

Ministry of Rural Development, Social Security and Community Empowerment
Promoting Resilience & Opportunity for Inclusive Recovery
Sector Development Programme

Recruitment of Project Staff

The Promoting Resilience & Opportunity for Inclusive Recovery Sector Development Programme (PROIR-SDP) is a project to be implemented under the Ministry of Rural Development, Social Security and Community Empowerment, jointly funded by the Government of Sri Lanka (GOSL) and the Asian Development Bank (ADB). The total project cost is US\$ 100 million, and it is designed to support the poor and vulnerable populations in Sri Lanka. The main objective of this five-year project is to strengthen the resilience and well-being of the targeted beneficiaries.

Applications are called from citizens of Sri Lanka to fill the following positions (01 to 06) within the Project Management Unit (PMU). The salary for each position will be based on the Department of Management Services Circular No. 02/2026 dated 28th March 2026.

No.	Salary Category	Designation	No. of Positions
01.	A	Project Director	01
02.	C	Procurement and Contract Management Specialist	01
03.	C	Monitoring & Evaluation Specialist	01
04.	C1	Financial Management Specialist	01
05.	D	Quantity Surveyor	01
06.	F	Technical Officer (I)	02

Basic Qualifications and Experience

Applicants must possess the basic qualifications and experience in accordance with the requirements stipulated in the DMS Circular No. 02/2026 as of the closing date of applications.

General Conditions:

- Must be below sixty-two (62) years of age as of the closing date of applications.
- Proven working experience in a similar or higher capacity within a donor-funded project.
- Extensive knowledge of Procurement/Accounting, Business & Value Chain Development, Marketing, Livelihood Development, Social Development, or Elderly Care will be considered a significant advantage.
- Proficiency in English, excellent computer literacy, and a strong familiarity with government rules and regulations are required.
- A professional qualification in the relevant field will be an added advantage.
- Only shortlisted applicants, based on qualifications and experience, will be called for an interview. The decision of the Secretary of the Ministry of Rural Development, Social Security and Community Empowerment shall be final and conclusive.
- Canvassing in any form will result in immediate disqualification, and such applications will be rejected.

All applicants are requested to forward their Curriculum Vitae, along with the contact details of two non-related referees and copies of relevant certificates, by registered post to the address given below or by e-mail to mssplan@yahoo.com on or before 01 November 2026.

The applied post should be clearly stated in the top left-hand corner of the envelope containing the application. Applicants currently in government or semi-government services should forward their applications through the respective heads of their institutions.

For more information and regarding the Terms of Reference, please visit <https://www.mrds.gov.lk>

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