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Posts — Vacant

GENERAL CONDITIONS APPLICABLE TO APPOINTMENTS IN THE STATE SERVICE ADVERTISED IN THE “GAZETTE OF THE REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA (CEYLON)”

1. General Qualifications required

1:1 Every applicant must furnish satisfactory proof that he is a Ceylonese. A “Ceylonese” is a citizen of Ceylon by descent or by registration as defined in the Ceylon Citizenship Act.

1:2 A candidate for any post for which the minimum educational qualification prescribed is a pass in the Senior School Certificate Examination or equivalent or higher examination should have a pass in the Sinhala Language obtained at the Senior School Certificate Examination or its equivalent if he is a Sinhalese, educated in the Sinhala medium. (This requirement will not apply to those who are in the State Service from a date prior to January 1, 1961, and who seek appointments to other posts in the State Service).

1:3 Applications from the ‘New Entrant’ public officers whose probationary/trial appointments have been terminated for failure to pass the prescribed Proficiency Test in Sinhala will not be entertained unless they have obtained the qualifications which would entitle them to seek exemptions from the highest Proficiency Test in Sinhala prescribed for the post or service in terms of Treasury Circular No. 640.

2. Allowances

2:1 In addition to the monthly consolidated salary applicable to the post, all monthly paid married officers in the State Service will be paid a Married Allowance on the basis set out in Section 1 of Chapter VIII of the Establishments Code.

2:2 Monthly paid State Officers in the salary/wage group ranging from Rs. 180 to Rs. 250 per month (inclusive of all allowances), will be paid a Special Allowance of Rs. 7.50 per mensem subject to any adjustments where necessary.

3. Conditions of Service: General

3:1 All officers in the State Service will be subject to the Financial Regulations, the Establishments Code, Departmental Orders or Regulations and any other Orders or Regulations that may be issued by Government from time to time.

3:2 A State Officer may be required to furnish security in terms of the Public Officers’ (Security) Ordinance, in such sum and in such manner as the Secretary to the Ministry concerned may determine.

3:3 A State Officer may be called upon to serve in any part of the Island.

4. Conditions of Service applicable to State Officers holding permanent appointments

4:1 In addition to the conditions referred to in Section 3 above, State Officers holding permanent appointments will be subject to the following further conditions:—

4:1:1 All appointments will be on probation for a period of 3 years unless a longer period is considered necessary in respect of any post. An appointment may be terminated at any time during the period of probation without a reason being assigned.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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Government Printer

Department of Government Printing,
Colombo, December 15, 1972.

4:1:2 All State Officers who are "New Entrants" to the State Service, for purposes of the official language policy of the State are required to conform to the provisions of the Official Language Act, No. 33 of 1956, and any laws and rules that now exist or may be introduced in the future to give effect to the language policy of the State.

4:1:3 All State Officers are required to acquire a working knowledge of the Official Language during their period of probation.

4:1:4 Confirmation at the expiry of the period of probation will depend, *inter alia*, on the passing of the Grade I proficiency test in Sinhala within one year, Grade II proficiency test within two years and Grade III proficiency test (where applicable, within three years from the date of appointment).

Failure to pass a test within the prescribed period for it, will result in the suspension of increments. Suspension will be converted to stoppage if the test is not passed within a further period of six months beyond the prescribed period, such stoppage operating until the test is passed or until such time as the provisions of section 4:1:5 below apply.

4:1:5 The provisions of Section 12:13 of Chapter II of the Establishments Code will apply if the prescribed standard of proficiency in Sinhala is not reached by the end of the period of probation.

4:1:6 Sections 4:1:3, 4:1:4 and 4:1:5 will not apply to those recruited through the Sinhala medium.

4:1:7 A State Officer already confirmed in a permanent post in the State Service will not normally be required to serve the period of probation on being appointed to another permanent post in the State Service. Such officer may in the first instance be appointed to act in the new post for a specified period with a view to testing him in his new post.

4:1:8 Selected candidates (other than those already holding permanent/temporary appointments in the State Service who have already been medically examined) will be required to undergo a medical examination by a Government Medical Officer to test their physical fitness to serve in any part of the Island.

5. Terms of Engagement

5:1 All State Officers appointed to the State Service after 1.1.72 either to posts in the permanent establishment or to posts in the monthly paid temporary cadre (excluding those on daily rates of pay) will be required to contribute 6% of their consolidated salary to the Public Service Provident Fund. The State will contribute 9% of the consolidated salary paid in at the close of each financial year. The holder of such an appointment may also, if he so desires make

a further voluntary contribution at his option up to 6% of his monthly consolidated salary to the Public Service Provident Fund but no contribution will be made by the State on such contribution.

5:2 Those State Officers who held permanent and pensionable posts in the State Service prior to 31.12.1971, if appointed to a post in the permanent establishment of the State Service after 1.1.1972, will be allowed to retain the pensionability as personal to the holder. Such State Officer will be required to contribute to the Widows & Orphans Pension Scheme as before.

6. War Service Concession

6:1 If they are qualified in all other respects, ex-Servicemen of United Kingdom's Fighting Forces and full-time members of Auxillary Fire, Air Raid Precautions and Civil Defence Services will, provided they had not left these Services of their own accord, be allowed to deduct periods of such service from September 3, 1939 to December 31, 1949, from their age for purposes of obtaining eligibility on grounds of age provided that they had joined the Forces before August 15, 1945, and that such services was satisfactory and continuous.

7. Serving Officers in the State Service

7:1 Applications from officers of the State Service who possess all the necessary qualifications must be forwarded through the Heads of their respective Departments. In the case of applications from State Officers holding posts in the permanent establishment in the State Service, the Heads of Departments, in forwarding such applications, should state whether the applicants could be released or not to take up the new appointment, if selected.

7:2 Candidates may be required to present themselves for interview at an appointed time and place. No travelling or other expenses will be paid in this connection.

7:3 Any one desiring to recommend a candidate should do so by giving a testimonial. Any form of canvassing or any attempt to influence the selection of a candidate will disqualify such candidate.

7:4 Any statement in the application which is found to be incorrect will render the applicant liable to disqualification, if the inaccuracy is discovered before the selection, and to dismissal, if discovered after the selection.

7:5 Applications not conforming in every respect with the requirements of the advertisement will be rejected.

8. Definition of Salary for the purpose of Eligibility

8:1 Salary for purposes of eligibility means only the consolidated salary and does not include any acting salary, allowances, &c.

SRI LANKA AIR FORCE

**Officer Vacancies—Airfield Construction Branch
(Works Services)**

APPLICATIONS are invited for posts of Officer in the Airfield Construction Branch (Works Services) of the Sri Lanka Air Force.

2. The selected candidates will be granted commissions in the Sri Lanka Air Force. The selected candidates possessing educational qualifications listed under paragraph 12 sub-para (c) (i) to (iii) will be granted commissions in the rank of Flight Lieutenant and the candidates possessing educational qualifications listed under paragraph 12 sub-para (c) (iv) to (vi) will be granted commissions in the rank of Pilot Officer.

3. The duties of an officer in the Airfield Construction Branch (apart from normal duties of all officers) are construction and maintenance of Airfields, buildings roads and other installations occupied, operated and used by the Air Force.

4. The selected candidates may be required to undergo training in Sri Lanka or abroad as required.

5. *Pay and Allowances.*—Pay and Allowances are as per Air Force Pay Code 1961, published in the *Sri Lanka Government Gazette* No. 12,395 of 28th April, 1961, as amended from time to time.

(a) The consolidated pay applicable to the officers up to the rank of Wing Commander is as follows :—
Pilot Officer :—Rs. 7,140 per annum.

Flying Officer :—Rs. 7,500 per annum rising up to 8,400 per annum by five annual increments of Rs. 180.00.

Flight Lieutenant :—Rs. 9,240 per annum rising up to Rs. 10,680 per annum by eight annual increments of Rs. 180.00.

Squadron Leader :—Rs. 11,400 per annum rising up to Rs. 13,320 per annum by eight annual increments of Rs. 240.00.

Wing Commander :—Rs. 15,000 per annum rising up to Rs. 17,520 per annum by seven annual increment of Rs. 360.00.

(b) *Uniform Allowance.*—On commissioning an allowance of Rs. 1,000 is granted for tropical outfit. On being posted overseas for service or training purposes, a further outfit allowance of Rs. 1,300 will be granted. On completion of two years' service an allowance of Rs. 25 per month will be paid for maintenance of uniforms.

(c) *Other Allowances.*—Marriage Allowance will be paid at Government rates.

6. The posts are non pensionable. The selected candidate will be required to contribute to the Public Service Provident Fund as laid down in Pension Department Circular No. 3 dated January 10, 1972.

If an officer holding a permanent and pensionable appointment is selected, he will continue to enjoy pension rights under the terms and conditions laid down in the Minutes on Pensions, as amended from time to time.

7. *Conditions of Service.*—The conditions of service of an officer of the Sri Lanka Air Force are in terms of Sri Lanka Air Force (Regular and Regular Reserve) Regulations published in *Gazette* No. 10,240 of 27th April, 1951 as amended from time to time.

8. Unmarried officers will be required to live in the Officers' Mess and they will be provided with food and batman services.

9. A married officer will be provided with married quarters (if available) and an allowance in lieu of a personal batman.

10. Air Force officers are liable to be posted for duty or training in any part of the world, at any time.

11. The selected candidates will be required to comply with any rules already made or that may hereafter be made for giving effect to the language policy of the Government and in particular for implementing the provisions of the Official Language Act, No. 33 of 1956.

12. *Basic Requirements.*—Applicants must possess the following requirements :—

(a) *Nationality.*—Candidates must be citizens of Sri Lanka—

- (i) By descent; or
- (ii) By registration.

(b) *Age.*—Candidates must not be more than 33 years of age on 1st September, 1973.

(c) *Educational/Professional.*—Candidates should provide satisfactory proof that they possess one of the following :—

- (i) A.M.I.C.E., A.M.I.E.E. or A.M.I. Mech. E. ;
- (ii) is a Graduate in Engineering of a recognised University ;

(iii) have successfully completed a course of training for the A.M.I.C.E., A.M.I.E.E. or A.M.I. Mech. E. Parts I and II (or Sections A and B) Examinations and have been granted permission by the Institute of Civil, Electrical or Mechanical Engineers to appear for the Part III (or Section C) of the Institution Examinations ;

Candidates with the following qualifications will be considered if they possess other exceptional qualifications or experience :—

(iv) have obtained the Diploma in Civil, Electrical or Mechanical Engineering of the Ceylon Technical College and had not less than three years experience in a Government or recognised Engineering Firm ; or

(v) have obtained the Junior Technical Officer Certificate (Civil) or (Mechanical) or (Electrical) and have not less than 5 years practical experience thereafter on large building construction works in a Government Department or in a recognised Engineering Firm ;

(vi) have passed the Joint Part I (Section A) of the Professional Engineering Institutions and have not less than 5 years practical experience thereafter on large engineering work in a Government Department or a recognised Engineering Firm.

Note.—(Subject to general suitability preference will be given to candidates possessing practical experience in a Government Department or a recognised Engineering Firm, in addition to the above-mentioned technical qualifications).

(d) *Medical Standard.*—Candidates must conform to Air Force Medical Standards (minimum height 5 ft. 5 ins., Chest 32 ins. and Weight 105 lbs).

13. *Instructions to Applicants.*—Applications should be made in the form appearing at Appendix 'A' to this notification. No printed copies of the form of application are available and applicants are required to prepare their own forms. Applications which are not in accordance with the prescribed form will be rejected.

14. Applications should be addressed to 'THE COMMANDER OF THE AIR FORCE, P. O. BOX 594, COLOMBO,' and the envelope is to be marked on the left-hand top corner 'APPLICATION—AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION BRANCH—OFFICERS.' Applications will be accepted up to 3rd September, 1973.

15. Applications should be accompanied by copies of—

- (a) The applicant's Certificate of Birth ;
- (b) The Certificate of the highest Educational/Professional qualification obtained ;
- (c) certificate of character obtained from at least two responsible persons who are personally acquainted with the applicant ;
- (d) certificates in support of any claim made in the application.

16. Applications from officers in the State Services should be forwarded through the Heads of their Departments. The Heads of Departments in forwarding the applications should state whether they are prepared to release the officers, if selected.

17. *Selections, Interviews, etc.*—A candidate considered suitable will be instructed to appear at his own expense before selection boards.

18. Candidates considered suitable by the preliminary selection board will be medically examined by the Air Force. They will also be required to undergo Officer Quality Tests prior to the Final Selection Board.

P. H. MENDIS,
Air Commodore,
Commander of the Air Force.

Headquarters,
Sri Lanka Air Force,
P. O. Box 594,
Colombo, 10th August, 1973.

APPENDIX 'A'

APPLICATIONS FOR COMMISSION IN THE AIRFIELD
CONSTRUCTION BRANCH
(WORKS SERVICE)
OF THE SRI LANKA AIR FORCE

1. Surname : _____
Other Names : _____
(In Block Capitals)
2. Present Address : _____
(i) Telephone Number : _____
(ii) Nearest Railway Station : _____
(iii) Nearest Police Station : _____
(iv) Telegraph Office : _____
3. Permanent Residence : _____
How long have you lived here ? : _____
4. Marital Status : _____
5. Particulars of Parents :—
(a) Father's Name : _____
Place of Birth : _____
Citizenship at Birth : _____
(b) Mother's Name : _____
Place of Birth : _____
Citizenship at Birth : _____
6. Particulars of School and University Career :—
(a) Name of School, etc. : _____
(b) Date of Joining : _____
(c) Date of Leaving : _____
7. Particulars of employment since leaving School :—
(This must be a complete record)
(a) Name of Employer : _____
(b) Nature of Employment : _____
(c) Period of Employment : _____
8. Have you been interviewed for any vacancy in any of the Armed Services before this ? If answer is 'Yes' give details of posts applied for and dates : _____
9. Have you been convicted by a Civil or Military Court ? If answer is 'Yes' give details : _____

10. Necessary qualifications as required in paragraph 12 of this notification :—
Date of Birth : _____
Age : _____ Yrs. _____ Months _____ Days
(As at 1st September, 1973)
Place of Birth : _____
Citizenship : _____ at Birth : _____ at Present
(a) Eligibility : _____
(b) Educational qualifications you possess : _____
(i.e. Clause of para. 12 under which you qualify).
(c) Height : _____ ft. _____ ins.
(d) Chest : _____ ins.
(e) Weight : _____ lbs.
11. Additional qualifications (Applicants must be able to substantiate claims made in the following cages) :—
12. Details of achievements in Sports :—
(Give details of teams and competition with dates and specify standard achieved).
13. Other achievements at School or University :—
14. Details of service with any Armed Service, Regular or Volunteer or Boy Scout Organisation :—
15. Particulars of any special qualifications :—
16. Enclosures attached to this application (only copies are to be sent) :—
17. Names of persons from whom testimonials have been obtained :—
18. Other enclosures attached to this application :—

Signature of Applicant.

Date : _____, 1973.

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SRI LANKA AIR FORCE VACANCIES—
CADETSHIPS

APPLICATIONS are invited for vacancies in the following four branches of the Sri Lanka Air Force :—

Cadetships—Pilots
Cadetships—Technical
Cadetships—Equipment
Cadetships—Admin/Regiment

Applications are invited from candidates possessing qualifications outlined at paragraph 10 of this notification. The candidates selected will on successful completion of training be granted Regular Commissions by His Excellency the President in the rank of Pilot Officers.

2. On being accepted for Cadetship—

(a) Candidates must enlist in the Sri Lanka Air Force on a regular engagement for a period of five years.

(b) Cadets will be required to undergo training at such places in Sri Lanka or abroad as decided by the Minister of Defence and Foreign Affairs in consultation with the Commander of the Air Force.

(c) During the period of training all cadets will be subject to Air Force Law.

(d) Contributions to the Public Service Provident Fund—Every cadet on enlistment shall be required to give his written consent to the deduction of six percent of his consolidated salary as his contribution towards the Public Service Provident Fund.

(e) While undergoing training all cadets shall be paid a consolidated salary of Rs. 5,160 per annum. They will not be entitled to any increments of pay during their period of service as cadets.

(f) Every cadet undergoing flying training shall receive, in addition to his normal pay, instructional flying pay at the rate of Re. 1.00 per day provided, however, that a cadet undergoing flying training in jet aircraft, who has flown a minimum of 30 hours of which 20 hours shall be in jet aircraft shall receive flying pay at the rate of Rs. 4.00 per day

(g) Every cadet shall be provided at Government expense all items of uniform, equipment, and medical facilities during his period of service as a cadet.

(h) During the period of training, cadets will be accommodated in an Air Force mess and provided with food. He shall pay for his food and be charged rental at 3½ per centum of his Hypothetical Basic.

(j) (i) In the event of a cadet voluntarily terminating his candidature for a commission during training the parent or guardian will be required to refund to the Republic of Sri Lanka all expenses incurred up to that time by the Republic of Sri Lanka on account of such cadet.

(ii) If at any time during his course a cadet is reported on by the authorities as being unsuitable for reasons of misconduct or due to causes within his own control for the issue of a commission his parent or guardian will be required to refund to the Republic of Sri Lanka all expenses incurred on his account by the Republic of Sri Lanka.

(k) Parents or guardians will sign declarations as given in case 21 of the form of application given in paragraph 21 below, in respect of sub-paragraph (j) (i) and (ii) above, and forward them together with the application. Parents or guardians of selected candidates will be required to enter into a bond substantially in this form with the Republic of Sri Lanka prior to the appointment of these candidates.

(1) On successful completion of training the cadets will be thereupon be commissioned as Pilot Officers in their respective branches of the Sri Lanka Air Force. On appointment to commission the cadets will be discharged from the Air Force engagements into which they had entered as cadets. They will be required to serve in the Sri Lanka Air Force for a minimum period of five years after commissioning.

3. Pay and Allowances on Commissioning.—

Pay and allowances and conditions of service for a commissioned officer in the Sri Lanka Air Force are as laid down below :—

(a) Consolidated Pay—

Pilot Officer—Rs. 5,880 per annum.
Flying Officer—Rs. 7,500—5 × 180—Rs. 8,400 per annum.
Flight Lieutenant—Rs. 9,240—8 × 180—Rs. 10,680 per annum.
Squadron Leader—Rs. 11,400—8 × 240—Rs. 13,320 per annum.

(The rates applicable to the rank of Wing Commander and above can be obtained, if desired, from this Headquarters).

(b) *Marriage Allowance.*—A married officer shall be paid a marriage allowance at the rates and conditions applicable to the Public Service.

(c) *Flying Pay.*—Officers of the General Duties Branch (Pilots) shall receive in addition to their normal pay, flying pay at the following rates :—

Pilot Officer	— Rs. 8.00 per day
Flying Officer	— Rs. 8.89 per day
Flight Lieutenant	} — Rs. 9.77 per day
Squadron Leader	

(The rates applicable to the rank of Wing Commander and above can be obtained, if desired, from this Headquarters).

(d) On commissioning, an initial outfit allowance of Rs. 1,000 is granted for purchase of tropical outfit. On being posted overseas (Temperate Climate) for training purposes, a further outfit allowance of Rs. 1,300 will be paid. An uniform upkeep allowance of Rs. 25 per month will be paid after one month from the date of commissioning for the maintenance of uniforms. The cost of uniforms retained by the officer on completion of training/commissioning will be deducted from the initial outfit allowance.

(e) Other allowances (separation, overseas, combined, etc.) will be paid as detailed in Air Force Regulations.

4. Contributions to the Public Service Provident Fund—Every Officer shall be required to give his written consent to the deduction of six percent of his consolidated salary as his contributions towards the Public Service Provident Fund.

5. *Conditions of Service when commissioned.*—The prospects and conditions of service of an officer in the Sri Lanka Air Force are as published in *Ceylon Government Gazette* No. 10,240 of April 27, 1951.

6. A single officer is required to live in the Officers Mess, is provided with furnished accommodation and food. A rental of 7% of the Hypothetical Basic Salary will be recovered. He shall also pay for his food. Batman Service will be provided at Government expense.

7. A married officer will be provided with a furnished married quarter, if available. Recovery of rental will be as applicable to Public Servants. A batman allowance of Rs. 75 per month will be paid to him.

8. Air Force Officers are liable to be posted for duty or training in any part of the world at any time.

9. The selected candidates will be required to comply with any rules already made or that may hereafter be made for giving effect to the language policy of the Government and in particular for implementing the provisions of the Official Language Act, No. 33 of 1956.

Basic Qualifications Necessary.—

10. (a) *Nationality*—Candidates must be Ceylonese, that is—

- (i) a citizen of Sri Lanka by descent, OR
- (ii) registration.

(b) *Age.*—Candidates must not be less than 17 years and 6 months and more than 22 years of age as at 1st September, 1973. Graduates, under the age of 28 years as at 1st September, 1973 will however be considered for cadetships.

(c) *Educational.*—Candidates must possess at least one of the following qualifications :—

(i) *General Duties (Pilots) Branch*—

(a) Should have passed the G.C.E. (Ordinary Level) Examination in six subjects, including passes in English Language, Mathematics and Physics.

(b) Graduates (of a recognised university) should have secured passes in Maths, Physics and English Language at the G.C.E. (O.L.) Examination.

(ii) *Technical Branch*—

(a) Should have passed the G.C.E. (Ordinary Level) Examination in six subjects, including credit passes in Mathematics and Physics and a pass in English Language.

(b) Graduates (of a recognised university) should have secured credit passes in Maths and Physics and a pass in English Language at the G.C.E. (Ordinary Level) Examination.

(iii) *Equipment and Admin. Regiment Branches*—

(a) Should have passed the G.C.E. (Ordinary Level) Examination in six subjects. A pass in Maths is compulsory.

(b) Graduates of a recognised university. A pass in Maths (at the G.C.E. Ordinary Level) is compulsory.

(iv) Due consideration will be given to achievements in the field of sports.

(d) *Civil Status.*—Candidates must be unmarried. (No cadet will be permitted to marry whilst under training and for a further period of two years from commissioning).

(e) *Medical Standard.*—Candidates must conform to the Air Force medical standards. (Minimum height 5 feet 5 inches—Chest 32 inches and Weight 105 lbs. and above).

(f) *Flying Aptitude Tests.*—All candidates for General Duties (Pilot Branch) will be required to undergo air-borne tests for flying aptitude, before final selection.

Instructions to Applicants.—

11. Applications for cadetships will be submitted in writing on a copy of the form given in paragraph 21 below and will be forwarded to the Commander of the Air Force P. O. Box 594, Colombo, to reach him not later than 3rd September, 1973. The envelope in which the application is forwarded must be marked 'APPLICATION FOR AIR FORCE CADETSHIPS'.

12. Applications must be accompanied by two certificates of character one of which shall be originated by a responsible person of matured age, who has known the applicant for the past one year in private life, and the other from the Principle of the last school attended, who is required to state the applicant's educational and athletic achievement as well.

13. Those candidates who are selected for interview by the Selection Board will be so informed. They will be required to present themselves for interview in Colombo at an appointed date, time and place. No travelling or other expenses will be paid by the Sri Lanka government in this respect. The candidates who are not selected for interview by the Selection Board will be so informed.

14. Applications will be made substantially in the form given in paragraph 21 below. Application forms will NOT be issued. Applications which do not conform in every respect to the requirements of this notification will be rejected.

15. Any statement in the application which is found to be incorrect will render the applicant liable to disqualification if the inaccuracy is discovered before the selection, and to dismissal if discovered after the Selection.

16. Applications from candidates in Government Service must be forwarded through the Heads of their respective departments who should state whether or not they are prepared to release the applicant if selected for appointment.

17. Applicants should attached to their applications
Copies of—

- (i) certificate of registration of birth. (Baptismal certificate or certificates issued for the purpose of the Education Code will not be accepted).
- (ii) certificate of the highest academical qualification obtained ;
and
- (iii) testimonials referred to in paragraph 11 above.

N.B.—Originals of these certificates and testimonials should be produced only if and when the Applicant is called for the interview.

18. Anyone who desires to recommend a candidate should do so by giving him a testimonial. Any form of canvassing or attempt to influence the selection of a candidate will disqualify such candidate.

19. Methods of Selection.—A preliminary selection will be made from any application received by a Selection Board to be held at Air Force Headquarters. These candidates will be required to pass a preliminary examination, medical and *flying aptitude tests. (*Applicable to General Duties (Pilots) Branch only).

20. The final selection will be made by a board appointed by the Minister of Defence and Foreign Affairs, from candidates who have reached the required standards.

21.

Form of Application

APPLICATION FOR A CADETSHIP IN THE _____ BRANCH OF
THE SRI LANKA AIR FORCE

"A" Personal Details

1. Surname : _____
Other Names : _____.
2. Present Address : _____
Telephone No. : _____
Nearest Railway Station : _____
Police Station : _____
Telegraph Office : _____.
3. Permanent Address : _____.
4. Marital Status : _____.
5. Particulars of Parents (If naturalized date and No. of certificate must be quoted) : _____
(a) Father's Name : _____
Place of Birth : _____
Citizenship at Birth : _____
(b) Mother's Name : _____
Place of Birth : _____
Citizenship at Birth : _____.
6. Father's Occupation : _____.
7. Particulars of School and University Career :
(a) Name of School and/or University : _____
(b) Date of joining : ____ Date of leaving : ____
(c) Public Examinations passed : _____.
8. Particulars of Employment since leaving school :—
(a) Name of Employer : _____
(b) Nature of Employment : _____
(c) Period of Service From : ____ To : ____.
9. Have you applied to any Armed Service before this? (Give dates, post applied for and name of Service) : _____.
10. Have you been bound over by a Civil or Military Court? (If so, give details) : _____.

"B" Necessary Qualifications (as required in paragraph 10 of this notification).

11. Date of Birth : _____
Age : Years : ____ Months : ____ Days : ____
(As at 1st September, 1973).
Place of Birth : _____
Nationality at Birth : _____
Present : _____.
12. Eligibility (Give Particulars of Examinations with dates, subjects and name of the institution of Department holding the Examination) : _____.

13. (a) Height : _____
(b) Chest : _____
(c) Weight : _____.

"C" Additional Qualifications (Applicants must be able to substantiate clauses made in the following cages) : _____.

14. Details of achievements in sports (Give details of Teams and competitions you have participated in with dates and standards achieved) : _____.
15. Other achievements of note at school, university, or with outside organizations (Give details with dates) : _____.
16. Previous service with a regular Armed Service Volunteer Force or Boy Scout organization. (Give name of service of Organization with highest rank held and the length of service) : _____.
17. Special qualifications for the post (e.g. have you undergone any tests for aptitude in flying. Give details with dates) : _____.

"D" Testimonials (Reference paragraph 18 of this notification)

18. Particulars :—

Name	Designation	Present Address

"E" Declarations

19. Declaration to be signed by the applicant :—

I declare on my honour that the answers I have given to the above questions are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, correct. I have read and understood the procedure which will be adopted and the rules which will apply in respect of those candidates who are selected for cadetships in the Sri Lanka Air Force as published in the *Sri Lanka Government Gazette*.

Signature of Applicant.

Date : _____, 1973

20. Declaration to be signed by the Parent/Guardian of the applicant.

(a) I am the *Parent/Guardian of _____ who is an applicant for a cadetship in the Sri Lanka Air Force and who has signed the declaration in cage 19 of the form of applicant above ;

(b) I hereby undertake to be responsible in the event of the abovenamed applicant being selected for a course of training for the following : _____.

(i) to refund to the Republic of Sri Lanka, in the event of the abovenamed applicant voluntarily terminating his candidature for a commission during his period of training all expenses incurred up to that time by the Republic of Sri Lanka on account of such applicant ;

(ii) to refund to the Republic of Sri Lanka in the event of the abovenamed applicant being reported on by the authorities as being unsuitable (for reasons of misconduct or due to causes within his own control) for the issue of a commission, all the expenses incurred on his account by the Republic of Sri Lanka.

Signature of Parent or Guardian.

Date : _____, 1973.

Name (in block capitals) : _____.

Address : _____.

Signature of Witness : _____.

Name (in block capitals) : _____.

Address : _____.

(*Strike out whichever is inapplicable).

P. H. MENDIS,

Air Commadore,

Commander of the Air Force.

Headquarters,
Sri Lanka Air Force,

P. O. Box 594,
Colombo, 10th August, 1973.

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JUDICIAL SERVICES ADVISORY BOARD

Post of Quazis

THE Judicial Services Advisory Board invites applications for the office of Quazis under the Muslim Marriage and Divorce Act (Chapter 115) as amended by Acts Nos. 1 of 1965 and 32 of 1969, for the following areas:—

- (i) Judicial Division of Negombo;
- (ii) Administrative District of Badulla.

2. Applicants should be male muslims of good character and position, not under 35 years of age, who are citizens of Sri Lanka.

3. The candidates selected by the Cabinet of Ministers will be appointed for a period which will be specified in the letter of appointment.

4. A Quazi is by law bound to reside in the area in which he is appointed.

5. Applications should reach this office not later than 10th September, 1973, and should be made on the special form obtainable from me.

LIONEL SAMARATUNGA,
Secretary,
Judicial Services Advisory Board.

Office of the Judicial Services Advisory and Disciplinary Boards,
C/52, Keppetipola Road,
P. O. Box 573,
Colombo 5, 30th July, 1973.
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No. 2/1/45.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Posts of Agricultural Officer

APPLICATIONS are invited for posts of Agricultural Officer in the Department of Agriculture. Applications which should be in the form appended to this notification should reach the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Lands, No. 315, Vauxhall Street, P. O. Box 569, Colombo 2, on or before the following dates:—

- (a) Local applications: August 31, 1973.
- (b) Overseas applications: August 31, 1973.

Note.—(i) Applications which are not in the specimen form appended will be rejected.

(ii) No allegation that an application form or a letter respecting such form has been lost or delayed in the post can be considered. Candidates who delay their applications until the last day will do so at their own risk.

(iii) Overseas candidates may forward the form of application within the prescribed time, if they so desire, to the office of the Sri Lanka Representative abroad assigned to or nearest to the country of their residence for transmission to the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Lands, Sri Lanka.

(iv) *Medical Examination and Passages.*—Ceylonese officers selected abroad for appointment under the Government of Sri Lanka will be required to present themselves for examination to approved Medical Practitioners with a view to it being ascertained whether they are physically fit for service. The fee for such examination as well as the cost of their passage expenses to Sri Lanka shall be paid by the officers themselves.

2. *Terms of engagement and conditions of Service.*—The posts are permanent. Contribution will have to be made to the P.S.P.F. The appointment will, in the first instance, be on trial for 3 years.

3. *Salary and Allowance.*—The Consolidated Salary Scale attached to the post is as follows:—

Rs. 6,720 per annum rising by 12 annual increments of Rs. 360 and 11 of Rs. 480 to Rs. 16,320 per annum. (Efficiency Bars will operate before Rs. 8,880 and Rs. 11,520 and Rs. 14,880.)

Note.—For promotion over Efficiency Bar before Rs. 11,520 officers will be required to pass a prescribed Departmental Examination.

4. *Qualifications.*—Every candidate must furnish satisfactory proof that he/she—

- (a) is of excellent moral character and physically sound;
- (b) is not less than 22 years and not more than 30 years of age on 31.08.73.
- (c) is a holder of a First or Second Class Honours Degree in Agriculture of a recognized University.

5. Candidates will be required to produce any or all of the following documents when called upon to do so:—

- (a) certificate of registration of birth; (N.B.—Baptismal Certificates or certificates of birth issued for the purpose of the Code of Regulations for Assisted Schools will not be accepted);
- (b) Degree or highest educational certificates;

(c) Two certificates of character, one of which should be from the Director of Studies, College Tutor or Professor;

(d) Certificates of professional and/or technical qualifications; and

(e) Certificate of highest examination passed in Sinhala.

Note.—(i) No documents or copies of documents should be attached to the application form;

(ii) Applications of candidates who fail to produce documents when required to do so will not be considered.

6. Applications from officers in the Public Service must be forwarded through the Heads of the Departments. They must, however, notify direct to the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Lands, the date of despatch by them of their application, to reach him on or before the closing date.

7. Applications and any other communications relating thereto must be addressed to the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Lands and NOT personally to any officer in this Department.

8. Reference is invited to the General Conditions applicable to appointments to posts in the Public Service published at the beginning of Part I, Section (IIA) of this Gazette.

9. Applications will be acknowledged. If no acknowledgement is received within 2 weeks from the closing date, it should be promptly brought to my notice.

A. T. M. SILVA,
Secretary,
Ministry of Agriculture and Lands.

Ministry of Agriculture and Lands,
315, Vauxhall Street,
P. O. Box 569,
Colombo 2,
Sri Lanka.
27th July, 1973.

SPECIMEN APPLICATION FORM
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Application for Post of Agricultural Officer

(No Documents should be attached to this Application Form)

- 1. Name in full (in block capitals) : _____
- 2. Postal Address : _____
(Any change of address should be communicated immediately)
- 3. (a) Date of Birth :—
Year : _____ Month : _____ Date : _____
- (b) Exact age on the closing date of applications : _____
Year : _____ Month : _____ Date : _____

4. Are you a Citizen of Sri Lanka? State whether by descent or by registration. If you are a citizen of Sri Lanka by registration, state reference number and the date of certificate of citizenship issued to you : _____

5. Place of Birth of—

- (a) Applicant : _____
 (b) Applicant's Father : _____
 (c) Applicant's Grand Father : _____
 (d) Applicant's Great Grand Father : _____

If the applicant was born in Sri Lanka, either (b) or both (c) and (d) should be filled in, in addition to (a). If he/she was not born in Sri Lanka, either (b) and (c) or (e) and (d) should be filled in, apart from (a).

6. (a) Sex : _____
 (b) State whether married, single, widow or widower : _____

7. Highest Examination passed in :—

- (1) Sinhala : _____
 (2) Tamil : _____
 (3) English : _____

8. Schools, Colleges and other Institutions attended since the age of 12 years :—

General Education			Professional Education			
	School or College	From	To	Institution	From	To
1.						
2.						

9. Particulars of any sports, distinctions gained and any posts of responsibility that you have held in that sphere : _____
10. Are you free from pecuniary embarrassment? If not, what is the extent of your commitments? : _____
11. Have you been charged for any Criminal Offence in a Court of Law? If so, state full particulars with dates, quoting number of case : _____

12. Academic professional and technical qualifications :

(Please give details of all degrees, distinctions, professional and/or technical qualifications, &c., obtained, with date, class secured if any, subjects offered and names of institutions)

13. Present occupation and previous appointments, if any (date of engagement and leaving and the last annual salary received should be indicated) : _____

Designation :			Annual Salary
(1)	From	To	
(2)			
(3)			

Important—Cause of termination of employment under Government should be indicated in cage 15 below.

14. *Special Qualifications*.—(Do you possess the special qualifications and/or experience specified in the notification? If so, please give full details thereof with dates. Please see the special requirements, if any, stipulated in the *Gazette Notification*) : _____

15. Any further particulars. _____

I hereby certify that the particulars furnished by me in this application are true and accurate. I am also aware that if any particulars contained herein are found to be false or incorrect, I am liable to disqualification before the selection and to dismissal without any compensation to me if the inaccuracy is detected after the appointment.

Date : _____ Signature of Applicant.
Report of the Head of the Department, if the candidate is in the State Service.

Signature of the Head of the Department.

Date : _____
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No. GA/3/434

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

Post of Instructor in Science Subjects

APPLICATIONS are invited for posts of Instructor in Science subjects in Technical Education Institutes under the Ministry of Education. Applications which should be in the form, a specimen of which is given below, should be sent under registered cover to reach the Secretary, Ministry of Education, (General Administration Branch), Malay Street, Colombo 2, on or before 27.08.1973. The envelope should be marked "Application for Post of Instructor in Science subjects" on the left-hand top corner.

2. *Terms of Engagement and Conditions of Service*.—The posts are permanent. Appointment will be on a Provident Fund basis. The selected candidate will be required to contribute 6% of his salary towards the Public Service Provident Fund, and the Government contribution will be 9%. The appointments will normally be subjects to 3 years' probation. However if an officer already holding a permanent and pensionable post is selected his pension rights will be safeguarded and will be appointed on acting basis for one year.

3. *Eligibility*.—Every applicant must furnish satisfactory proof that he/she—

- (i) is not less than 21 years or not more than 40 years of age on 27.08.1973 ;
 (ii) is of excellent moral character, and in good health ;
 (iii) possess the following educational qualification :—
 (a) should possess a degree of a recognized University with Physics and Mathematics (Pure or Applied) as subjects.

Note.—Possession of teaching experience and/or having a degree with above subjects and Chemistry will be considered as special qualifications.

- (iv) possesses adequate practical and/or teaching experience in the subject (also see para. 4 below) ;

(v) is able to teach in Sinhala, or to acquire proficiency to teach in Sinhala within three years of the date of appointment.

4. *Salary scale*.—The consolidated annual salary scale attached to this post is Rs. 6,024—4 × 144 & 8 × 180—Rs. 8,040. If an applicant with less than 5 years experience is selected, he/she will be appointed in an acting capacity on a fixed consolidated annual salary of Rs. 6,024 until he/she completes the necessary experience. Selected candidates will have to pass Efficiency Bars before they proceed beyond Rs. 6,780 and Rs. 7,500. (The corresponding annual salary scale prior to 1.10.69 was Rs. 3,420—4 × 120 and 8 × 180—Rs. 5,340).

5. Applications from eligible candidates in the State Service should be sent through the Heads of their respective Departments. Late applications will not be entertained. Any application received in this office after the prescribed date will not be entertained unless the application had been received by the Head of Department in time and he recommends acceptance adducing valid reasons for the delay. However, each candidate should send a copy of his application direct to this Ministry before the date of closing of applications.

6. Applicants should attach to their applications copies (NOT ORIGINALS) of the following :—

- (a) Certificate of Registration of Birth. (Baptismal Certificates or Certificates of Birth issued for the purpose of the Code of Regulations for Assisted Schools will not be accepted) ;
 (b) Educational Certificates ;
 (c) Professional/Technical Certificates ;
 (d) Three recent testimonials to applicant's qualifications, character and suitability for appointment to the post. (These are not required in the case of candidates already in Government Service).

7. Applications and other correspondence connected thereto, must be sent addressed officially to the Secretary and under no circumstance personally to any officer.

8. Reference is invited to the General Conditions applicable to appointments to posts in the Public Service published at the beginning of Part I: Section (IIA) of this Gazette.

9. Applications will be acknowledged. If any applicant does not receive an acknowledgement within 14 days of the date of closing of applications, he/she should notify the Secretary, Ministry of Education, (General Administration Branch) at once. Failure to comply with this provision will deprive the applicant of any claim for consideration.

SECRETARY TO THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION.

General Administration Branch,
Ministry of Education,
Malay Street,
Colombo 2, 27.07.1973.

SPECIMEN FORM OF APPLICATION

(To be prepared in half sheets of 8½" × 13½")

POST OF SENIOR INSTRUCTOR IN SCIENCE SUBJECTS,
TECHNICAL EDUCATION INSTITUTES UNDER THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

1. Name (with initials) Mr./Mrs./Miss : _____.
2. Full Name : _____.
3. Official address : _____.
4. Private address : _____.
5. (a) Whether Ceylonese : _____.
- (b) If so, whether by descent or registration : _____.
6. Date of Birth :—
Year : ____ Month : ____ Date : ____.
7. Age on the date of closing of applications :—
Years : ____ Months : ____ Days : ____.
8. Particulars of present post :—
(a) Post : _____.
- (b) Whether Permanent or Temporary : _____.
- (c) Whether Pensionable or Non-pensionable : _____.
- (d) Whether confirmed in the post : _____.
- (e) Department : _____.
- (f) Institution/Place of work : _____.
- (g) Annual consolidated salary scale : _____.
- (h) Present annual consolidated salary step : _____.

9. Particulars of educational qualifications :—

Examination	Year	Subjects
(1)
(2)
(3)

10. Particulars of Professional/Technical qualifications :—

Certificate	Issued by	Year	Subjects
(1)
(2)
(3)
(4)
(5)

11. Institutes of General Education attended :—

Institute	Class	From	To
(1)
(2)
(3)
(4)
(5)
(6)
(7)

12. Institutes of Technical/Professional education attended :—

Institute	Course followed	From	To
(1)
(2)
(3)
(4)
(5)

13. Previous appointments (to be stated shortly in chronological order) :—

Department	Institution or Place of work	Post	Whether Permanent or Temporary	From	To
(1)
(2)
(3)
(4)
(5)
(6)

14. Whether applicant has been convicted in a Court of Law. (If so, give details) :—

15. Whether applicant has been dismissed from Government Service. (If so give details) :—

16. Whether free from pecuniary embarrassment (If not, state extent of commitments) :—

17. I hereby certify that the particulars furnished by me in this application are true and accurate. I am also aware that if any particulars contained herein are found to be false and incorrect, I am liable to disqualification, before selection and to dismissal without compensation, if the inaccuracy is discovered after the appointment.

Signature of Applicant.

Date : _____.

No. F.A/4/158

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

Commonwealth Scholarships in Hong-Kong 1974

APPLICATIONS are invited for the award of Scholarships offered under the Commonwealth Scholarship and Fellowship Plan and tenable at the University of Hong-Kong from the beginning of the academic year, 1974. The Scholarships will be for post-graduate study or research in any of the following fields:—

1. Education
2. Chinese Language
3. Biochemistry
4. Botany
5. Chemistry
6. Mathematics
7. Physics
8. Zoology
9. Civil Engineering
10. Electrical Engineering
11. Mechanical Engineering.

The scholarships are meant for persons of good intellectual promise who may be expected to make a significant contribution to the life of the country on their return after completion of the scholarship.

Note 1.—No application from a Government servant will be entertained unless the Head of his/her Department certifies in terms of Treasury Circular No. 514 of 16.5.60 that the training provided by the scholarship is essential in connection with a project and the particulars of such project are indicated in that circular.

Note 2.—Applications from employees of Boards, Corporations, Universities and similar Government-aided or sponsored Institutions should be sent through the Heads of respective institutions, who should be requested to complete the certificate in page 27 of the application appropriately, when forwarding the application.

Note 3.—Each applicant should send only one application and should apply only for one course of study.

2. *Tenure.*—The duration of the scholarships will normally be two years.

Scholarships are, however, liable to be terminated at any time during the currency of the course at the discretion of the Hong-Kong authorities for misconduct, irregularity in attendance, absence without permission of the authorities concerned from College or Hostel or unsatisfactory progress in studies or failure to pass examinations. In such an eventuality, the scholar might be required to return to Sri Lanka at his/her own expense.

3. *Eligibility.*—Candidates should—

- (i) be Citizens of Sri Lanka;
- (ii) be less than 35 years of age on 1.10.1974;
- (iii) possess at least a Degree of a recognised University appropriate for post-graduate study in the desired field;
(No applications will be entertained pending results).
- (iv) possess a high proficiency in English.

Note 1.—A candidate who has entered into a Bond or Agreement to serve the Republic of Sri Lanka or in a Board, Corporation, University or other State-aided or sponsored institution for a specific period shall not be eligible to apply unless by 1.10.1974, he/she has served the period specified in the Bond or Agreement and discharged fully the obligations entered into the Bond or Agreement.

Note 2.—State Officers holding temporary appointments and those holding permanent appointments but not confirmed in their appointments, will similarly not be eligible to apply unless they are prepared to resign their posts in the event of their being selected for awards. Such willingness to resign, should be specifically stated in page 15 (d) of the application.

4. *Terms of Award.*—The scholarships will carry with them the following benefits:—

- (a) Return passage (normally by the most direct economy air passage);
- (b) University fees;
- (c) Maintenance allowance at HK \$ 1200 per month;
- (d) Books and apparatus allowance—HK \$ 400 per annum or £ 25 sterling if spent outside Hong Kong;
- (e) Additional travel allowance—HK \$ 400;

(f) Clothing allowance (if necessary) HK \$ 640 or £ 40 sterling if spent outside Hong Kong;

(g) Medical facilities: Normal University Health Service and free medical treatment in Government hospitals. These do not include hospital maintenance fees; dental and ophthalmic treatment, nor the cost of any hearing aids or appliances;

(h) An additional maintenance allowance will be paid to a married scholar (who will have to find his own accommodation) provided that he is married at the time of submitting his application. His wife's passage will be paid only on the same condition.

Note.—The grant of leave to State Officers selected for these scholarships will be governed by the Treasury and Departmental rules and regulations in force at the time.

5. *Interview.*—Eligible candidates will be required to present themselves for an interview to be held in Colombo at an appointed time and place. No travelling or other expenses connected with this interview will be paid. They should also be prepared to produce at this interview the originals of their certificates, birth certificate and any other documentary evidence in support of their candidature.

6. *Agreement.*—The selected candidates should, before their departure for Hong Kong, enter into agreements with the Republic of Sri Lanka—

(a) undertaking among other things to pursue faithfully and diligently the prescribed course of studies and complete it satisfactorily, and to serve the Republic of Sri Lanka, if so required for a specific period (to be determined by the Republic of Sri Lanka) after completion of the course of studies; and

(b) undertaking to re-pay to the Republic of Sri Lanka the full cost of the Scholarship (i.e., all expenses incurred by the Republic of Sri Lanka and the Awarding Agency in connection with the entire scholarship, including in the case of State Officers, salary allowances, fees &c.) in the event of their failure to comply with the terms and conditions of their Agreement.

7. *Medical Examination.*—Selected candidates will be required to pass a medical examination, by a Special Medical Board appointed by the Republic of Sri Lanka, as to their physical and mental fitness to undertake a course of studies in Hong-Kong.

8. The study proposed will not, in the case of State Officers, entitle them to enhance emoluments or enhance their promotion prospects. In the case of others, the Republic of Sri Lanka will not undertake to provide employment on their return after completion of the scholarship.

9. Any statement in the application which is found to be incorrect, will render the applicant liable to disqualification, if the inaccuracy is discovered before selection, and to withdrawal of the award if discovered after selection.

10. A successful candidate who after selection declines to be nominated or after nomination declines to accept an award will be debarred from any other scholarship award for a period of two years.

11. It should be clearly understood that nomination by the Republic of Sri Lanka authorities should not be treated by any applicant as acceptance of his case for an award, because acceptance is a matter entirely within the discretion of the awarding agencies to whom nominations are forwarded.

12. Any form of canvassing or attempt to influence the selection of a candidature will disqualify such candidate.

13. Applications not conforming in every respect with the requirements of this advertisement and the instructions printed on the application form will be rejected.

14. Applications which should be made on a special form to be obtained from this office, should be sent addressed to the Secretary to the Ministry of Education, Malay Street, Colombo 2, to reach him on before 25.8.1973. Late applications will not be entertained.

15. A stamp fee of Rs. 10 is payable in respect of each application. Stamps to the value of Rs. 10 should be affixed in the cage provided for the purpose on the first page of the application form, and cancelled by the signature of the applicant. The stamp fee will not be refunded under any circumstance.

16. Applicants already in service of the Republic of Sri Lanka should send their applications through the Heads of their Departments; and those attached to Board, Corporations, Universities and similar State-aided or sponsored institutions, through the Heads of respective institutions. This requirement will apply even if the applicant is prepared to resign. Officers under the Ministry of Education should send their applications through the respective Regional Directors of Education.

17. All applications will be acknowledged and any applicant who does not receive an acknowledgment

within 7 days of the closing date should at once notify the Secretary to the Ministry of Education. Failure to do so will deprive the applicant of any claim for consideration.

Secretary to the Ministry of Education.

Ministry of Education,
Malay Street,
Colombo 2, 30th July, 1973.
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SRI LANKA PRESS COUNCIL

Vacancies

APPLICATIONS are invited for the following posts in the Sri Lanka Press Council :—

Applications, which should be in the form appended to this notification, should be sent by registered post on or before 24.08.73 to the "Press Commissioner, Sri Lanka Press Council, Ministry of Information and Broadcasting, 7, Sir Baron Jayatilleke Mawatha, Colombo 1". In the left-hand corner of the envelope enclosing application, "Application for the post of " should be clearly stated.

Applications will not be acknowledged.

The posts are permanent and those appointed will be subject to three years trial. They will contribute to the Employees' Provident Fund.

Applicants should furnish copies of certificates in proof of the qualifications stipulated for the posts applied. Copies of the following certificates should be annexed to the application :—

- (1) Birth certificate.
- (2) Certificate of the highest educational qualifications obtained.
- (3) Three character certificates recently obtained.

(Applicants from the State Services need not furnish character certificates. Their applications should, however, be forwarded by the Heads of Departments with their recommendations).

Reference is requested to the general conditions applicable to appointments to posts in the State Service published at the beginning of Part I: Section (IIA) of this Gazette.

Press Commissioner.

Ministry of Information and Broadcasting,
7, Sir Baron Jayatilleke Mawatha,
Colombo 1, August 01, 1973.

SPECIMEN APPLICATION FORM

APPLICATION FOR THE POST OF IN THE SRI LANKA PRESS COUNCIL

1. Name of applicant : _____
(1) Surname : _____
(2) Other names : _____
2. Postal address : _____
3. Age :—
(1) Years on 31.08.73 : _____
(2) Date of birth (copy of birth certificate should be annexed.) : _____
4. Nationality : _____
5. Whether married or unmarried : _____
6. Educational and or technical qualifications : _____
7. Particulars of employment since leaving school and or courses of training followed : _____
8. If previously employed under the State or in a State Corporation, reasons for leaving such service : _____
9. If convicted in a Court of Law for a criminal offence, state nature of offence and what punishment imposed : _____

10. Names, addresses and designations of persons from whom character certificates have been obtained : _____

I hereby certify that the particulars furnished by me in this application are true and correct. I am also aware that if any particulars contained herein are found to be incorrect or false, I am liable to disqualification if the inaccuracy is discovered before the selection, and to dismissal if the inaccuracy is discovered after appointment.

Signature of Applicant.

Date : _____

SRI LANKA PRESS COUNCIL

Designation of Post.—Research Officer.

Number of Posts.—One.

Salary Scale.—Rs. 800—10 × 40 and 1 × 50—Rs. 1,250 p.m. Efficiency Bar before Rs. 920. Will not proceed beyond Rs. 920 p.m. unless the officer acquires Post Graduate Degree. Placing those with experience on a suitable step in the salary scale will be considered.

Age.—25-40 years on 31.08.73. (Upper age limit will not apply to those in the service of the Government or a Corporation).

Qualifications.—A degree of a recognised University with experience in research in mass-media and mass communication.

SRI LANKA PRESS COUNCIL

Designation of Post.—Investigating Officer.

Number of Posts.—Two.

Salary Scale.—Rs. 525—825 (5 × 20 and 8 × 25) p.m. Efficiency Bar before Rs. 650 p.m.

Age.—25-35 on 31.08.73 (Upper age limit will not apply to those in the service of the Government or Corporation).

Qualification.—Graduate of a recognised University with a good knowledge of Sinhalese, English, Tamil or all;

OR

Part I and II of the Cost and Management Accountants and experience in investigation;

OR

a minimum of 3 years' experience as an Investigating Officer in Government/Corporation.

SRI LANKA PRESS COUNCIL

Designation of Post.—Clerk, Grade II.

Number of Posts.—One.

Salary Scale.—Rs. 350—15/15—575 p.m. Efficiency Bar before Rs. 395 p.m. Placing those with experience on a suitable step in the salary scale will be considered.

Age.—Not less than 25 years on 31.08.73.

Qualifications.—Clerks in the Government General Clerical Service who have passed the Grade II 'A' segment qualifying examination or those who have served 5 years in segment 'B';

OR

Clerks in State Corporations who have served 5 years in Grade III;

OR

Those who have passed the Intermediate examination of a recognised University.

SRI LANKA PRESS COUNCIL

Designation of Post.—Reader.

Number of Posts.—Three.

Salary Scale.—Rs. 350—15 × 15—575 p.m. Efficiency Bar before Rs. 395 p.m.

Age.—20-35 years on 31.08.73.

Qualifications.—G.C.E. Ordinary Level with 6 subjects at one and the same sitting with 6 credits at one sitting of which one should be a language or S.S.C. or equivalent examination.

SRI LANKA PRESS COUNCIL

Designation of Post.—Translator cum Interpreter.

Number of Posts.—Two.

Salary Scale.—Rs. 350—575 (15 × 15) p.m. Efficiency Bar before Rs. 395 p.m.

Age.—30-45 years on 31.08.73. (Upper age limit will not apply to those in the service of the Government or Corporation).

Qualifications.—(a) The London University General Certificate of Education (Advanced Level) in Sinhala or Tamil;

OR

The General Certificate of Education (Advanced Level) in Sinhala or Tamil;

OR

The Higher School Certificate with Sinhala or Tamil (not Special Sinhala or Special Tamil) as a subject;

OR

The London University Intermediate Arts Certificate/ the Ceylon University General Arts qualifying (First) Examination Certificate with Sinhala or Tamil as a subject;

AND

(b) The Senior School Certificate (English Medium) issued on or before July 1957 with a credit pass in English Language or English Literature;

OR

The S. S. C. with a credit pass in English Language Syllabus 'A' or in English Literature obtained on any occasion at the G. C. E. (Ordinary Level) Examination;

OR

A pass in an Examination with an equivalent or higher attainment in English;

AND

(c) The G.C.E. (Ordinary Level) in six subjects obtained in not more than two occasions including a credit pass in English Language Syllabus 'A' or in English Literature.

and a minimum of 5 years' experience in translation and interpretation, or officer with experience in interpretation in the Courts of Law/Tribunal, etc.—In regard to the latter, the above will not apply.

SRI LANKA PRESS COUNCIL

Designation of Post.—Security cum Transport Officer.

Number of Posts.—One.

Salary Scale.—Rs. 350—(15 × 15)—575 p.m. Efficiency Bar before Rs. 395 p.m.

Age.—18-35 years on 31.08.73. (The upper age limit will not apply to those in the service of the Government or a Corporation).

Qualifications.—S.S.C. or G.C.E. with 6 subjects at one sitting with 6 credits at not more than 2 sittings. Preference will be given to those with Police or service experience and good physique. Should have experience in driving motor vehicles and should possess a Certificate of Competence to drive motor vehicles.

SRI LANKA PRESS COUNCIL

Designation of Post.—Clerk cum Typist.

Number of Posts.—Three.

Salary Scale.—Rs. 265—16 × 10—425 p.m. Efficiency Bar before Rs. 295 p.m.

Age.—18-24 years on 31.08.73.

Qualifications.—(a) G.C.E. Ordinary Level with six subjects at one and the same sitting with four credits at not more than two sittings of which 2 should be Arithmetic and a Language.

OR

S.S.C. or equivalent qualifications with 4 credits of which two should be Arithmetic and a Language.

(b) Knowledge of typewriting is essential.

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DEPARTMENT OF CO-OPERATIVE DEVELOPMENT

Post of Librarian in the School of Co-operation,
Polgolla

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of Librarian in the School of Co-operation in the Department of Co-operative Development.

Applications.—Applications which should be on the specimen form provided in this Gazette should be sent under registered cover to reach the Commissioner of Co-operative Development, P. O. Box 419, Colombo 1, on or before 25th August, 1973. Applications received after that date will be rejected. "Application for the post of Librarian." should be written clearly on the left-hand top corner of the envelope.

Note.—(1) Applications which are not on the specimen form will be rejected.

(2) No allegation that an application form or a letter respecting such form has been lost or delayed in the post can be considered. Candidates who delay their applications until the last day will do so at their own risk.

2. Terms of Employment and Conditions of Service.—

(1) The post is permanent. The appointment will be on a Provident Fund basis. The appointee will be required to contribute 6% of the salary to the Public Service Provident Fund. The Government contribution will be 9% of the consolidated salary. However, candidates already in a permanent pensionable post in the Public Service will continue to have pension rights.

(2) (a) The selected candidate will be appointed on probation for a period of 3 years. If an officer who

holds a permanent appointment in the State Service is selected he/she will be appointed to act for a specified period.

(b) Candidates selected from the State Service will be appointed in an acting capacity for a period of 1 year. If he/she is found fit at the end of this period he/she will be confirmed in the post.

If he/she is found unfit for the post during the acting period he/she will be reverted to his substantive post.

3. *Salary and Allowances.*—The consolidated salary scale attached to the post is as follows:—Rs. 6,600 rising by annual increments of 8 of Rs. 180 and 6 of Rs. 240 to Rs. 9,480 per annum, with E.B.B. before Rs. 7,500 and Rs. 8,280. (This corresponds to the basic salary scale of Rs. 3,900—180 × 18—240 × 6—Rs. 6,780 per annum prior to 1.10.1969.)

4. *Qualifications required.*—Every candidate should furnish satisfactory proof that he is—

(a) of excellent moral character and physically sound;

(b) not less than 25 years and not more than 35 years of age on the closing date of applications; (The upper age limit above is not applicable to those officers already in the Public Service).

(c) is in possession of a degree of a recognised University in Economics or Commerce or an Arts degree with Economics or Commerce as a subject.

Note.—Library work, experience in the management and control of libraries, a knowledge of languages other than English, Sinhala, and Tamil will be considered as additional qualifications.

5. Candidates will be required to produce any or all of the following documents when called upon to do so :—

- (a) Certification of registration of birth (N.B. Baptismal Certificates or Certificates of Birth issued for the purpose of the code of Regulations for assisted schools will not be accepted.)
- (b) Degree or highest educational Certificate.
- (c) Two certificates of character—One of which should be from the Director of Studies or College Tutor or Professor.
- (d) Certificate of Professional qualifications.
- (e) Certificate of highest examination passed in Sinhala, Tamil and English.
- (f) Certificate of knowledge of Languages other than Sinhala, Tamil and English.

N.B.—(1) No documents or copies of documents should be attached to the application form.

(2) Applications of candidates who fail to produce documents when requested to do so will not be considered.

6. Application from officers in the Public Service or Public Corporations must be forwarded through the respective Heads of Departments or Public Corporations.

7. Applications and any other communication relating thereto must be addressed to the Commissioner, Co-operative Development and not personally to any other officer.

8. Reference is invited to the General Conditions applicable to appointments to posts in the Public Service published at the beginning of Part I, Section (IIA) of this Gazette.

9. Applications will be acknowledged. Those who do not receive an acknowledgement within 3 weeks of the closing date should at once notify the undersigned.

R. B. RAJAGURU,
Commissioner of Co-operative Development,
and Registrar of Co-operative Societies.

Department of Co-operative Development,
Duke Street,
Colombo 1, 26th July, 1973.

SPECIMEN APPLICATION FORM

(No documents or copies of documents should be attached to the application form.)

DEPARTMENT OF CO-OPERATIVE DEVELOPMENT—POST OF LIBRARIAN IN THE SCHOOL OF CO-OPERATION.

1. Name in full (in block capitals) : _____

2. Postal address (any change of address should be communicated immediately) : _____
3. (a) Date of birth :—
year : _____ Month : _____ Day : _____
(b) Exact age on the closing date of application—
Years : _____ Months : _____ Days : _____
4. Nationality : _____
5. Whether married, single, widower : _____
6. Highest examination passed :—
(1) Sinhala :— _____
(2) Tamil :— _____
(3) English :— _____
(4) Other Languages :— _____
7. Particulars of employment and/or courses followed since leaving school : _____
8. Educational and professional qualifications and/or special qualifications : _____
9. Particulars regarding experience if any in a post of librarian : _____
10. Have you been convicted of any criminal offence in a Court of law. If so give full particulars regarding offence and punishment received : _____
11. Names and designations of the two persons from whom character certificates have been obtained : _____

I hereby certify that the particulars furnished by me in the application are true and correct. I am also aware that if any particulars contained herein are found to be false or incorrect I am liable to disqualification if the inaccuracy is discovered before the selection and to dismissal without compensation if the inaccuracy is detected after the appointment.

Signature of applicant.

Date : _____

If the applicant is a Public Servant, recommendation of the Head of the Department.

Signature of Head of Department.

Date : _____

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My No. ES. 1/16/4.
ENGINEERING SERVICE BOARD

Vacancies for Civil Engineers in Class III of the Sri Lanka Engineering Service

APPLICATIONS are invited for posts of Civil Engineers in Class III of the Sri Lanka Engineering Service. Applications, which should be on printed forms provided by the Engineering Service Board Office should reach the Director, Engineering Service, the Secretariat, Colombo 1, on or before 31st August, 1973.

Note.—(i) Requests for the printed form of application by post should be with a self-addressed UNSTAMPED envelope, not smaller than 8 in. × 4 in. in size, and should also indicate very clearly whether the prospective candidate is an officer of the Public Service or not.

(ii) No allegation that an application form or a letter respecting such form has been lost or delayed in the post can be considered. Candidates who delay their applications until the last days will do so at their own risk.

2. Terms of employment and conditions of service.—

(i) The posts are permanent and non-pensionable. Contributions will be made to the Public Service Provident Fund.

(ii) The selected candidates will be required to serve in any part of the Island in which they are called upon to serve.

(iii) The selected candidates will be assigned to any one of the seven Civil Engineering Groups shown in the Schedule to the Minute on the Sri Lanka Engineering Service published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette Extraordinary* No. 15,001/8 of 14.03.1972. However, during the first 8 years of service, the officers are liable for temporary transfer from one Group to another.

(iv) Other terms of employment and conditions of service will be as laid down in the Minute on the Sri Lanka Engineering Service published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette Extraordinary* No. 15,001/8 of 14.03.1972.

3. Salary Scale.—The consolidated salary scale attached to the post is Rs. 8,160—3 × 360—Rs. 9,240/9,960—3 × 360—Rs. 11,040—13 × 480—Rs. 17,280 per annum with efficiency bars before Rs. 9,960 and Rs. 13,920.

Note.—(i) Candidates with full professional qualifications will be eligible to be placed on an initial salary of Rs. 10,320 per annum on the above-mentioned scale.

(ii) The selected candidates will be required to pass a prescribed test for promotion over the 1st efficiency bar before Rs. 9,960 per annum. The syllabus and scheme of this test will be prescribed by the Engineering Service Board.

A candidate who is appointed with full professional qualifications will be required to pass such test within two years from the date of his appointment.

(iii) The selected candidates will be required to obtain full professional qualifications as prescribed by the Engineering Service Board in order to qualify for promotion over the 2nd efficiency bar before Rs. 13,920 per annum.

(iv) A selected candidate who is already in the Public Service will have his salary determined in terms of the rules in Chapter VII of the Establishments Code of the Government.

4. *Qualifications required.*—Every candidate must furnish satisfactory proof that he/she—

- (i) is of excellent moral character and physically sound;
- (ii) is not less than 21 years and not more than 35 years of age on 31st August, 1973.
(The upper age limit will not apply to candidates already in Government Service.)
- (iii) (a) holds either the Fellowship or the Membership of the Institute of Civil Engineers, London; OR
(b) possesses a Civil Engineering Degree from the University of Sri Lanka, or equivalent degree of any other recognized University; OR
(c) has passed Parts I and II of the Examination of the Institution of Civil Engineers (London), or Parts I, IB and II of the Examination for Civil Engineers of the Institution of Engineers, Sri Lanka, or equivalent; OR
(d) has passed the five-year Diploma Course in Civil Engineering of the College of Technology, Katubedde, or other recognized Diploma; OR
(e) has obtained the Fellowship (F.I.E., Sri Lanka) or Membership (M.I.E., Sri Lanka) of the Institution of Engineers, Sri Lanka, in the Civil Engineering Group.

5. Candidates will be required to produce any or all of the following documents when called upon to do so:—

- (a) Certificates of registration of birth. (N.B.—Baptismal certificates or certificates of birth issued for the purpose of the Code of Regulations for Assisted Schools will not be accepted.)
- (b) Degree or highest educational certificates.

(c) two certificates of character, one of which should be from the Director of Studies, College Tutor or Professor.

(d) certificates of professional and/or technical qualifications.

(e) certificates of highest examination passed in Sinhala, Tamil and English.

Note.—(i) No documents or copies of documents should be attached to the application form.

(ii) Applications of candidates who fail to produce documents when requested to do so will not be considered.

6. Applications from officers in the Public Service or in Corporations must be forwarded through the Heads of their Departments or Corporations. They must, however, notify direct to the Director, Engineering Service the date of despatch by them of their applications to reach him on or before the closing date. The printed Post Card (marked "B") issued to them with the form of application, may be used for this purpose.

7. Applications and any other communications relating thereto must be addressed to the Director, Engineering Service, and NOT personally to any officer in the Board.

8. Reference is invited to the general conditions applicable to appointments to posts in the Public Service published at the beginning of Part I, Section (IIA) of this *Gazette*.

9. Candidates are required to fill in and return, as instructed therein, the printed Post Card (marked A) issued to them with the form of application, when the receipt of their application forms in the Engineering Service Board Office will be acknowledged. Applications of candidates who do not comply with this requirement will not be acknowledged. Those who comply with this requirement but do not receive an acknowledgment within three weeks of the closing date should at once notify the Director, Engineering Service. Failure to comply with this provision will deprive the applicant of any claim to consideration.

P. H. SIRIWARDENA,

Secretary,

Ministry of Public Administration,
Local Government & Home Affairs.

Office of the Engineering Service Board,
The Secretariat,
Colombo 1, 30th July, 1973.

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APPOINTMENT OF AN INQUIRER INTO SUDDEN DEATHS, UDUWAKA MATUGOBE DENIYAYA DIVISION IN MORAWAK KORALE WEST, IN MATARA DISTRICT

APPLICATIONS are invited from suitable applicants with the following qualifications resident within the Grama Sevaka Divisions of Wiharahena, Deniyaya and within Bateyaya, Kandilpana villages and Kamdanhill Estate, portion of Willie Group, Beverly Estate, Nathagala Estate, Beligallena Estate, and Galahankanda Estate of Kiriweldola Grama Sevaka Division for the post of Inquirer into Sudden Deaths in Uduwaka, Matugobe, Deniyaya area of Morawak Korale West in Matara District. Application forms obtainable from this office or from Divisional Revenue Officer's Office, Morawak Korale West (Kotapola) should be suitably filled in together with copies of certificates and forwarded by registered post to reach the following address on or before 30.08.73. Receipt of applications will not be acknowledged.

1. *Address.*—The Government Agent, Kachcheri, Matara.

2. *Eligibility.*—

- (a) should not be under 30 years of age or over 60 years of age on 30th August, 1973.
- (b) be of exemplary character and physically sound.
- (c) be permanent residents of the area mentioned above.
- (d) has passed either:—

- (1) The School Leaving Certificate Examination during 1925 to 1944 or the J. S. C. Examination conducted by the Department of Examinations with Sinhala Language as a subject; OR

(2) The Senior School Certificate Examination or a higher examination with Sinhala Language as a subject.

(e) Should not be an employee of the Government, Corporation or Local Authority.

(f) Should not be a member of a Local Authority.

3. Copies of the following certificates should be forwarded with the application:—

- (a) certificate of Birth.
- (b) certificates of the highest educational qualifications.
- (c) The copies of the character certificates (recently obtained) one of which should be from the Grama Sevaka.
- (d) Grama Sevaka certificate regarding permanent residence (this should be forwarded through the Divisional Revenue Officer).

4. Affidavit sworn by the applicant declaring that the information given in the application are true and that he is not indebted, should be attached to the application.

5. Applications should be filled in by the applicant's own handwriting.

6. Applicants will be required to present themselves for an interview. Travelling or other expences will not be paid in connection with this interview.

W. A. L. WIJAYAPALA,
Government Agent, Matara District.

The Kachcheri,
Matara, 25th July, 1973.
8-417/1—Gazette No. 72 of 73.08.10

APPOINTMENT OF AN INQUIRER INTO SUDDEN DEATHS, WILPITA AREA OF WELIGAM KORALE NORTH IN MATARA DISTRICT

APPLICATIONS are invited from suitable applicants with the following qualifications within the Grama Sevaka Divisions of Tibbotuwawa, Ihala Aturaliya, Pahala Aturaliya, Wilpita West and Wilpita West (portion) for the post of Inquirer into Sudden Deaths in Wilpita area of Weligam Korale North in Matara District. Application forms obtainable from this office or from Divisional Assistant Government Agent's Office Weligam Korale North (Akuressa) should be suitably filled in together with copies of certificates and forwarded by registered post to reach the following address on or before 30th August, 1973. Receipt of applications will not be acknowledged.

1. *Address.*—The Government Agent, Kachcheri, Matara.

2. *Eligibility.*—

- (a) should not be under 30 years of age or over 60 years of age on 30th August, 1973.
- (b) be of exemplary character and physically sound.
- (c) be permanent residents of the area mentioned above.
- (d) has passed either :—
 - (1) the School Leaving Certificate Examination during 1925 to 1944 or the J.S.C. Examination with Sinhala Language as a subject ; OR
 - (2) the Senior School Certificate Examination or a higher examination with Sinhala Language as a subject.

- (e) should not be an employee of the Government Corporation or Local Authority.
- (f) should not be a member of a Local Authority.

3. Copies of the following certificates should be forwarded with the application :—

- (a) certificate of birth ;
- (b) certificates of the highest educational qualifications.
- (c) the copies of the character certificates (recently obtained) one of which should be from the Grama Sevaka of the area.
- (d) Grama Sevaka Certificate regarding permanent residence (this should be forwarded through the Divisional Assistant Government Agent).

4. Affidavit sworn by the applicant declaring that the informations given in the application are true and that he is not indebted, should be attached to the application.

5. Applications should be filled in by the applicant's own handwriting.

6. Applicants will be required to present themselves for an interview. Travelling or other expenses will not be paid in connection with this interview.

W. A. L. WIJAYAPALA,
Government Agent, Matara District.

The Kachcheri,
Matara, 25th July, 1973.

8-417/2—Gazette No. 72 of 73.08.10

NATIONAL SAVINGS BANK

Vacancies

APPLICATIONS are invited from citizens of Sri Lanka for the undermentioned posts in the National Savings Bank.

RESEARCH ASSISTANTS (GRADE IV)

Qualifications required.—A Degree of a recognised University with statistics as a subject.

Preference will be given to candidates who possess a good knowledge of English.

Age Limit.—Should be over 20 years and under 35 years of age at the closing date of applications.

Salary Scale : — Rs. 305 — Rs. 675 — per month basic
8 × 15 — 10 × 25

salary plus allowances at Bank rates.

An Efficiency Bar operates for proceeding beyond Rs. 575.

Conditions of Employment.—(i) The posts are permanent and non-pensionable. The selected candidates will be required to contribute 6% of gross salary to the Bank's Provident Fund. The Bank's contribution is 9%.

(ii) The appointments will be subject to a probationary period of three years. If any candidate with a considerable period of service in the state or corporation sector is selected, the appointment of such candidate may be made on a shorter period of probation as may be determined by the Board of Directors of the Bank.

(iii) Every candidate must furnish satisfactory proof that he/she—

- (a) is of excellent moral character and physically sound ; and
- (b) has the requisite educational qualifications.

(iv) Applications should be made on prescribed printed forms which should be obtained from the Personnel Officer of the Bank by forwarding a self-addressed stamped envelope, not smaller than 8" × 4".

(v) No allegation that an application form or a letter in connection therewith has been lost or delayed in the mail will be entertained.

(vi) Selected candidates will be required to—

- (a) undergo a medical examination in regard to their physical fitness to serve in any part of the Island ;
- (b) conform to the provisions of the Official Language Act, No. 33 of 1956, and any laws and rules that now exist or may be introduced in the future for giving effect to the Language Policy of the Government ;
- (c) furnish security in such sum and manner as may be determined by the Bank ;
- (d) subscribe to an Oath of Allegiance to the Republic of Sri Lanka and to an Oath of Secrecy.

(vii) Duly perfected application forms should be sent by Registered Post to the Personnel Officer, National Savings Bank, 'Savings House', Colombo 3, to reach him not later than 31st August, 1973.

General Manager,
National Savings Bank.

Colombo 3, 31st July, 1973.

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CEYLON HOTEL SCHOOL

Three-Year Diploma Course in Hotel and Catering Operations, Commencing in October, 1973

APPLICATIONS will be received from boys aged between 18 and 21 years (on 30th September, 1973) who have passed the G. C. E. 'O' Level with 6 passes in one sitting. A good working knowledge of English is essential.

Those selected will be required to reside in the Hostel any pay a Hotel accommodation fee of Rs. 100 per month.

The cost of uniforms, books and tools will have to be borne by the trainee.

Applications, giving full particulars and attaching only copies of certificates, clearly stating on the envelope "Three-Year Diploma Course" should be made to the Principal, Ceylon Hotel School, 25, Galle Face Centre Road, Colombo, before 20th August, 1973.

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CEYLON TRANSPORT BOARD

Vacancies

APPLICATIONS are invited from the citizens of Sri Lanka to be considered for the post of Statistical Officer, Grade III, in the Board's Service:—

1. *Salary Scale.*—(all inclusive) per mensem Rs. 1,100—50 × 12—Rs. 1,700. Efficiency Bar before Rs. 1,350.

2. *Age.*—Between 27-35 years.

3. *Qualifications.*—1st or 2nd Class Honours Degree in Statistics or Economics with Statistics as subsidiary, AND a minimum of 5 year's experience as an Economist or Statistical Officer in a private institution or a Government Department of Govt. sponsored Corporation.

4. (a) Applications from Officers in the Public or Local Government Services should be forwarded through their respective Departments and will be considered only if the Heads of Departments in which they now serve are prepared to agree to their release for employment under the Board in terms of Section 9 of the Motor Transport Act, No. 48 of 1957.

(b) Applications from Officers of Corporations who are qualified in terms of the advertisement will be considered only if the Chairman or the General Manager of the Corporation in which the applicants now serve agrees to release them if selected for appointments. The applications should be forwarded through the Corporation.

5. *Conditions of Employment.*—The selected candidates will in the first instance be appointed on probation for a period of 3 years and will be required—

- (i) to pass prior to appointment a Medical Examination as to his physical fitness;
- (ii) to comply with Board's Rules and Regulations already made, or that may hereafter be made;
- (iii) to acquire Proficiency in Sinhala up to the standard prescribed by the Board within his period of probation for giving effect to the Language Policy of the Government;
- (iv) to contribute 6 per cent of his salary to the Board's Provident Fund, the Board's contribution being 9 per cent.;
- (v) to serve in any part of the Island and in any Division of the Board's Organisation.

6. Applications should be in the form given below and should reach the Personnel Manager, Ceylon Transport Board, 200, Kirula Road, Narahenpita, Colombo 5, on or before 25th August, 1973.

Personnel Manager,
Ceylon Transport Board,
200, Kirula Road,
Colombo 5. July 23, 1973.

CEYLON TRANSPORT BOARD

FORM OF APPLICATION

1. Post applied for:—
2. Name of candidate in full:—
3. Postal Address:—
4. Date of Birth:—
(Attach copy not original of Birth Certificate.)

5. Exact age on 1973.08.25:—

Years:— Months:— Days:—

6. Are you a Citizen of Ceylon by descent or registration:—

7. Whether married or single:—

(If married give date of marriage and number of children with their ages.)

8. Secondary School Education:—

(Give schools attended, examinations passed with dates.)

9. Higher Education (give full details of Institutions attended, examinations passed, professional qualifications obtained with dates:—
(Attach copies not originals of certificates.)

10. Technical Qualifications (give full details of Institutions attended, examinations passed, professional qualifications obtained with dates:—
(Attach copies not originals of certificates.)

11. Employment:—

(Give full details of employment since leaving school, i.e., state designation of post, name of employer, date of appointment, date of termination and reasons for termination.)

12. Particulars of professional practice or experience in executive positions in the Public or Local Employment Service, Mercantile Establishments, etc. (State posts held, nature of duties and all inclusive salaries received with dates):—

13. Details of special claims in support of the application. (Give briefly particulars of work done in any of the above posts which will enhance your suitability to the post):—

14. Highest standard reached in Sinhala:—

15. Have you applied for any post previously in the Ceylon Transport Board, if so with what results:—

16. Any other particulars:—

17. State whether you have been convicted of any Criminal Offence in a Court of Law, if so give full details:—

18. Names and addresses of two referees:—

1. —

2. —

I hereby declare that the particulars furnished above are true and that I am aware that if any particulars contained are found to be false or incorrect, I will be liable to disqualification if discovered before selection and to dismissal without compensation if detected after selection.

Date:—

Signature of Applicant.

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SRI LANKA SUGAR CORPORATION

Vacancies

APPLICATIONS are invited from Ceylonese for the following posts in the Sri Lanka Sugar Corporation. Applications should be made on forms obtainable from this office by enclosing a self-addressed stamped envelope.

1. FINANCE MANAGER/ACCOUNTANT—GRADE I

Salary Scale.—The selected candidate will be placed on one of the following salary scales depending on the qualifications and experience:—

(i) Rs. 1,500—6 × 50—Rs. 1,800 all inclusive per mensem, OF

(ii) Rs. 1,850—8 × 50—Rs. 2,250 (all inclusive per mensem.

Qualifications.—Should be a Chartered Accountant or a fully qualified Costs & Works Accountant with a minimum of 2 years post qualification experience in a Government Corporation or a recognised large Mercantile Establishment.

Security.—Rs. 10,000 in a Fidelity Guarantee Bond.

2. ACCOUNTANT—GRADE III

Salary Scale.—Rs. 1,200—6 × 50—Rs. 1,500 all inclusive per mensem.

Qualifications.—Applicants should be members of the Institute of Chartered Accountants or the Institute of Cost and Management Accountants.

Security.—Rs. 10,000 in a Fidelity Guarantee Bond.

3. ACCOUNTANT—GRADE IV

Salary Scale.—Rs. 800—10 × 40—Rs. 1,200 all inclusive per mensem.

Qualifications.—Should have the Intermediate in Chartered Accountancy or Parts I, II, III of the Institute of Costs & Management Accountants. Preference will be given to candidates with experience in an executive capacity.

Security.—Rs. 10,000 in a Fidelity Guarantee Bond.

4. CIVIL ENGINEER—GRADE III (Uda-Walawe)

Salary Scale.—Salary negotiable between Rs. 1,200—6 × 50—Rs. 1,500 all inclusive per mensem.

Qualifications.—(a) A Chartered Civil Engineer with a minimum of 3 years experience in construction works OR

(b) B.Sc. Engineering with a minimum of 5 years experience in construction works, OR

(c) J. T. O. Certificates or equivalent with a minimum of 10 years experience in construction works of which a minimum of 5 years should be in an executive capacity.

Retired Engineers are eligible to apply subjects to Government circulars governing such appointments.

The appointment will be for a contractual period of 3 years.

Successful applicant will be responsible for the design and construction of buildings and roads within the Project. In addition to having experience in the above fields he should also have experience in recruitment, contractual and administrative procedures. He should be capable of implementing the construction schedules and targets set out by the Corporation.

5. PLANNING OFFICER/PROJECT OFFICER—GR. IV

Salary Scale.—Rs. 800—10 × 40—Rs. 1,200 all inclusive per mensem.

Qualifications.—(a) A Graduate of a recognised University with at least 3 years experience in an executive capacity, OR

(b) G. C. E. or equivalent with at least 5 years experience in planning, programming and progress control work in any recognised agricultural or industrial enterprise.

Applicants should preferably have a good knowledge of various aspects of the Sugar Industry. They should possess organising ability of a high order and be able to assist the management in the preparation of Development Programmes and Implementation Programmes for existing and proposed Sugar Industries. Such Programmes will have to be prepared in relation to the Corporation's Five Year Development Plan and will include a breakdown of this plan into units of time such as years or months, units of space such as Sugar Industries, and units of activity such as land preparation, sugar cane cultivation, sugar cane harvesting and haulage, sugar manufacturing & the manufacturing of by-products from sugar. He will be expected to work out the resources of men, materials and money required for the implementation of such programmes. He will be required to maintain progress control of the implementation of such programmes and to identify the constraints that may arise or have arisen in their implementation and to recommend what action should be taken to overcome such constraints.

Placement at a suitable point in the scales will be considered commensurate with the selected candidate's qualifications and experience.

The selected candidates will be required to serve in Kantalai, Hingurana, Uda Walawe or any other station and should acquire proficiency in the Official Language to conform to the Language Policy of the Republic of Sri Lanka.

Applications from officers in the Public Service and Corporations should be forwarded through the Head of the respective Department/Corporation.

Applications should be sent under registered cover to reach the Chairman, Sri Lanka Sugar Corporation, P. O. Box 1486, Colombo 5, on or before 25th August, 1973.

Chairman,
Sri Lanka Sugar Corporation.

651, Alvitigala Mawatha,
Colombo 5.
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Examinations, Results of Examinations, &c.

No. 1/92/31 (G).

PROMOTION TO THE SPECIAL GRADE OF THE GOVERNMENT STENOGRAPHERS' SERVICE

IT is hereby notified that the Minister of Public Administration, Local Government and Home Affairs has approved the promotion of the following officers of the Higher Grade of the Government Stenographers' Service to the Special Grade with effect from the dates indicated against their names :—

Name	Ministry/Department	Date
1. Mr. M. D. D. R. Gunatillake .. .. .	.. Agriculture ..	.. 18.11.1971
2. Mr. V. Thevadason .. .. .	.. Labour ..	.. 14.09.1972
3. Mr. R. M. W. Perera .. .. .	.. District Courts, Colombo ..	.. 31.01.1973
4. Mr. S. Fernando .. .. .	.. Salaries and Cadre Commission ..	.. 25.02.1973
5. Mr. J. H. S. S. Jayasundera .. .. .	.. Magistrate Courts Homagama ..	.. 28.02.1973
6. Mrs. S. M. D. A. Jayakody .. .. .	.. Inland Revenue ..	.. 01.04.1973

F. H. SIRIWARDENNA,
Secretary, Public Administration,
Local Government and Home Affairs.

Department of Public Administration
(Combined Services Division),
Torrington Square, Colombo 7, July 31, 1973.

IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING PUBLICATION OF GAZETTE

THE Weekly issue of the *Gazette of the Republic of Sri Lanka (Ceylon)* is normally published on Fridays. If a Friday happens to be a Public Holiday the *Gazette* is published on the working day immediately preceding the Friday. Thus the last date specified for the receipt of notices for publication in the *Gazette* also varies depending on the incidence of public holidays in the week concerned.

The Schedule below shows the dates of publication and the latest time by which notices should be received for publication in the respective weekly *Gazettes*. All notices received out of times specified below will not be published. Such notices will be returned to the sender by post for necessary amendment and return if publication is desired in a subsequent issue of the *Gazettes*. It will be in the interest of all concerned if those desirous of ensuring the timely publication of notices in the *Gazette* make it a point to see that sufficient time is allowed for postal transmission of notices to the Government Press.

The Government Printer does not accept payments of subscriptions for the Government Gazette. Payments should be made direct to the Superintendent, Government Publications Bureau, P. O. Box 500, Secretariat, Colombo 1.

Note.—Payments for inserting Notices in the *Gazette of the Republic of Sri Lanka (Ceylon)* will be received by the Government Printer and not by the Superintendent, Government Publications Bureau.

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AUGUST	Friday 03.08.73 .. 12.00 Noon	Friday 27.07.73
	Friday 10.08.73 .. 12.00 Noon	Friday 03.08.73
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