

Posts - Vacant

MINISTRY OF PORTS AND AVIATION

Post of Deputy Director of Merchant Shipping (Engineering) of the Merchant Shipping Division

APPLICATIONS are invited from Sri Lankans who conform to the qualifications stipulated in this notice for the Post of Deputy Director of Merchant Shipping (Engineering) of the Merchant Shipping Division under the Ministry of Ports and Aviation.

2. *Salary Scale.*— Rs. 1,97,520—10x9,000 - Rs. 2,87,520.

3. *Age.*— Should not be less than 30 years and not more than 45 years of age as at the closing date of applications. (The upper age limit will not apply to those already in the Public Service/Provincial Public Service).

4. *Educational Qualifications .*— First Class certificate of Competency (Marine Engineering Officer) issued by the Department of Trade, United Kingdom or equivalent Certificate issued by an institution recognized by the Ministry of Ports and Aviation with not less than 03 years of experience as a Chief Engineer on an ocean going merchant vessel of an engine capacity not less than 5000 KW and at least 02 years of administrative and professional experience in international maritime work.

5. *Professional and Other Qualifications .*— Preference will be given to applicants having knowledge in General International Law and Maritime Law and Practice.

6. *Procedure of recruitment to the Service .*— Selections will be made from among qualified applicants through a structured interview conducted by a structured panel of interview approved by the Public Service Commission.

7. *Conditions of Service .*—

- (i) This post is Permanent and pensionable subject to subscriptions to the Contributory Pension Fund.

Exception.— If an applicant who held a pensionable post before 01.01.2003 is recruited to this post such a person will continue to be entitled to a pension under the minutes on pension and is required to contribute to the widows/ widowers and orphans pension fund.

- (ii) Sections 10-12 of Chapter II of the Establishment Code are applicable.

8. Applications duly prepared as per the specimen appended to this notice should be sent by registered post on or before 29th April, 2005 to reach :

The Secretary,
Ministry of Ports and Aviation,
No. 45, Leyden Bastian Road,
Colombo 01.

9. The top left hand corner of the envelope enclosing the applications should carry the words “Post of Deputy Director of Merchant Shipping (Engineering)”. The application should be perfect in every respect. Belated applications will be rejected without notice and any complaints regarding loss of applications or documents connected thereto in the post will not be entertained.

10. Officers in the Public Service/Provincial Public Service should forward their applications through the Heads of their respective Departments/Institutions.

11. If any candidate is found to have knowingly or unknowingly furnish false information or found to have willfully suppressed any material fact such a person will be liable to dismissal from Service at any time during the period of his employment .

On the order of the Public Service Commission,

ARIYARATNE HEWAGE,
Secretary,
Ministry of Ports and Aviation.

No. 45, Leyden Bastian Road,
Colombo 01.

SPECIMEN FORM OF APPLICATION

Application for the Post of Deputy Director of Merchant Shipping (Engineering) of the Merchant Shipping Division — The Ministry of Ports and Aviation

01. (i) Name with Initials :—.

(ii) Names denoted by initials :—.

02. (i) Private Address :—.

(ii) Official Address :—.

03. National Identity Card Number :—.

04. Date of Birth :

Year :—, Month : — Date: —.

SRI LANKA AIR FORCE

Vacancies — Airmen

05. Age on :—, 2005.

Years :—, Months :—, Days :—.

06. Educational Qualifications :—.

07. Professional and other Qualifications :—.

08. Present Employment :—.

09. Have you convicted of any offence by a Court of Law ?

Yes/No :— (If so give details)

10. Certificate of the Applicant :

1. I hereby certify that the particulars furnished by me in this application are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

2. I am aware that if this statement made by me is found to be false. I am liable to be disqualified before selection and shall be dismissed if the inaccuracy is detected after the appointment.

_____,
Signature of Applicant.

Date :—.

11. *Certificate of the Head of the Department ;*

The applicant Mr.....is serving in this Department/Provincial Council/Institution. He holds a permanent pensionable/casual post. He has earned all his increments during the last five years. He has not been penalized for any disciplinary matter (Other than warnings) and is not subject to any disciplinary action. I certify that he can be released/cannot be released from the present post if selected for the above post.

_____,
Signature of the Head of the Department/
Institution/Authorized Officer.

Date :—.

Name and Designation :—.

Department/Institution :—.

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VACANCIES exist in the Sri Lanka Regular Air Force for Airmen in the trades given below :—

01. (a) Trade and Educational Qualifications required :

(1) *Aeronautical Engineering :*

Aeronautical Engineering
Mechanic
Air Frame Mechanic
Aeronautical Electrical and
Instrument Mechanic

Passes in 06 subjects at the GCE (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including Ordinary Passes in Sinhala/Tamil and English Languages, Maths and Science (Maths II, Science II if an applicant of year 1999/2000). A credit pass for Maths/Science is essential.

(2) *General Engineering :*

Air craft Welder Assistance

Passes in 06 subjects at the GCE (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including Ordinary Passes in Sinhala/Tamil and English Languages, Maths and Science (Maths II, Science II if an applicant of year 1999/2000) A credit pass for Maths/Science is essential.

(3) *Supplies :*

Supplier

Passes in 06 subjects at the GCE (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including Ordinary Passes in Sinhala/Tamil and English Languages and a credit in Maths/Science/Commerce and Accounts (Maths II, Science II if an applicant of year 1999/2000).

(4) *Other Trades :*

(i) Operations Air

Passes in 06 subjects at the GCE (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including an Ordinary pass in Sinhala/Tamil Language and a credit in English Languages.
(If Maths/Science/is/are included in the six subjects Maths II, Science II for an applicant of year 1999/2000).

(ii) Mess Steward

(iii) Fire Fighter

Passes in 06 subjects at the GCE (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including Ordinary Passes in Sinhala/Tamil and English Languages. (If Maths/Science/is/are included in the Six subjects Maths II, Science II for an applicant of year 1999/2000).

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| (iv) Physical Trainer | Passes in 06 subjects at the GCE (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including an Ordinary pass in Sinhala/Tamil languages (If Maths is/are included in the six subjects Maths II, Science II for an applicant of year 1999/2000). Sports achievements at National Level athletics will be added qualification, | night, even under very difficult conditions in any part of Sri Lanka or abroad. |
| (v) Musician : | Passes in 06 subjects at the GCE (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including an Ordinary pass in Sinhala/Tamil Languages (If Maths/Science is/are included in the six subjects Maths II, Science II for an applicant of year 1999/2000). Outstanding achievements in Music and Singing will be added qualification, | (05) <i>Terms of Engagements :</i> |
| (iv) Catering Assistance :
(vii) Ganner | Passes in 06 subjects at the GCE (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings including an Ordinary pass in Sinhala/Tamil language. (If Maths/Science is/are included in the six subjects Maths II, Science II for an applicant of year 1999/2000). | <p>(a) Selected candidates will be enlisted in the rank of Aircraftman (Second and third Class) in the Regular Air Force and shall be required to serve for five years continuously and for a further 07 years in the Regular Reserve. Opportunities exist for suitable Airmen to extend for further service on completion of five years of service.</p> <p>(b) Airmen will be governed by the Air Force Act and other Air Force Regulations and Orders with effect from the date of enlistment.</p> <p>(c) <i>Official Language Requirements.</i>— The selected candidates must confirm to the Official Language Policy of the Government of Sri Lanka.</p> <p>(d) Pay and Allowances :</p> <p>(1) <i>Rates of pay.</i>— The scale of consolidated pay applicable to Airmen shall be as follows : (w.e.f.01st January, 2006)</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">Aircraftman - Rs. 1,04,520–7X1,320–10X1,560–Rs. 1,29,360 per annum ;
Leading Aircraftman - Rs. 1,08,480–4X1,320–11X1,560 — Rs. 1,30,920 per annum ;
Corporal - Rs. 1,12,440–1X1,320–13X1,560 — Rs. 1,34,040 per annum ;
Sergeant - Rs. 1,15,320–10X1,560–2X2,460–1 X 3,480 Rs. 1,39,320 per annum ;
Flight Sergeant - Rs. 1,18,440–8X1,560–2X2,460–3X3,480 Rs. 1,46,280 per annum ;
Warrant Officer-Rs. 1,24,680–4X1,560–2X2,460–9 X 3480 – Rs. 1,67,160 per annum.</p> <p>(2) <i>Allowances :</i></p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">(i) <i>Hardlying Allowance.</i>— Rs. 600 per annum.
(ii) <i>Special Allowance.</i>— Rs. 2,500 per annum for those serving in operational areas and also Rs. 80 per will be paid for each working day of only Jaffna peninsula.
(iii) <i>Incentive Allowances.</i>— After completion of 05 years service (Rs. 250 to 850 per month).
(iv) <i>Ration Allowance.</i>— Rs. 4,962.17 per month for living out Airmen. (Free messing for living - in Airmen).
(v) <i>Accommodation.</i>— Free for personnel living-in.
(vi) <i>Travelling.</i>— Three sets of Holiday Railway warrants per year (For Airmen, Wife and Children). One set of Railway warrants per month or to imbursement of bus fare of living-in Airmen.
(vii) <i>Disturbance Allowance.</i>— When proceeding on duty outside permanent station. (Rates vary with Rank).
(viii) <i>Qualification Pay.</i>— For personnel who have qualified in special courses or possess qualifications which are of special value to the Service. (Up to maximum of Rs. 637.50 per month).</p> |
- (b) *Other Requirements.*— In addition candidates must fulfill the following general conditions for enlistment in the Sri Lanka Air Force :
- For Regular Candidates :*
- (i) Must be a citizen of Sri Lanka,
 - (ii) Be not less than 18 years of age and not more than 23 years as at 30th June, 2005,
 - (iii) Be 5 feet 4 inches or more in height,
 - (iv) Be Unmarried (Airmen are not allowed to marry until the The complete a period of two years from the date of Enlistment and until complete basic trade training course.
- (02) Candidates who do not possess the required or equivalent or higher educational qualifications or fulfill the requirement of para. 01 (a) and (b) will be rejected.
- (03) Due consideration will be given to outstanding achievement in the field of sports.
- (04) *Conditions of Service :*
- (a) Selected candidates will be trained in combat and in the selected trades accordingly. They will be required to perform combat duties and any type of duty, day and

- (ix) *Good Conduct Badge Pay.*— Paid to personnel whose behavior and general conduct are maintained at a high standard (Rs. 30 to Rs. 204 per month).
- (x) *Uniform upkeep allowances.*— Rs. 170 per month.
- (xi) *Re-engagement Pay.*—: Personnel are entitled to Rs. 300 per month during the period of re-engagement.
- (xii) *Medical Facilities.*— Provided at Air force expense for Airmen and their Families.
- (xiii) Facilities for free travel to work in S.L.T.B. buses for living - out Airmen within a radius of 30 miles from the place of work.
- (xiv) Following Rent Allowances are payable to married Airmen not in occupation of Government married quarters Rs. 1,100 - Rs. 3,000 per month.
- (xv) *Instructional Pay.*— (Rs. 425 to Rs. 510 per month).
- (xvi) *Other Allowance.*— (Separation and Overseas, etc.) will be paid as detailed in the Air Force Pay Code.
- (xvii) Pensions/Gratuities are payable in terms of the Air Force Pensions and Gratuities Code 1981, as amended from time to time. All airmen are contributors to the Widows' and Orphans' Pensions (Armed Forces) Scheme, Rate of Contributions are as per Widows' and Orphans' (Armed Forces) Scheme Regulations 1970.
- (4) Two recent certificate of character from at least two responsible persons who are personally acquainted with the applicant. One of these should be from the applicant's employer, if employed ;
- (5) Certificates in support of sports activities and Cadeting, etc.
- (d) Applications of candidates who fail to produce documents when required to do so will not be considered.
- (e) No original documents or copies of documents should be attached to the application form.
- (f) The Air Force will not be responsible for loss of any originals of certificates if enclosed with the application form.

07. Candidates considered suitable for the interview will be required to appear for an interview at their own expense before an Air Force Recruiting Board. Interview will be held in Sri Lanka Air Force Station, Koggala, Weerawila, Anuradhapura Hingurakgoda and Colombo and interviews will be conducted in accordance to your place of choice. Such candidates will be informed individually of the date and time.

08. On every occasion an applicant is summoned for interviews, he is to produce the National Identity Card. Candidates who do not have the National Identity Card could produce some other form of the accepted identification. However, no candidates will be enlisted without the National Identity Card.

09. Candidates likely to be suitable following their final interviews will be required to present themselves before and Air Force Medical Board. The required number of candidates per trade will be selected according to high marks merit at these interviews.

10. Any one who desires to recommend a candidate should do so by giving his testimonial. Any form of canvassing, or attempt to influence the selection of a candidate will result in disqualification of such candidates.

11. 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 for dismissal if discovered after the selection.

12. Candidates who are found unsuitable for enlistment will not be notified.

06. Instructions to Applicants :

- (a) Applications should be submitted in applicant's own handwriting in terms of the form specified below, all cages of the application should be filled with much details as possible. Applications should be sent by registered post addressed to "Chief Recruiting Officer, Sri Lanka Air Force, Ekala, Kotugoda" so as to reach there not later than 1200 noon on 12th April, 2005. The envelope enclosing the application should be marked "Application for Airmen" on the top left corner. Application received at Sri Lanka Air Force, Ekala, Kotugoda after closing date and time and not in accordance with the requirement of this notification and not in registered post will not be considered.
- (b) Candidates who are in Government Service/Corporation/Board/ Civil Establishment should forwarded their applications through their Heads of the Department/Corporation/Board/ Civil Establishment and should bear a certificate to the effect that the candidate will be released if selected.
- (c) Candidates will be required to produce the originals of the following documents when summoned for interviews or when called upon to do so :
 - (1) Certificate of Registration of Birth (Certificate issued for the purpose of the Education Code will not be accepted) ;
 - (2) Certificate in support of the educational qualifications required ;
 - (3) Certificate for Trade/Technical Training and or experience (if any) obtained from a recognized institution ;

G. D. PERERA,
Air Marshal,
Commander of the Air Force.

Headquarters,
Sri Lanka Air Force,
P. O. Box 594,
Colombo.