

(For Other Government/ Semi Government Officers  
/ Outsiders)

Closing Date – 15.06.2026



## Ministry of Transport, Highways and Urban Development

Applications are invited among the all Citizens of Sri Lanka including Government, Semi-Government officers for below positions of below mentioned projects implemented under the Ministry of Transport, Highways and Urban Development. These appointments will be subjected to the provisions of Management Service Circular No.02/2026 issued by the Ministry of Finance, Planning and Economic Development on 28.03.2026.

Project Value (USD million)	Name of the Project	Name of the Post	Mentioned Category according to the DMS Circular No.02/2026	Number of Vacancies
Above US \$25 million and less than US \$ 200 or its equivalent category	Inclusive Connectivity & Development Project (ICDP)	Deputy Project Director	B	01
		Senior Engineer	C	01
	Badulla Chenkaladi Road Improvement Project	Resettlement Assistant	MN-4 or MN-2 2025	01
Over US\$ 200 million or its equivalent	Port Access Elevated Highway Project (PAEHP)	Procurement Specialist	C	01
		Engineer	D	01
		Office Aide	PL 1 2025	02

**According to the above mentioned MSD Circular 02/2026 Category B – Deputy Project Director basic qualifications are given below (01 or 02 or 03 given below)**

**Deputy Project Director – Category B**

01. A Bachelor’s Degree in the relevant field  
and

A Postgraduate Degree (Masters) in the relevant field/ An Associate Membership/ A similar professional qualification obtained from a recognized professional body in the relevant field.

with

At least 09 years of experience in the relevant field at a managerial level, out of which 04 years should be in a senior managerial level.

02. Corporate/ Fellow Membership obtained from a recognized professional body in the relevant field.

with

At least 07 years of experience in the relevant field at a managerial level, out of which 03 years should be in a senior managerial level.

03. Class I officer of a government All-Island Services or a similar status in the relevant field.

and

A Postgraduate Degree (Masters) in the relevant field/ An Associate Membership/ A similar professional qualification obtained from a recognized professional body in the relevant field.

with

At least 03 years of experience in the Class I post or a similar status in the relevant field.

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**Note-**

- **Relevant field means “Civil Engineering Field” and experience also should have in relevant field.**

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**According to the above mentioned MSD Circular 02/2026 Category C – Senior Engineer basic qualifications are given below (01 or 02 or 03 given below)**

**Senior Engineer – Category C**

01. A Bachelor’s Degree in the relevant field  
and

Associate Membership/ A similar professional qualification obtained from a recognized professional body in the relevant field.

with

At least 08 years of experience in the relevant field at a managerial level.

02. Corporate Membership/ A similar professional qualification obtained from a recognized professional body in the relevant field.

with

At least 06 years of experience in the relevant field at a managerial level.

03. Class I officer of a government All-Island Services or a similar status in the relevant field.  
and

Associate Membership/ A similar professional qualification obtained from a recognized professional body in the relevant field.

with

At least 02 years of experience in the Class I post or a similar status in the relevant field.

**According to the above mentioned MSD Circular 02/2026 Category C – Procurement Specialist basic qualifications are given below (01 or 02 given below)**

**Procurement Specialist – Category C**

01. A Bachelor’s Degree in the relevant field  
and

A Postgraduate Degree (Masters) Qualification in the relevant field/ An Associate Membership or a similar professional qualification obtained from a recognized professional body in the relevant field.

with

At least 10 years of experience in the relevant field at a managerial level.

02. Class I officer of a government All-Island Services or a similar status in the relevant field.  
and

A Postgraduate Degree (Masters) Qualification in the relevant field

with

At least 03 years of experience in the Class I post or a similar status in the relevant field.

**According to the above mentioned MSD Circular 02/2026 Category D – Engineer (I), Engineer (II), Engineer (III) basic qualifications are given below**

**Engineer (I) – Category D (basic qualifications are 01 or 02 given below)**

01. A Bachelor’s Degree/ A qualification recognized by the University Grants Commission as an equivalent qualification to a degree in the relevant field.  
and

Associate Membership/ A similar professional qualification obtained from a recognized professional body in the relevant field.

With

At least 07 years of experience in the relevant field.

02. Class II/III or above officer of a government All-Island Services or a similar status in the relevant field.

and

At least 07 years of experience in Class II/III post or a similar status in the relevant field.

**Engineer (II) (basic qualifications are 01 or 02 given below)**

01. A Bachelor's Degree/ A qualification recognized by the University Grants Commission as an equivalent qualification to a degree in the relevant field.

and

Associate Membership/ A similar professional qualification obtained from a recognized professional body in the relevant field.

With

At least 04 years of experience in the relevant field.

02. Class II/III or above officer of a government All-Island Services or a similar status in the relevant field.

and

At least 05 years of experience in Class II/III post or a similar status in the relevant field.

**Engineer (III) (basic qualifications are 01 given below)**

01. A Bachelor's Degree/ A qualification recognized by the University Grants Commission as an equivalent qualification to a degree in the relevant field.

and

Associate Membership/ A similar professional qualification obtained from a recognized professional body in the relevant field.

**According to the above mentioned MSD Circular 02/2026 Resettlement Assistant (Supportive Staff) MN 4-2025/ MN 2-2025 basic qualifications are given below**

**01. Resettlement Assistant (MN-4 - 2025)**

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

With

- 02 Years of Experience in Relevant field (Same Position)

**02. Resettlement Assistant (MN-2 - 2025)**

- Having passed the G.C.E. (O/L) examination in six (6) subjects with four (4) credit passes including Language and Mathematics & 2 other in one sitting.

And

- Having passed the G.C.E. (A/L) examination in one sitting.

With

- 02 Years of Experience in Relevant field (Same Position)

**According to the above mentioned MSD Circular 02/2026 Office Aide PL 1 - 2025 (Supporting Staff) basic qualifications are given below**

**Office Aide (Supporting Staff)**

Having passed the G.C.E. (O/L) examination in six (6) subjects with two (2) credit passes not more than in two sittings

**General Conditions:**

- Recruitment, salary, benefits and other service conditions will be as per the provisions stipulated in Management Services Circular No. 02/2026 issued by the Ministry of Finance on 28.03.2026.
- Selections will be based on a structured interview and other circular conditions.
- All applications must be filled according to the format given in this circular and send all the copies of relevant documents.
- If applying for more than one post, separate applications should be submitted for each post.
- Candidates should be agreed to work around any place in the area and/or country if selected.

**01. Age Limit:**

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

**02. Salary:**

Salary and allowances will be paid based on the Management Service Circular no. 02/2026 issued by the Ministry of Finance, Planning, and Economic Development.

**03. Terms of Employment:**

- The appointment will be on contract basis, initially for a period of one year. Extension could be considered based on the Service requirement and performance.
- If the applicant already holds a permanent post in the Public Service/ Provincial Public Service including Local Authorities/ Public Corporations/ Statutory Boards and Fully State Owned Companies, the appointment will be based on according to the releasement basis mentioned on para 2.3.3 in 02/2026 MSD Circular, that recommended by the appointing authority of the substantive post and the considering correct releasement basis.
- Candidates who have not completed the application properly and have not submitted the correct data along with the application, and those who have not fulfilled the qualifications

and other requirements specified in the Management Services Circular No. 02/2026 will not be considered for appointments.

- The decision of granting appointment or not, service extensions is at the descretion of the Secretary of the Ministry according to in terms of the circulars and other provisions.

## **02. Recommendation of the Institution Head**

Applicant who already holds a permanent post in the Public Service/ Provincial Public Service including Local Authorities/ Public Corporations/ Statutory Boards and Fully State Owned Companies should be sent their applications through the Head of the institution and with the consent of releasement from the substantive post and recommendation of the releasement basis according to the para 2.3.3 in 02/2026 MSD Circular. (Otherwise application will be rejected.)

## **05. Submission of the Application**

Duly filled applications should be submitted along with the particulars of academic qualifications, transcript of the basic degree, work experiences and other relevant information according to the format given below under registered post, indicating the name of the post & project as appeared in the advertisement written on the top left hand corner of the envelope, to **Secretary, Ministry of Transport, Highways and Urban Development “Maganeguma Mahamedura”, No.216, Denzil Kobbekaduwa Mawatha, Koswatta, Battaramulla or hand over to Ministry Administration Division on or before 15.06..2026.**

## **06. For Special Attention**

- **Applications that are not properly filled in accordance with the given format will be rejected.**
- **Only the qualifications that submitted certificate copies with the application will be considered for selection.**
- **Applicants who have already submitted applications in response to the earlier notice, closing dated 14.05.2026 for the post of Deputy Project Director of Inclusive Connectivity & Development Project, do not require submitting fresh applications.**

## **07. For any inquiry please contact - 011-2271048**

**08. If there is any incompliance between the language phrases of this advertisement published in the Sinhala, Tamil & English medium, facts in the Sinhala advertisement shall prevail.**

Application format for Category A-F - Annex 1

Application format for Supportive Staff - Annex 2

**Secretary**

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