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(ii) The list of Homoeopathic Medical Practitioners in the year of 2026 has been published in the Part VI of 13.11.2026 *Gazette*.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING ACCEPTANCE OF NOTICES FOR PUBLICATION IN THE WEEKLY "GAZETTE"

ATTENTION is drawn to the Notification appearing in the 1st week of every month, regarding the latest dates and times of acceptance of Notices for publication in the weekly *Gazettes,* at the end of every weekly *Gazette* of Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka.

All notices to be published in the weekly *Gazettes* shall close at 12.00 noon of each Friday, two weeks before the date of publication. All Government Departments, Corporations, Boards, etc. are hereby advised that Notifications fixing closing dates and times of applications in respect of Post-Vacancies, Examinations, Tender Notices and dates and times of Auction Sales, etc. should be prepared by giving adequate time both from the date of despatch of notices to Govt. Press and from the date of publication, thereby enabling those interested in the contents of such notices to actively and positively participate please note that inquiries and complaints made in respect of corrections pertaining to notification will not be entertained after **three months** from the date of publication.

All notices to be published in the weekly *Gazettes* should reach Government Press two weeks before the date of publication *i.e.* notices for publication in the weekly *Gazette* of 4th December, 2026, should reach Government Press on or before 12.00 noon on 20th November, 2026.

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Prasanna Jayaratne,
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1. General Qualifications required :

1:1 Every applicant must furnish satisfactory proof that he is a Sri Lankan. A ,Sri Lankan, is a citizen of Sri Lanka by descent or by registration as defined in the Sri Lanka 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 Senior School Certificate Examination or equivalent or higher examination, should have a pass either in Sinhala language or Tamil language obtained,as the case may be, at the Senior School Certificate Examination or its equivalent if he is either a Sinhalese educated in Sinhala Medium or if he is a Tamil educated in Tamil Medium (This requirement will not apply to those who are in the public service from a date prior to January 01,1961, and who seek appointments to other posts in the public service).

1:3 Application from the ,New Entrants, Public Officers, who are not either Sinhala or Tamil educated, whose probationary trial appointments have been terminated for failure to pass the prescribed official language proficiency tests will not be entertained unless they have obtained the qualifications which could entitle them to seek exemptions from the highest proficiency test prescribed for the post.

2. Conditions of Service-General :

2:1 All officers in the Public 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 the Governments from time to time.

2:2 A Public 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.

2:3 A Public Officer may be called upon to serve in any part of the Island.

3. Conditions of Service applicable to Public Officers holding permanent appointments :

3:1 In addition to the conditions referred to in Section 2 above Public Officer holding permanent appointments will be subject to the following further conditions:

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

3:1:2 All public officers are required to conform to the provisions of the Chapter IV of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka and any other laws, regulations or rules that may be made from time to time to give effect to the Language Policy of the Government.

3:1:3 All Public officers who have not entered the Public Service either in Sinhala Medium or in Tamil Medium are required to acquire a working knowledge in one of the official languages.

3:1:4 Confirmation at the expiry of the period of probation of an officer who entered the Public Service in a medium other than Sinhala or Tamil will depend, inter alia, on the passing of the Grade 1 Proficiency Test in one of the Official Languages 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.

Faliure to pass a test within the prescribed period will result in the suspension of increments. Suspension will be converted to a 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 3:1:6 below apply.

3:1:5 Such officers should, on receiving appointment, be given facilities on full pay, for a period of 6 months to obtain proficiency in one of the official languages. He will thereafter, be required to sit the relevant proficiency examination and if he does not pass he will be given the opportunity to pass the examination within a period of 2 years immediately after the period of 6 months on full pay, while he performs his normal duties.

3:1:6 If he fails to pass the examination in this prescribed period of 2 1/2 years his services will be terminated.

3:1:7 A Public Officer already confirmed in permanent post in the Public Service will not normally be required to serve the period of probation on being appointed to another permanent post in the Public Service. Such Officers 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.

3:1:8 Selected candidates (Other than those already holding permanent or temporary appointments in the Public 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.

4. Terms of Engagement :

4:1 Public officers appointed to permanent and pensionable posts should contribute to the 'Widows and Orphans' Pension Scheme from their salary an amount equivalent to the percentage the Government requires to recover from their salary.

4:2 Public officers appointed to permanent or temporary posts on Provident Fund basis will be required to contribute 6% of their consolidated salary to the Public Service Provident Fund. The Government will contribute as its share of contributions an amount equal to 150% of the compulsory contributions credited to the fund at the close of the Financial Year.

4:3 Officers who hold pensionable appointments in the Public Service and who are released for appointments to pensionable posts in the Local Government Service and those officers in the Local Government Service who hold pensionable appointments and who are released for appointments to pensionable posts in the Public Service will be allowed pensionability in their posts in the Local Government Service and Public Service respectively.

4:4 Regular Force personnel in the Army, Navy and Air Force who are released for appointments to posts in the Public Service which are pensionable under the Minutes on Pension will be allowed pensionability in their posts in the Public Service. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in these Minutes the unforefeited full pay service of any member of the Armed Forces who is released to accept an appointment as a Public Officer in a post which has been declared to be pensionable under these Minutes shall be reckoned for the purpose of any pension or gratuity payable under these Minutes.

5. Serving Officers in the Public Service :

5 :1 Applications from officers of the Public Service who possess all the necessary qualifications must be forwarded through the Heads of their respective Departments. In the case of applications from Public Officers holding post in the permanent establishment in the Public Service. 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.

5 :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.

5 :3 Anyone desiring to recommended 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 candidates.

5 :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.

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

6. Definition of Salary for the purpose of Eligibility :

6 :1 Salary for purposes of eligibility means only the consolidated salary and does not include any action salary, allowances etc.

7. New National Policy on Recruitment and Promotions :

Recruitment and Promotion in the Public Service, Provincial Public Service, Public Corporate Sector and Companies fully owned by the Government will be done in accordance with the policy laid down in the Public Administration Circulars No. 15/90 of 09.03.1990, 15/90 (I) of 25.03.1990 & 15/90 (ii) of 15.06.1990 with effect from 01.01.1990 subject to amendments that will be done by subsequent Public Administration Circulars.

RULES AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR EXAMINATION CANDIDATES

The set of rules and instructions published under the heading Rules and Instructions for Examination Candidates in all previously published Gazette Notifications is hereby revoked. Henceforth, only the set of Rules and Instructions Published in this Gazette Notification and in Gazette Notifications issued thereafter shall be in force.

All examination candidates are bound to act in compliance with the provisions of the Public Examinations Act, No. 25 of 1968 which was amended by No. 19 of 1976 and other rules and regulations imposed from time to time.

The following conditions and restrictions are hereby imposed through the Sentence No. 20 of the Public Examinations Act, No. 25 of 1968 which was amended through No. 19 of 1976 as per the powers assigned to the Commissioner General of Examinations.

All Examination candidates are bound to *abide by* the rules given below and a candidate who violates any of these rules is liable to one or more of the following penalties mentioned below at the discretion of the Commissioner General of Examinations:

I. Debarring to appear for the whole examination or part of it which was under investigation.
II. Disqualifying from one subject or from the whole examination which was under investigation.
III. Imposing lifetime ban for all the examinations conducted by the Department of Examinations, Sri Lanka.
IV. Department from appearing for examinations conducted by the Department of Examinations, Sri Lanka for a certain period of time.
V. Issuing a letter with suspended Department of examination.
VI. Suspension of the certificate for a specific period.
VII. Handing over the examination candidate to the police to file a criminal case under the Public Examinations Act or complaining the police regarding such act.
VIII. When the examination candidate is a Government employee reporting the appointing authority of such examination candidate (to take disciplinary actions) regarding the conduct of such examination candidate.

The Commissioner General of Examination reserves himself the right to take actions with respect of such examination candidate prior to during or after the examination or at any stage.
His decision with respect to that should be deemed final.

1. Every examination candidate should act in the examination hall and at the examination premises in such a manner that any disturbance or obstruction should not take place for the examination supervisor and his staff as well as for other examination candidates Moreover. examination candidates should not vandalize the property of the examination premises or damage the private property of the examination staff.

2. Examination candidates should act in compliance with the instructions given by the examination supervisor and his staff when the examination is in progress and before the commencement of the examination as well as immediately after the end of the examination.

3. No examination candidate will be admitted to the examination hall after the lapse of half an hour subsequent to the commencement of the question paper at the examination. Also, no examination candidate will be permitted to leave the examination hall until the examination ends. Actions should be taken to participate for practical tests or oral tests on time.

4. Every examination candidate should sit on the seat reserved for him/her bearing the respective Index Number and not any other seat. Unless with the special permission of the examination supervisor, no candidate should change his/her seat. The occupation of a seat other than the one assigned to him/her is liable to be considered as an act committed with dishonest intention.

5. Absolute silence should be maintained in the examination hall. A candidate is forbidden to speak to or exchange messages or to have any dealing with any person within or outside the examination hall for any matter other than a member of the examination hall staff.

6. Since the answer script of an examination candidate will be solely identified through the candidate's Index Number, it is completely prohibited to write one's name on the answer script, put a curtain mark or note to distinguish the answer script, write indecent or unnecessary things on the answer script and attaching currency notes with the answer script. Further, writing other examination candidate's Index Number on one's answer script could be considered as an attempt to commit a dishonest act. Answer scripts bearing Index Numbers those are difficult to decipher are liable to be rejected.

7. Examination candidates should not write on question paper or desk or any other place except on the papers (paper given to answer with in invigilator's short signature and the date with regard to the day on which the examination is conducted supplied at the examination hall. Acting non-compliance with these instructions will be considered as an act committed with dishonest intention.

8. Any paper or answer books supplied to examination candidates should not be torn up or crushed Each and every sheet of paper used for rough work should be clearly crossed out and attached to the answer script or submitted with the answer script at the end of the examination or the candidate should do the needful as per the given instructions. It is forbidden to take out anything written inside the examination hall. If a question has been answered twice in two different places, the unnecessary answer should be clearly crossed out.

9. It is forbidden to take out the papers or any other material supplied to answer at the examination out of the examination hall. All such materials are belonged to the Commissioner General of Examinations and breach of this rule will be considered as a punishable act.

10. When examination candidates appear for the examination in the examination hall. They should not keep in their possession or by their side other note books, papers with notes or paper pieces except the stationery supplied to them form answering at the examination and the materials which were authorized in written for each examination. Also, keeping mobile phones, electronic communication instruments/ devices in one's possession or by one's side and obtaining assistance from external parties through such instruments/ devices and sending information to other parties and social media while the examination is in progress are considered to be dishonest acts and punishable offences.

11. In case electronic communication instruments/ devices are revealed to be used for the purpose mentioned in the above paragraph no 10, such instruments/ devices will be taken into the custody of the Commissioner General of Examination until the investigations are concluded.

12. After sitting in the examination hall an examination candidates is strictly forbidden to keep any unauthorized material or instrument in his/her possession prior to the examination or when the examination is in progress. In case the supervisor of the examination staff orders. each candidate is bound to declare everything he/she has with him/her and get them checked Breach of these requirements should be considered as an attempt to commit an act of dishonesty.

13. It is an offence. In case a candidate copies or attempts to copy from the answer script of another candidate or a book or a script or a paper containing notes or through signals or any other source or acts dishonesty Also, helping another candidate and getting held from another candidate or a person or exam staff are also offences and every completed answer sheet should be kept underneath the sheet on which the answer is being written papers should not be strewn all over the desk.

14. A candidate will under no circumstance whatsover be allowed to leave the examination hall even for a brief period during the course of the paper after the commencement of the examination. However, in case an examination candidate needs to go outside for a brief period under the surveillance of an officer belongs to the to the assistant staff of the examination supervisor. He/She shall be subject to search before leaving the examination hall as well as when re-entering it.

15. Impersonation before commencement of answering at the examination hall or after is a punishable act. Tempering with identity cards or presenting false identity card is considered to be an act of dishonesty.

16. Assistance given to a candidate in an improper and dishonest manner by a candidate or a person, who is not a candidate, is considered to be a serious offence.

17. Examination candidate should adhere to the following instructions.

I. Every examination candidate should take actions to the signature in their admission paper attested and get the subjects amended prior to the examination. after inquiring the Department of Examinations. Sri Lanka in case there is any discrepancy between the subjects applied and the subjects applied and the subject indicated in the admission paper.

II. It is appropriate to arrive the examination hall. half an hour prior to the commencement of the examination and if you are not quite certain of the location of the examination hall make inquiries on a day prior to the date of examination and be sure of its exact location.

III. Candidate should produce their identity cards and get their identities confirmed at every paper they sit when appearing for the examination.

(a) Actions will be taken to cancel the candidature in case a candidate fails to produce the identification documents at the examination hall and in case a candidate forgets to bring such documents into the examination hall, that fact should be brought to the notice of the supervisor and arrangements should be made to produce them before the examination ends.
(b) Every candidate should be in the examination hall during the examination period in such a way that his/her face should be clearly recognizable to display his/her identity in a clearly visible manner.

IV. Examination candidates should keep their ears openly and in a clearly visible manner so as to confirm that they are not using electronic communication instruments/ devices like Bluetooth.

V. No paper other than those issued at the examination hall should be used for answering questions. Excess paper and other materials should be left on your desk in good condition in a reusable manner.

VI. Examination candidates should bring their own pens, pencils, erasers, foot rulers, geometrical instruments, boxes of coloured pencils and boxes of coloured chalks, *etc.*

VII. When you start answering, you should promptly write down the Index Number clearly on the answer book used and each sheet of paper. Write answers clearly and legibly on both sides of the paper. You should leave at lest a single blank line after providing the answer to a part of a question before starting to answer the next part of such question. You should provide answers in a fresh page for each question.

VIII. The left-hand margin of the answer sheet is set apart to enter the question number Since the right-hand margin is reserved for the examiner's use, nothing should be written there actions should be taken to number the question you answered correctly as incorrect numbering leads to confusion.

IX. When mathematical questions are answered, give all details of calculations and any rough work in their serial order as part of the solving of the sum. The sketches and diagrams drawn in the relevant places should be accurate and sufficiently large.

X. You should read carefully the instructions given at the head of the questions paper with regard to the compulsory questions and the other questions which should be selected. Marks will not be granted for answers provided disregarding the given instructions in the question paper.

XI. At the end of answering for each question, in addition to the answer book use, the answer sheets should be collected according to the page number and then should be tied/ attached at the top left-hand corner in a non-detachable manner. Make sure whether you have attached all the answer sheets prior to handing over the answer script. Any answer sheet taken out of the examination centre will not be evaluated after the handing over of such answer scripts.

XII. Your answer scrip should be handed over to the examination supervisor or to an officer of his/her staff. You should remain in your seat until the answer scripts are collected. Failure to do so may result in the loss of your answer script and your being treated as an absentee for a certain subject.

XIII. If it becomes necessary for you to speak to the examination supervisor or an officer of his/her staff due to a certain matter. you should sing him by tapping two times on the desk without disturbing others.

Commissioner General of the Examinations.

At the Department of Examinations, Sri Lanka.
Pellawatta,
Battaramulla.

Posts – Vacant

REGISTRAR GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Post of Registrar of Births and Deaths - Sinhala Medium

HAMBANTHOTA DISTRICT

APPLICATIONS are called for the Post of Registrar of Births and Deaths for divisions set out in the schedule hereof;

01. Applicant should be a permanent resident of relevant Registrar of Births and Deaths Division and entitled to reasonable properties and should be a person with outstanding personality who has acquired sufficient interest and influence amongst the residents of the area.

02. This position is an unpaid service and both Male and Female candidates can apply for this post.

03. Applicant should be not less than 30 years and not more than 55 years of age as at the closing date of the applications. (Maximum age of retirement is 70 years)

04. The retirement age is 65 years. Between the ages of 65 and 70, while performing the duties of Registrar, the period of service is extended on a yearly basis depending on the individual's conduct, physical fitness, and mental suitability. If, at any time, such a extension of service is not granted, the service of the relevant Registrar shall be terminated.

05. Applicant should have passed minimum of 06 subjects including Sinhala language with 02 Credit passes in not more than Two (02) sittings in GCE (O/L) examination together with the ability to perform duties in secondary language as per the language requirement of the populate within the Division or else should have passed in any other similar examination.

N.B. In case a subject contains 02 parts at GCE (O/L) or any other similar examination, it shall be considered as one subject and pass is applicable only if the applicant passes both parts of the said subject.

06. Applicant should have the ability to establish the Office in a centrally located building that ensure respect of the post and easy access by all or majority of residents.

Under circumstances where there is no adequate Office facilities provided within the hospital premises, recruited candidate for post of the Registrar of Births and Deaths, should be able to establish his/her Office at a suitable building located in the close proximity within 01 k.m. from the Hospital.

07. Additional details such as Village name list/ Grama Niladhari Divisions of the relevant Division of Births, Deaths relevant educational and other qualifications required for this post, could be obtained from notices exhibited in public places within the Division such as District Secretariat, Divisional Secretariat or relevant land and District Registries, Grama Niladhari Offices, Samurdhi Development Society Offices and Post Offices depicted in the schedule hereunder.

08. Relevant application and the said "Annex-01" inclusive of Village name list/ Grama Niladhari Divisions could be collected from District Secretariat (GA Office), relevant land and District Registry or Divisional Secretariat. Applications could also be downloaded from the Official website (www.rgd.gov.lk) of the Registrar General's Department.

09. Duly filled applications should be forwarded on or before 14th December 2026, by registered post to the address given in the schedule.

S. JALATHEEPAN,
Registrar General.

Registrar General's Department,
No. 234/A3, Denzil Kobbekaduwa Mawatha,
Koswatta, Battaramulla.
On this 03rd day of November, 2026.

Schedule

District	*Divisional Secretariat Division*	*Post & Division for which Applications are called*	*Address to which Applications should be sent*
Hambanthota	Hambanthota	Post of Birth & Deaths Registrar of Hambanthota town Division	District Secretary/ Additional Registrar General, District Secretariat, Hambanthota.

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REGISTRAR GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Post of Registrar of Muslim Marriages (Sinhala)

HAMBANTHOTA DISTRICT

APPLICATIONS are called for the Post of Registrar of Muslim Marriages in the divisions set out in the schedule hereof;

01. Applicant should be a permanent resident of relevant Muslim Marriages Division and entitled to reasonable properties and should be a person with outstanding personality who has acquired interest and influence amongst the residents of the area.

02. This position is an unpaid service and only Muslim Males can apply for this post.

03. Applicant should be not less than 30 years and not more than 55 years of age as at the closing date of the applications. (Maximum age of retirement is 70 years).

04. The retirement age is 65 years. Between the ages of 65 and 70, while performing the duties of Registrar, the period of service is extended on a yearly basis depending on the individual's conduct, physical fitness, and mental suitability. If, at any time, such an extension of service is not granted, the service of the relevant Registrar shall be terminated.

05. Applicants for the Post of Registrar of Muslim Marriages should be married and should not be a widower or divorced.

06. Applicant should have passed minimum of 06 subjects including Sinhala/ Tamil (relevant language for the post with) 02 Credit passes in not more than Two (02) sittings in GCE (O/L) examination together with the ability to perform duties in secondary language as per the language requirement of the populate within the Division or else should have passed in any other similar examination.

N.B. In case a subject contains 02 parts at GCE (O/L) or any other similar examination, it shall be considered as

one subject and pass is applicable only if the applicant passes both parts of the said subject.
(Possession of Moulavi Certificate or Diploma in Arabic Language shall be considered as fulfillment of aforesaid basic qualification.)

07. Applicant should have the ability to establish the office in a centrally located building that ensures respect of the post and easy access by all or majority of residents.

08. Additional details such as Village name list/ Grama Niladhari Divisions of the relevant Division of Muslim Marriages, relevant educational and other qualifications required for this post, could be obtained from notices exhibited in public places within the Division such as District Secretariat, Divisional Secretariat or relevant land and District Registries, Grama Niladhari Offices, Samurdhi Development Society Offices and Post Offices depicted in the schedule hereunder.

09. Relevant application and the said "Annex-01" inclusive of Village name list/ Grama Niladhari Divisions could be collected from District Secretariat (GA Office), relevant land and District Registry or Divisional Secretariat. Applications could also be downloaded from the official website (www.rgd.gov.lk) of the Registrar General's Department.

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S. JALATHEEPAN,
Registrar General.

Registrar General's Department,
No. 234/A3, Denzil Kobbekaduwa Mawatha,
Koswatta, Battaramulla.
On this 03rd day of November, 2026.

Schedule

District	*Divisional Secretariat Division*	*Post & Division for which Applications are called*	*Address to which Applications should be sent*
Hambanthota	Tangalle	Post of Muslim Marriage Registrar in the Tangalle Division of Tangalle Divisional Secretariat area	District Secretary/ Additional Registrar General, District Secretariat, Hambanthota.

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REGISTRAR GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Amendment of closing date of Applications for Recruitment of Registrar of Births, Deaths and Marriages/ Additional Marriages

HAMBANTHOTA DISTRICT

IT is kindly notified that the closing date of applications for the recruitment of below of Births, Deaths and Marriages/ Additional Marriages Registration in Puttalam District, appearing in the No. 2510 gazette of the socialist Republic of Sri Lanka dated 09.10.2026 which was published by me is extended to 2026.12.09.

District	*Divisional Secretariat Division*	*Post & Division for which Applications are called*	*Address to which Applications should be sent*
Puttalam	Pallama	Post of Birth, Death Registrar of Pallama Division and Post of Marriages Registrar of Demala Hatpattuwa Division (Sinhala Medium)	District Secretary/ Additional Registrar General, District Secretariat, Puttalam.
Puttalam	Anamaduwa	Post of Birth, Death Registarar of Karambepattu and Post of Marriages Registrar of Demala Hatpattuwa Division (Sinhala Medium)	District Secretary/ Additional Registrar General, District Secretariat, Puttalam.
Puttalam	Kalpitiya	Post of Birth, Death Registrar of Sethapola, Nawatkadu Division and Post of Marriages Registrar of Puttalam Pattu Division (Sinhala Medium)	District Secretary/ Additional Registrar General, District Secretariat, Puttalam.

02. Please note that the closing date of applications only changed, all other details in the said gazette notification remain unchanged.

S. JALATHEEPAN,
Registrar General.

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MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND MASS MEDIA

Recruitment On Open Basis to the Post of Nutritionist In Grade II of The Field/Office-Based Officer Segment 02, Service Category (MN 05–2006 A) – 2026

1.0. Applications are called from applicants who possess the following qualifications for the recruitment on an open basis to **29 posts of Nutritionist in Grade II**, belonging to Field/Office Based Officer Segment 02, Service Category (MN 05–2006 A), for hospitals and institutions under the purview of the Ministry of Health and Mass Media.

2.0. Method of Recruitment
Among the applicants who fulfill the qualifications specified in this notification, candidates who obtain the highest marks at the written examination conducted by the Secretary, Ministry of Health and Mass Media, or an institution approved by him, will be called for a general interview to examine physical fitness and qualifications and will be recruited according to the number of vacancies.

3.0. The number of candidates to be appointed based on the existing vacancies and the effective date of appointments shall be determined by the Secretary, Ministry of Health and Mass Media. The Secretary, Ministry of Health and Mass Media shall have the authority to fill/ not to fill any number of vacancies or all the vacancies.

4.0. Medium of Language
This examination will be conducted in Sinhala, Tamil and English mediums. Candidates may sit for the examination in only one medium of their choice, and the medium applied for cannot be changed thereafter.

5.0. Applicants applying for this post should possess the following qualifications.

5.1. Basic Qualifications

I. The applicant should be a citizen of Sri Lanka.
II. The applicant should be of excellent character.
III. Applicants should have fulfilled all the qualifications required as at the date specified in the notification of call for applications.

5.2. Educational Qualifications

A Special Degree in Food Science and Nutrition obtained from a university recognized by the University Grants Commission.

5.3. Physical Fitness

Every applicant should be physically and mentally fit to serve in any part of Sri Lanka and to perform the duties of the post.

6.0. Age Limit

Applicants should be not less than 21 years and not more than 35 years of age as at the closing date for applications.

7.0. Salary Scale

The monthly salary scale applicable to this post, as per the Schedule I of Public Administration Circular No. 10/2025 dated 25.03.2025,
Rs. 58,660 – 10 × 1190 – 11 × 1360 × 15 × 1670 – Rs.110,570 (MN–05–2025 (A))

8.0. Written Examination

Name of the Question Paper	*Syllabus*	*Duration*	*Maximum Marks*	*Pass Mark*
01. Subject-related Test	It is expected to assess the candidate's ability in field based general subject matters and practical applications relevant to the respective post.	1 hour	100	40%
02. Intelligence Test	The candidate's ability to understand, analyze and draw conclusions regarding problems presented in the form of words, numbers and figures, and to understand relationships between time and space, will be assessed through the conclusions and responses given by the candidate to such problems.	1 hour	100	40%

9.0. Conditions of Employment

I. Officers recruited should agree to serve in any part of the island.

II. This appointment is pensionable. You shall be subject to any policy decision that may be taken by the Government in the future regarding the pension scheme applicable to you. Further, you shall contribute to the Widows' and Orphans' Pension Scheme/Widowers' and Orphans' Pension Scheme and make such contributions as may be required by the Government from time to time.

III. The relevant proficiency in the official language should be completed in accordance with Public Administration Circular No. 18/2020.

IV. This appointment shall be subject to a 03-year period of probation**.**

V. This appointment shall be subject to the Rules of the Procedural Rules of the Public Service Commission, the Establishments Code of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, the Financial Regulations of the Government, the provisions contained in the Recruitment Procedure of MN-05-2006 (A), and other departmental orders.

10.0. Submission of Applications :

I. A specimen application form is provided at the end of this announcement. Accordingly, applicants should prepare their applications on A4 size paper and complete them in their own handwriting.

II. The closing date for applications is 14.12.2026 Applications should be sent by registered post so as to reach the Director (Admin) 07, Ministry of Health and Mass Media, No. 106, Dudley Senanayake Mawatha, Colombo 08, on or before 14.12.2026. Applications received after the closing date will be rejected.

III. The words **"Application for Recruitment to the Post of Nutritionist (Open)"** should be indicated on the top left-hand corner of the envelope containing the application.

IV. Correspondence relating to this matter may also be conducted by e-mail. Therefore, **it is compulsory to provide an e-mail address currently used by the applicant, and applicants should pay attention to communications sent to that address.**

V. The examination fee is Rs. 1,000.00 . The examination fee will not be refunded for any reason. The relevant amount should be paid to **Account No. 7041318**, maintained in the name of **"Secretary of Health"** at the **Thaprobane Branch of the Bank of Ceylon**, through any branch of the Bank of Ceylon. The receipt obtained should be firmly affixed in the box provided in the specimen application form. (Money orders and stamps will not be accepted.)

VI. The signature of the applicant should be certified by a Principal of a Government school, a Justice of the Peace, a Commissioner for Oaths, an Attorney-at-Law, a Notary Public, a commissioned officer of the Armed Forces, a gazette officer of the Police Service, or an officer in the staff grade holding a permanent post in the Sri Lanka Administrative Service/ Sri Lanka Educational Administrative Service/ Government Accountants' Service/ Sri Lanka Planning Service/ Sri Lanka Engineering Service or holding a permanent Government post with a basic annual salary exceeding Rs.854,880/-.

VII. Officers currently serving in the Public Service or Provincial Public Service should submit their applications through the Head of the Department in which they are serving.

VIII. On the presumption that only those who possess the qualifications specified in the Gazette notification have applied, applicants who have submitted duly completed applications will be called for the competitive examination, and they will be informed accordingly at the address stated in the application.

11.0. Identity of Candidates :

Candidates appearing for the examination shall prove their identity to the satisfaction of the Supervisor of the examination hall for every subject for which they sit. For this purpose, one of the following documents will be accepted.

I. National Identity Card,
II. Valid Passport,
III. Valid Sri Lankan Driving License.

Furthermore, candidates shall enter the examination hall without covering their face and both ears so as to verify their identity. Candidates who refuse to prove their identity so will not be permitted to enter into the examination hall. Further, from the moment of entering the examination hall till leaving after the examination, candidate shall not cover the face and both ears enabling the Examination Authorities to identify the candidate

12.0. Providing False Information :

If any information stated in the application submitted by you is found to be false or incorrect before recruitment, your candidature will be cancelled. If such false or incorrect information is disclosed after recruitment, action will be taken to dismiss from the service, subject to the relevant procedures.

In the event of any inconsistency between the Sinhala, Tamil and English texts of this notification, the Sinhala text shall prevail.

DR. ANIL JASINGHE,
Secretary,
Ministry of Health and Mass Media.

Ministry of Health and Mass Media,
No.385,Rev. Baddegama Wimalawansha Thero Mawatha,
Colombo 10,
31st October, 2026.

SPECIMEN APPLICATION FORM

Recruitment (Open) To The Post of Nutritionist In Grade II Of The Ministry Of Health And Mass Media – 2026

Medium in which the applicant appears for the examination: ☐ District of Residence: ☐
(Sinhala – S / English – E / Tamil – T)

01. 1.1 Applicant's name with initials: Mr./Mrs./Miss……
……...
(In English Block Capitals) **E.g.: Mr./~~Mrs./Miss~~ SILVA A.B.**

1.2 Full Name:**……..…….**
(In English Block Capitals)**…….**

1.3 Full Name**:……..…….**
(In Sinhala/Tamil)**……...**

02. 2.1 Address (Personal**):……..…….....** (In English Block Capitals**)……..……..……**

2.2 Address (Personal**):……..…….....**
(In Sinhala/Tamil)**……..…….....**

2.3 Address (Official**):……..……..……**
(In English Block Capitals) **……..……..……**

2.4 Address (Official**):……..……..……**
(In Sinhala/Tamil) **……..……..……**
(Any change of address should be informed immediately.)

2.5 Telephone No. (Personal) :**……..……**

2.6 Telephone No. (Official**):……..**

2.7 E-mail Address**:……**

03. 3.1 Date of Birth: ☐☐☐☐ ☐☐ ☐☐
Year Month Date

3.2 Age as at the closing date of applications: Years: ..... Months: ..... Days: .....

04. National Identity Card No.: **……**

05. Gender**: ……**

06. Qualifications -:

6.1 Relevant Educational Qualifications:

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6.2 Professional Qualifications: .....
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07. Details of the Receipt for Payment of Examination Fee

7.1 Bank/Branch at which the examination fee was paid:.....

7.2 Receipt No. and Date:.....

7.3 Amount Paid:.....

Affix the receipt obtained upon payment of Rs. 1,000.00 at a branch of the Bank of Ceylon here firmly.

08. Certification of the Applicant :

I hereby solemnly declare that the information furnished by me in this application is true and correct. I further accept that if any information contained herein is found to be false or incorrect prior to selection, my application will be rejected, and if any such information is found to be false or incorrect after selection, I will be dismissed from the service without any compensation.

Date: ....,
Signature of the Applicant.

09. Particulars to be completed by the Head of the Department/ Institution :

I certify that **Mr./Mrs./Miss** ..... , who submits this application, is personally known to me and that he/she signed this application in my presence on …….....

10. Certification of the Head of the Department/Institution-: (Only for the applicants serving in the Public Service or Provincial Public Services.)

I certify that Mr./Mrs./Miss ..... , the applicant, has been serving in this Department/Provincial Council/ Institution since …… If he/ she is selected for this post, he/ she will be released/ will not be released from the post presently held. I further certify that he/ she signed this application in my presence on ……..

.....,
Signature of the Head of Department/Institution.

Name : .....
Designation : .....
Date : .....
Department/Institution : .....
(Should be certified with an official stamp)

MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND MASS MEDIA

Recruitment (Limited) To The Post of Nutritionist In Grade II Belonging To The Field / Office Based Officer Segment – 02 Service Category (MN 05 – 2006 A) – 2026

1.0. Applications are hereby invited from applicants possessing the qualifications specified below for limited recruitment to seven (07) posts of Nutritionist in Grade II belonging to the Field / Office based Officer Segment – 02 Service Category (**MN 05 – 2006 A),** for hospitals and institutions administered under the Ministry of Health and Mass Media.

2.0. Method of Recruitment :
Among the applicants who possess the qualifications specified in this notification, candidates who obtain the highest marks at the written examination conducted by the Secretary, Ministry of Health and Mass Media, or by an institution approved by the Secretary, will be referred for an Eligibility Evaluation Interview to assess their physical fitness and qualifications. Thereafter, candidates will be recruited according to the number of vacancies available.

3.0. The number of officers to be appointed based on the existing vacancies and the date on which the appointments shall take effect will be determined by the Secretary, Ministry of Health. The Secretary shall have the authority to fill any number of vacancies or to refrain from filling some or all of the vacancies.

4.0. Medium of Language :
The examination will be conducted in **Sinhala, Tamil and English media**. Candidates may sit the examination in only **one language medium** of their choice. The language medium selected at the time of submitting the application shall not be permitted to be changed thereafter.

5.0. Basic Qualifications for Recruitment

5.1. Educational Qualifications :
Applicants shall have obtained a Special Degree in Food Science and Nutrition from a University recognized by the University Grants Commission

Or

Have obtained a Degree with First Class or Second Class division and a Postgraduate Degree in Food Science from a University recognized by the University Grants Commission.

5.2. Experience :
Shall be a public officer confirmed in service who has completed five (05) years of active and satisfactory service and drawing a salary under salary code **MN-04-2006 A**,

5.3. Physical Fitness :
Every applicant shall be physically and mentally fit to serve in any part of Sri Lanka and to discharge the duties of the post.

5.4. Other Qualifications :

I. Shall be a citizen of Sri Lanka.

II. Shall be of an excellent character.

III. Shall have fulfilled all the qualifications required as at the date specified in the notification calling for applications.

IV. Shall not have been subjected to disciplinary punishment in accordance with the provisions of Public Service Commission Circular No. 01/2020.

Notes :

1. Applicants shall have completed a satisfactory period of service of five (05) years as at the closing date of applications. For this purpose, "satisfactory service" means:

(i) Having received all due salary increments during the five years immediately preceding the closing date of applications,

and

(ii) Not having been subjected to any disciplinary punishment during the five years immediately preceding the closing date of applications.

2. If an applicant is selected for appointment, the consent of the Head of the Department shall be obtained for releasing him/her from the present post.

3. Candidates who have submitted duly completed applications will be called for the competitive examination on the preliminary assumption that they possess the qualifications specified in the *Gazette* notification. The relevant information will be communicated to the address given in the application.

6.0. Age Limit
Not applicable.

7.0. Salary Scale

In terms of Schedule I of Public Administration Circular No. 10/2025 dated 25.03.2025, the monthly salary scale applicable to this post is:

Rs. 58,660 – 10 x 1,190 – 11 x 1,360 – 15 x 1,670 – Rs. 110,570 (MN–05–2025 (A)).

8.0. Limited Recruitment

8.1. Written Examination

Question Paper	*Syllabus*	*Duration*	*Maximum Marks*	*Pass Mark*
01. Subject Related Test	Expected to evaluate their knowledge of the subject specific general areas and practical applications relevant to the post	02 Hours	100	40%
02.Intelligence Test	Expected to evaluate ability to understand issues presented in verbal, numerical forms and illustrations and to assess their understanding, reasoning, conclusions and responses in relation to such issues including their ability to understand relationships in terms of time and space.	01 Hour	100	40%

8.2. Eligibility Evaluation Interview

No.	*Main Titles under which Marks are Awarded*	*Maximum Marks*	*Minimum marks considered to be selected*
01	Service experience in the relevant field	40	Not relevant
02	Additional educational qualifications	30	
03	Research and publications relevant to the field	25	
04	Performance at the interview	05	
Total		**100**	

8.2.1. Detailed Marking Scheme in respect of Eligibility Evaluation Interview

No.	*Subject*	*Maximum Marks*
01.	**Service Experience in the Relevant Field: 40** For active and satisfactory service exceeding five (05) years in the relevant service category as at 14.12.2026 date, marks will be awarded as follows	
	I. One (01) mark shall be awarded for each year of service exceeding five (05) years as at 14.12.2026	20
	II. One (01) mark shall be awarded for each salary increment earned as at 14.12.2026 for each year of service referred to above	20
	III. In awarding marks under I and II above, the applicant shall not have received any disciplinary punishment, been subjected to disciplinary action or been subjected to a disciplinary inquiry during the relevant period. No marks shall be awarded for years during which the applicant has been subject to disciplinary proceedings	

No.	*Subject*	*Maximum Marks*
02	**Additional Educational Qualifications – 30**	
	1. Certificate course of six (06) months or more	**1**
	2. Certificate course of not less than twelve (12) months	**2**
	3. Higher Diploma / Diploma	**3**
	4. A Degree / Special Degree other than the degree required for recruitment to this post	**4**
	5. Master's Degree or equivalent educational qualification	**5**
	6. M.Phil. Degree or equivalent educational qualification	**6**
	7. Doctoral Degree or equivalent educational qualification	**7**
	8. Any of the qualifications specified under items 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 above obtained through the **Food Science and Nutrition subject stream**	**1**
	9. Any of the qualifications specified under items 1 to 7 above studied in the **English medium**	**1**
03	**Research and Publications Relevant to the Field : 25**	
1	A research thesis of not less than one year's duration relating to a Master's Degree or equivalent educational qualification in the field of Food Science and Nutrition	2
2	A research thesis of not less than one year's duration relating to an M.Phil. Degree or equivalent educational qualification in the field of Food Science and Nutrition	3
3	A research thesis of not less than one year's duration relating to a Doctoral Degree or equivalent educational qualification in the field of Food Science and Nutrition	4
4	Any thesis/research paper relevant to the field of Food Science and Nutrition evaluated by a foreign university or a recognized international institution	4
5	Any thesis/research paper relevant to the field of Food Science and Nutrition published on a recognized international website/journal	3
6	Any thesis/research paper, or a part thereof, relevant to the field of Food Science and Nutrition published in a newspaper/journal	3
7	Information, observations or conclusions contained in any thesis/research paper relevant to the field of Food Science and Nutrition which have been used by a public or private institution for the activities of that institution	3
8	Information, observations or conclusions contained in any thesis/research paper relevant to the field of Food Science and Nutrition which have been used as data / information in another thesis/research paper	3
04	Performance at the Interview	**5**
	Total	**100**

8.2.2. Candidates equivalent to twice the number of existing vacancies, or at least five (05) candidates will be called for the Eligibility Evaluation Interview according to the merit order of marks obtained at the written examination.

8.2.3. Recruitment will be made according to the merit order of the total marks obtained at the written examination and the Eligibility Evaluation Interview, taking into consideration the number of vacancies available.

8.2.4. The qualifications of candidates will also be verified at the Eligibility Evaluation Interview.

9.0. Terms of Engagement in the Service:

I. Officers recruited shall agree to serve in any part of the island.

II. This appointment is pensionable. You shall be subject to any policy decision taken by the Government in future regarding the pension scheme applicable to him/her. Further you shall also contribute to the Widows'/ Widowers' and Orphans' Pension Scheme and you shall make contributions as prescribed by the Government from time to time.

III. The prescribed proficiency in the relevant official language shall be obtained in accordance with Public Administration Circular No. 18/2020.

IV. This appointment shall be subject to a probationary period of one (01) year.

V. This appointment shall be subject to the Procedural Rules of the Public Service Commission, the Establishments Code of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, the Financial Regulations of the Government, the provisions of the MN-05-2006 A Recruitment Procedure, and other departmental regulations.

10.0. Submission of Applications

I. A specimen application form is provided at the end of this announcement. Accordingly, applicants should prepare their applications on A4-size paper and complete them in their own handwriting.

II. Every applicant shall submit the duly completed application to the Head of the Department/Institution. The Head of the Department/Institution shall personally certify the truth and accuracy of the information furnished by each applicant. The certified applications shall be sent under registered post to: Director (Administration) 07, Ministry of Health and Mass Media, No. 106, Dudley Senanayake Mawatha, Colombo 08 before 14.12.2026.

III. The words **"Application for Recruitment to the Post of Nutritionist (Limited)"** shall be clearly written on the top left-hand corner of the envelope containing the application.

IV. Official correspondence relating to this matter may also be conducted by e-mail. Therefore, it is compulsory to provide a valid e-mail address currently used by the applicant, and applicants should pay due attention to correspondence sent to that address.

V. The examination fee is **Rs. 1,000.00**. This fee will not be refunded for any reason.The examination fee shall be paid at any branch of the **Bank of Ceylon** by crediting the amount to **Account No. 7041318**, maintained in the name of **"Secretary, Ministry of Health" in the Thaprobane branch of Bank of Ceylon.** The receipt obtained upon payment shall be affixed to the relevant space in the specimen application form.(Money orders and stamps will not be accepted.)

11.0. Identification of Candidates

Candidates shall prove their identity to the satisfaction of the Supervisor of the Examination Hall for every subject for which they sit the examination by producing one of the following documents:

I. National Identity Card;

II. Valid Passport; or

III. Valid Sri Lankan Driving License.

Candidates shall enter the examination hall without covering the face and ears in a manner that prevents their identity from being verified. Candidates who refuse to establish their identity shall not be admitted to the examination hall. From the time of entering the examination hall until leaving the examination hall after completion of the examination, candidates shall remain in a manner that examination officials may identify them without covering their face and ears.

12.0. Furnishing False Information

If any information furnished by an applicant in the application is found to be false or incorrect before recruitment, the candidature of such applicant will be cancelled. If such false or incorrect information is discovered after recruitment, action will be taken to dismiss the officer from service, subject to the relevant procedures.

13.0. In the event of any inconsistency between the Sinhala, Tamil and English texts of this notification is arisen, the Sinhala text shall prevail.

DR. ANIL JASINGHE,
Secretary,
Ministry of Health and Mass Media.

Ministry of Health and Mass Media,
No.385,Rev. Baddegama Wimalawansha Thero Mawatha, Colombo 10,
Date: 31.10.2026.

SPECIMEN APPLICATION FORM

Recruitment (Limited) To The Post of Nutritionist In Grade II of The Ministry Of Health And Mass Media – 2026

Medium in which the applicant appears for the examination: ☐ District of Residence: ☐
(Sinhala – S / English – E / Tamil – T)

01. 1.1 Applicant's name with initials: Mr./Mrs./Miss……
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(*In English Block Capitals*) E.g.: Mr./~~Mrs./Miss~~ SILVA A.B.

1.2 Full Name:……
(*In English Block Capitals*)……

1.3 Full Name:……
(*In Sinhala/ Tamil*)……

02. 2.1 Address (Personal) :……
(*In English Block Capitals*)……

2.2 Address (Personal):……
(*In Sinhala/Tamil*)……

2.3 Address (Official):……
(In English Block Capitals) ……

2.4 Address (Official):……
(*In Sinhala/Tamil*) ……
(Any change of address should be informed immediately.)

2.5 Telephone No. (Personal) :……

2.6 Telephone No. (Official):……

2.7 E-mail Address:……

03. 3.1 Date of Birth: ☐☐☐☐ Year ☐☐ Month ☐☐ Date

3.2 Age as at the closing date of applications: Years: ..... Months: ..... Days: .....

04. National Identity Card No.: **……**

05. Gender**: ……**

06. Qualifications :-

6.1 Relevant Educational Qualifications:

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6.2 Professional Qualifications:- .....
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07. Details of the Receipt for Payment of Examination Fee :

7.1 Bank/Branch at which the examination fee was paid:.....

7.2 Receipt No. and Date:.....

7.3 Amount Paid:.....

Affix the receipt obtained upon payment of Rs. 1,000.00 at a branch of the Bank of Ceylon here firmly.

08. Certification of the Applicant :

I hereby solemnly declare that the information furnished by me in this application is true and correct. I further accept that if any information contained herein is found to be false or incorrect prior to selection, my application will be rejected, and if any such information is found to be false or incorrect after selection, I will be dismissed from the service without any compensation.

Date: ....,
Signature of the Applicant.

09. Particulars to be completed by the Head of the Department/ Institution :-

I. Name of Officer : Mr./ Mrs./ Miss ……

II. National Identity Card No. of the officer : …….

III. Post held at the time of applying for the examination : …….....

IV. Has the applicant completed an uninterrupted period of five (05) years of service as at the closing date for application? …….....

V. Has the officer been confirmed in the post? If so, attach a certified copy of the confirmation letter : …… ……...

VI. Has the officer earned all salary increments during the five (05) years preceding the closing date for applications? …… If so, give particulars: …….....

VII. Has the officer been subjected to any disciplinary punishment during the five (05) years of preceding the closing date for applications? …… (If yes, give particulars) :…… ……

VIII. Is any disciplinary inquiry presently pending against the officer? ……..... (If yes, give particulars) : …… …….....……

XI. Has the officer been convicted by any court of law in respect of any offence? …….. (If yes, give particulars) : …… …….....……

10. Recommendation of the Head of the Department/Institution :-

I certify that, Mr./Mrs./Miss ..... is serving in this Department/ Institution from …… . He/ She holds a permanent and pensionable post. I further certify that he/she has earned all salary increments during the preceding five years and has not been subjected to any disciplinary punishment of any kind, other than a warning, and that all the particulars furnished above have been checked against the records available in this office and found to be correct. If he/she is selected for appointment to the above post, he/she can/cannot be released from the present post. I certify that he/she signed this application in my presence on …… .

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Signature of the Head of Department/Institution.

Name : .....
Designation : .....
Date : .....
Department/Institution : .....
(Should be certified with an official stamp)

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Examinations, Results of Examinations & c.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR

Open Competitive Examination for Recruitment to the Post of Stenographer - Grade III (Management Assistant – Non – Technical Service – Category 2) of the Department of Labour – 2026

RECRUITMENT will be conducted on open basis to fill the existing vacancies in the post of Stenographers Grade III (Management Assistant – Non – Technical Service – Category 2) of the Department of Labour, in accordance with the provisions of the Scheme of recruitment approved by the Public Service Commission. Applications are called from the Sri Lankan citizens who have fulfilled the qualifications prescribed in paragraph 3.0 below as at **14.12.2026**, the closing date of applications.

1. **Posts of recruitment and the number of vacancies :**

Serial Number	*Designation*	*Number of vacancies*
1	Stenographer (Sinhala Medium)	09
2	Stenographer (English Medium)	01

1.1. **Nature of the post/ posts:** Permanent and pensionable.

1.2. **Nature of duty of the posts :**

	Approved Designation	*Tasks*
1	**Stenographer**	- Recording industrial court hearings in shorthand - Recording inquiries conducted at the Termination Division and Industrial Relations Division in shorthand - Recording minutes of Wages Boards Meetings in shorthand - Computer type setting and taking printouts of all work notes obtained as above and in other Departmental requirements - Other duties assigned by the Head of the Department in relation to the position.

2. **Method of recruitment :**
This open competitive recruitment examination consists of a written test and a professional test. The written test will be held initially and the candidates who obtain more than 40% for that will be called for the professional test. The candidates should secure at least 40% of the marks allocated for each subject to be qualified for the appointment, as this is a competitive examination. The vacancies will be filled based on the number of vacancies to be filled, in accordance with the order of the total marks obtained.

(Fulfillment of all qualifications prescribed in this notification is mandatory.)

The examination is held in Sinhala and English mediums and applicants will not be allowed to change the medium of examination later. The candidates may sit for the written test in any medium they prefer. Appointment to the Sinhala medium Stenographer posts will be done in accordance with the merit order of the total marks of the Sinhala medium

candidates and appointment to the English medium stenographer posts will be done in accordance with the merit order of the total marks of the English medium candidates.

3. Qualifications :

3.1. **Educational qualifications.**

3.1.1. **Sinhala Medium Applicants**

(a) Should have passed six (06) subjects at the G.C.E (O/L) examination with credit passes for
- Sinhala Language
- Mathematics and
- Two (02) other subjects in one sitting

and

(b) Should have passed at least one (01) subject (except the common General Test) at the G.C.E (A/L) Examination.

3.1.2. English medium applicants -

(a) Should have passed six (6) subjects at the G.C.E (O/L) examination with credit passes for
- English Language
- Mathematics and
- Two (02) other subjects in one sitting;

and

(b) Should have passed at least one (01) subject (except the common General Test) at the G.C.E (A/L) Examination.

3.2. **Professional qualifications :**

- **Sinhala Medium Applicants**
  Should have followed a course on stenography and computer Typesetting (Sinhala medium) with a duration of not less than six (06) months at an institution recognized by the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission or should have obtained a credit pass for Electronic Documentation and Stenography (Sinhala Medium) at the G.C.E. (O/L) Examination.

- **English medium applicants**
  Should have followed a course on stenography and computer type setting (English medium) with a duration of not less than six (06) months at an institution recognized by the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission or should have obtained a credit pass for Electronic Documentation and Stenography (English Medium) at the G.C.E. (O/L) Examination.

  Note : The institutions approved by the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission for the Stenography and Computer Typesetting are as follows:

- Colleges of Technology and Technical Colleges under the Department of Technical Education and Training
- Training Centers under the National Apprentice and Industrial Training Authority
- Training centers under the National Youth Services Council
- Training centers under the Vocational Training Authority of Sri Lanka

3.3. **Physical Eligibility**
Every applicant should be physically and mentally fit to serve in any part of Sri Lanka and perform duties of the post.

3.4 **Other Qualifications :**

i. Should be a citizen of Sri Lanka.
ii. Should possess an excellent moral character.
iii. Should not be a clergy or priest of any religion/ religious sect.
iv. The Applicant is deemed to have fulfilled the qualifications required to sit for the examination for recruitment only if, he/she has fulfilled all the relevant qualification and the prescribed age limit, in each and every aspect as at the date mentioned in the notification.

4. Age limit
Age should be not less than 18 years and not more than 30 years as at the closing date of applications.

5. Terms of Employment and Service Conditions

5.1. This appointment is subject to a probation period of 03 years.

5.2. The First Efficiency Bar (EB) should be passed before the lapse of 03 years from being recruited to Grade III

5.3. The Provisions of Public Administration No. 18/2020 dated 16.10.2020 and the circulars incidental thereto, shall apply in respect of the official language proficiency.

5.4. The selected candidates will be appointed to the post of Stenographer - Grade III subject to the general conditions governing appointments to the public service, procedural rules of the Public Service Commission, Financial Regulations, Provisions of the Establishment Code and any amendment made to them, Other Departmental orders, terms and conditions set out in the Scheme of Recruitment approved by the Public Service Commission on 11.04.2013 and any other amendment made or to be made hereafter to the Scheme of Requirement.

5.5. The selected candidates will serve only at the Head Office of the Department of Labour, Narahenpita, Colombo 05.

6. Salary scale :

The monthly salary scale relevant for the post is Rs. 42,230– 10 x 540– 11 x 630– 10 x 890- 10 x 1,190 – Rs 78,360 (MN -1-2025) in accordance with Public Administration Circular No.: 10/2025

7. Written Test and Professional Test :

7.1. **Written Test**

Question Paper	*Duration*	*Maximum Marks*	*Pass Marks*
- For Sinhala medium candidates General Knowledge and Composition (Sinhala Medium) - For English medium candidates General Knowledge and Composition (English medium)	2 Hrs	100	40

(A) Syllabus for the written test

General Knowledge and Composition

- Testing candidate's general knowledge on national and international current affairs.
- Writing an essay on a topic selected from given topics of current importance (unique ideas, language skills, correct grammar and spelling will be taken into consideration.)

7.2. Professional Test

Subject	*Maximum Marks*	*Pass Marks*
- For Sinhala medium candidates Shorthand and computer Typesetting (Sinhala medium) - For English medium candidates Shorthand and computer Typesetting (English Medium)	100	40

(A) Syllabus for the professional test

- **For Sinhala Medium candidates**
  Taking down in shorthand at a speed of 70 words per minute, a passage dictated continuously for five minutes and computer typesetting the same at a speed of 7 words per minute.

- **For English medium candidates**
  Taking down in shorthand at a speed of 80 words per minute, a passage dictated continuously for five minutes and computer typesetting the same at a speed of 7 words per minute.

8. General Interview :

The General interview is conducted only to scrutinize the qualifications and marks will not be given.
** N.B
Attending the interview shall not be deemed as fulfillment of qualifications for appointment.

9. Examination Fee :

The examination fee is Rs. 500/- It should be credited to Account No. 086100169026274, Thimbirigasyaya Branch, People's Bank in the name of the Commissioner General of Labour and the receipt issued should be pasted on the application firmly.

(Keeping a photocopy of the receipt will be useful)

Note: The examination fee, once paid will not be refunded under any circumstance, unless the examination is cancelled. The examination fee paid for this examination cannot be transferred for another examination.

10. Method of application :

10.1. The application should be prepared by the applicant himself/ herself according to the specimen from appended at the end of this notification using both sides of 21 x 29 cm (A4) sized paper. It should be prepared in such a manner so that item No. 1.0 -8.0 appear on the first page, No. 9.0 -11.2 appear on the second page, No. 12.0-16.0 appears on the third page and No. 17.0 appear on the fourth page of the application.

10.2. The application should be prepared in the medium in which the applicant appears for the examination.

10.3. The applications which do not comply with the prescribed format and those which are incomplete will be rejected without further notice

10.4. This examination will be held only at examination centers establish in Colombo.

10.5. Receipt of applications will not be acknowledged. Complaints made with regard to applications misplaced in post will not be entertained.

10.6. The issuance of an admission card to sit for the competitive examination should not be considered as fulfillment of the qualifications by the applicant.

10.7. "Open Competitive Examination for Requirement to the post of Stenographer – Grade III (Management Assistant Non – Technical Service Category 2) of the Department of Labour -2026" should be clearly written at the top of left corner of the envelope in which the application is enclosed.

10.8. The signature of the applicant in the application form should be attested by the Principal of a government school, Justice of the peace, Commissioner for oaths, Notary public, an authorized officer of armed forces, an officer

holding a gazetted post in Public Service or a Tertiary or Senior level officer holding a permanent post in Public Service as per classification of Public Administration Circular No. 10/2025.

10.9. The final decision on the filling, non-filling or partial filling of these vacancies and all other matters, rests with the Commissioner General of Labour.

11. Forwarding of application form :

The Completed application forms should be sent through registered post to reach the below- mentioned address on or before 14.12.2026
Commissioner of Labour (Establishment),
Department of Labour,
8th Floor,
"Mehewara Piyesa" Building,
Colombo 05.

12. Appearing for the Examination :

(a) Admission cards will be issued by the Sri Lanka Foundation only to the applicants who have forwarded duly completed application forms and fulfilled the qualifications mentioned in the notification, one week prior to the date of the examinations.

(b) A link will be sent through an SMS to the mobile number provided by the applicant for downloading the admission card. This provides the opportunity for the applicant to download their admission card by entering the National Identity Card Number, if it is not received by posts. A candidate who does not produce the admission card will not be permitted to sit the examination.

(c) A candidate should sit the examination at his/her respective examination hall under the relevant index number. Every candidate who sits the examination should handover the admission card, with their signature certified, to the Chief Examiner on the day of the examination.

13. Identity of the Candidate :

At the examination hall the candidates should prove their identity to the satisfaction of the Chief Examiner for each subject they appear. The following documents will be accepted for this purpose.

(a) National Identity card issued by the Department of Registration of Persons;
(b) Valid passport;
(c) Valid driving license.

14. Punishment for furnishing false information

If a candidate is found to be unqualified to appear for this written test his/ her candidature is liable to be cancelled prior to, during or subsequent to the examination or at any time thereafter. If a candidate is found to have furnished false information knowingly, or found to have concealed any important information deliberately, he/she is liable to be dismissed from service.

15. In the event of inconsistency between Sinhala, Tamil and English versions of this *Gazette* notification, the Sinhala text shall prevail.

H. M. D. N. K. WATALIYADDA,
Commissioner General of Labour.

Department of Labour,
Colombo 05,
02nd of November, 2026.

SPECIMEN APPLICATION FORM

Open Competitive Examination for Recruitment to the Post of Stenographer Grade III (Management Assistant – Non – Technical Service – Category 2) of the Department of Labour – 2026

01. Medium of examination:
Sinhala - 1
Tamil - 2
English - 3
(Write the relevant number in the box. The Application should be completed in the language in which the examination is written)

02. 2.1. Name with initials at the end: ……..……..….
(English capital letters) ex.: (SILVA A.B.D.P.A)
2.3 Name in full (English capital letters): ……..……..
……
2.3 Name in full (Sinhala/ Tamil): ……..
……

03. 3.1. Permanent Address (English capital letters) (The admission card will be posted to this address):
……
……
3.2. Permanent Address (Sinhala/ Tamil): ……
……

04. Gender : (Male – 0 , Female - 1)
(Write the relevant number in the box)

05. National Identity card number :

06. Marital Status : (Unmarried – 1 , Married - 2)
(Write the relevant number in the box)

07. 7.1. Date of birth: Year Month Date

7.2. Age as at the closing date of applications
Years Months Days

08. Telephone Number (Mobile):

09. E – Mail Address:

10. The post applied (Put mark √ in the relevant box) :

1	Stenographer (Sinhala Medium)	
2	Stenographer (English Medium)	

11. Educational Qualifications:

11.1. G.C.E. O/L Examination (First attempt) :

(i) Year and Month of Examination :……

(ii) Index Number : ……..

(iii) Results :

	Subject	**Grade**		**Subject**	**Grade**
1			6		
2			7		
3			8		
4			9		
5			10		

11.2. G.C.E (A/L) Examination :

(i) Year and Month of Examination : ……..

(ii) Index Number : ……

(iii) Results :

	Subject	**Grade**
1		
2		
3		
4		

12. Professional Qualifications :

Course followed	**Certificate awarded institution**	**Duration of the course**	**Certificate number and date**

13. Have you ever been convicted of crime in a Court of Law?.....
If so, please state the details: ……..……

14. Have your previously been terminated from public service? ……
……..…….....…….
If so, please state the details: ……....……

15. Payment of Examination fee :
15.1. Amount paid: ……..
15.2. Name of Bank ……
15.3. Date of payment: …….
15.4. Receipt Number: ……..

Paste the receipt here firmly by one border of it. (Keeping a photocopy of the receipt will be useful)

16. Certification of the Applicant:

I ……. declare that I am qualified to sit for the Open Competitive Examination as per all the rules and regulations prescribed in the *Gazette* Notification and that the information provided in this application form is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Further I agree to act in accordance with the rules and regulations of the examination. I agree with any decision that may be taken to cancel my candidature prior to, during or after the examination, without paying any compensation if I am found to be ineligible as per the provisions of the scheme of Recruitment of this examination. Moreover, I declare that I am subject to the rules and regulations imposed by the Commissioner General of Labour in respect of conducting the examination and issuing of results. I agree to perform the duties in any part of the Island, if selected to the post.

…….., ……,
Date Signature of the Applicant.

17. Attestation of the signature of the Applicant (Should be in accordance with paragraph 10.8 of the *Gazette* notification) :

I hereby certify that Mr./Mrs./Miss ……. forwarding this application is personally known to me and that he/she placed the signature before me on ……..

…….., ……..,
Date Signature of the Attesting Officer.

Full Name of the Attester : …….
Designation : ……
Address : …….
(Should be verified with the official seal)

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SRI LANKA RAILWAY DEPARTMENT

Open Competitive Examination for Recruitment to the Training Grade of Draughtsman (Civil / Signaling / Mechanical) In The Supervisory Management Assistant - Technical Service Category of The Sri Lanka Railway Department – 2026

APPLICATIONS are invited from Sri Lankan citizens who are not less than 18 years of age and not more than 30 years of age as at 14.12.2026 to fill the number of vacancies set out below in the Training Grade of Draughtsman (Civil / Signaling / Mechanical) in the Supervisory Management Assistant – Technical Service Category of the Sri Lanka Railway Department. Selected applicants will be appointed to one of the posts specified below based on the priority of the exigency of service of the Railway Department, and no transfer between posts will be permitted after appointment.

	Name of Post	*Grade*	*Number of Vacancies*
1.	Draughtsman (Civil)	Training Grade	8
2.	Draughtsman (Signaling)	Training Grade	1
3.	Draughtsman (Mechanical)	Training Grade	7

01. Post for which Applications are called:

Draughtsman (Civil / Signaling / Mechanical) – Training Grade

02. Nature of Duties of the Post:

Duties should be performed in accordance with the duty list assigned separately for the posts of Draughtsman (Civil), Draughtsman (Signaling), and Draughtsman (Mechanical) belonging to the Supervisory Management Assistant - Technical Service Category of the of Sri Lanka Railway Department.

03. Salary Scale: MN - 03 2025

(i) As per Public Administration Circular 10/2025, Rs. 52,250 - 10 x 800 - 11 x 1,190 - 10 x 1,320 / 10 x 1,350 - 100,040/-, and payments will be made placing at the initial salary step of Rs. 52,250/-.

(ii) In addition, it is entitled to other allowances paid in addition to the basic salary for public officers.

04. Qualifications:

(a) Educational Qualifications:

(i) Should have passed the General Certificate of Education (Ordinary Level) Examination in six (06) subjects at one sitting with Credit passes for Sinhala / Tamil / English Language, Mathematics, Science, and one other subject;

AND

(ii) Should have passed the General Certificate of Education (Advanced Level) Examination in three subjects belonging to the Physical Science stream including Combined Mathematics and Physics (excluding General Common Test) at one sitting;

OR

(iii) Should have passed the General Certificate of Education (Advanced Level) Examination in three subjects belonging to the Technology stream including Engineering Technology (excluding General Common Test) at one sitting.

(b) Vocational Qualifications:
Should have successfully completed a one-year full-time training course in Draughtsman ship from a Technical College recognized by the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission and obtained the relevant certificate.

(c) Experience: Not applicable.

(d) Physical Fitness:
Every candidate must be physically and mentally fit to serve in any part of Sri Lanka and to perform the duties of the post.

(e) Age:
Should be not less than 18 years and not more than 30 years of age as at 14.12.2026.

(f) Other Qualifications:

1. Must be a citizen of Sri Lanka.
2. Applicants must be of a sound moral character.
3. No person holding an ordained status in any religious sect is eligible to appear for this examination.

Note: All qualifications mentioned above must be fully completed in every respect as at the date 14.12.2026.

05. Method of Recruitment:

Recruitment will be made on the results of a written competitive examination and a general interview. A number equal to the number of expected recruitments from among the applicants who pass the written examination will be subjected to a general interview in order of merit of total marks to select suitable candidates. Recruitment will not be made through waiting lists.

06. Examination Procedure of Recruitment Test:

i. Method of Examination

(a) The examination will be held in Sinhala and Tamil media.

(b) Candidates must appear for all question papers in the medium in which they have fulfilled the qualifications requested under item (04) above. It will not be permitted to change the medium applied for later.

ii. Subjects of the Examination:

1.	Intelligence Test	Time: 01 hour	Marks: 100
2.	Subject-related Technical Test	Time: 03 hours	Marks: 100

(The pass mark for the written question paper is 40%.)

iii. Syllabus:

Subject No. 01 – Intelligence Test

Tests the candidate's logical thinking, ability to analyze events, and decision-making capacity.

Subject No. 02 – Subject-related Technical Test

Tests knowledge regarding principles of drawing.

iv. Selection Procedure:

Applicants who scored 40% or more for each subject in the written examination will be considered as having passed the exam. Based on the order of marks obtained, a number equal to the number of vacancies from among those who have fulfilled basic qualifications will be subjected to a general interview for selection. No marks will be awarded at this interview and it will be checked whether qualifications specified in the notification of calling application have been satisfied.

v. Examination Results:

In terms of paragraph 06 (iv) of the *Gazette* notification, the results list prepared according to the merit order of total marks of candidates who scored the highest marks will be handed over to the General Manager of Railways.

All applicants who appeared for the examination will also be notified of results individually.

07. Examination Fee:

The examination fee is Rs. 1,200.00. It can be paid at any branch of People's Bank to be credited to Account No.176-100129027-313 of the General Manager of Railways at the Mid City Branch of People's Bank before the closing date for receipt of applications. The receipt issued for this payment must be affixed securely in the designated box on the application. (A photocopy of the receipt should be retained for future reference.) **Examination fee will not be refunded** under any circumstances**, and money orders or stamps will not be entertained**.

08. Method of Application:

The application must conform to the specimen form attached to this notification. Using it, candidates must specifically note to prepare their application on A4 size paper such that heading numbers 01 to 06 appear on page 1, 07 to 09 on page 2, 10 to 12 on page 3, and the remainder on page 4. Computerized/typed applications may also be used for this purpose. Applications not conforming to the specimen application or with incomplete information will be rejected without prior notice. Therefore, before submitting the application, candidates should recheck whether it conforms to the specimen application in the examination notice, whether all information is complete and accurately filled out, whether the prescribed examination fee has been paid with details included in the application, and whether the receipt has been attached. Furthermore, retaining a photocopy of the completed application and a photocopy of the receipt of the examination fee payment may be useful.

(a) The applicant must complete the application in the language medium in which they intend to sit for the examination. When preparing the application, it is essential to mention the name of the examination cited in the header, in English language as well, in applications prepared in both Sinhala and Tamil media.

(b) The duly completed application for the examination must be sent by registered post to reach the following address on or before 14.12.**2026**. On the top left corner of the envelope containing the application, it should be clearly written: **"Open Competitive Examination for Recruitment to the Post of Draughtsman (Civil / Signaling / Mechanical) in the Supervisory Management Assistant Technical Service Category of the Sri Lanka Railway Department - 2026"**. No application received after that date will be accepted.

General Manager of Railways
Office of General Manager -Railways,
Appointment Branch,
P.O. Box 355,
Olcott Mawatha, Colombo 10.

(c) The signature of the applicant on both the application and the admission card for the examination must be attested by a Principal of a Government School, Justice of the Peace, Commissioner of Oaths, Attorney-at-Law, Notary Public, Commissioned Officer of the Armed Forces, Gazetted Officer in the Police Service, or a Staff Grade Officer holding a permanent post in the Public Service.

(d) Incomplete applications will be rejected. No complaint regarding loss or delay of applications in the post will be considered.

(e) Receipt of applications will not be acknowledged. As soon as admission cards for the written examination are issued to candidates, a notice will be published in newspapers and on the official website of the Sri Lanka Institute of Development Administration. If the admission card is not received after 2 or 3 days of the publication of the notice, it should be informed to Sri Lanka Institute of Development Administration as indicated in the notification. When informing, the name of the applied examination, full name of the applicant, address, and National Identity Card number must be mentioned. For applicants outside Colombo, sending a request letter along with those details and a fax number to receive a copy of the admission card via fax to the fax number mentioned in the notice will be more effective. Furthermore, it will be useful to keep ready a copy of the retained application form, copy of the receipt of the examination fee , and the registered post receipt issued when posting the application to verify any required information requested by Sri Lanka Institute of Development Administration.

09. Appearing for the Examination:

(a) Admission cards will be issued by the Sri Lanka Institute of Development Administration to candidates who have submitted duly completed applications along with the relevant receipt for payment of the prescribed examination fee on or before the closing date for applications within the age limit stated in the notification, under the presumption that only those possessing qualifications specified in the *Gazette* notification have applied. An applicant who fails to produce their admission card will not be allowed to sit for the examination.

(b) An applicant must sit for the examination at the examination hall assigned to them. Every applicant must get their signature attested on the relevant admission card for the assigned examination hall and hand it over to the Supervisor on the first day of appearing at that hall. A set of rules to be followed by every applicant is published at the beginning of this *Gazette* paper.

Note: The issue of an admission card to an applicant shall not be considered as an acceptance that they are eligible to sit for the examination or that they have fulfilled the requisite qualifications for the post.

10. Identity of Applicants:

Candidates must prove their identity in the examination hall for every subject they sit for to the satisfaction of the Supervisor. Any of the following documents will be accepted for that purpose :

a. National Identity Card
b. Valid Passport
c. Valid Sri Lankan Driving License

Furthermore, candidates must enter the examination hall without covering their face and ears so that their identity can be verified. Applicants who refuse to prove their identity in this manner will not be admitted to the examination hall. In addition, candidates must remain without covering their face and ears from the moment they enter the examination hall until they leave after the examination ends.

11. Candidates are subject to the rules and regulations imposed by the Director General of the Sri Lanka Institute of Development Administration regarding the conduct of the examination and release of results. If those rules and regulations are violated, they will be liable to a penalty imposed by the Director General of the Sri Lanka Institute of Development Administration.

12. Service Conditions:
Upon recruitment to the Training Grade of Draughtsman (Civil) / Draughtsman (Signaling) / Draughtsman (Mechanical), recruits will be subjected to a training period of one year, and the allowance for the Training Grade will be in accordance with Schedule V of Public Administration Circular 10/2025. A final training examination will be conducted at the end of the training, and those who pass will be recruited to Grade III of the relevant post and placed at the initial salary step of the prescribed salary scale.

13. Conditions of Employment:

i. This post is permanent and pensionable. If it is already contributed to the Widows' and Orphans' / Widowers' and Orphans' Pension Scheme, contributions must be continued.

ii. Official language proficiency must be acquired as relevant in terms of Public Administration Circular 18/2020 dated 16.10.2020 and circulars consequential thereto according to the language medium in which qualification for appointment is obtained.

iii. Selected candidates shall be subject to the provisions contained in the Establishments Code and Financial Regulations, and the Procedural Rules of the Public Service Commission. Furthermore, they are bound to abide by departmental instructions regarding orders issued by the Government from time to time.

14. i. It is informed that all provisions specified in the approved Scheme of Recruitment for the Supervisory Management Assistant (MN - 03) - Technical Service Category of the Sri Lanka Railway Department apply to these recruitments.

ii. The power to take the final decision on any matter not covered by this notification rests with the General Manager of Railways.

iii. In the event of any incompliance between the Sinhala and Tamil texts of this notification, the Sinhala text shall prevail as correct.

RAVINDRA PATHMAPRIYA,
General Manager of Railways.

Office of General Manager - Railways,
Sri Lanka Railway Department,
P.O. Box 355,
Olcott Mawatha, Colombo 10.

Accordingly before completing the application, using an application form prepared using both sides of A-4 paper the notification of calling for applications should be read and well understood.)

Specimen Form of Application

Open Competitive Examination for Recruitment to the Post of Draughtsman (Civil / Signaling / Mechanical) in the Supervisory Management Assistant Technical Service Category of the Sri Lanka Railway Department - 2026

Medium of Examination

Office use Only
Sinhala -2
Tamil -3
English - 4

(Write the relevant number in the cage)

For Office Use Only

Post applied for:
……

01. Last Name With Initials:
    i) In Sinhala/ Tamil:……
    ii) In English : …….
    (*Eg.* GUNAWARDHANA, M.P.N)

02. Names denoted by the initials :
    i) In Sinhala/ Tamil:……
    ii) In English : ……

03. Permanent address
    i) In Sinhala/ Tamil: ……
    ii) In English : ……

04. Telephone Number: (I) | | | | | | | | | | |

    (II) Whatsapp | | | | | | | | | | |

05. Gender :-
    Female - 1
    Male - 0 | |
    [Please write the relevant number in the cage]

06. National Identity Card Number: | | | | | | | | | | | | |

07. Residence :

    i) Grama Niladhari division …… Number | |
    ii) Divisional Secretariat division ……..
    iii) District …….

08. Date of Birth : Year : | | | | | Month : | | Date : | |

    Age as at 14.12.2026 : Years …….. Months …… Days …….

09. Educational Qualifications- G.C.E (O/L):-

    Index No:-…….. Year:-……

Serial No.	*Subject*	*Pass*
i)		
ii)		
iii)		
iv)		
v)		
vi)		
vii)		
viii)		
ix)		
x)		

G.C.E(A/L)
Index No:-…… Year:-…….

Serial No.	*Subject*	*Pass*
i)		
ii)		
iii)		
iv)		

iii) Vocational Qualifications:-

……
……

10. Have you ever been convicted by a court :- Yes ☐ No ☐
(Mark "x" in the relevant cage)

11. Declaration of the Candidate:-

a) I hereby declare that all the particulars furnished by me in this application are true & accurate to best of my knowledge. I am clearly aware that the candidature shall be cancelled due to incompletion and/or false and inaccurate completion. I am personally liable for the disadvantages.

b) I further declare that I am subject to the dismissal in case of disclosing after the appointment to the post, that the above particulars cited in a) are false. I will personally bear the disadvantages if any.

c) I have pasted the receipt bearing No. ……., received after paying Rs.1200/= to the …… branch of the …….Bank on ……2026.

Paste only one edge of the receipt here. (keep a photocopy of the receipt with you)

d) I agree to follow the rules & regulations in this Examination.

e) Further, I declare that I am liable to follow the rules and regulations relevant to conducting the examination, imposed by the Director General of Sri Lanka Institute of Development Administration.

f) Further, I declare that I am liable to follow the rules and regulations relevant to conducting the interview imposed by the General Manager in Railways.

Date : ……. ……..,
Signature of the Candidate.

12. Attestation of the Applicant's signature

I certify that Mr/Mrs./Miss…….. producing this application & bearing the National Identity Card Number ……. is personally known by me and his/her signature was affixed in my presence .

……,
Signature of the Attester.

Name of the Attester: …….
Designation : ……
Address : ……..
Date : …….

13. Recommendation of the Head of the Department/Institution :- (Only for the candidates who are in Government service)

Mr./Mrs./Miss……..who has produced this application has been working as …… in ……..Department/ institution since …… No any incomplete disciplinary charge has/ has not been reported against him. His work, behavior and attendance are satisfactory/ unsatisfactory. I hereby declare that he has paid the due fee, pasted the receipt and he can be/ cannot be released from this Department/ institution if he is selected for a post of Draughtsman in the Supervisory Management Assistant – Technical Service Category of the Sri Lanka Railway Department.

……,
Signature of the
Head of the Department/ institution.

Date : ……
Full Name of the Attester : ……
Designation : ……
Address : ……
(Please official stamp here)

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MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND MASS MEDIA

Open Competitive Examination for Recruitment to Grade III of the Departmental Posts in the Primary Level Skilled Service Category (PL 03-2006-A) of the Ministry of Health and Mass Media-2026

APPLICATIONS are invited from the applicants who possess the following qualifications to fill the vacancies in the following departmental post falling under the Primary Level Skilled Service Category (PL 03) of the Ministry of Health and Mass Media and the hospitals and institutions thereunder.

Serial No.	*Designation*	*No. of Vacancies*
01.	Electrician	19

02. Qualifications required :-

2.1. Educational Qualifications and Vocational Qualifications :

Serial No.	*Designation*	*Educational Qualifications*	*Vocational Qualifications*
02.	Electrician	Should have passed the General Certificate of Education Ordinary Level Examination in six subjects at least with two credit passes, in not more than two sittings.	Should have obtained a Certificate of Proficiency related to the post,which is not below the National Vocational Qualification Certificate Level 4 (NVQ 4), issued by a technical/vocational training institution recognized by the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission.

2.2. Physical Fitness: - Every candidate shall physically and mentally be fit to serve in any part of Sri Lanka and to perform the duties of the post.

2.3. Other:
(i) Shall be a citizen of Sri Lanka.
(ii) Shall be of excellent character.
(iii) Shall have fulfilled all the qualifications required for recruitment to the post in all respects as at the date specified in the *Gazette* notification calling for applications.
(iv) Only male applicants are eligible to apply for this post.

03. Age: Shall not be less than 18 years and not more than 45 years.

04. Written Examination for Recruitment :

Question Paper	*Syllabus*	*Duration*	*Total Marks*	*Pass Marks*
1. Intelligence test and general knowledge	It is expected to assess the applicant's capacity for comprehension, quantification and perception of time-space relations by measuring applicant's inference and responses to problems presented in the context ofwords, numbers and figures.	01 Hour	100	40%
2. Subject-related General Knowledge	This question paper will be designed related to the duties of the post.	1 1/2 Hours	100	40%

05. Vocational Test for Recruitment :

Subjects	*Duration*	*Total Marks*	*Pass Marks*
Basic knowledge related to the field, knowledge of installing and repairing equipment, identifying faults in the equipment of the relevant field, knowledge of using equipment relevant to the field. The syllabus in this regard is as follows.	30 minutes	100	40%

Designation	*Syllabus of the Vocational Test*
01.Electrician	Installation, repair of electrical equipment, faults in electrical units/machines, electrical wiring, extension, planning, electrical repair in buildings

06. Method of Recruitment :
The written test is conducted first, and out of the applicants who pass the written test, twice the number expected to be recruited will be called for the practical vocational test in the order of merit of the marks obtained by them. Applicants who pass the practical vocational test will be recruited in the order of merit of the aggregate of the marks obtained at the written test and at the practical vocational test.

07. Salary Structure and Monthly Salary Scale:

Rs.42,780-10x490-10x540-10x590--12x630-Rs.66,540 (PL 3-2006 - (A) (As per the Schedule (II) of the Circular No. 10/2025)

08. Conditions of Engagement in the service :

(i) The officers recruited should be willing to serve in any part of the island.
(ii) The post you are appointed is permanent. You shall be subject to any policy decisions taken by the Government in the future, with regard to the pension scheme to which the selected applicants are entitled. Furthermore, you should contribute to the Widows' and Orphans' Pension Scheme/Widowers' and Orphans' Pension Scheme. Contributions should be made as prescribed by the Government from time to time.
(iii) This appointment is subject to a probationary period of three years and the first Efficiency Bar Examination should be passed within three (03) years from the recruitment.
(iv) Prescribed official language proficiency shall be obtained within 05 years after appointment to the post as per the Public Administration Circular 18/2022 and circulars incidental thereto.
(v) This appointment is subject to the Procedural Rules of the Public Service Commission , Establishments Code of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, Financial Regulations of the Government, provisions of the circulars issued by the Government, Scheme of Recruitment for the Primary Level Skilled Service Category (PL 03-2006 -A) of the Ministry of Health and Mass Media and the circulars and general provisions issued by the Secretary to the Ministry of Health and Mass Media.
(vi) The language medium you are eligible for appointment shall be the language medium specified by you in the application.

09. Method of Application :

(a) Applicants shall prepare the application form in compliance with the specimen form of application attached herewith and indicate the words "Open Competitive Examination for Recruitment to the Post of Electrician in the Primary Level Skilled Service Category (PL 03-2006-A) of the Ministry of Health and Mass Media-2026" on the top left corner of the envelope enclosing the application and forward it by the registered post to reach the Director (Admin) 04 Branch , Ministry of Health and Mass Media, No. 106, Daddli senanayaka Mawatha, Colombo 08 before 13.12.2026.

(b) Closing date for applications: 13.12.2026

(c) The examination fee is Rs. 1,000 This fee shall be paid at any Branch of the Bank of Ceylon to be credited to the account number 7041318 in the name Health Secretary At Taprobane Branch of the Bank of Ceylon and the receipt obtained for the payment should be affixed in the cage provided in application, so as not to be detached. Under no circumstances the fee will be refunded, and be considered as valid for any other examination or any other purpose. And, it is advisable to keep a copy of the application form and the receipt obtained for the payment. (Money orders and stamps will not be accepted.)

(d) When preparing the application, the name of the examination stated in the heading should be indicated in English in addition to Sinhala in Sinhala applications, and in English in addition to Tamil in Tamil applications.

(e) After submission of the application any changes made thereto will not be.

10. Identification of Candidates: A candidate will be required to prove his/her identity at the examination hall to the satisfaction of the Supervisor for each subject offered. For this purpose, any of the following documents will be accepted.

(a) National Identity Card;
(b) A valid Passport;
(c) A valid driving license of Sri Lanka.

Furthermore, to enable verification of their identity candidates must enter the examination hall without covering their face and ears. Applicants who refuse to confirm their identity in this manner will not be admitted to the examination hall. Moreover, from the moment of entry until leaving the examination hall after the examination is over, the candidate must remain without covering their face and ears. In addition, any other instructions that may be required regarding the examination will be communicated to you through the examination admission card. The Supervisor has the right to refuse entry to/remove from, the examination hall any candidate who acts in violation of these rules regarding the examination.

11. Attestation of Signature :

The signature of the candidate should be attested by a Principal of a Government School, Justice of the Peace, Commissioner for Oaths, Attorney-at-Law, Notary Public, Commissioned Officer of the Three Armed Forces, an officer holding a Gazetted post in the Police Service or Staff Grade Officer holding a permanent post in the Public Service who is in the Sri Lanka Administrative Service/Educational Administrative Service/Government Accountants' Service and draws a basic annual salary of more than Rs. 854880/-.

12. Providing false information :

Applicants should be very careful to provide accurate information when filling the application form. As per the rules of this examination, if any information provided by a candidate is found to be false or incorrect before recruitment, his candidature will be cancelled. If such false or incorrect information is discovered at any time after recruitment, action will be taken to dismiss such applicant from the service subject to the relevant legal procedures.

13. Conditions of the Examination :

(i) All the qualifications required for recruitment to the post should have been fulfilled as at. 13.12.2026. Applicants who have not fulfilled the prescribed qualifications will not be eligible for appointment even if they obtain sufficient marks in the examination.

(ii) Applications which are not in compliance with the specimen form of application attached hereto and the applications which are incomplete will be rejected without any notice.

(iii) Receipt of the applications will not be acknowledged and applications received delayed will not be accepted.

(iv) On the presumption that only those who possess the qualifications specified in the Gazette notification have applied, applicants who have submitted duly completed applications will be called for the competitive examination and it will be notified to the address mentioned in the application.

(v) The written competitive examination for recruitment will consist of two papers namely Intelligence Test and General Knowledge, and Subject-related General Knowledge.

(vi) Applicants who have fulfilled the qualifications will be selected and the officers so selected will be appointed for the vacancies existing in the Ministry of Health and Mass Media and the hospitals and institutions thereunder.

(vii) The examination will be held in Sinhala, Tamil and English media. Candidates shall sit for the examination in a language medium of their preference. It is not allowed to change the language medium applied forlater. Candidates shall answer all the question papers of this examination in one language only.

N.B.: -

(a) It should be ensured that every section of the application is completed and that the information provided is accurate.

(b) In cases where the applicants are required to submit any documents, the applications of candidates who fail to submit the relevant documents will not be considered. And, a document or copy thereof which is not related to the application should not be attached.

(c) Complaints that an application or a letter related thereto is lost or delayed in the post will not be entertained. Applicants should bear any loss caused due to the delay in submission of applications until the closing date.

(d) The number of candidates to be called for the interview, the number of appointments to be made, and the effective date of appointments

shall be determined by the appointing authority. The appointing authority reserves the right to refrain from filling any or all of the vacancies.

(e). If any issue arises regarding any matter provided for or not provided for in this *Gazette* Notification, the decision of the Secretary to the Ministry of Health and Mass Media shall be final in respect of such matter.

(f). Furthermore, in case of any inconsistency between the Sinhala, Tamil and English texts of this notification, the Sinhala text shall prevail.

DR. ANIL JASINGHE,
Secretary,
Ministry of Health and Mass Media.

Ministry of Health and Mass Media,
"Suwasiripaya",
No. 385, Venerable Baddegama Wimalawansa Thero Mawatha,
Colombo 10.
On the 31st day of October, 2026.

Specimen Form of Application

Open Competitive Examination for Recruitment to the Post of Electrician in the Primary Level Skilled Service Category (PL 03-2006-A) of the Ministry of Health and Mass Media-2026

Language medium appearing for the examination: (Sinhala – S, Tamil-T, English-E) (indicate the relevant English letter in the cage) ☐

District of residence: ☐

1. (i) Name with initials: -.....
   (In Sinhala/Tamil)
   (ii) Name in full:-……
   (In Sinhala/Tamil)
   (iii) Name with initials: -. Mr./Mrs./Miss.....
   (In English block letters):Eg: - Mr./ ~~Mrs./Miss~~. SILVA A.B.
   (iv) Name in full: -…….
   (In English block letters)

2. Address of residence
   (i) Permanent Address of residence: -.....
   (In English block letters)
   (ii) Permanent Address of residence: -.....
   (In Sinhala/Tamil)

3. Date of birth :-

Year					Month			Date		

3.1 Age as at the closing date of applications :-

Years			Months			Days		

4. National Identity card No. :-.....

5. Telephone No. :- Personal (Mobile) ..... Landline :-.....

6. Email Address :-.....

7. Gender :- Female ☐ Male ☐

8. Whether a Sri Lankan citizen :- Yes ☐ No ☐

09. Marital status: -.....

10. Educational Qualifications: -

(a) General Certificate of Education (Ordinary Level) Examination:
Year: -……/ ……. Index Number: -……/ ….…….

Serial No.	*Subject*	*Pass*	
		First Attempt	*Second Attempt*
01			
02			
03			
04			
05			
06			
07			
08			
09			
10			

(b) General Certificate of Education (Advanced Level) Examination:
Year: -……/ ……. Index Number: -……/…….…….

Serial No.	*Subject*	*Pass*	
		First Attempt	*Second Attempt*
01			
02			
03			
04			

(c) Information of vocational and technical qualifications

Certificate	*Issuing Institution*	*Year*	*Subjects*

(Attach certified copies of the certificates related to the vocational and technical qualifications)

(d) Other special qualifications and experience ……..……..……..
……..……..……..……..…….

11. Have you ever been convicted before a Court of Law?……..……
(Provide particulars, if yes) :-……

12 Details of the receipt relevant to payment of the examination fees: -

I. Office where examination fee waspaid: - ……
II. Amountpaid: - ……...

Affix here the receipt obtained for the payment of Rs.1000 to any branch of the Bank of Ceylon, so as not to be detached. (it is advisable to keep a copy of the application form and the receipt)

13. Certification of the Applicant:
I do solemnly declare that the particulars furnished by me are true and correct. And, Iacknowledge that if any of the particulars contained herein are found to be false or inaccurate, before selection, the application will be cancelled, and if discovered so after selection, I am liable to be dismissed from service without any compensation and subject to the relevant legal action.

Date: -……. ……..,
Signature of the Applicant

14. Attesting Signature of the Applicant:

I do certify that Mr./Mrs./Miss. ……. who submits this application is personally known to me and that he/she placed his/her signature in the presence of me on……...

……,
Signature of the Attestor.

Attesting Officer's
Full Name: - …….
Designation: - ……..
Address: - ……
(verify by placing the official stamp)

15. Following are applicable only to the officers who are alreadyin the Public Service/Provincial Public Service, and have fulfilled the basic qualifications referred to in the *Gazette* notification.

15.1 Information to be completed by the Head of the Department/Institution

i. Name of the officer: - …….
ii. Permanent Service Station and its Address: - ……
iii. Telephone Number of the Permanent Service Station: - ……
iv. National Identity Card Number of the officer: - …….
v. Post held, when applying for the examination: - ……..
vi. Date of appointment to that post: - ……..
vii. Has the officer been confirmed in that post? (If "yes", mention the date of confirmation) : - ……
viii. Has the officer been subject to disciplinary punishments during the service period? (If "yes",provide information thereof) ……
ix. Has the officer been subject to disciplinary punishment by now? (If "yes", provide information thereof) ……
x. Is any disciplinary inquiry currently in progress? (If "yes", provide information thereof) ……

This applicant Mr./Mrs./Miss. ……is serving in this institution from …… in the post of ……. He/she is holding a permanent and pensionable post. I do hereby certify that all the information furnished under No.15 was checked with the records available at this office and found to be correct and that he/she will be/will not be released from the current post if he /she is selected for this post.

……,
Signature of the Head of the Department/Institution.

Name: - ……..
Designation: -…….
Date:- ……..
Department/Institution:- ……..
(verify by placing the rubber stamp)

COMMISSION TO INVESTIGATE ALLEGATIONS OF BRIBERY OR CORRUPTION

Calling For Applications For Open Recruitment To The Post of Assistant Director (Maintenance) - Grade II - 2026

IN terms of the provisions of Section 26(1) of the Anti-Corruption Act, No. 9 of 2023, applications are invited from citizens of Sri Lanka who satisfy the qualifications specified in this notification to be recruited on an open basis to fill 01 vacancy in the post of Assistant Director (Maintenance) – Grade II belonging to Middle Level Managers of the Senior Level category of the Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruption (The number of vacancies is 01).

1. **Qualifications required**:

1.1	Educational qualifications	:	A degree in the field of Engineering (Mechanical/ Building Services) with a class obtained from a University recognized by the University Grants Commission or from an institution recognized by the University Grants Commission as a degree-awarding institution.
1.2	Professional qualifications	:	Not relevant
1.3	Experience	:	Not relevant
1.4	Physical fitness	:	Every candidate must be in good physical and mental fitness to serve in any part of Sri Lanka and to perform the duties of the post.
1.5	Other qualifications	:	i. Must be a citizen of Sri Lanka ii. Must be of excellent moral character. iii. The qualifications required for recruitment to the post shall have been fulfilled in every aspect as at the closing date of applications.

2. Age Limit: - Minimum age - 23 years
- Maximum age - 40 years

3. Salary Scale: - Rs. 131,300 - 10 x 2940 – 10 x 3595 – Rs. 196,650

Accordingly, the salary code applicable to this post is AC-E1-2025, and the initial salary step will be Rs. 131,300 /-. In addition, other allowances applicable to the post will be paid at the rates approved by Parliament on 17.03.2026. (If recruited before 01.01.2027, salaries will be paid according to Schedule II of the salary scale, i.e., the salary will be Rs. 115,095.00).

4. Method of Recruitment: Recruitment will be made 100% on an open basis.

4.1 Consists of a written examination and a structured interview.

4.1.1 Written examination –
The written competitive examination consists of 2 papers. The Sri Lanka Institute of Development Administration (SLIDA) will conduct the examination in Colombo.

Subject	*Maximum marks*	*Pass mark*
General knowledge and Aptitude	100	40
Subject-related knowledge	100	40

Details of the examination are set out in Schedule I.

4.1.2 Structured interview :

Main criteria for awarding marks	*Maximum marks*	*Minimum marks required for selection*
Additional educational qualifications	20	60
English language proficiency	10	
Computer Literacy	10	
Subject-related knowledge	30	
Performance at the interview	30	
Total marks	**100**	

Note i. Applicants who have sat for all question papers of the written examination and obtained a minimum of 40% marks in each paper will qualify to be called for the structured interview. The number invited for the structured interview will be equal to three times the number of vacancies or such number determined by the Commission, depending on the circumstances. The marks scored by applicants at the written examination will not be disclosed to the interview board.

ii. At the time of recruitment, the Commission will approve the detailed marking scheme for the structured interview, within the maximum mark limit allocated to each criterion in the table above.

iii. Applicants who obtain the highest aggregate marks in the written examination and the structured interview shall be selected in order of merit for the number of vacancies to be filled.

5. Clauses and Conditions of Engagement in Service:

i. This appointment will be subject to the provisions set out in the Scheme of Recruitment approved by the Commission through *Gazette* Notification No. 2504/07 dated 01.09.2026.

ii. This is a permanent post and is entitled to Employees' Provident Fund (EPF) and Employees' Trust Fund (ETF) benefits.

iii. This appointment is subject to a probationary period of 3 years.

iv. Confirmation in the service will be made upon the completion of the probationary period, subject to satisfactory work, attendance and conduct.

v. Officers who have joined the service in a medium other than an official language shall acquire the prescribed official language proficiency within the probationary period.

vi. Your performance will be appraised annually based on the performance indicators introduced by the Commission. The salary increment will be granted accordingly, and the performance appraisal will also be used in determining promotions.

vii. This appointment is subject to the Anti-Corruption Act, No. 9 of 2023, the Rules of the Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruption published in *Gazette* Notification No. 2504 dated 01.09.2026, the Establishments Code II, the Financial Regulations, and the rules imposed and circulars issued by the Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruption from time to time.

viii. The examination will be conducted in Sinhala, English and Tamil languages. The candidate should sit for the examination in only one language according to their preference.

ix. Applicants will not be permitted to change the language medium applied for, and the language medium you indicate in the application will be the language medium in which the applicant will be eligible for appointment.

6. Identity of Candidates:

i. Only the candidates who have submitted applications that are complete in all aspects will be called for the above interview.

ii. The following identity cards will be accepted as proof of identity at the written examination/structured interview.
   a) National Identity Card issued by the Commissioner of Registration of Persons;
   b) Valid passport;
   c) Valid driving license.

7. *Examination Fee:* The examination fee is **Rs. 1500.00** and shall be credited to Account No. **7040057** of the Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruption maintained at Bank of Ceylon, Torrington Branch. The examination fee will not be refunded under any circumstances. The receipt issued in respect of the payment shall be affixed to this application, and a photocopy of the receipt shall be retained for future use.

8. Submission of Applications: -

i. Applications should be sent under registered cover to reach the Director General, Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruption, P.O. Box 1431, No. 36, Malalasekara Mawatha, Colombo 07 on or before 14th December 2026. Applications received after this date will be rejected.
ii. The specimen application is given at the end of this notification. Applications should be prepared on A4-size paper and completed only in English.
iii. Clearly indicate **"Recruitment to the Post of Assistant Director (Maintenance) – Grade II"** on the top left-hand corner of the envelope enclosing the application.
iv. The signature of the applicant appearing in the application should be attested by a Justice of the Peace/ a Commissioner for Oaths/ an Attorney-at-Law/ a Notary Public/ an authorized officer of the armed forces or an executive officer of a government institution.
v. Complaints regarding the loss or delay of applications in the post will not be entertained. Applicants who delay the submission of their applications until the last date should bear the consequences that may arise thereof.
vi. One certified copy of each of the following documents should be attached to the application. No other document should be attached.
    a) Certified copy of the National Identity Card;
    b) Certified copy of the Birth Certificate;
    c) Certified copies of certificates relating to the educational qualifications required above;
    d) Receipt to prove the payment of the examination fee.

Note: The originals of the relevant documents shall be produced at the interview for verification against the certified copies submitted with the application.

9. Furnishing of False Information: -
Your candidature will be cancelled if any information furnished in the application is found to be false or incorrect. If any such false or incorrect information is found after recruitment, you will be dismissed from the service, subject to appropriate action being taken in that regard.

10. The Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruption reserves the right to fill or not to fill the vacancies.

11. The decision of the Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruption on any matter not provided for in this Scheme of Recruitment shall be final.

12. In the event of any discrepancy between the Sinhala, Tamil and English texts, the Sinhala text will prevail.

By order of the Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruption,

R. S. A. DISSANAYAKE,
Director-General.

Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruption,
P. O. Box 1431,
36, Malalasekara Mawatha,
Colombo 07.
13th November, 2026.

For further information, please contact:

T.p. No.: 011-2582864
Email: da@ciaboc.gov.lk

Schedule 01

Open Competitive Examination for Recruitment to the Post of Assistant Director (Maintenance) of the Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruption

1. Name of the Examination: Open competitive examination for recruitment to the post of Assistant Director (Maintenance) of the Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruption.

2. Details of the Examination:

Subject	*Duration*	*Maximum marks*	*Pass mark*
General knowledge and Aptitude	02 hours	100	40
Subject-related knowledge	02 hours	100	40

3. Conducting Authority: Sri Lanka Institute of Development Administration (SLIDA).

4. Examination Syllabus:

Question Paper		*Syllabus*
General knowledge and Aptitude	Administration and Management	This paper is designed to assess the candidate's knowledge of Sri Lanka's political, social, cultural and economic environment and education system, including the environment in which the candidate lives and works, as well as of nationally and internationally important current affairs and scientific and technological developments. The aptitude paper is designed to assess the candidate's logical reasoning skills.
Subject-related knowledge	Maintenance	Basic knowledge of building maintenance, electrical systems, plumbing and sanitation systems, preparing plans for building repairs and machinery maintenance, occupational safety at the workplace, fire-fighting systems, and environmental regulations.

5. Medium of the examination:
   - Sinhala, Tamil and English
   - Candidates shall sit for the examination in only one language medium of their preference. That language medium will be the medium of language of recruitment. (Candidates will not be permitted to change the language medium indicated in their application later.)

6. Every candidate should sit for both question papers.

(For office use only)

Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruption
Application for Open Recruitment to the Post of Assistant Director (Maintenance)-Grade II

Medium

Sinhala	
Tamil	
English	

(Application shall be completed in English block capitals)

1.0	1.1 Name in Full	
	1.2 Name in Full (Sinhala/Tamil)	
	1.3 Name with Initials	
2.0	2.1 Permanent Address	
	2.2 Postal Address	
	2.3 District	
	2.4 Province	
3.0	3.1 Gender	
	3.2 National Identity Card Number	
4.0	4.1 Mobile Telephone No./WhatsApp No.	
	4.2 Fixed Telephone No.	
	4.3 E-mail Address	
5.0	5.1 Date of Birth	
	5.2 Age as at the Closing Date of Applications	.....Years .....Months ..... Days
6.0	6.1 Marital Status	
7.0	7.1 Nationality	
8.0	8.1 Religion	

9.0 Educational Qualifications: Language medium: .....

Degree	
University/ Institution	
Year	
Class of Degree	

10.0 Additional Educational qualifications:

Examination/Course	*Institution*	*Results*

11.0 English Language Proficiency:

Documents in proof of proficiency
1.
2.
3.

12.0 Computer Literacy:

Qualification	*Institution*	*Duration*

13.0 Other Qualifications:

.....
.....

14.0 Details of the examination fee payment receipt:
The bank/institution to which the payment of the examination fee was made .....
Date .....
Amount paid .....
(Firmly affix the original receipt here.)

15.0 Declaration by Applicant:

I declare that the information provided in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I am aware that the Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruption reserves the right to cancel my candidature/ appointment if any information furnished herein is found to be false or incorrect before or after recruitment.

I agree to abide by the rules and regulations related to this appointment and to accept any decision taken in respect of the cancellation of my candidature/ or appointment, in case I am found to be unqualified in terms of the applicable rules and regulations.

.....,
Date: ..... Signature of Applicant

16.0. Attestation of Signature:
I certify that Mr./Mrs./Ms. ..... who submits this application is known to me personally and that he placed his signature in my presence on .....

.....,
Signature and official seal of the Attesting Officer

Full Name of the Attesting Officer : .....
Designation : .....
Address : .....
Date : .....

MINISTRY OF FISHERIES, AQUATIC AND OCEAN RESOURCES

Competitive Examination for Recruitment on an open basis to the Post of Junior Radio Officer Trainee Grade in the Management Assistant Technical Category - Segment 3 of the Department of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources - 2026

APPLICATIONS are invited from eligible citizens of Sri Lanka for the Competitive Examination for recruitment on an open basis to the Trainee Grade to fill 27 vacancies in the Post of Junior Radio Officer of the Department of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources. Recruitment will be made based on the results of the competitive examination and the said examination will be held **in February, 2027 in Colombo** by the Commissioner General of Examinations.

The application has been published *via* "Online Applications – Recruitment/E.B. Exams" under "Our Services" in the website of the Department of Examinations, Sri Lanka **www.doenets.lk** and applications must be submitted online. Acceptance of online applications opens **at 9:00 a.m. on 16 November 2026** and closes **at 9:00 a.m. on 11 December 2026.**

Those officers who are already in the Public/Provincial Public Service shall handover a copy of the application to the head of the respective institution to enter in the personal file. A copy of the application certified by the head of the institution and a letter for the proof of the service are required to be produced at the time of calling for the interview.

Any adverse consequences arising due to the delay in submission of the application until the deadline have to be borne by the applicant himself.

1. **Functions assigned to the Post:**
   This position involves dealing with the distress situations encountered by fishermen and message handling at regional fisheries offices, handling communication with fishing vessels, providing information for their vessel owners and for those who need it, maintaining the system established to provide information to fishers using state of art technology and ensuring the provision of information to them on a 24-hour basis. (Night shifts are mandatory).

2. **Terms of Service:**

   a) Once an applicant, who is selected subject to the general conditions governing the appointments of the public service, the Scheme of Recruitment for the Post of Junior Radio Officer in the Management Assistant Technical Category - Segment 3 approved by the Public Service Commission by its No.PSC/EST/7/1/36/1/2012 dated 14.08.2012, the amendments already made or to be made thereto in future ,and also subject to the provisions of the Establishments Code and the Financial Regulations, successfully completes the training period, he will be appointed to the Post of Junior Radio Officer Grade III.

   b) This position is permanent and pensionable. Although it was stated that this position carries a pension entitlement; the same shall be subject to the policy decisions taken by the government with regard to the pension scheme of the officers to be recruited in the future. You shall contribute to the Widows' / Widowers' and Orphans' Pensions Scheme. You are also required to make contributions to the same as determined by the government from time to time.

   c) Once these applicants who are entered into this Trainee Grade successfully complete the six (06) months' training course conducted by the Ocean University under the supervision of the Fisheries and Aquatic Resources and obtain the relevant certificate thereof, they will be selected to the Junior Radio Officer Grade III.

   d) This appointment will be subject to a probation period of three years. Appointees are required to successfully complete the first Efficiency Bar Examination within 03 years after appointment to the post of Junior Radio Officer Grade III as specified in the Scheme of Recruitment.

   e) The officers who are appointed Grade III subsequent to being recruited to a training period shall compulsorily serve 10 years in the Department of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources from the date of receiving appointments to Grade III.

   f) They must enter into an undertaking not to leave the service prior to the completion of said 10 years, and also agree that, should they leave the service before prescribed period, a sum recommended by the Director General of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources will be paid to the Department.

   g) Those officers in the Trainee Grade who will get through a written and a practical test held at the

end of the training will be appointed to the Grade III. Those who fail the prescribed test at the first attempt are granted another two opportunities to appear for the test, and the trainee appointment of those in the Trainee Grade who fail to qualify even at those two attempts, will be terminated.

03. Salary Group and Scale:

In terms of the Scheme of Recruitment of the Management Assistant Technical Category - Segment 3, monthly allowance relevant to the training period of the Junior Radio Officer Trainee Grade is Rs.12,000/-.

The apprentices, who successfully complete the six (06) months' training course conducted by the Ocean University and obtain the relevant certificate thereof, will be appointed to the Junior Radio Officer Grade III.

Salary scale applicable to the post according to the Public Administration Circular No.10/2025 Schedule II (MT 1-2025): Rs.50, 090-10X540-11X630-10X1,010-10X1,190-84,420/- (initial salary step -50,090/-). In addition to this, appointees are entitled to other allowances paid to the public officers from time to time.

04. Educational Qualifications

I. Should have passed the General Certificate of Education (Ordinary Level) Examination in six (06) subjects in one and the same sitting with credit passes in Sinhala/Tamil/English Language, Mathematics and two other subjects.

And

II. Should have passed three (03) subjects (excluding the Common General Test) in Science/Mathematics/Technology Streams at the General Certificate of Education (Advanced Level) Examination. Whereas under old syllabus, it is sufficient to have passed three (03) subjects in one and the same sitting.

05. Professional Qualifications: Not applicable.

06. Experience: Not applicable

07. Physical Requirements:
Every applicant should be physically and mentally fit to serve in any part of Sri Lanka and perform the duties in the post.

08. Other Qualifications:

I. Every applicant should be a citizen of Sri Lanka
II. Should be of excellent character.
III. Any person holding the position of a priest in any religious sect is not eligible to sit for the examination.
IV. The qualifications required for recruitment to the post should have been complied with in all respects before the closing date mentioned in the notice inviting applications.

09. Age Limit:

Age should not be less than 18 years and not more than 35 years as on the closing date of applications. (Accordingly, the eligibility regarding the age is satisfied only if the date of birth falls on or before 11.12.2008 and on or after 11.12.1991.)

10. Method of Recruitment:

Recruitment to the Radio Officer Trainee Grade will be done based on the results of a written examination and an interview. Eligible applicants will be selected having interviewed a number of applicants in the ratio to the equal number of vacancies, in order of merits of the total marks of the applicants who have passed the written examination. If there are any apprentices who fail to successfully complete the training, they don't receive any chance to get their training period extended and accordingly their training will be terminated forthwith.

11. Written Examination:

The competitive examination will be conducted only in Sinhala, Tamil and English languages and the medium of application will not be allowed to be changed later. A written examination with two (02) papers consisting of the following subject areas will be held. The minimum marks to be scored to pass each subject are as follows.

Subjects	Duration	Maximum marks	Pass marks
1. Intelligence	01hr	100	40
2. General Knowledge	01hr	100	40

Applicants shall sit for all the question papers and answer them in one language only.

12. Syllabus for the Examination:

Question Paper	Syllabus
1. Intelligence	This is a subject-related multiple-choice question paper framed to under the topics of statistical ability, problem-solving skills, logical reasoning, and general intelligence. (Duration 01 hr.)
2.General Knowledge	Applicants are expected to answer multiple-choice questions that will be prepared to gauge the basic understanding pertaining to the important phenomena in the field of finance, economy, commerce, politics, international relations, science and technology, education, health, sports, environment, social and culture in Sri Lanka as well as in the world specially local and international fisheries sector. (Duration 01 hr.)

13. General Interview: Applicable.

14. Examination Fee:

Examination fee is Rs.600/-.When paying the examination fees, the payment shall be made only under the following payment methods provided through the online system.

i. Through any Bank Credit Card;
ii. Any Bank Debit Card with the facility of online transactions;
iii. Online Banking Method of Bank of Ceylon;
iv. Any Branch of the Bank of Ceylon.

Note: -

(a) Instructions on how to make payments through the above methods are published on the website under the technical instructions related to the examination.

(b) Receipt of payment will be notified by SMS or e-mail. The full amount of examination fees shall be paid and the applications with payment of lesser or higher amounts shall be rejected. The Department of Examinations - Sri Lanka will not be held responsible for any errors occurring in the payment of examination fees through the above-mentioned payment methods.

(c) The amount paid for the examination will not be refunded or transferred for any other examination by no means.

15. Method of Application:

Online Examination Application should strictly be filled only in English. The applicants will be notified via SMS to the mobile phone number used to access the system or *via* email whether the application was accepted/ not accepted by the Department as a valid application. Before completing the online application you should download the common instructions sheet prepared for applying for the examination, and the instruction should strictly be followed when filling the application form. Incomplete applications will be rejected without any notice.

16. Eligibility for admission to the examination:

(a) The Commissioner General of Examinations shall issue admission cards to the applicants who have sent the duly perfected applications on or before the closing date, on the supposition that only those who possess the qualifications indicated in the *Gazette* notification have applied. A notification will be published via a web notice/ a SMS to the applicants soon as the admission cards are issued to the applicants by the Department of Examinations Sri Lanka. If there is any applicant who has not received the admission card, the same should be inquired from the Institutional Examinations Organization Branch of the Department of Examinations in the manner specified in the advertisement. When inquiring about the same, it would be useful to inquire about the it by sending a request letter correctly indicating the name of the examination applied for by the applicant, his full name, NIC number and address to the email address given in the advertisement. Further, it would be advisable to keep a copy of the application and a copy of the receipt relevant to payment of examination fee to prove any information inquired by the Department of Examinations. Applicants are required to check their admission cards and upon reviewing the admission card, if any corrections are required, the Department of Examinations of Sri Lanka must be contacted

to make the necessary revisions in accordance with the application. Requests for corrections will not be considered in examination hall or at the interview.

(b) An applicant shall sit for the examination in the examination hall assigned to him, and every applicant shall produce their attested admission card to the Supervisor of the Examination Centre on the day of his first appearance in that hall. General rules and regulations to be adopted by every applicant in respect of the examination are published in this advertisement.

(c) Issuance of admission card to a candidate does not necessarily mean that he/ she has fulfilled the qualifications to sit for the examination.

(d) In case of violation of the rules prescribed by the Commissioner General of Examinations on the conducting of the examination, they will be subjected to a penalty imposed by the Commissioner General of Examinations.

17. Identity of the Applicant:

Applicants should prove their identity to the satisfaction of the Supervisor for each subject they sit in the examination hall. Any of the following documents will be accepted for that purpose.

I. National Identity Card;
II. Valid Passport;
III. Valid Sri Lankan Driving Licence.

Also, applicants are required to dress in a way that exposes their full face and ears for clear identification and to ensure they are not wearing any electronic devices. The applicants who refuse to prove their identity in the said manner shall not be allowed to enter the examination hall. Further, candidates should remain in the examination hall from the moment of entering and leaving the examination hall without covering the face and ears.

18. Selection for Appointment

From amongst the applicants who score the highest marks from the written examination, a number of applicants equal to the vacancies expected to be filled will be recruited to the trainee grade. The applicants who have obtained the certificate having successfully completed the training will be selected to Post of Junior Radio Officer Gr.III. Application of those applicants who fail to submit documents upon request will not be considered.

19. Release of Results:

The Commissioner General of examinations, in addition to the relevant results sheet being handed over to the "Director General, Department of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources, will either issue results personally to all the applicants who sat for the examination or publish on the website **www.results.exams.gov.lk.** "The decision of the Commissioner General of Examinations with regard to the examination results shall be final."

The Results sheet of the qualified applicants containing the names of the applicants whose number is equal to the prescribed number of vacancies as notified by the Public Service Commission and prepared on the order of merit of the applicants after appearing in the written test and structured interview will be given to the Secretary of the Public Service Commission.

The Commissioner General of Examinations will arrange for the results to be communicated personally to all the applicants who appeared for the examination or publish on the website **www.results.exams.gov.lk**

20. Furnishing False Information:

If an applicant is found not to have required qualifications, his/her candidature may be canceled before the examination or during the examination or after the examination or at any time. If the particulars furnished by an applicant is found to be false within his /her knowledge or if he/she has willfully suppressed any material fact he/she will be liable to dismissal from the public service.

21. Any matter not considered in these regulations will be dealt with as determined by the Public Service Commission.

22. In the event of any inconsistency between the Sinhala, Tamil and English texts of this *Gazette* Notification, the Sinhala text shall prevail.

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EXAMINATION NOTICE

Common Competitive Examination for the Recruitment Grade III posts in Sri Lanka Education Administrative Service, Sri Lanka Administrative Service, Sri Lanka Agricultural Service, Sri Lanka Planning Service, Sri Lanka Accountants Service, Sri Lanka Engineering Service, Sri Lanka Architects' Service and Sri Lanka Scientific Service – 2026

APPLICATIONS are invited from qualified citizens of Sri Lanka for the Common Competitive Examination for recruitment to the vacant posts in Grade III of the following All-Island Services on Open basis.

- Sri Lanka Education Administrative Service
- Sri Lanka Administrative Service
- Sri Lanka Agricultural Service
- Sri Lanka Planning Service
- Sri Lanka Accountants Service
- Sri Lanka Engineering Service
- Sri Lanka Architects' Service
- Sri Lanka Scientific Service

❖ The relevant application has been published on the website of the Sri Lanka Examination Department, www.doenets.lk as "Application for the Common Recruitment Examination" under "Our Services", and applications can be submitted only through Online. The acceptance of applications will open at 9.00 AM on 16th November 2026 and close at 9.00 PM on 11th December 2026.

❖ Officers currently employed in the public / provincial public service shall hand over a copy of the application to their respective Heads of Institutions to be included in their personal files. When called for the interview, a copy of the application certified by the Head of the Institution and a service verification letter shall be submitted.

❖ Other applicants shall retain a printed copy of their submitted application and produce it at the interview, if required.

❖ The applicant shall endure any adverse consequences arising from delaying the submission of applications until the closing date.

1. The Commissioner General of Examinations, subject to the orders of the Public Service Commission, will conduct this examination in the main cities of all Provinces, in the month of February 2027. The Commissioner General of Examinations reserves the right to postpone or cancel this examination subject to the orders of the Public Service Commission

- The "Appointing Authority" mentioned in this notice means the Public Service Commission in respect of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, Sri Lanka Agricultural Service, Sri Lanka Planning Service, Sri Lanka Accountants Service, Sri Lanka Engineering Service, Sri Lanka Architects' Service and Sri Lanka Scientific Service; and the Education Service Committee of the Public Service Commission in respect of the Sri Lanka Education Administrative Service.

2. Method of Recruitment :

2.1 Indicating the preference :-

Since an applicant is eligible to apply for multiple services or all services depending on the qualifications fulfilled for each service, the applicant will be given the opportunity to sit for the question papers pertaining to each respective service only according to the preference indicated by the applicant in the application at the time of applying.

N.B :- Applicants will not be allowed to change the preference produced by them in the application later. Requests claiming to obtain appointments in a service for which the applicant has not mentioned his preference will not be considered on any circumstance whatsoever.

2.2 Written Examination:-

- This examination consists of two parts as follows. The First Part (Common Part) of the examination is applicable to all services. Only the applicants who obtain 40% of the marks or more for each question paper and aggregate marks of 100 or more for two question papers of the First Part (Common Part) will be called for the Second Part (Specific Part for each service) of the examination.

- **Only the First Part (Common Part) is applicable for the Sri Lanka Architectural Service and the Sri Lanka Scientific Service, whereas only the Aptitude Test (Intelligence Test) question paper of the First Part (Common Part) is applicable for the Sri Lanka Engineering Service.**

2.2.1 First Part (Common Part)

Question Paper	*Duration*	*Maximum Marks*	*Minimum marks to be passed*
Intelligence Test	1 ½ Hours	100	40
Comprehension	02 Hours	100	40

2.2.2 Second Part (Specific Part for each service)

Service	*Subject No.*	*Question Paper*	*Duration*	*Maximum Marks*	*Minimum Marks to be passed*
1. Sri Lanka Education Administrative Service	11	General Knowledge	01 Hour	100	40
	12	Analytical Studies	1 ½ Hours	100	40
2. Sri Lanka Administrative Service	21	Social, Economic and Political Trends	03 Hours	100	40
	22	Managerial Aptitude	03 Hours	100	40
	23	Creative, Analytical and Communicative Skills	03 Hours	100	40
3. Sri Lanka Agricultural Service	31	Testing the subject related knowledge (Agricultural Research Stream)	02 hours	100	40
	32	Testing the subject related knowledge (Agricultural Development Stream)	02 hours	100	40
	33	Testing the subject related knowledge (Agricultural Economics Stream)	02 hours	100	40
4. Sri Lanka Planning Service	41	General Awareness	03 Hours	100	40
5. Sri Lanka Accountants Service	51	Financial and Managerial Accounting	03 Hours	100	40
	52	Advanced Auditing and Economic Analysis	03 Hours	100	40

2.3 **Interview :-** Of the applicants who sat all the question papers of the written examination, only those who obtained at least 40% of the marks or more for every written question paper will be called for a general interview and a structured interview/ an oral interview, if applicable, according to the order of merit of the marks they have obtained. The date of conducting that interview will be decided by order of the respective Appointing Authority.

2.4 Appointments:-

i. Appointments will be made for each service as applicable based on the order of merit of the marks of the written examination or the aggregate of marks obtained at the written examination and the structured

interview/ oral interview for which marks are awarded. The preference marked in the applications will be considered in this purpose.

ii. Appointments for the Sri Lanka Engineering Service, Sri Lanka Architects' Service, and Sri Lanka Scientific Service for which only the First Part (Common Part) of the competitive examination is applicable, are made after the release of the written examination marks for the First Part (Common Part). After release of marks, applicants are called for a general interview in order of merit based on those marks, where their qualifications for the relevant post are verified.

iii. However, if those officers qualify, based on the results pertaining to the second part, for appointment to a post for which they have indicated a higher preference than the post mentioned in 2.4 ii above, they will be appointed to that post.

3. Number of vacancies to be filled:-

S/ No.	Code	Service		No. of vacancies
1	SLEAS	Sri Lanka Education Administrative Service*		168
2	SLAS	Sri Lanka Administrative Service		153
3	SLAgS	Sri Lanka Agricultural Service	Agricultural Research Stream	66
			Agricultural Development Stream	61
			Agricultural Economics Stream	08
4	SLPS	Sri Lanka Planning Service		74
5	SLAcS	Sri Lanka Accountants Service		105
6	SLEngS	Sri Lanka Engineering Service**		201
7	SLArcS	Sri Lanka Architects' Service		10
8	SLSS	Sri Lanka Scientific Service ***		128

* The posts in Grade III of the Sri Lanka Education Administrative Service consist of 2 categories as “General Cadre” and “Special Cadre”. Under this examination, recruitments will be made only for the posts belonging to the General Cadre.

** The number of posts in Grade III of the Sri Lanka Engineering Service to be filled by recruiting officers to the Sri Lanka Engineering Service under the Open stream is 201, which will be distributed among the categories given in the table below.

Category	Number of Vacancies
Civil	149
Mechanical	25
Electrical	14
Earth Resources	13
Total	201

*** The manner in which the numbers of vacancies have been further divided in the Sri Lanka Scientific Service is mentioned under the educational/ professional qualifications for recruitment to the said service in this notice.

3.1 The number of applicants to be appointed for each service and the effective date of the appointment will be decided by the Appointing Authority. Appointments will be made strictly upon the order of the marks obtained and the preferences given, so as to fill the number of vacancies allotted for the relevant services. The Appointing Authority reserves the right to fill or not to fill all the vacancies or, to fill or not to fill a part of vacancies of a service.

3.2 In the event where applicants who scored equal marks for the final vacancy or the last few vacancies exceed the number of available vacancies, the decision regarding the filling of such vacancies shall be given by the Public Service Commission in terms of Rule 92 of the Procedural Rules of the Public Service Commission No. 2310/29 dated 14.12.2022.

3.2.1 **The following provisions of Public Service Commission Circular No. 01/2024 shall apply <u>exclusively</u> to the Sri Lanka Agricultural Service, Sri Lanka Planning Service, Sri Lanka Accountants Service, Sri Lanka Engineering Service, Sri Lanka Architects' Service, and Sri Lanka Scientific Service, to which the recruitment is based solely on the results of the written examination and the general interview."**

When filling vacancies in the order of merit of the applicants, if, at any point, the number of applicants with equal marks at the written examination exceeds the remainder of vacancies, Public Service Commission may, if the exigencies of service require doing so, decide to conduct an additional selection process only for those applicants. The additional selection process will be composed of;

i. A written examination to assess the ability of the applicants, and
ii. A competency-based interview.

The written examination will be conducted by an institute approved by the Public Service Commission. The Interview panel will be appointed by the Commission.

4. General conditions of recruitment :-

4.1 The selected applicants will be appointed to Grade III of the respective service subject to the general orders and conditions governing the appointments of the public service, provisions in the service minutes of each service mentioned below, departmental orders as applicable, provisions of the Establishments Code and Financial Regulations of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, Procedural Rules of the Public Service Commission published in the *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 2310/29 dated 14.12.2022 (hereinafter referred to as Procedural Rules) and also to the amendments that have already been made or could be made in future to the directions, conditions, orders, provisions, regulations and rules above.

Service	*Number and date of the Government Gazette Extraordinary in which the service minute has been published*	
	Number	*Date*
Sri Lanka Education Administrative Service	1928/28	21.08. 2015
Sri Lanka Administrative Service	1842/2	23.12. 2013
Sri Lanka Agricultural Service	1880/26	19.09. 2014
Sri Lanka Planning Service	1670/32	10.09. 2010
Sri Lanka Accountants Service	1670/33	10.09. 2010
Sri Lanka Engineering Service	1836/6	11.11. 2013
Sri Lanka Architects' Service	1877/28	28.08. 2014
Sri Lanka Scientific Service	1877/27	28.08. 2014

4.2 These posts are permanent and pensionable. Furthermore, you are required to contribute to the Widows'/ Widowers' and Orphans Pension Scheme. Contributions shall be made towards it in a manner stipulated by the Government from time to time.

4.3 These appointments are subject to a probationary period of three years. The applicants should pass the first Efficiency Bar examination within 03 years from the recruitment to Grade III of the relevant service as mentioned in the relevant Service Minute.

4.4 The language medium of examination shall be considered as the language medium in which the appointment is made.

4.5 The level of proficiency in other official language must be acquired within three (03) years as per the provisions in the Public Administration Circular 18/2020 dated 16.10.2020 and the consequent circulars. The officers who have joined the service in a medium other than an official language must acquire proficiency in one of the other official languages within the probation period.

4.6 An appointee is liable to serve in any part of the Island in which they are called upon to serve.

4.7 The Appointing Authority reserves the right to cancel the appointments of the applicants who fail to assume duties of the post offered to him and / or reject or avoid assuming duties of a post or an area where he is appointed, on the due date.

5. Salary Structure and Monthly Salary Scale :

The Monthly Salary Scale applicable to these posts as per Public Administration Circular No. 10/2025 dated 25.03.2025 is Rs. 82,150-10x2,400-8x2,940-17x3,900 -195,970/-(SL-1-2025). In addition to that, these posts will also be entitled to other allowances paid to public officers by the government from time to time.

However, with respect to the Sri Lanka Engineering Service, if an officer has possessed full professional qualifications (status of Chartered Engineer) at the time of appointment or obtained the full professional qualifications after recruitment, the said officer shall be placed on the sixth (6th) salary step in Grade III of the service.

6. Recruitment Qualifications :-

6.1 General Qualifications

i. Should be a citizen of Sri Lanka;
ii. Should have an excellent moral character;
iii. Should be fit physically and mentally to serve in any part of the country and discharge the duties of the post.

6.2 Educational/ Professional Qualifications and Age Limit:-

i. Educational/ Professional qualifications and age limits required for recruitment to Sri Lanka Education Administrative Service, Sri Lanka Administrative Service, Sri Lanka Agricultural Service, Sri Lanka Planning Service, Sri Lanka Accountants Service, Sri Lanka Engineering Service and Sri Lanka Architects' Service are mentioned below.

ii. Regarding the degree qualification and postgraduate qualification mentioned under the educational qualifications/additional educational qualifications in this notice, the following provisions included in Public Service Commission Circular No. 01/2025 shall apply:-

1. A degree awarded by a Foreign University or a State University recognized by the University Grants Commission;

or

2. A degree awarded by a University established by an Act Of Parliament of Sri Lanka;

or

3. A degree recognized under the Section 25A Of the Universities Act, No. 16 of 1978.

Service	*Age Limit*	*Educational/ Professional Qualifications*	
		Educational	**Professional**
1. Sri Lanka Education Administrative Service	Shall not be less than twenty-two (22) years and not more than thirty-five (35) years of age as at the date of publishing the notice calling for applications in the *Gazette*.	Having obtained a Degree as recognized under 6.2 ii above	N/A
2. Sri Lanka Administrative Service	Shall not be less than twenty-two (22) years and not more than thirty-five (35) years of age as at the date of publishing the notice calling for applications in the *Gazette*.	Having obtained a Degree as recognized under 6.2 ii above	N/A
3. Sri Lanka Agricultural Service	Shall not be less than twenty-two (22) years and not more than thirty-five (35) years of age as at the date of publishing the notice calling for applications in the *Gazette*.	**For streams of Agricultural Development and Agricultural Economics :** Having obtained a Four year Degree in Agricultural Science as recognized under 6.2 ii above. **For stream of Agricultural Research:-** Having obtained a Four year Degree in Agricultural Science as recognized under 6.2 ii above; *or* Having obtained a Four year Special Science Degree in Botany, Chemistry or Zoology as recognized under 6.2 ii above.	N/A
4. Sri Lanka Planning Service	Shall not be less than twenty-two (22) years and not more than thirty-five (35) years of age as at the date of publishing the notice calling for applications in the *Gazette*.	(i) Having obtained a degree with first class or second class as recognized under 6.2 ii above; *or* (ii) Having obtained a Degree as recognized under 6.2 ii above; and Postgraduate Diploma with course duration of not less than one year awarded by a University recognized by the University Grants Commission or a Training Institute established by a Parliamentary Act.	N/A

Service	*Age Limit*	*Educational/ Professional Qualifications*	
		Educational	**Professional**
5. Sri Lanka Accountants Service	Shall not be less than twenty-two (22) years and not more than thirty-five (35) years of age as at the date of publishing the notice calling for applications in the *Gazette*.	(i) Having obtained a Degree in Commerce, Management, Accountancy, Economics, as recognized under 6.2 ii above; *or* (ii) Should be a holder of Higher Diploma in Accountancy or Commerce or Higher National Diploma in Management from the Sri Lanka Technical College / Sri Lanka Institute of Advanced Technical Education / Sri Lanka Institute of Advanced Technological Education; *or* (iii) Should have passed the Licentiate II under the 1991 and 1992-1997 curricula or Intermediate Examination under the 1998-2004 and 2005-2009 curricula or Certificate II in Accounting and Business under the 2010-2014 curriculum or Business Level Examination under the 2015-2019 curriculum or Corporate Level II Examination under the 2020-2024 and 2025-2030 curricula or a higher examination of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Sri Lanka or an Institute of Chartered Accountants in any other Commonwealth Country; *or* (iv) Should have passed the Parts I and II or Intermediate Examination of Cost and Management Examination or higher examination conducted by the Chartered Institute of Management Accountants of the United Kingdom or in any other Commonwealth Country; *or*	N/A

Service	*Age Limit*	*Educational/ Professional Qualifications*	
		Educational	**Professional**
		(v) Should have passed the 1st professional level or higher level Examination of the Institute of Certified Accountants of the United Kingdom or in any other Commonwealth Country; or (vi) Should have passed the Parts I and II Examination or higher level examination of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants of the United Kingdom or in any other Commonwealth Country; or (vii) Should have passed the Final Examination of the Institute of Chartered Secretaries and Administrators of the United Kingdom; or (viii) Should have passed the Management Level or a higher level examination of the Institute of Certified Management Accountants of Sri Lanka.	
6. Sri Lanka Engineering Service	Shall not be less than twenty-one (21) years and not more than thirty-five (35) years of age as at the date of publishing the notice calling for applications in the *Gazette*. However, the maximum age limit in respect of an officer who has been confirmed in the public service or provincial public service and has not been subjected to any disciplinary punishment as per the provisions of the Public Service Commission Circular No. 01/2020 shall be 45 years.	(i) Shall have successfully completed and possessed a fulltime B.Sc. Degree in Engineering (04 years) under a stream determined for the recruitment, as recongnized under 6.2 ii above and by the Institution of Engineers, Sri Lanka (IESL); or (ii) Shall have obtained a valid certificate by following a course and completing all studies and requirements in a stream on which recruitments are made and accepted as equivalent to the degree course mentioned in (i) above by the University Grants Commission and Institution of Engineers, Sri Lanka (IESL).	Shall have registered as an Associate Engineer or a Chartered Engineer under the relevant service category in the Engineering Council Sri Lanka, established by the Act, No. 04 of 2017, and obtained the associate membership or full membership (Status of Chartered Engineer) of the Institution of Engineers, Sri Lanka (IESL).

Service	*Age Limit*	*Educational/ Professional Qualifications*	
		Educational	**Professional**
7. Sri Lanka Architects' Service	Shall not be less than twenty-one (21) years and not more than thirty-five (35) years of age as at the date of publishing the notice calling for applications in the *Gazette*.	Having obtained a BSc. Degree in Architecture of five years, as recognized under 6.2 ii above. or Having obtained a BSc. Degree in Built Environment of three years as recognized under 6.2 ii above, and a Post Graduate Diploma in the relevant field or Having obtained a BSc. Degree in Built Environment of three years as recognized under 6.2 ii above, and 05 years experience in the relevant field	N/A

iii. **Educational/ Professional Qualifications, Age Limit and Nnumber of Vacancies for recruitment to Sri Lanka Scientific Service are mentioned below;**

Age Limit:- Shall not be less than twenty-two (22) years and not more than thirty-five (35) years of age as at the date of publishing the notice calling for applications in the *Gazette*.

S/ No.	*Ministry/ Department*	*Post*	*No. of vacancies*	*Educational Qualifications*
01	Department of Meteorology	Meteorologist	08	As recognized under 6.2 ii above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Degree in Physics or Mathematics with a Class or *(b)* Shall have obtained a BSc.Degree including Physics or Mathematics as a subject with a Second Class upper or above or *(c)* Shall have obtained a B.Sc. degree that includes Physics or Mathematics as a subject, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in one of the following fields: Physics, Mathematics, Computer Science, Data Science & Artificial Intelligence, Climate Change & Environmental Management, Statistics, or Remote Sensing.

S/ No.	*Ministry/ Department*	*Post*	*No. of vacancies*	*Educational Qualifications*
02	Department of Forest Conservation	Assistant Conservator of Forests (Forest Management)	13	As recognized under 6.2 ii above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special / Honors Degree with a Class in one of the following fields: Forestry, Silviculture, Botany / Plant Science, Plant Biotechnology, Applied Biology, Biology, Agricultural Science & Management, Environmental Science, Ecological Science, Environmental Management, or Natural Resources Management; or *(b)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special / Honors Degree in one of the fields specified in (a) above, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 09 or above in one of the following fields: Forestry, Silviculture, Botany / Plant Science, Plant Biotechnology, Applied Biology, Biology, Agricultural Science & Management, Environmental Science, Ecological Science, Environmental Management, or Natural Resources Management; or *(c)* Shall have obtained a 03 year BSc. Degree that includes a subject relevant to one of the fields specified in (a) above, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in one of the following fields: Forestry, Silviculture, Botany / Plant Science, Plant Biotechnology, Applied Biology, Biology, Agricultural Science & Management, Environmental Science, Ecological Science, Environmental Management, or Natural Resources Management.
03	Department of Forest Conservation	Assistant Conservator of Forests (Research)	02	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special / Honors Degree with a Class in one of the following fields: Forestry, Silviculture, Botany / Plant Science, Plant Biotechnology, Applied Biology, Biology, Agricultural Science & Management, Environmental Science, Ecological Science, Environmental Management, or Natural Resources Management; or *(b)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special / Honors Degree in one of the fields specified in (a) above, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 09 or above in one of the following fields: Forestry, Silviculture, Botany / Plant Science, Plant Biotechnology, Applied Biology, Biology, Agricultural

S/ No.	*Ministry/ Department*	*Post*	*No. of vacancies*	*Educational Qualifications*
				Science & Management, Environmental Science, Ecological Science, Environmental Management, or Natural Resources Management; or *(c)* Shall have obtained a 03 year BSc. Degree that includes a subject relevant to one of the fields specified in (a) above, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in one of the following fields: Forestry, Silviculture, Botany / Plant Science, Plant Biotechnology, Applied Biology, Biology, Agricultural Science & Management, Environmental Science, Ecological Science, Environmental Management, or Natural Resources Management.
04	Department of Forest Conservation	Assistant Conservator of Forests (Education)	02	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special / Honors Degree with a Class in one of the following fields: Forestry, Silviculture, Botany / Plant Science, Plant Biotechnology, Applied Biology, Biology, Agricultural Science & Management, Environmental Science, Ecological Science, Environmental Management, or Natural Resources Management; or *(b)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special / Honors Degree in one of the fields specified in (a) above, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 09 or above in one of the following fields: Forestry, Silviculture, Botany / Plant Science, Plant Biotechnology, Applied Biology, Biology, Agricultural Science & Management, Environmental Science, Ecological Science, Environmental Management, or Natural Resources Management; or *(c)* Shall have obtained a 03 year BSc. Degree that includes a subject relevant to one of the fields specified in (a) above, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in one of the following fields: Forestry, Silviculture, Botany / Plant Science, Plant Biotechnology, Applied Biology, Biology, Agricultural Science & Management, Environmental Science, Ecological Science, Environmental Management, or Natural Resources Management.

S/ No.	*Ministry/ Department*	*Post*	*No. of vacancies*	*Educational Qualifications*
05	Ministry of Health and Mass Media	Physicist	10	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special / Honors Degree with a Class in Physics, Engineering Physics, Computational Physics, Mathematical Physics, or Applied Physics.
06	Ministry of Health and Mass Media	Chemist	11	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special / Honors Degree in Chemistry; or *(b)* Shall have obtained a 03 year BSc. Degree with a Class, including Chemistry as a subject, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in one of the following fields: Food Science & Technology, Food Production & Technology Management, Food Science & Production, or Analytical Chemistry.
07	Ministry of Health and Mass Media	Research Officer (Vaccine Products)	02	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special / Honors Degree in one of the following fields: Immunology, Microbiology, Botany / Plant Science, Plant Biotechnology, Molecular Biology, Zoology, or Biochemistry or *(b)* Shall have obtained a 03 year BSc. Degree with a Class, including Immunology, Microbiology, Botany / Plant Science, Plant Biotechnology, Molecular Biology, or Zoology as a subject, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in one of the following fields: Immunology, Microbiology, Botany / Plant Science, Plant Biotechnology, Molecular Biology, Zoology, or Biochemistry
08	Ministry of Health and Mass Media	Research Officer (Bio Chemistry)	01	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special / Honors Degree in Biochemistry or Chemistry or *(b)* Shall have obtained a 03 year BSc. Degree with a Class, including Biochemistry or Chemistry as a subject, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in one of the following fields: Chemistry or Biochemistry.

S/ No.	*Ministry/ Department*	*Post*	*No. of vacancies*	*Educational Qualifications*
09	Ministry of Health and Mass Media	Biochemist	01	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special / Honors Degree in Biochemistry, Chemistry, or Molecular Biology; or *(b)* Shall have obtained a 03 year BSc. Degree with a Class, including Biochemistry, Chemistry, or Molecular Biology as a subject, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in one of the following fields: Biochemistry, Chemistry, or Molecular Biology.
10	Ministry of Health and Mass Media	Scientific Officer	01	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; (a) Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special / Honors Degree in Chemistry, Biochemistry, or Molecular Biology; or *(b)* Shall have obtained a 03 year BSc. Degree with a Class, including Chemistry, Biochemistry, or Molecular Biology as a subject, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in one of the following fields: Chemistry, Biochemistry, or Molecular Biology.
11	Ministry of Health and Mass Media	Entomologist	02	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special / Honors Degree in Zoology or Biology including Entomology as a course unit; or *(b)* Shall have obtained a 03 year BSc. Degree with a Class, including Zoology or Biology as a subject, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in one of the following fields: Entomology or Medical Entomology.
12	Ministry of Health and Mass Media	Molecular Biologist	01	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special / Honors Degree in one of the following fields: Molecular Biology, Biochemistry, Biotechnology, Microbiology, Botany / Plant Science, Plant Biotechnology, or Bioinformatics; or

S/ No.	*Ministry/ Department*	*Post*	*No. of vacancies*	*Educational Qualifications*
				(b) Shall have obtained a 03 year BSc. Degree with a Class, including Molecular Biology, Chemistry, Biotechnology, Biochemistry, Microbiology, Botany / Plant Science, Plant Biotechnology, or Bioinformatics as a subject, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in one of the following fields: Molecular Biology, Biotechnology, Biochemistry, Microbiology, Botany / Plant Science, Plant Biotechnology, or Bioinformatics.
13	Department of Government Analyst's	Assistant Government Analyst	39	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special / Honors Degree with a Class in Chemistry; or *(b)* Shall have obtained a BSc. Degree including Chemistry as a principal subject, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in one of the following fields: Analytical Chemistry, Food Science & Technology, Forensic Science, Serology, Toxicology, Molecular Biology, Molecular Biology & Biotechnology, Industrial Chemistry, Industrial & Environmental Chemistry, Industrial Analytical Chemistry, Industrial Organic Chemistry, or Industrial & Environmental Chemistry.
14	Department of Government Analyst's	Assistant Examiner of Questioned Documents	01	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special/ Honors Degree with a Class in Chemistry or Physics; or *(b)* Shall have obtained a BSc. Degree including Chemistry or Physics as a subject, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in Chemistry or Physics.
15	Department of Government Analyst's	Assistant Examiner of Questioned Documents (Digital Crimes)	05	Having passed the G.C.E. (Advanced Level) Examination in the Biological, Physical or Technological stream; and As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above;: *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special/ Honors Degree with a Class in Computer Science, Information Technology, or Data Science;

S/ No.	*Ministry/ Department*	*Post*	*No. of vacancies*	*Educational Qualifications*
				or *(b)* Shall have obtained a BSc. Degree including Computer Science, Information Technology, or Data Science as a subject, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in Computer Science, Information Technology, or Data Science.
16	Department of Labour	Research Officer	01	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special / Honors Degree with a Class in Chemistry; or *(b)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special / Honors Degree in Chemistry, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 09 or above in one of the following fields: Industrial Chemistry, Polymer Science & Industrial Chemistry, Industrial & Environmental Chemistry, Industrial Analytical Chemistry, Industrial Organic Chemistry, Analytical Chemistry, Applied Organic Chemistry, Occupational Hygiene, Toxicology, Occupational Health & Safety, or Polymer Science & Technology; or *(c)* Shall have obtained a BSc. Degree including Chemistry as a subject, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in one of the following fields: Industrial Chemistry, Polymer Science & Industrial Chemistry, Industrial & Environmental Chemistry, Industrial Analytical Chemistry, Industrial Organic Chemistry, Analytical Chemistry, Applied Organic Chemistry, Occupational Hygiene, Toxicology, Occupational Health & Safety, or Polymer Science & Technology.
17	Department of Export Agriculture	Assistant Director (Development)	03	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special / Honors Degree with a Class in one of the following fields: Botany/ Plant Science, Biology, Plant Biotechnology, Agricultural Science & Management, or Export Agriculture; or

S/ No.	*Ministry/ Department*	*Post*	*No. of vacancies*	*Educational Qualifications*
				(b) Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special / Honors Degree including a subject relevant to the fields specified in (a) above, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 09 or above in one of the following fields: Botany/ Plant Science, Biology, Plant Biotechnology, Agricultural Science & Management, or Export Agriculture; *or* *(c)* Shall have obtained a BSc. Degree including a subject relevant to the fields specified in (a) above, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in one of the following fields: Botany/ Plant Science, Biology, Plant Biotechnology, Agricultural Science & Management, or Export Agriculture
18	Department of Export Agriculture	Assistant Director (Research)	09	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special/ Honors Degree with a Class in one of the following fields: Botany/ Plant Science, Biology, Plant Biotechnology, Agricultural Science & Management, or Export Agriculture; *or* *(b)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special/ Honors Degree including a subject relevant to the fields specified in (a) above, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 09 or above in one of the following fields: Botany/ Plant Science, Biology, Plant Biotechnology, Agricultural Science & Management, or Export Agriculture; *or* *(c)* Shall have obtained a BSc. Degree including a subject relevant to the fields specified in (a) above, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in one of the following fields: Botany/ Plant Science, Biology, Plant Biotechnology, Agricultural Science & Management, or Export Agriculture.

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19	Department of National Museums	Assistant Director (Entomology)	01	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special/ Honors Degree with a Class in one of the following fields: Zoology, Biology, or Applied Biology; *or* *(b)* Shall have obtained a Degree with a Class including Zoology, Biology, or Applied Biology as a subject, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in Entomology.
20	Department of Wildlife Conservation	Assistant Director	07	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special/ Honors Degree in one of the following fields: Botany/ Plant Science, Zoology, Plant Biotechnology, Biology, Applied Biology, Environmental Science, Natural Resource Management, Forestry, Environmental Conservation & Management, Forestry & Environmental Management, Molecular Biology & Biotechnology, Animal Husbandry & Aquatic Science, Aquaculture, Oceanography, or Agricultural Science & Management; *or* *(b)* Shall have obtained a 03 year BSc. Degree with First Class or Second Class (Upper Division) Honors, including a subject relevant to one of the fields specified in (a) above; *or* *(c)* Shall have obtained a 03 year BSc. Degree with Second Class (Lower Division) Honors, including a subject relevant to one of the fields specified in (a) above, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 09 or above in one of the following fields: Botany/ Plant Science, Zoology, Plant Biotechnology, Biology, Applied Biology, Environmental Science, Natural Resource Management, Forestry, Environmental Conservation & Management, Forestry & Environmental Management, Molecular Biology & Biotechnology, Animal Husbandry & Aquatic Science, Aquaculture, Oceanography, or Agricultural Science & Management; *or* *(d)* Shall have obtained a 03 year BSc. Degree including a subject relevant to one of the fields specified in (a) above, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in one of the following fields: Botany/ Plant

S/ No.	*Ministry/ Department*	*Post*	*No. of vacancies*	*Educational Qualifications*
				Science, Zoology, Plant Biotechnology, Biology, Applied Biology, Environmental Science, Natural Resource Management, Forestry, Environmental Conservation & Management, Forestry & Environmental Management, Molecular Biology & Biotechnology, Animal Husbandry & Aquatic Science, Aquaculture, Oceanography, or Agricultural Science & Management.
21	Department of Textile Industries	Textile Technologist	01	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special/ Honors Degree with a Class in Textile and Clothing Technology or Engineering; *or* *(b)* Shall have obtained a BSc. Degree in Physics or Chemistry, together with a minimum of 03 years of experience in an executive-level post in the field; *or* *(c)* Shall have obtained a BSc. Degree in Physical Science including Chemistry as a subject, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in one of the following fields: Textile Technology, Textile Design, or Industrial Management.
22	Department of Animal Production and Health	Chemist	01	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special/ Honors Degree in Chemistry; *or* *(b)* Shall have obtained a BSc. Degree including Chemistry as a subject, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in one of the following fields: Analytical Chemistry, Industrial Analytical Chemistry, Organic Chemistry, or Industrial Organic Chemistry.
23	Department of Indigenous Medicine	Scientific Officer (Plant Breeding)	01	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special/ Honors Degree in Plant Biotechnology, Botany/ Plant Science, or Agricultural Science & Management; *or* *(b)* Shall have obtained a BSc. Degree including Botany/ Plant Science or Forestry as a subject, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in one of the following fields: Plant Breeding, Tissue Culture, or Genetics.

S/ No.	*Ministry/ Department*	*Post*	*No. of vacancies*	*Educational Qualifications*
24	Department of Indigenous Medicine	Scientific Officer (Drug Modification)	01	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special/ Honors Degree in Pharmacy or Chemistry; *or* *(b)* Shall have obtained a BSc. Degree including Botany/ Plant Science as a subject, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in one of the following fields: Chemistry or Pharmacy.
25	Department of Irrigation	Assistant Soil Chemist	02	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special/ Honors Degree in one of the following fields: Chemistry, Applied Chemistry, Chemical Technology, or Agricultural Science & Management; *or* *(b)* Shall have obtained a BSc. Degree including Chemistry as a subject, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in one of the following fields: Analytical Chemistry, Agricultural Engineering, Soil Science, Agricultural Science & Management, or Geospatial Technology.
26	Department of Excise	Assistant Director	01	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special/ Honors Degree with a Class in Chemistry; *or* *(b)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special/ Honors Degree in Chemistry, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 09 or above in one of the following fields: Analytical Chemistry, Food Science, Forensic Science, Industrial Analytical Chemistry, Organic Chemistry, Industrial Organic Chemistry, Applied Organic Chemistry, or Food Science & Technology; *or* *(c)* Shall have obtained a BSc. Degree including Chemistry as a subject, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in one of the following fields: Analytical Chemistry, Food Science, Forensic Science, Industrial Analytical Chemistry, Organic Chemistry, Industrial Organic Chemistry, Applied Organic Chemistry, or Food Science & Technology.

S/ No.	*Ministry/ Department*	*Post*	*No. of vacancies*	*Educational Qualifications*
27	Ministry of Science and Technology	Assistant Director	01	As recognized under 6.2 (ii) above; *(a)* Shall have obtained a 04 year BSc. Special/ Honors Degree with a Class in one of the following fields: Chemistry, Physics, Biology, Environmental Science, Environmental Management, Zoology, Food Science, Botany/ Plant Science, Microbiology, Molecular Biology, Agricultural Science & Management, Nanotechnology, Green Technology, or Nuclear Science; or *(b)* Shall have obtained a BSc. Degree including Chemistry or Physics as a subject, together with a Postgraduate Qualification at SLQF Level 10 or above in one of the fields specified in (a) above.

iv. If the educational qualifications mentioned in this notice are fulfilled based on a certificate obtained from a foreign university, a confirmation certificate obtained from the University Grants Commission stating that said university is recognized by the University Grants Commission must be submitted at the time of the interview.

6.3 Restrictions on Eligibility

i. All the qualifications required to apply for this examination should have fulfilled on or before the date of publishing the notice calling for applications in the *Gazette*.

ii. No person ordained in any religion shall be allowed to apply for or sit for the examination for the Sri Lanka Administrative Service, Sri Lanka Agricultural Service, Sri Lanka Planning Service, Sri Lanka Accountants Service, Sri Lanka Engineering Service, Sri Lanka Architects' Service and Sri Lanka Scientific Service. (This restriction will not be applicable to the Sri Lanka Education Administrative Service)

7. Examination Conditions :-

7.1 This examination will be held in Sinhala, Tamil and English Languages. Applicants can sit the examination in any of these languages of their choice. Applicants should answer all question papers of all the services they apply for and select only one medium of language for all the papers. After submitting the Application, applicants will not be allowed to change the medium of examination produced by them in the application form.

7.2

(i.) The online application of the examination should be filled only in English Language. The applicants will be notified that the soft copy submitted online is accepted/not accepted as a valid application by the Department through SMS sent to the mobile number used to access the system or by an e-mail,

(ii.) Once the application is submitted online, **it cannot be amended**,

(iii.) Any amendment made after taking a printout of the application will not be considered as a valid amendment,

(iv.) The incomplete applications will be rejected without notice.

7.3 The examination fee for the First Part of this examination is Rs. 1,000/- (One thousand). The fee for the Second Part of this examination is Rs. 300/- (Three Hundred) per each question paper. The payment of examination fee for the Second Part should be made after passing the First Part. When the examination fee is paid, the payments should be made only through the following payment methods provided in the online system

i. Any Bank Credit Card
ii. Any Bank Debit Card with the facility of Internet Transactions

7.4 Acknowledgement of the payment will be informed by an SMS or by e-mail. Acknowledgement of the payment will be informed by an SMS. When payment is made for the Second Part of the examination, the candidate should pay Rs. 300/- (Three hundred) per each question paper of all the services that he has applied for. This fee should be paid when obtaining the admission card for the Second Part after passing the First Part (Common Part) of the examination. The prescribed full amount of examination fee should be paid as applicable and the applications for which the payments have been made less than the examination fee will be rejected. The Department of Examinations will not be responsible for the errors occurring in the payment of examination fees by the above payment methods.

After concluding the First part of the Examination, applicants will be informed whether they have been qualified/ not qualified for the Second Part on the website of the Department of Examinations. Since actions will be taken to inform the results, applicants are adviced to keep their mobile number on active status.

7.5 The fee paid for the examination will not be refunded under any circumstance or will not be transferred for any other examination.

7.6 The signature of the admission card for the examination should have been attested. An applicant who is applying for the examination through Public/ Provincial Public Institution should get his/ her signature attested by the Head of the Institution or by any other officer authorized by him and other applicants should get their signature attested by a Head of a Government School, Grama Niladhari of the relevant division, Justice of the Peace, Commissioner of Oaths, Attorney-at-Law, Notary Public, Commissioned Officer in the three Armed Forces, a permanent officer in the Staff Grade of the Public Service or Provincial Public Service or Chief Incumbent or Chief Monk of a Buddhist Temple or a person in charge of any other religious place or holding a responsible status thereof.

Note : No candidate is allowed to enter the examination hall without the admission card. Only an admission card in which the signature of the candidate is attested should be presented to the supervisor on the date of commencement of the examination. The issuance of an admission card to a candidate shall not be treated as an acceptance that he/ she has fulfilled qualifications to sit the examination or for a post.

7.7 The Commissioner General of Examinations shall issue admission cards by online only, to the applicants who have paid the prescribed examination fees and submitted the duly completed applications on or before the closing date of applications, on the presumption that only those who have the qualifications mentioned in the *Gazette* notice have applied. Immediately after the issuance of admission cards to the applicants, the Department of Examinations will notify the same through a web notice published on the official website/ through SMS. If the admission card is not received by an applicant, steps shall be taken to inquire from the Institutional Examination Organization Branch of the Department of Examinations. The name of the examination, full name and address of the applicant should be clearly mentioned when making an inquiry in the said manner. When making such inquiries it would be more effective to send a letter of request to the e-mail address mentioned in the web notice, correctly stating the name of the examination applied for, the applicant's full name, National Identity Card number, and address. It would be advisable to keep the following in hand to prove any matter inquired by the Department of Examinations: *i.e.* A printed copy of the application and the receipt obtained by paying the examination fee kept at your possession. The admission card should be examined and, if there are any amendments, the Department of Examinations should be contacted well in advance to make the relevant amendments according to the application. Requests for amendments made at the examination hall / interview will not be entertained.

Note: Only the applicants who obtain 40% of the marks or more for each question paper and aggregate marks of 100 or more for two question papers of the First Part (Common Part) will be issued an Admission card again for the Second Part (Specific Part for each service) of the examination of the respective services they applied.

7.8 Applicants shall be bound by the rules and regulations imposed by the Commissioner General of Examinations on conducting the examination. They shall be liable to punishment imposed by the Commissioner General of Examinations in case of violation of these rules and regulations.

7.9 Applicants of the examination shall be required to prove his/her identity at the examination hall to the satisfaction of the supervisor for each subject he/she appears for. For this purpose, only the following documents will be accepted.

i. National Identity Card
ii. Valid Passport
iii. Valid Driving License

Applicants should enter the examination hall without covering their face so that their identity can be confirmed and without covering their ears to be able to verify that they are not wearing electronic communication devices. Those who refuse to comply will not be permitted to enter the examination hall. Further, applicants shall remain in the examination hall without covering their face and ears, from the moment of entering and until leaving the examination hall after the examination.

8. Penalty for false information :-

If it is revealed that a candidate does not possess the required qualifications, his/ her candidature will be annulled at any stage before, during or after the examination. If it is revealed after the appointment that any of false information has been furnished by a candidate within his/ her knowledge or if he/ she has willfully suppressed a material fact, his/ her appointment will be cancelled and all sums of money already paid to him/ her under this appointment as salaries and allowances by the Government/ Provincial Council will be recovered.

9. Medium of Appointment:-

The medium in which the candidate sits the examination will be considered as the medium in which the appointment is made.

10. Procedure of Examination, Interview and Appointment :-

10.1 Written Examination

10.1.1 <u>First Part (Common Part)</u>

All applicants should sit for this part.

Note: Applicants who have applied for the Sri Lanka Engineering Service are required to sit <u>only for the</u> Intelligence Test question paper of this Part.

Question Paper	Syllabus	Nature of the Question Paper
1. Intelligence Test	Shall consist of multiple-choice questions to test the candidate's skills in reasoning, substitution, interpretation, relevance awareness, conversion, problem solving, understanding of cause & effect relationships, prediction, information organization, pattern identification and adherence to instructions.	Shall consist of 50 multiple-choice questions and/ or short answer type questions. Total marks - 100. 1½ Hours

Question Paper	Syllabus	Nature of the Question Paper
2. Comprehension	Shall consist of objective type questions to test the candidate's ability in comprehension and skills in communication, summarization, analyzing and creativity.	Shall consist of 50 multiple-choice questions and/ or short answer type questions. Total marks - 100 02 Hours

10.1.2 <u>Second Part (Part specific to the relevant service)</u>

Every applicant applying for the Sri Lanka Education Administrative Service, Sri Lanka Administrative Service, Sri Lanka Agricultural Service, Sri Lanka Planning Service and Sri Lanka Accountants Service shall sit for all the question papers specific to the relevant service in this Second Part and must obtain a minimum of 40 marks or above for each question paper.

i. **Specific Part for the recruitment to the Sri Lanka Education Administrative Service**

(a) Question Papers

Question Paper	Duration	Nature of the Question Paper
11. General Knowledge	01 Hour	Total marks 100, pass mark is 40%. Shall consist of 50 multiple choice / short answer type questions
12. Analytical Studies	1 1/2 Hours	Total marks 100, pass mark is 40%. Shall consist of objective type questions prepared based on case studies, tables, graphs and charts.

(b) Syllabus

11. General Knowledge
It is expected to test the candidate's knowledge in contemporary information in local and foreign education, namely, science and technology, socio-economic setting, politics, geography, legal, environment, culture and sports with more emphasis on national education policies, law, reforms and innovations, history of indigenous education and contemporary information and national and international trends in education.

12. Analytical Studies
Shall comprise of objective type questions prepared based on case studies, tables, graphs and charts to test the candidate's skills in analysis, synthesis and creativity.

ii. **Specific Part for the recruitment to the Sri Lanka Administrative Service**

(a) Question Papers

Question Paper	*Duration*	*Nature of the Question Paper*
21. Social, Economic and Political Trends	03 Hours	Total marks 100, Minimum pass mark is 40% Shall consist of structured essay type questions, multiple-choice questions and / or short answer type questions.

22. Managerial Aptitude	03 Hours	Total marks 100, Minimum pass mark is 40% Shall consist of structured essay type questions, multiple-choice questions and / or short answer type questions.
23. Creative, Analytical and Communicative Skills	03 Hours	Total marks 100, Minimum pass mark is 40% Shall consist of essay type questions / semi structured essay type questions

(b) Syllabus

21. Social, Economic, Political Trends
It is expected to test the candidate's knowledge of social, economic, political, cultural, scientific and technological conditions locally and globally or his ability to think creatively, analytically and critically and the ability to decide priority and strategic projection in response to situations presented to him.

22. Managerial Aptitude
It is expected to test the candidate's skills in identifying problems and their reasons, decision making, maintaining inter-personal relationships, communicative ability, formulation of self-disciplinary policies and strategies, innate wisdom etc. in response to situations presented to him.

23. Creative, Analytical and Communicative Skills
It is expected to test the candidate's ability for reasoning and imagination in relation to the analyzing, collating and presenting of information on a topic/theme selected by the candidate from a given set of topics/ themes; and the ability to comprehend a complex passage, a piece of writing or a memorandum and express the salient ideas thereof concisely, clearly and accurately in the candidate's own words.

iii. **Specific Part for the recruitment to the Sri Lanka Agricultural Service**

(a) Question Papers

Question Paper	*Duration*	*Nature of the Question Paper*
31. Testing the subject related knowledge (Agricultural Research Stream)	02 hours	100 marks. The pass mark is 40. This is a written aptitude test conducted to test the applicant's knowledge in the specified subject area. Each applicant should answer the question papers selected as per the post or posts they apply for. This question paper shall consist of short answer type questions and multiple-choice questions. These question papers will be set with more tendency to check the theoretical knowledge in the relevant field.
32. Testing the subject related knowledge (Agricultural Development Stream)		
33. Testing the subject related knowledge (Agricultural Economics Stream)		

(b) Syllabus
The syllabus related to each post is given below.

Note: Agricultural Research Stream consists of two question papers containing the sections mentioned in (a) and (b) below, and applicants are required to answer **only one of those question papers** according to their preference.

The preference for the question paper intended to be sat for, must be indicated at the time of applying, and no subsequent modification of it will be permitted under any circumstances.

31 Question paper for the stream of Agricultural Research:

Part (A)

01. Agricultural Botany **:**

Fundamentals of crop classification, fundamentals of crop growth and physiology.

02**.** Genetics and Plant Breeding:

Mendelian law, population genetics, mutation molecular genetics, cytogenetic, quantitative genetics, fundamentals of plant breeding, genetic resources protection and biodiversity, pollination behaviour and breeding concepts, incom patibility, mass and pure line selection, commonly used breeding methods and current trends.

03. Plant Pathology:

Types of pathogenic organisms, infections, response of plant to infections, infective methods and fundamentals of their management, current trends in plant pathology and disease management, diagnostic techniques, symptomatology, Koch's postulate application, modern techniques of diagnosis (ELISA) and current trends.

04**.** Fundamentals of Entomology:

Fundamentals of classification of animals, structural characteristics, biological information and damage, economic significance of pest damage, estimation of insect population and damage.

05**.** Seed Technology:

Seed physiology, morphology, dormancy, germination, viability, tests on viability and purity, stages of seed production, seed certification and seed storage.

06. Tissue Culture:

Theories, facilities and requirements for tissue culture, media, applications of tissue culture systems, protoplast culture, mutagenesis, embryo rescue, in vitro fertilization, genetic transformations, cryopreservation.

07. Agricultural Chemistry:

Fundamentals of biochemistry and practical applications of biochemistry in agriculture, fundamentals of food chemistry and practical applications of food chemistry in agriculture, fundamentals of analytical chemistry and practical applications of analytical chemistry in agriculture

OR

Part (B)

01. Agronomy:

Agroclimatology, ecology, land development, tillage, fundamentals of crop growth and physiology, measurement of crop growth, yield indices, fertilizer recommendations and efficiency, weed biology and control, principles of irrigation systems, principles of crop soil and water relationship.

02. Crop Science:

Physiology of rice, highland grains, pulses, tuber crops and other field crops, growth, methods of propagation, methods of planting, physical chemical and biological methods in crop manipulation, establishment and management of scientific pastures, fundamentals of timber and fruit production**.**

03. Soil Science:

Soil formation, physical and chemical characteristics of soil, soil problems relating to cropping, fertility management of soil, watershed management, plant nutrition, fundamentals of plant classification.

04. Genetics and Plant Breeding:

fundamentals, Mendelian law, population genetics, mutations, molecular genetics, cytogenetic, fundamentals of plant breeding, genetic resources protection and biodiversity.

05. Plant Pathology:

plant infections, response of plants to infections, biological control, modern trends in disease management.

06. Fundamentals of Entomology:

Fundamentals of classification of animals, structural characteristics, biological information and damage, economic significance of pest damage, estimation of insect population and damage.

07. Field research principles and statistical principles and knowledge in important statistics on agricultural sphere in Sri Lanka.

08. Entomology:

Economically significant insects in agriculture, their classification, internal and external features, structure of differ ent systems and their functions, pest management, significance of pest damage, pest identification, their damage and control, integrated pest management.

09. Microbiology:

Microorganisms and agricultural environment, biotechnology applications in agriculture, soil-living biomass and their effects on agricultural practices.

10. Biometrics and Applied Statistics:

Basic knowledge in statistics, agricultural research, analysis of planning, obtaining and analysis of data.

32. Question paper for the stream of Agricultural Development

01. General Agriculture:

Climatic zones of Sri lanka, land development, land preparation and equipment, crop establishment and machinery required for the purpose, soil and soil fertility, nursery and nursery management, planting material, pest control, plant protection, appliances, cropping systems, irrigation methods, integrated farming, protected agriculture, micro-irrigation systems, harvesting and harvesting machinery, post-harvest losses, processing of farm products, suitable vegetables for cultivation in specific areas, factors considered in selecting fruits, pulses and cereals, integrated pest management, integrated plant nutrition systems, plant protection Act, Soil Conservation Act.

02. Crop Production:

Agronomy, agro-climatology and ecology, land development and tillage, fundamentals of crop growth and physiology, measurement of crop growth, yield indices, fertilizer recommendations and efficiency, weed biology and control, irrigation, agronomy, principles of crop and water relationship.

03. Field Crops:

Introduction, ecological requirements, plant species and varieties, growth physiology, physiological principles of yield determination, rice agronomy, crop management and production, highland cereals, legumes, tuber crops and other important field crops (tobacco, onion, fibre and oil crops)

04. Crop Management:

Intercropping, harvesting and processing

05. Horticultural Crop Production:

Fruit production, nutritional value, social and economic factors, origin and distribution, ecological requirements, cultural practices, application of modern techniques.

06. Fruit, vegetable and flower production:

Nursery management, orchard management, modern techniques in crop establishment and culture, fruit and vegetable crop improvement, fruit and vegetable based cropping systems, post-harvest losses, prevention of post-harvest losses of fruits and vegetables, biotechnology, local and export markets for fruits and vegetables, present constraints and future strategies, requirements for vegetable production, vegetable based cropping systems, marketing, floriculture, propagation techniques, cultural practices, quality parameters, principles of landscape gardening.

07. Agricultural Extension and Training:

Introduction of agricultural extension and objectives, agricultural development and extension, adaptation and diffusion of innovations, communication, teaching methods of extensions, extension approaches used in Sri lanka, relation between research and extension, preparation of extension programmes, review and evaluation, institutions associated with agricultural extension in Sri lanka, adult education, training procedure, various techniques used in identifying training requirements, arrangement of lessons, evaluation of training, use of audio-visual devices for training.

08. Seed Technology:

Seed physiology, structure, morphology, germination, viability, seed testing, tests on viability and purity, stages of seed production, seed certification, and seed storage.

09. Apiculture:

Types of bees and hives in a colony, parts of bee boxes, capturing of bee colonies, establishment, dividing, pests and diseases in a bee colony.

33. Question paper for the stream of Agricultural Economics

01. Agricultural Production / Economics and Farm Management:

Importance of farm management in agricultural production, basic concepts, production function, forms of production functions, production surfaces, iso-quant, iso-clines, iso-revenue lines, principles of resources combination and cost minimization, principles of diminishing returns, substitution and income effects, flexibility and diversification of adjustments of production to meet risk and uncertainty in agriculture, price theory relating to pricing of agricultural products, evaluation of crop and livestock combination, farm site and returns to scale, importance of family farms and principles of comparative advantage, importance of records in determining the strong and weak points in the farm mechanization and incorporation of this information in optimization models.

02. Agricultural Marketing:

General principles of marketing, relative importance of such production and marketing, institutions dealing with marketing in Sri Lanka, role of such institutions in influencing the growth of markets, problems facing the marketing of agricultural products in Sri Lanka and principles involved in improving marketing efficiency.

03. Land Economics:

Economics concepts as applied to land use, demand and supply for lands in Sri Lanka, land use planning in Sri Lanka, importance of colonization and settlement programmes in Sri Lanka.

iv. **Specific Part for the recruitment to the Sri Lanka Planning Service**

(a) Question Papers

Question Paper	*Duration*	*Nature of the Question Paper*
41. General Awareness	03 Hours	Total marks 100, Minimum pass mark is 40%. Shall consist of structured essay type questions, multiple-choice questions and / or short answer type questions.

(b) Syllabus

41. General Awareness
Shall consist of the questions to test candidate's knowledge about geographical, political, economic, social and cultural environment of Sri Lanka and awareness about the matters of current national and international interests as well as scientific and technological developments.

v. **Specific Part for the recruitment to the Sri Lanka Accountants Service**

(a) Question Papers

Question Paper	*Duration*	*Nature of the Question Paper*
51. Financial and Managerial Accounting	03 Hours	Total marks 100 Minimum pass mark is 40%. This question paper shall consist of 02 parts (Marks for Part I is 60, Marks for Part II is 40)
52. Advanced Auditing and Economic Analysis	03 Hours	Total marks 100 Minimum pass mark is 40%. This question paper shall consist of 02 parts (Marks for Part I is 60, Marks for Part II is 40)

(b) Syllabus

51. Financial and Managerial Accounting

(This question paper shall consist of 02 parts and 08 questions)

Part I – Financial Accounting

This part includes five (05) questions. Question one is compulsory and balance two (02) questions have to be selected out of four (04) questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Compulsory Question

This question is to measure the candidate's ability to apply Sri Lanka Accounting Standards (SLAS). The question has five subparts, each question carries 04 marks.

Following Sri Lanka Accounting Standards are covered under this question.

- Financial Statements – LKAS 1
- Property, Plant and Equipment – LKAS 16
- Revenue – LKAS 18
- Cash Flow Statement – LKAS 7
- Inventories – LKAS 2
- Accounting Policies, Changes in accounting estimates and errors – LKAS 8
- Events after the reporting period – LKAS 10
- Leases- LKAS 17
- Income Taxes – LKAS 12
- Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets – LKAS 37
- Financial Instruments – LKAS 39

2. Question No. 2: Conceptual and regulatory framework for Financial Statements

Objectives of general purpose financial statements, Underlying assumptions, Qualitative characteristics of financial statements, Elements of financial statements, Recognition and measurement of elements of financial statements, Concepts of capital and capital maintenance, Provisions in Corporate governance, Companies Act and Securities and Exchange Commission regulations and rulings.

3. Question No. 3: Financial Statements of Limited Liability Companies including Consolidated Financial Statements

Identify the sources of funds available for a limited liability company, prepare ledger accounts for issue and redemption of shares and debentures and prepare financial statements for the purpose of management and publication.

4. Question No.4: Preparation of Financial Statements for non-profit organizations.

5. Question No. 5: Financial statement analysis, interpretation and communication of Financial Results, and Non-financial reporting.

Part II – Managerial Accounting

This part includes three (03) questions prepared to measure the candidate's knowledge on the following areas and applicants should answer 02 questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Aspects of Cost Accounting

   Cost classification, Behaviour, Estimation, Material and inventory control, Labour, Specific and continuous order costing

2. Cost Accounting Systems

   Absorption costing and marginal costing, Activity-based costing, Process costing, Throughput Accounting and Contemporary Management Accounting

3. Financial mathematics for business and project appraisal fundamentals Compounding, Discounting
4. Standard costing and Variance analysis
5. Mathematics for business functions
6. Budgeting and Forecasting

   Budgeting, Budget preparation and Budgetary control
7. Decision making under uncertainty

   Information for short-term and long-term decision making, Cost-volume-profit analysis, Further processing pricing and Multi-constraint decision making
8. Working Capital Management

52. Advanced Auditing and Economic Analysis
(This question paper shall consist of 02 parts and 08 questions)

Part I – Advanced Auditing

This part includes 05 questions prepared to measure the candidate's knowledge on the following areas and applicants should answer 03 questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Different types of audit and objectives of such audits
   Financial audit, Systems audit, Compliance audit, Value for money audit, Performance audit, Forensic audit, Internal audit, External audit, Management audit etc.

2. Audit Planning and Control
   Audit planning, timing, interim and final audit, assignments of responsibilities for functions, recording the work done including the use of internal control, preparing questionnaires and forms for evaluation of internal control.

3. Professional conduct and Ethics
   Integrity, Objectivity in gathering, Evaluating and communicating information about the audit activities, Confidentiality of information, Professionalism, Professional obligations and Competency in applying the knowledge, skills, and experience.

4. Legal rights and responsibilities.
   Legal responsibility of Accountants and Auditors and related legal provisions.

5. Techniques for risk assessment and management
   Identifying different types of risk, risk management process, techniques and tools managing risks.

6. Auditing standards
   International Standards of Auditing (ISAs) and Sri Lanka Auditing Standards (SLAuSs)

7. Functions of internal audit
   Identifying functions of internal audit, objectives of internal audit and Audit Committees

8. Evidence collection
   Identifying different evidence collection methods, Evidence collection process and ensuring the validity of the evidence.

9. Reporting functions
Type of reports, reporting standards, structures, reporting process, audit opinions and follow-up process etc.

Part II – Economic Analysis

This part includes 03 questions prepared to measure the candidate's knowledge on the following areas and applicants should answer 02 questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Understanding Macroeconomic variables
Identifying Macroeconomic variables and leading indexes, purpose of assessment of Macroeconomic variables, correlations among Macroeconomic variables and current Sri Lankan contexts.

2. National Income Determination and National Income Accounting
Methods of measuring national income, Sectorial contribution of the national income, capital consumption, private consumption, national products and welfare and current Sri Lankan context.

3. International Trade and Economic Development
Theory of international trade, International trade and economic development, Balance of Payments and exchange rate behavior and current Sri Lankan context.

4. Foreign Finance, Foreign Direct Investments, Developing countries debt, Sustainable Debt Management and current Sri Lankan context.

5. Capital and financial Market, Financial intermediaries and financial instruments.

6. Monetary Policy

7. Fiscal Policy

10.2 Interview

i. Sri Lanka Education Administrative Service

(a) General Interview :-

(i) Of the applicants who are in the order of merit, only a number equivalent to the aggregate of the number of vacancies mentioned in this *Gazette* notification and a 25% of that number will be called for the general interview. If the number of qualified applicants is less than the number above, only such number of applicants who are so qualified will be called for the general interview.

(ii) The general interview will be conducted to examine whether the qualifications for recruitment have been fulfilled and whether the applicants complied with the restrictions on eligibility. Marks will not be awarded at this interview.

(iii) The board/s of general interview will be appointed by the Education Service Committee of the Public Service Commission.

(b) Oral Interview :-

(i) The oral interview will be conducted by a board of interview appointed by the Education Service Committee of the Public Service Commission to measure the ability in logical reasoning and problem solving, communication skills and personality of the applicants.

(ii) Only the applicants who proved at the general interview that they have fulfilled all required qualifications for recruitment will be called for the oral interview.

(iii) Criteria for which marks are awarded in the oral interview;

Subject area	*Maximum marks*
1. Logical Reasoning and Problem Solving	10
2. Communication Skills	10
3. Personality	05
Total	**25**

(iv) When recruiting the expected number based on the number of vacancies mentioned in this *Gazette* notification, recruitment to Grade III of the Sri Lanka Educational Administrative Service will be made in order of merit starting from the applicant who has obtained the highest marks, based on the total of the marks obtained at the written examination and the marks obtained at the oral interview.

(v) If there are vacancies remaining even after making appointments following the general interview and oral interview in the first round, actions will be taken to fill the remaining vacancies by conducting the interviews at a second round.

ii. Sri Lanka Administrative Service

The applicants who have obtained at least **40%** of the marks or more out of the prescribed marks for all written question papers of the Common Part and Specific Part will be called for the interview, according to the order of merits of the aggregate marks they obtained. The interview shall consist of two **(02)** parts such as General Interview and Structured Interview.

(a) General Interview :

(i) Of the applicants who are in the order of merit, only a number equivalent to the aggregate of the number of vacancies mentioned in this *Gazette* notification and a 25% of that number will be called for the general interview. If the number of qualified applicants is less than the number above, only such number of applicants who are so qualified will be called for the general interview.

(ii) The general interview will be conducted to examine whether the qualifications for recruitment have been fulfilled and whether the applicants complied with the restrictions on eligibility. Marks will not be awarded at this interview.

(iii) The board of the general interview will be appointed by the Public Service Commission.

(b) Structured Interview :

(i) A structured interview will be conducted by a board of interview appointed by the Public Service Commission in accordance with the following marking scheme to measure the managerial skills, leadership qualities, communication skills and personality of the applicants. The maximum marks that can be earned at that interview will be twenty-five (25).

	Subject area	*Maximum marks*
01	Managerial Skills	10
02	Leadership Qualities	05
03	Communicative Skills	05
04	Personality	05
	Total	**25**

(ii) The applicants who proved in the general interview that they have fulfilled all qualifications for recruitment will be eligible for calling for the structured interview. Even though a certain number of applicants from among those who were called for the general interview is not qualified for the structured interview, any other applicants instead of those who were not so qualified will not be called again for a general interview.

(iii) When recruiting the expected number based on the number of vacancies mentioned in this *Gazette* notification, recruitments will be made to Grade III of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service in the order of merits starting from the applicant who have obtained the highest marks according to the aggregate of the marks obtained at the written examination and the structured interview.

iii. Sri Lanka Agricultural Service

(i) The applicants who obtain at least 40% of the marks or more for each question paper of the Common Part and Specific Part of the examination will be called for the interview according to the order of merit of the aggregate marks they obtained, up to a number not exceeding twice the number of vacancies mentioned in this *Gaezette* notification. Subsequent to the verification of qualifications of the applicants by the Interview Board, applicants who confirm their eligibility will be recruited to the vacancies mentioned in this *Gazette* notification, according to the order of merit of the aggregate marks obtained for all question papers of the Common Part and Specific Part of the examination. The Interview Board will be appointed by the Public Service Commission. Marks will not be awarded for this General Interview.

(ii) Applicants who have applied for more than one post and have obtained sufficient marks to be eligible for selection to several such posts will be selected for a post considering their order of merit in the written examination and the order of preference given to the posts. Such applicants shall indicate their order of preference for the posts at the time of application, and it will not be allowed to be changed later under any circumstances.

iv. Sri Lanka Planning Service

(i) Of the applicants who have obtained at least 40% of the marks or more out of the prescribed marks for each written question paper will be called for a General Interview according to the order of merit of the marks obtained at the written examination. The number of applicants to be called for the General Interview will be determined by the Public Service Commission based on the vacancies mentioned in this *Gazette* notification. General Interview will be conducted by the Ministry in charge of the subject of Public Administration in accordance with the directives of the Public Service Commission.

(ii) Accordingly, the qualifications of the applicants called for the interview will be examined by an Interview Board approved by the Public Service Commission. Marks will not be awarded for this General Interview, and applicants who are confirmed to have fulfilled the basic qualifications will be appointed to the vacancies of Grade III of the Service mentioned in this *Gazette* notification, according to the order of merit.

v. Sri Lanka Accountants Service

(i) Only a general interview will be conducted and the applicants who have obtained at least 40% of marks or more out of the prescribed marks for each written question paper of the Common Part and Specific Part of the examination will be called for the interview, only for the number of vacancies mentioned in this *Gazette* notification and based on the order of merit. The applicants who proved their qualifications at the interview will be selected for appointment according to the order of merits of the marks they obtained in the written examination. The board of interview will be appointed by the Public Service Commission. Marks will not be awarded for this General Interview.

vi. Sri Lanka Engineering Service

(i) Applicants will be called for an interview on the basis of the marks obtained for the Intelligence Test paper at the common part of written examination.
(ii) Number of applicants to be called for the interview will be decided by the Appointing Authority.
(iii) Physical fitness and the qualifications mentioned in the Service Minute of Sri Lanka Engineering Service and in this *Gazette* notification, shall be verified at the interview.
(iv) Marks will not be awarded for this General Interview.

vii. Sri Lanka Architects' Service

(i) Only a general interview will be conducted and the applicants who obtained at least 40% of marks or more out of the prescribed marks for each written question paper of the Common Part of the examination will be called for the General Interview for the number of vacancies mentioned in this *Gazette* notification, based on their order of merit. The applicants who proved their qualifications at the interview will be selected for appointment according to the order of merits of the marks they obtained in the written examination and according to the preference indicated in the application form. The number of applicants to be called for the General Interview is determined by the Public Service Commission. The board of interview will be appointed by the Public Service Commission. Marks will not be awarded for this General Interview.

(ii) Since only the first part of the written examination; i.e. the common part is applicable to this service, the subsequent steps for recruitment to the vacancies mentioned in this *Gazette* notification in the Sri Lanka Architects' Service will be carried out following the release of the results for that stage.

(iii) In the event that an applicant, who has received an appointment to a post in the Sri Lanka Architects' Service, subsequently secures an appointment to a post in another All-Island Service, for which they had expressed a higher preference based on the results of this examination, the resulting vacancy in the Sri Lanka Architects' Service shall be filled by the next qualified applicant, determined according to the order of merit based on examination marks within that service.

viii. Sri Lanka Scientific Service

Only a General Interview will be conducted, and applicants who have obtained at least 40% or more of the prescribed marks in each written question paper of the Common Part will be called for the General Interview in order of merit for the number of vacancies mentioned in this *Gazetted* notification. The number of applicants to be called for the General Interview is determined by the Public Service Commission. Applicants who prove their qualifications at the General Interview will be selected for appointment based on the order of merit of the marks obtained in the written examination and the order of preference given for the posts when applying for this examination. The interview board will be appointed by the Public Service Commission. Marks will not be awarded for this General Interview.

N. B :-
Attending the interview will not be considered as a completion of qualifications for granting an appointment.

11. Examinations Results

11.1 The Commissioner General of Examinations will convey the results to all applicants who appeared for the examination, personally by post or on the website www.results.exams.gov.lk.

11.2 The decision of the Commissioner General of Examinations regarding the examination results shall be final.

12. The Appointing Authority reserves the right to make decision on the matters not provided for in this notice.

13. In the event of any inconsistency or discrepancy between the texts published in this notice in Sinhala, Tamil and English languages, the Sinhala text shall prevail.

By order of the Public Service Commission with concurrence of the Education Service Committee of the Public Service Commission.

W. H. M. M. C. K. DAYARATNE,
Secretary.

Public Service Commission.

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MINISTRY OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, PROVINCIAL COUNCILS AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Limited Competitive Examination for Recruitment to Grade III of Sri Lanka Accountants' Service - 2026

APPLICATIONS are hereby invited from citizens of Sri Lanka who have satisfied the qualifications specified in this notification for the Limited Competitive Examination to be held for the recruitment on a limited basis to fill 74 Vacancies existing in Grade III of the Sri Lanka Accountants' Service.

The application for this examination has been published on the website of the Department of Examinations Sri Lanka, www.doenets.lk, under the "Online Applications – Recruitment / E.B. Exams" section within "Our Services". Applications can only be submitted Online. Receipt of online applications will be open from **16th November 2026 at 9.00 a.m.** and will close on **11th December 2026 at 9.00 p.m.**

Officers must submit a copy of the application to the Head of the Institution for inclusion in the personal file. They must present a copy of the application certified by the Head of the Institution and a service confirmation letter at the interview.

The applicants must bear any adverse effects caused by the delay in submitting applications until the closing date.

This examination will be conducted by the Commissioner General of Examinations only in Colombo in February 2027, subject to the regulations prescribed by the Public Service Commission. The examination will be arranged to be held island-wide only upon a special circumstance arising within the country. Nevertheless, in the event that an insufficient number of applicants have applied for any examination centre, the applicants who have expressed their preference for that centre will be directed to another examination centre (further details in this regard are stated in the application). The Commissioner General of Examinations reserves the power to postpone or cancel this examination, subject to the regulations of the Public Service Commission.

01. In this notification, 'Appointing Authority' means the Public Service Commission, and 'Service' means the Sri Lanka Accountants' Service.

02. Method of Recruitment:

1.1. Written Examination: This applies to the Common Competitive Examination for Recruitment to All-Island Services and Executive Grade Posts in the Public Service. This competitive examination consists of two parts as given below. Only the applicants who obtain 40% or more marks in each question paper of the Part I (Common Section) and an aggregate of 100 marks or more will be called for the Part II.

Part One (Common Section) :

Question Paper	Duration	Maximum Marks	Minimum Marks to be Secured to Pass
1. Intelligence Test	1 ½ Hrs	100	40
2. Comprehension	02 Hrs	100	40

Part Two :

Service	Subject No	Question Papers	Duration	Maximum Marks	Minimum Marks to be Secured to Pass
Sri Lanka Accountants' Service	51	Financial and Management Accounting	03 Hrs	100	40
	52	Advanced Auditing and Economic Analysis	03 Hrs	100	40

2.2. Interview: Out of the applicants who have appeared for all question papers of the written examination and have obtained at least 40% or more of the marks prescribed for each written question paper, a number of applicants determined by the appointing authority, on the order of merit based on the marks obtained and according to the number of existing vacancies, will be called for an interview to verify their qualifications. The qualifications of such applicants shall be examined by an interview board approved by the Public Service Commission. No marks will be awarded for the interview.

03. The number of appointments to be made to this post and the effective date of such appointments shall be determined as per the order of the Public Service Commission. The Public Service Commission reserves the power to fill any number of vacancies or all available vacancies. In the event that the number of candidates who have obtained equal marks for the final vacancy or the final few vacancies, exceeds the number of available vacancies, the decision regarding the filling of such vacancies shall be made by the Public Service Commission, in accordance with Section 92 of the Procedural Rules of the Public Service Commission published in the *Gazette Extraordinary* of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, No. 2310/29 dated **14.12.2022.**

04. General Conditions of Recruitment :-

4.1. This appointment shall be subject to the provisions of the Minute of the Sri Lanka Accountants' Service, published in the *Gazette Extraordinary* of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka No. 1670/33 dated 10.09.2010, including any amendments already made or to be made thereto in the future, Procedural Rules of the Public Service Commission published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 2310/29 dated 14.12.2022, the Establishments Code of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, Financial Regulations of the Government and other departmental orders.

4.2. This appointment is permanent. However, appointees shall be subject to a probation period of one year, and they will be confirmed in their appointment at the end of the probation period only if all requirements are successfully fulfilled during that time.

4.3. This appointment is pensionable and appointees must contribute to the Widows' and Orphans' Pension Scheme / Widowers' and Orphans' Pension Scheme and pay contributions as prescribed by the Government from time to time.

4.4. The language medium mentioned by the applicant in the application to sit for the examination shall be the language medium in which they qualify for appointment.

4.5. Appointees shall acquire the proficiency in official languages as applicable, in accordance with the provisions of Public Administration Circular No. 18/2020 dated **16.10.2020** and circular provisions consequent thereto.

4.6. The first efficiency bar examination as specified in the Service Minute shall be passed within 03 years of obtaining the appointment.

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4.8. The appointment of applicants who fail to assume duties in the post offered to them on the prescribed date and/or refuse or evade assuming duties in a post to which they are appointed or in an area to which they are appointed is liable to be cancelled upon the orders of the Public Service Commission.

05. Salary Structure and Monthly Salary Scale :-

According to the provisions of Public Administration Circular No. 10/2025 dated 25.03.2025, the monthly salary scale applicable to this post is Rs. 82,150 - 10 x 2,400 – 8 x 2,940 - 17 x 3,900 – 195,970/- (SL 1 – 2025). In addition to this, you are entitled to other allowances paid by the Government to public Officers from time to time.

06. Qualifications for Recruitment:-

(a) i. Applicants must be a citizen of Sri Lanka
ii. Applicants must be of excellent moral character
iii. Applicants must possess adequate physical and mental fitness to serve in any part of Sri Lanka and to discharge the duties of the post effectively.

(b) **Educational / Professional Qualifications and Experience :-**

i. Should been confirmed in their appointment with any of the following qualifications, and should have completed a continuous, active, and satisfactory period of service of not less than five (05) years by the date of publication of the *Gazette* notification calling for applications, in a permanent and pensionable service or post in the Public Service or Provincial Public Service drawing a salary under Salary Code No. MN-1-2025 of Public Administration Circular 10/2025, or an equivalent or higher salary code.

a. Shall have obtained a degree in the fields of Commerce, Management, Accountancy, or Economics awarded by a University recognized by the University Grants Commission, or awarded by a University established by an Act of Parliament of Sri Lanka, or recognized under Section 25A of the Universities Act, No. 16 of 1978;

Or

b. Shall be a holder of a Higher National Diploma in Accountancy or Commerce, or a Higher National Diploma in Management from the Sri Lanka Technical College / Sri Lanka Institute of Advanced Technical Education / Sri Lanka Institute of Advanced Technological Education;

Or

c. Shall have passed the Licentiate II under the 1991 and 1992–1997 curricula, or the Intermediate Examination under the 1998–2004 and 2005–2009 curricula, or the Certificate in Accounting and Business II under the 2010–2014 curriculum, or the Business Level Examination under the 2015–2019 curriculum, or the Corporate Level Examination under the 2020–2024 and 2025–2030 curricula, or an equivalent or higher examination of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Sri Lanka or of any other Commonwealth Institute of Chartered Accountants;

Or

d. Shall have passed the Parts I and II or Intermediate Examination of Cost and Management Examination or higher examination conducted by the Chartered Institute of Management Accountants of the United Kingdom or in any other Commonwealth Country ;

Or

e. Should have passed the 1st professional level or higher level examination of the Institute of Certified Accountants of the United Kingdom or in any other Commonwealth Country;

Or

f. Should have passed the Parts I and II Examination or higher-level examination of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants of the United Kingdom or in any other Commonwealth Country;

Or

g. Should have passed the Final Examination of the Institute of Chartered Secretaries and Administrators of the United Kingdom;

Or

h. Should have passed the Management Level or a higher-level examination of the Institute of Certified Management Accountants of Sri Lanka.

Or

(ii) Shall have been confirmed in their appointment, and having completed an active and satisfactory period of service of not less than ten (10) years by the date of publication of the *Gazette* notification calling for applications, in a permanent and pensionable service or post in the Public Service or Provincial Public Service drawing a salary under Salary Code No. MN-1-2025 or a higher MN salary code of Public Administration Circular 10/2025 (including services / posts that previously drew salaries under Salary Code No. MN-1 or higher MN salary codes and whose salary codes were subsequently revised to another salary code) or under Salary Code No. SL-1-2025.

(c) Restrictions on Qualifications

i. Should have satisfied all the qualifications required to apply for this examination in every aspect on or before the date of publishing the *gazette* notification for calling applications.

ii. No person who is ordained in any religious order shall be allowed to apply or sit for this examination.

iii. Should have earned all salary increments on the due dates during the immediately preceding five / ten years in acquiring the qualifications required for applying.

iv. Should have not been subjected to a disciplinary punishment as at the date of examining the qualifications as per the provisions in the Public Service Commission Circular No. 01/2020.

v. No person will be allowed to sit the Limited Competitive Examination for Recruitment to the Sri Lanka Accountants Service (including the Special Limited Competitive Examination conducted for the Northern and Eastern Provinces) more than three.

07. Examination Conditions:-

I. This examination will be held in Sinhala, Tamil and English Languages. Candidates can sit this examination in any one of these languages of their choice. Candidates should answer all question papers of the services he applies for and select only one medium of language for all the papers. Candidates will not be allowed to change the medium of examination produced by them in the application form.

II. The online examination application shall be completed in the English language only. The applicant will be notified *via* a Short Message Service (SMS) to the mobile phone number whether the copy submitted online by the applicant has been accepted / not accepted as a valid application by the Department. Prior to completing the online application, download the Common Instruction sheet prepared for applying for the examination. Follow these instructions accurately when filling out the application. A printed copy of the application shall be retained to be produced at subsequent inquiries. Any amendment made to the application after obtaining a printed copy thereof shall not be considered a valid amendment. Incomplete applications will be rejected without notice.

III. The examination fee for the First Part of this examination is Rs. 1200/-. When the examination fee is paid, the payments should be made only through the following payment methods provided in the online system :

(i) Any Bank Credit Card
(ii) Bank Debit Card with Internet Payment Facility
(iii) Bank of Ceylon Online Banking Method / Flex App
(iv) Bank of Ceylon any Branch

Note : Instructions on the manner in which the payments are made through the above methods are published under Technical Instructions of the Examination on the website of the Department of Examinations.

IV. Acknowledgement of the payment will be informed by an SMS. The prescribed full amount of the examination fee should be paid as applicable and the applications for which the payments have been made less or more than the examination fee will be rejected. The Department of Examinations will not be responsible for the errors occurring in the payment of examination fees by the above payment methods.

V. The fee paid for the examination will not be refunded or transferred in respect of any other examination under any circumstance.

VI. The signature of the applicant on the admission card for the examination shall be attested by the head of the institution or an officer authorized by him.

Note : No candidate is allowed to enter the examination hall without the admission card. Only an admission card in which the signature of the candidate is attested should be presented to the supervisor on the date of commencement of the examination. The issuance of an admission card to a candidate shall not be treated as an acceptance that he or she has fulfilled the qualifications to sit the examination or for a post. Applicants for the examination shall sit the examination at the examination centre assigned to them.

VII. On the presumption that only those possessing the qualifications specified in the Gazette notification have applied, admission cards for the examination will be issued online only by the Commissioner-General of Examinations to the applicants who have paid the prescribed examination fee and submitted their applications on or before the closing date for receiving applications. Immediately upon the issuance of admission cards, the Department of Examinations, Sri Lanka will notify the applicants thereof via a web notice / Short Message Service (SMS). If any candidate has not received his/her admission card, he/she shall inquire regarding the same from the Institutional Examinations Organization Branch of the Department of Examinations, Sri Lanka. When making such inquiry, it would be more effective for the applicant to forward a letter of request accurately stating the name of the examination applied for, the applicant's full name, National Identity Card number, and address to the email address specified in the web notice. When making such inquiry, it will be useful to keep in hand a photocopy of the completed application and a photocopy of the receipt obtained upon payment of the examination fee, in order to verify any information requested by the Department of Examinations. The admission card should be checked, and if there are any amendments, the Department of Examinations should be contacted well in advance to have the relevant amendments made in accordance with the application. Requests for amendments made at the examination hall / interview will not be considered.

VIII. Candidates are subject to the rules and regulations formulated by the Commissioner-General of Examinations with regard to the conduct of the examination. If they violate any such rules, they shall be subject to a punishment imposed by the Commissioner-General of Examinations. The decision of the Commissioner-General of Examinations shall be final with regard to the examination results.

IX. Candidates of the examination shall be required to prove his/her identity at the examination hall to the satisfaction of the supervisor for each subject he/she appears for. For this purpose, any of the following documents will be accepted.

(i) National Identity Card,
(ii) Valid Passport,
(iii) Valid Driving License of Sri Lanka.

Furthermore, candidates shall enter the examination hall without covering their face so as to ensure that their identity can be verified and that they are not wearing electronic communication devices. Applicants who do not agree with this will not be admitted to the examination hall. Furthermore, from the moment of entering the examination hall until leaving upon the conclusion of the examination, they shall remain without covering their face and ears.

08. Penalty for false information:-

If it is revealed that a candidate does not possess the required qualifications, his / her candidature is liable to be annulled at any stage before or during or after the examination. If it is revealed that any of false information has been furnished by a candidate within him/ her knowledge or if he/ she has willfully suppressed a material fact, he or she will be liable for dismissal from the public service.

If any of the above matters is revealed after the appointment, all sums of money already paid under this appointment as salaries and allowances by the Government/ Provincial Council will be recovered.

09. Matters not provided for in these regulations will be decided by the Public Service Commission.

10. Procedure of Examination, Interview and Appointment:-

10.1. Written Examination

(I) Structure of the Question Papers

Subject No.	*Question paper*	*Duration*	*Nature of the Question Paper*
1.	Intelligence Test	1 ½ Hrs	100 Marks, minimum pass marks 40. Shall consist of 50 multiple-choice questions and/ or short answer type questions.
2.	Comprehension	02 Hrs	100 Marks, minimum pass marks 40. Shall consist of 50 multiple-choice questions and/ or short answer type questions.
51.	Financial and Managerial Accounting	03 Hrs	100 Marks, minimum pass marks 40. This question paper consists of 02 parts (Marks for Part I is 60 Marks for Part II is 40)
52	Advanced Auditing and Economic Analysis	03 Hrs	100 Marks, minimum pass marks 40 This question paper consists of 02 parts (Marks for Part I is 60 Marks for Part II is 40)

(II) Syllabus

Intelligence Test

Shall consist of multiple-choice questions to test the candidate's skills in reasoning, substitution, interpretation, relevance awareness, conversion, problem solving, understanding of cause & effect relationships, prediction, information organization, pattern identification and adherence to instructions.

Comprehension

Shall consist of objective type questions to test the candidate's ability in comprehension and skills in communication, summarization, analyzing and creativity.

Financial and Managerial Accounting

(This question paper consists of 02 parts and comprises 08 questions)

Part I – Financial Accounting

This part includes five (05) questions. The first question is compulsory and two (02) questions have to be selected out of the remaining four (04) questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Compulsory Question

This question is to measure the candidate's ability to apply Sri Lanka Accounting Standards. The question has five subparts, each question carries 04 marks.

Following Sri Lanka Accounting Standards are covered under this question.

- Financial Statements – LKAS 1
- Property, Plant and Equipment – LKAS 16
- Revenue – LKAS 18
- Cash Flow Statement – LKAS 7
- Inventories – LKAS 2

- Accounting Policies, Changes in accounting estimates and errors – LKAS 8
- Events after the reporting period – LKAS 10
- Leases- LKAS 17
- Income Taxes – LKAS 12
- Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets – LKAS 37
- Financial Instruments – LKAS 39

2. Conceptual and regulatory framework for Financial Statements

Objectives of general purpose financial statements, Underlying assumptions, Qualitative characteristics of financial statements, Elements of financial statements, Recognition and measurement of elements of financial statements, Concepts of capital and capital maintenance, Provisions in Corporate governance, Companies Act and Securities and Exchange Commission regulations and rulings.

3. Financial Statements of Limited Liability Companies including Consolidated Financial Statements

Identify the sources of funds available for a limited liability company, prepare ledger accounts for issue and redemption of shares and debentures and prepare financial statements for the purpose of management and publication.

4. Preparation of Financial Statements for non-profit organizations

5. Financial statement analysis, interpretation and communication of Financial Results, and Non- financial reporting

Part II – Managerial Accounting

This part includes 03 questions prepared to measure the candidate's knowledge on the following areas and candidates should answer 02 questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Aspects of Cost Accounting
   Cost classification, Behavior, Estimation, Material and inventory control, Labour cost, Specific and continuous order costing

2. Cost Accounting Systems
   Absorption costing and marginal costing, Activity-based costing, Process costing, Throughput Accounting and Contemporary Management Accounting

3. Financial mathematics for business and project appraisal fundamentals
   Compounding, Discounting

4. Standard costing and Variance analysis

5. Mathematics for business functions

6. Budgeting and Forecasting Budgeting, Budget preparation and Budgetary control

7. Decision making under uncertainty
   Information for short-term and long-term decision making, Cost-volume-profit analysis, Further processing pricing and Multi-constraint decision making

8. Working Capital Management

Advanced Auditing and Economic Analysis
(This question paper shall consist of 02 parts and 08 questions)

Part I – Advanced Auditing
This part includes 05 questions prepared to measure the candidate's knowledge on the following areas and candidates should answer 03 questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Different types of audit and objectives of such audits
   Financial audit, Systems audit, Compliance audit, Value for money audit, Performance audit, Forensic audit, Internal audit, External audit, Management audit etc.

2. Audit Planning and Control
   Audit planning, timing, interim and final audit, assignments of responsibilities for functions, recording the work done including the use of internal control, preparing questionnaires and forms for evaluation of internal control.

3. Professional conduct and Ethics
   Integrity, Objectivity in gathering, Evaluating and communicating information about the audit activities, Confidentiality of information, Professional obligations and Competency in applying the knowledge, skills, and experience.

4. Legal rights and responsibilities.
   Legal responsibility of Accountants and Auditors and related legal provisions.

5. Techniques for risk assessment and management
   Identifying different types of risk, risk management process, techniques and tools managing risks.

6. Auditing standards
   International Standards of Auditing (ISAs) and Sri Lanka Auditing Standards (SLAuSs).

7. Functions of internal audit
   Identifying functions of internal audit, objectives of internal audit and Audit Committees

8. Evidence collection
   Identifying different evidence collection methods, Evidence collection process and ensuring the validity of the evidence.

9. Reporting functions
   Type of reports, reporting standards, structures, reporting process, audit opinions and follow-up process, etc.

Part II – Economic Analysis
This part includes 03 questions prepared to measure the candidate's knowledge on the following areas and candidates should answer 02 questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Understanding Macroeconomic variables
   Identifying Macroeconomic variables and leading indexes, purpose of assessment of Macroeconomic variables, correlations among Macroeconomic variables and current Sri Lankan contexts.

2. National Income Determination and National Income Accounting
   Methods of measuring national income, Sectorial contribution of the national income, capital consumption and capital consumption adjustments, government consumption and private consumption, national products and welfare and current Sri Lankan context.

3. International Trade and Economic Development
   Theory of international trade, International trade and economic development, Balance of Payments and exchange rate behavior and current Sri Lankan context.

4. Foreign Finance, Foreign Direct Investments, Developing countries debt, Sustainable Debt Management and current Sri Lankan context.

5. Capital and financial Market, Financial intermediaries and financial instruments.

6. Monetary Policy

7. Fiscal Policy

10.2. **Interview**

I. Out of the applicants who have obtained at least 40% or more of the marks prescribed for each written question paper, a number of applicants determined by the Public Service Commission, in order of merit based on the marks obtained and according to the number of existing vacancies, will be called for a General interview, the arrangements for which shall be carried out by the Ministry in charge of the subject of Public Administration in accordance with the directives of the Public Service Commission.

II. Accordingly, the qualifications of the candidates called for the interview shall be examined by an interview board approved by the Public Service Commission. No marks will be awarded for this General interview, and candidates whose fulfillment of preliminary qualifications is verified shall be selected for appointment to Grade III of the Sri Lanka Accountants' Service.

N.B :-
Participation in the interviews shall not be considered as a fulfillment of qualifications for the award of an appointment.

10.3. Upon notification by the Appointing Authority to release the results, steps will be taken by the Department of Examinations, Sri Lanka either to send by post to all applicants who sat the examination a result sheet indicating the marks obtained for each subject / total marks in the written examination, or to release the results via the website www.results.exams.gov.lk.

11. In the event of any inconsistency or discrepancy between the texts published in this notice in Sinhala, Tamil and English languages, the Sinhala text shall prevail.

By order of the Public Service Commission,

S. ALOKABANDARA,
Secretary.

Ministry of Public Administration, Provincial Councils and Local Government
13th November, 2026

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SRI LANKA RAILWAY

Recruitment to the Training Period for recruitment to the Posts of Basic Technician, Grade III on Open Basis under the Scheme of Recruitment- (MT-01) for the Management Assistant Technical Segment – Service Category 03 of the Sri Lanka Railway Department - 2026

APPLICATIONS are called from qualified Sri Lankan citizens for the Open Competitive Examination for Recruitment to the Training Period for recruitment to the Posts of Basic Technician- Grade III on Open Basis under the Scheme of Recruitment - (MT-01) for the Management Assistant Technical Segment - Service Category 03 of the Sri Lanka Railway Department - 2026 approved by the Public Services Commission on 07.09.2017. The closing date for receiving applications is 14.12.2026.

02. This open competitive examination is held to fill the vacancies for the following Posts of Basic Technician - Grade III under the Management Assistant Technical Segment - Service Category 03 - (MT-01):

Serial No.	*Designation*	*Number of Vacancies*
01	Basic Technician (Lineman)	16
02	Basic Technician (Carpenter)	129
03	Basic Technician (Mason)	69
04	Basic Technician (Painter)	32
05	Basic Technician (Tinker)	3
06	Basic Technician (Trimmer)	4
07	Basic Technician (Moulder)	14
08	Basic Technician (Progress)	11
09	Basic Technician (Blacksmith)	33
	Total	**311**

Note – It can be applied for the positions by giving priority to 03 positions mentioned above based on the courses you have completed and attended. You will be given the appointments based on the priority of the positions applied for and will never be allowed to change that priority.

03. Duties Pertaining to the Posts

Serial No.	*Designation*	*Duties Assigned to the Post*
01	Basic Technician (Lineman)	Performing all duties related to the post including repairs, manufacturing, dismantling, fixing, and assembling of locomotives, wagons and compartments, plants, tools, etc., in the respective sub-departments.
02	Basic Technician (Carpenter)	Making equipment and accessories required for all construction fields, maintaining and repairing all locomotives, compartments and wagons, and machinery, and keeping offices and workshops, making wooden furniture and equipment, carrying out all kinds of carpentry work including sawing, shaping, planning, glass cutting and fitting performed by timber sawmills for construction and repair of compartments, and maintaining equipment.
03.	Basic Technician (Mason)	Performing masonry work in all construction fields of the Railway Department, and laying cement in floorings and septic tanks of railway compartments, and performing other assigned masonry tasks.

Serial No.	*Designation*	*Duties Assigned to the Post*
04.	Basic Technician (Painter)	Properly painting locomotives, wagons, compartments, vehicles, machinery, and equipment, as well as office furniture, buildings, bridges, signaling equipment, and other equipment manually and by spray, and performing all types of painting work.
05.	Basic Technician (Tinker)	Manufacturing spare parts required for maintenance and repair of all locomotives, wagons, compartments, and machinery, making metal alloys, lead mixture compounds, cutting spare parts for welding materials, maintenance of factories and equipment, cleaning and fixing metal stones or welding materials properly and making moulds. Cutting various shaped parts using pneumatic machines and performing as required by workshop officials.
06	Basic Technician (Trimmer)	Cushioning compartment and office chairs, carrying out sewing curtains and signal flags of carriages and offices, and cushioning beds and chairs.
07	Basic Technician (Moulder)	Manufacturing and assisting in the manufacturing of spare parts required for the repair of railway tracks, bridges, and buildings, and for the maintenance of locomotives, wagons, compartments, and machinery required for train operations. Keeping machinery clean, storing related records, preparing and cleaning foundry moulds, melting and pouring metal, applying oil, grease, etc., to machinery, and performing all types of maintenance work.
08	Basic Technician (Blacksmith)	
09.	Basic Technician (Progress)	Upgrading efficiency in the operations by ordering spare parts and raw materials required for the maintenance and repair locomotives, wagons, compartments, and machinery and plants, supervising supply operations, and maintaining coordination with relevant units.

4. Qualifications for Recruitment to the Training Period

4.1 Educational Qualifications

a. Having passed the G.C.E. (O/L) Examination in six (6) subjects in one sitting with credit passes for Sinhala / Tamil / English Language, Mathematics, and two other subjects.
(Officers who have acquired NVQ Level 3 or higher qualifications relevant to the field shall be considered as having fulfilled the above qualifications.)

4.2 Vocational Qualifications

Designation	*Vocational Qualifications*	*Training Period*
Basic Technician (Lineman)	Having followed a technical course of NVQ Level 03/04 of not less than one year from an institution recognized by the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission and being a certificate holder.	01 Year
Basic Technician (Painter)		
Basic Technician (Tinker)		
Basic Technician (Trimmer)		
Basic Technician (Moulder)		
Basic Technician (Progress)		
Basic Technician (Blacksmith)		
Basic Technician (Carpenter)	Having followed a technical course of NVQ Level 03/04 of not less than 06 months from an institution recognized by the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission and being a certificate holder for the posts of B. T. (Mason and Carpenter).	
Basic Technician (Mason)		

4.3 Experience

Not applicable.

4.4 Physical Fitness

1. Every candidate must be physically and mentally fit enough to serve in any part of Sri Lanka and to perform the duties of the post, and possess the visual acuity specified in the Railway Regulations.

4.5 Other Qualifications

i. Must be a citizen of Sri Lanka.
ii. The applicant must be of sound moral character.
iii. All qualifications required for recruitment to the post must be fulfilled in all respects by the closing date of applications specified in the call for applications notice / gazette / website, which is 14.12.2026.

4.6 Age Limit

a. Must be not less than 18 years of age and not more than 45 years of age as at the closing date of applications.

5. Procedure of Recruitment

Applicants who fulfill the qualifications specified in the notification will be subjected to a written competitive examination and an eligibility evaluation interview and initially recruitment to a one-year training period will be made in the order of merit based on the total marks obtained at the written competitive examination and the eligibility evaluation interview, and according to the number of vacancies available. In the event of candidates scoring equal marks exceeding the number of vacancies, the decision regarding filling such vacancies shall be made in accordance with the orders of the Public Services Commission pursuant to Section 92 of the Procedural Rules.

Candidates will be appointed to Grade III of the Basic Technician posts upon successful completion of a written and practical examination at the end of the training. Those who fail the post-training examination on the first attempt will be given 02 further opportunities to sit for the re-conducted post-training examination, and those who fail therein will have their services terminated.

6. Salary Scale

For Grade III after the Training Period:

In accordance with Schedule I of Public Administration Circular 10/2025 relevant to these posts, the relevant salary scale is (MT-01-2025) Rs. 50,090 - 10 x 540 - 11 x 630 - 10 x 1,010 - 10 x 1,190 - 84,420/-. Salaries will be paid in accordance with the provisions of Schedule III of the said circular. In addition, you will be entitled to other allowances paid by the government to public officers from time to time.

For the Training Period:

Monthly allowance – Monthly allowance from 01.01.2026 to 31.12.2026 shall be Rs. 38,863/- and Rs. 40,000/- from 01.01.2027.

7. Examination Fee

This examination is held in Colombo by an institution defined by the General Manager of Railways in the Sri Lanka Railway Department. The examination fee is Rs. 1,200/-. The examination fee should be credited to the Account Number 176-100129027-313 of the People's Bank, Mid-City Branch, of the General Manager of Railways, at any People's Bank branch in the island before the closing date of applications, and the receipt obtained in the applicant's name must be pasted without detaching in the assigned place of the application form. Keeping a photocopy of the receipt will be useful.

1. The fee paid for the examination will not be refunded under any circumstances, and money orders and stamps will not be accepted.
2. The date of the examination will be notified later.

8. Method of Application

(a) The application must conform to the model format appended to this notice. It must be prepared on an A4 size paper measuring 29.5 cm x 21 cm, using both sides of the paper, and filled in the applicant's own handwriting. It

should be specially noted that headings from No. 01 to 2.4 must appear on the first page and the rest on the other pages. Computer-generated or typed applications may also be used. The applicant must check whether the completed application conforms to the specimen form of application specified in the notification of calling applications. Applications not conforming to the specimen form of application and applications with incomplete information will be rejected without notice. Therefore, before submitting the application, one must re-verify whether it conforms to the specimen form of application specified in the notification of calling applications and whether all information has been duly completed.

(b) When preparing the application, it is essential to mention the name of the examination cited in the header, in English language as well, in applications prepared in both Sinhala and Tamil media.

(c) The application should not be sent in the personal name of the General Manager of Railways or any other officer of the Railway Department. The top left corner of the envelope enclosing the application should clearly state: **" Open Competitive Examination for Recruitment to the Training Period for Recruitment to the post of Basic Technician- Grade III on Open Basis under the Management Assistant Technical Segment - 03 Service Category of the Railway Department - 2026"**.

(d) Applications must be sent by registered post to reach the following address on or before **14.12.2026** Applications received after that date will be rejected:

General Manager of Railways,
Office of the General Manager of Railways,
P.O. Box 35,
Olcott Mawatha,
Colombo 10.

(e) Officers currently employed in the Public Service or Provincial Public Service must submit their applications through the Head of the Department in which they are serving currently.

9. Admission to the Examination

(a) This written examination will be held in Colombo by an institution defined by the General Manager of Railways in the Sri Lanka Railway Department. Admission cards will be issued only to applicants who have fulfilled all the qualifications mentioned in the Gazette notification. Applicants who do not produce their admission cards will not be permitted to sit for the examination.

(b) An applicant must sit the examination at the assigned examination hall. Every applicant must hand over the admission card, with signature duly attested, to the Head of the hall on the first day of appearing at that hall. The applicant must use the same National Identity Card number in the examination hall as stated in the application form; if any other number is entered by mistake, the results of that applicant will be suspended. Every applicant is subject to a set of rules specified in this *Gazette*. Candidates are subject to the rules and regulations issued by the General Manager of Railways regarding the conduct of the examination. If those rules are violated, one shall be subject to punishment imposed by the General Manager of Railways.

(c). Attestation of Signature

The signature of the candidate on the application form must be attested by a Principal of a Government School/ a Retired Officer/ a Grama Niladhari of the Division/ a Justice of the Peace/ a Commissioner for Oaths/ an Attorney-at-Law/ a Public Notary/ a Commissioned Officer of the Tri-Forces/ a Permanent Staff Grade Officer of the Public or Provincial Public Service/an incumbent/ Prelate of a Buddhist Temple, or a religious dignitary holding a recognized position in charge of other religious places.

Note: The issue of an examination admission card to an applicant shall not be regarded as an acceptance that he or she has fulfilled the requisite qualifications to sit for the examination or for the post.

10. Identity of the Applicant

Candidates must prove their identity to the Head of the examination hall for each paper they sit. Only one of the following documents will be accepted for this purpose:

i. National Identity Card issued by the Department for Registration of Persons
ii. Valid Passport
iii. Valid Sri Lankan Driving License

Also, examination candidates must enter the examination hall without covering their face and both ears so that

their identity can be verified. Applicants who refuse to verify their identity in this manner will not be admitted to the examination hall. Furthermore, from the moment of entering the examination hall until leaving after the examination, candidates must remain without covering their face and both ears so as to be identifiable by examination authorities.

11. Penalty for Furnishing False Information

i. According to the regulations relating to this examination, if any candidate is found to be ineligible to sit for it, his or her candidature may be cancelled at any stage before, during, or after the examination.

ii. If any information provided by a candidate is found to be false later, or if it is revealed that any matter has been deliberately concealed by him or her, further consideration for appointment will not be given, and any appointment given based on this examination is liable to be cancelled or dismissed from the public service.

12. Method of Examination and Medium of Examination

This examination will be held only in Colombo on a date determined by the General Manager of Railways of the Sri Lanka Railway Department.

12.1 Medium of Written Examination

1. The examination will be conducted in Sinhala and Tamil media.

Note:

a. An applicant must answer every question paper in the examination in the same language medium.
b. An applicant is not permitted to change the examination medium stated in the application later.

12.2 Results of Written Examination

i. Examination applicants are subject to the rules and regulations issued by the General Manager of Railways regarding the conduct of the written examination and issuance of results.

12.3 Details of Written Examination

i. Written examination for recruitment to the training period:

Subject	*Duration*	*Maximum Marks*	*Pass Mark*
General Knowledge	01 Hour	100	40%
Intelligence Test	01 Hour	100	40%

12.4 Syllabus of Written Examination

- **General Knowledge:** A question paper to test the candidate's general knowledge regarding the social, political, cultural, and economic environment of Sri Lanka, current affairs of national and international importance, as well as scientific and industrial development.

- **Intelligence Test:** A multiple-choice question paper utilizing numerical problems, sentence structures, tables, pictures, and charts, designed to assess the candidate's logical analytical ability and quick decision-making capability.

13. Eligibility Assessment Interview

Applicants who pass the written competitive examination will be called for the eligibility assessment interview in order of merit based on marks up to twice the number of vacancies and recruitment will be made equal to the number of vacancies existing at the time of calling applications based on the order of merit of marks obtained at the written examination and the eligibility assessment interview.

Serial No.	*Main Fields for Awarding Marks*	*Sub-fields Considered*	*Marks Awarded*	*Maximum Marks*
1	**Additional Educational Qualifications**	01 mark for each subject passed at the G.C.E. (A/L) Examination, and 02 marks for each subject passed with a credit pass, for up to 3 subjects (excluding English Language and General English/Common General Paper).	6	20
		For a certificate / diploma course obtained in English Language	5	
		For a certificate / diploma course obtained in Computer Literacy	5	
		For a certificate / diploma course obtained in another language	4	
	Additional Vocational Qualifications	**Proficiency in the field relevant to the post is considered (no marks are awarded for basic vocational qualifications).**	Marks	
		For 6-month courses obtained from a recognized institution relevant to the field	10	
		For 1-year courses obtained from a recognized institution relevant to the field	20	
		For courses exceeding 1 year obtained from a recognized institution relevant to the field	30	
3	**Experience Relevant to the Post**	**Experience in the field relevant to the post is considered.**		30
		If service experience is 03 years or more, 15 marks shall be awarded for each service certificate, for two (2) service certificates	30	
		If service experience is 02 years or more and less than 03 years 10 marks shall be awarded for each service certificate, for two (2) service certificates	20	
		If service experience is 01 year or more and less than 02 years, 05 marks shall be awarded for each service certificate, for two (2) service certificates	10	
		If service experience of 06 months or more and less than 01 year, 2.5 marks shall be awarded for each service certificate, for two (2) service certificates	5	
4	**Special / Extracurricular Skills**	Up to 3 acceptable certificates regarding skills in sports/ cadet, 03 marks shall be awarded for each certificate for a maximum of 3 certificates.	9	15
		Marks shall be awarded for one acceptable certificate in aesthetic skills for a maximum of one certificate.	2	
		Marks shall be awarded for a maximum of 2 certificates with 1 mark each for Certificates obtained for social services / Dhamma school competitive Examinations.	2	
		For an acceptable certificate obtained for any other external skill not presented for the above marks	2	
5	**Attitudes and Personality demonstrated at the Interview**	Communication	2	5
		Listening	2	
		Personality	1	
	Total			**100**

14. Written Examination and Practical Test for Recruitment to Grade III after the Training Period

14.1 Subjects of Written Examination for Recruitment to Grade III after Training Period

Subject	*Duration*	*Maximum Marks*	*Pass Mark*
Technical Subject	2 Hours	100	100

Syllabus

Technical Subject: Consists of a question paper to test the basic technological knowledge required for the post.

14.2 Practical Test for Recruitment to Grade III after Training Period

Subject	*Maximum Marks*	*Pass Mark*
Technical Subject	100	40%

Syllabus

Technical Subject: A practical examination will be conducted to assess whether the theoretical knowledge regarding the technological subject relevant to the post is put into correct practical use in order to measure proficiency in the selected subject.

15. Conditions of Service

The post is permanent and pensionable.

15.1 Details on Service Agreement

Officers recruited to the training period and appointed to Grade III must serve compulsorily in the Department of Railways for a period of 10 years from the date of appointment to Grade III. They must enter into a bond with a public officer standing as surety, agreeing that they will not leave service before the said 10 years and that to pay a sum recommended by the General Manager of Railways in the event of default or prior resignation

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The first Efficiency Bar Examination must be passed before the completion of 03 years from date of appointment to Grade III.

15.2 Official Language

Officers recruited in a language medium that is not an official language must acquire proficiency in the prescribed official language during the probation period.

Other Official Language: Proficiency must be acquired at the relevant level in accordance with Public Administration Circular 18/2020 and consequent circular provisions.

Selectees shall be subject to the general conditions governing appointments to the Public Service, the terms and conditions set out in the Scheme of Recruitment for the Management Assistant Technical Segment - 03 Service Category of the Railway Department approved on 07.09.2017 under Public Services Commission No: PSC/EST/04-01-43/08/2016, any amendments made or to be made to that scheme, the provisions of the Establishment Code and Financial Regulations, the Procedural Rules of the Public Services Commission published in the Extraordinary *Gazette* No. 2310/29 dated 14.12.2022, and Departmental orders and regulations. Selectees must pass the special vision test relevant to the post in accordance with the Railway Departmental instructions in addition to passing the prescribed medical examination.

16. If there is any inconsistency or incompliance between the language texts of this notification published in Sinhala and Tamil media, the Sinhala medium notification shall prevail.

17. The General Manager of Railways has the power to refrain from filling any or all vacancies and to decide on matters not provided for in these regulations.

RAVINDRA PATHMAPRIYA,
General Manager of Railways.

Srilanka Railway Department,
Olcott Mawatha, P.O Box 355,
Colombo 10.
On 2nd of November, 2026.

Annexure II

Specimen Form of Application

(For office use only)

Recruitment to the Training Period for recruitment to the Post of Basic Technician - Grade III on Open Basis under the Scheme of Recruitment- (MT-01) for the Management Assistant Technical Segment - Service Category 03 of the Sri Lanka Railway Department - 2026

1.0 Medium : Language Medium of Examination

Sinhala -2
Tamil -3

(Write the relevant number in the cage)

The application form should be completed in the Language Medium in which the candidate intends to sit the Examination.

Post applied for: Basic Technician

Priority 01

Priority 02

Priority 03

(Should be mentioned as per 02 in the *Gazette* Notification)

2. Personal Particulars:

2.1 Name in Full (In English Block Capitals):-
……
(Ex.: HERATH MUDIYANSELAGE SAMAN KUMARA GUNAWARDHANA)

2.2 Name With Initials (English): (Ex: GUNAWARDHANA, H.M.S.K) :
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2.3 Name in Full: (In Sinhala/ Tamil):
……..…….

2.4 Permanent address (In English Block Capitals):
……..……..
……
[Admission Card will be posted to this address]

2.5 Gender:- [Please write the relevant number in the cage]
Female - 1
Male - 0 [ ]

2.6 National Identity Card Number: [ ][ ][ ][ ][ ][ ][ ][ ][ ][ ][ ][ ]

2.7 Mobile Number : [ ][ ][ ][ ][ ][ ][ ][ ][ ][ ]

2.8 Civil status:- [Please write the relevant number in the cage]
Married – 1
Unmarried – 2 [ ]

2.9 Ethnicity (Sinhala – 1 , Muslim – 4, Tamil – 2, Others – 5, Indian Tamil – 3,)
[Please write the relevant Number in the cage] [ ]

2.10 Date of Birth :

Year : [ ] Month : [ ] Date : [ ]

2.11 Age as at the date of calling for application.

Years : [ ] Months : [ ] Days : [ ]

3. Details of the results of the General Certificate of Education (Ordinary Level) Examination

3.1 Index No:-……..
3.2 Year of appearing for the examination:-……

Subject	*The results obtained*

3.3 Title of Course followed at an institution recognized by the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission:
Duration of Course: ..... Years
From ..... To .....

4. Paste the copy of the deposit slip for the fee paid securely here.

5. Declaration of the Candidate:-

I declare that I am eligible to sit this open competitive examination in accordance with all rules and regulations mentioned in the *Gazette* notification, and that the information stated here is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief. I agree to act in accordance with examination rules, and if I am found to be ineligible according to the recruitment scheme containing provisions regarding this examination, I agree to the cancellation of my examination candidature either before, during, or after the examination. Further, I declare that I will be subject to the rules and regulations issued by the Institution conducting the examination.

Date:- …… ……,
Signature of the applicant.

6. Attestation of the candidate's Signature (Be in terms of the 9(c) in the *Gazette* Notification.)

I do hereby certify that the applicant ……..(Full Name) is personally known by me & the relevant examination fee has been paid & pasted the receipt & placed his/her signature in my presence on …….. .

…… ……. ,
Date Signature of the Attester.

Full Name of the Attester:- ……..
Designation :- ……..
Address :- ……..
(official stamp)

7. Recommendation of the Head of the Institution:- (Only for the candidates who are in Government /Local Governments / State Corporations.)

I do hereby certify that the applicant Mr./Mrs./Miss …… is serving as a ……. ……..…… in this Ministry /Department /Institute & forward his/her application with my recommendation. He/She can /cannot be released from the service of this institution, if he/she has been selected.

……..,
Signature of the Head of the Department.

Name:- ……
Designation :- …….
Date:- ……..
(official stamp)

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