



MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

**NATIONAL BUILDING RESEARCH INSTITUTE
(NBRI)**



**Recruitment of Staff for the Project Implementation Unit (PIU) of the
"Formulation and Establishment of the National Building Code of
Sri Lanka (NBCSL)" Project**

The National Building Research Institute (NBRI) is implementing the nationally significant project titled "Formulation and Establishment of the National Building Code of Sri Lanka (NBCSL)" for the period 2026 -2028, with the objective of developing a legally enforceable and disaster-resilient National Building Code for Sri Lanka.

The project aims to strengthen safety, quality, sustainability, and resilience in the construction sector by introducing modern technical standards and regulatory provisions addressing structural safety, fire safety, geotechnical considerations, disaster risk reduction, and sustainable building practices. The initiative is being implemented in collaboration with key national stakeholders, including the Construction Industry Development Authority (CIDA) and the Urban Development Authority (UDA).

Applications are hereby invited from interested citizens of Sri Lanka for the following posts in the National Building Research Institute.

**(I) Civil & Structural Engineer (01 No.), Geotechnical Engineer (01 No.), Architect (01 No.),
Quantity Surveyor (Procurement Specialist) (01 No.) - Contract Basis**

Educational: (1 or 2 or 3 below)

1. A Special Degree in Geology/Engineering/ Architecture/ Quantity Surveying or in a relevant field for the post with appropriate subject combinations which is recognized by the University Grants Commission.

or

2. A General degree in Science or in a relevant field for the post with appropriate subject combinations which is recognized by the University Grants Commission.

with

Post Graduate Degree / Post graduate Diploma in Geology/Engineering/ Architecture/ Quantity Surveying or in a relevant field of the post.

or

3. Associate membership of the recognized professional Chartered institution related to the post. Note: Research experience relevant to the post would be an added advantage

Salary Scale:

With effect from 2026.01.01 - Rs. 81,675.00 + Rs. 17,800.00 (Cost of Living Allowance)

With effect from 2027.01.01 - Rs. 91,650.00 + Rs. 17,800.00 (Cost of Living, Allowance)

Note:

- The salary not change during the contract period.
- Should be a citizen of Sri Lanka,
- Should be physically and mentally fit to discharge the duties of the post well and to serve in any part of the Island.
- Should be of excellent moral character.
- Age Should be not less than 22 years and not more than 45 years.

Other Benefits:

- Cost of Living Allowance
- Entitlement to 12% EPF and 3% ETF contributions by the institute
- Other benefits approved by the Government

Applications from employees in Government Departments, State Corporations and Statutory Bodies should be forwarded through their respective Heads of Institutions. Applications giving full bio-data with Copies of relevant certificates should be forwarded under registered cover to reach the undersigned on or before **22/06/2026**. Please mark the post applied for on the top left-hand corner of the envelope.

Director General

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