conduct meetings and awareness programs targeting stakeholders, community members/leaders, and other interested parties, to explain the benefits of the Program to the affected people, residents of the project area and seek their support for its implementation.Create awareness and educate people including communities, stakeholders, contractors, and other interested parties on the benefits of the Program through communication programs, in order to obtain their support and cooperation.Develop brochures, video clips, and similar documents explaining the benefits of this project to the province and the nation.	

***Cost of living allowance will be paid in addition to the salaries specified above as per MSD Circular No. 01/2019.**

General Conditions

- Applicants should be below 64 years of age.
- All officers are expected to perform their duties in liaison and coordination activities with relevant Government Organizations and other Agencies.
- Work experience in foreign funded projects in Sri Lanka will be an added advantage.
- Proficiency in English, familiarity with government regulations and computer literacy are essential prerequisites for these posts.
- Employment contracts are for One year, renewable annually based on performance and the requirement of the programs/ projects.
- Government approved salary scales with allowances as per the Management Services Circular No. 01/2019 and any revisions thereafter. (<http://www.treasury.gov.lk>)

Secretary
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