

(2) *Band Master-Oriental Orchestra :*

- (a) A minimum of six passes at the GCE (O/L) examination with four credits including a credits in Music and English language in one sitting.
- (b) Fine arts degree from Institute of Aesthetic Education (Music) in Sri Lanka or passes final level (Music) in National Dance and Music Examination of Sri Lanka or "Visharadha" Part II Level from "Bhathkande" Music Academy in India.
- (c) Ability to train and conduct oriental and Western Bands' will be an added qualification.
- (d) Ability to compose music in both oriental and western traditions as well as have a sound knowledge on playing western and oriental instruments will be considered as a special qualification.

(d) *Air Field Construction Branch :*

- (i) *Civil Engineering Officers.*—BSc Degree in Civil Engineering or NDT in Civil Engineering or equivalent qualifications.
- (ii) *Electrical Engineering Officers.*—BSc Degree in Electrical Engineering or NDT in Electrical Engineering or equivalent qualifications.
- (iii) *Mechanical Engineering Officers.*—BSc Degree in Mechanical Engineering or NDT in Mechanical Engineering or equivalent qualifications.
- (iv) *Surveying Officers.*—BSc Degree in surveying Science/Surveyor Diploma at ISM Diyatalawa.

(e) *Medical Branch:*

- (a) *Medical Officers.*—MBBS or equivalent qualifications from a recognized university and be fully registered with the Sri Lanka Medical Council Specialist or higher qualifications will be an added advantage for Selection.

(f) *Dental Branch: -*

- (a) *Dental Officers.*—BDS or equivalent qualifications from a recognized University with full registration with the Sri Lanka Medical Council.

(3) *Other Requirements :*

- a. *Nationality :* Must be a citizen of Sri Lanka ;
- b. *Height :* Male 5'5" and Female 5'2" above. (Not applicable for Medical and Dental Officers) ;
- c. *Chest :* Male 32" (Minimum) ;
- d. *Vision :* Colour Standard : CP2 ;
- e. *Visual Acuity :* Left eye 6/6 and Right eye 6/6 (with or without spectacles) ;
- f. *Gender and Age :*

- (i) *Technical Signal Branch.*—Male , age not more than 28 years as at 30th June, 2006,

- (ii) *Equipment Branch.*—

- (a) Male/Female, age not more than 35 years as at 30th June, 2006 for Mess Managers indicated in paragraph 2-b (1)

- (b) Male/Female, age not more than 30 years as at 30th June 2006 for Mess managers indicated in paragraph 2-b (2)

- (iii) *Administrative Regiment Branch.*— Male age not more than 35 years as at 30th June, 2006.

- (iv) *Air Field Construction Branch.*— Male, age not more than 35 years as at 30th June, 2006,

- (v) *Medical Branch.*— Male/Female, age not more than 35 years as at 30th June, 2006,

- (vi) *Dental Branch.*— Male / Female, age not more than 35 years as at 30th June, 2006,

04. Any candidate who may have a special skill or value to the service may at the discretion of the Commander of the Air Force be considered, even though he may not have the requisite age or height provided he/she possesses the requisite academic and professional qualifications.

05. Be medically fit so as to pass such medical examinations as may be prescribed by the Commander of the Air Force.

06. Due considerations will be given to current outstanding achievements in the field of sports.

07. Selected candidates will be granted a Regular or Volunteer Commission in the Sri Lanka Air Force in the Pilot Officer, Flying Officer or Flight Lieutenant Rank in keeping with their qualifications and experience.

08. *Official Language Requirements.*—Selected candidates will be required to comply with any rules already made or may hereafter be made for giving effect to the Language Policy of the Republic of Sri Lanka and in particular for implementing the provisions the Official Language Act, No. 33 of 1956.

09. Selected candidates will be required to undergo training at such places as decided by the Commander of the Air Force. If at any time during training, the officer is reported on by the authorities as being unsuitable for reasons of misconduct or due to causes within his control, he will be liable to have his Commission withdrawn and/ or be subject to other disciplinary action in accordance with the Sri Lanka Air Force Disciplinary Regulations.

10. The conditions of services of an Officer of the Sri Lanka Air Force are in terms of Sri Lanka Air Force Regulations published in the *Gazette* No. 10,240 of 27th April, 1951, and as amended from time to time. In terms of Section 10 of the Air Force Act, "Every Officer shall hold his appointment during the President's pleasure". However an Officer has no right to resign his Commission unilaterally but under provision of section II of the Air Force Act, may be allowed by the President to do so. The provisions of any Bond/ Agreement envisaging a period of obligatory service in respect of training and subsequent courses will not supersede the

provisions of Section II of the Air Force Act, stated above. Retirement from the Air Force will be applicable under conditions specified in the Air Force Pensions and Gratuities Code.

11. All Officers are liable to be posted for duty or training in any part of the world at any time.

12. A single Officer is required to live in the Officers Mess. He is provided with furnished accommodation and food. Batman service will be provided. A single Officer's ration allowance and batman allowance are paid to the Mess.

13. A married Officer may be provided with a married quarter if available. Recovery of rental will be as applicable to public servants. Married Officers not in occupation of married quarters will be entitled to a rental allowance as stated in para. 15 (d) (17).

14. All Officers are Governed by the Air Force Act and orders issued from time to time.

15. (a) Pay for Commissioned Officers other than Medical and Dental Officers :-

Pilot Officer- Rs. 133,380 p.a.
Flying Officer-Rs. 157,500-9x3,780=Rs. 191,520 p.a.
Flight Lieutenant-Rs. 180,180-9x 3,780=Rs. 214,200 p.a.
Squadron Leader-Rs. 202,860-7x 3,780-1x4,200-
2x6300=Rs. 246,120 p.a.
Wing Commander-Rs. 214,980-2x7,740-5x8,580
=Rs. 273,360 p.a.
Group Captain-Rs. 276,540-7x11,880=Rs. 359,700 p.a.

(b) Medical Officers :-

Preliminary Grade - Rs. 186,060-1x3,240=Rs. 189,300
Grade II - Rs. 206,880-3x4,920=Rs. 5x6,600-Rs. 254,640
Grade I - Rs. 263,040-8x8,904=Rs. 334,272
Senior Admin Grade - Rs. 279,120-10x8,904=Rs. 368,160
Specialist Grade-Rs. 345,600-8x12,360=Rs. 444,480

(c) Dental Officers :-

Grade II - Rs. 192,240-3x3,200-4x4,920-5x6,600-
Rs. 254,640
Grade I Rs. 263,040-8x8,904=Rs. 334,272

Other Allowances applicable to Medical and Dental Officers - (service allowances indicated in Paragraph 15(d) are to be calculated separately as applicable).

Pensionable Allowance :

Preliminary Grade Rs. 1,700 per month
Grade II Rs. 1,700 per month
Grade I Rs. 3,400 per month
Specialist Grade Rs. 3,400 per month

Non Pensionable Allowance :

Preliminary Grade Rs. 2,125 per month
Grade II Rs. 1,700 per month

Grade I Rs. 400 per month

Extraneous duty Allowances Rs. 5,000 per month

Service allowance Rs. 300, Rs. 400, Rs. 500 per month as applicable.

Additional service allowance Rs. 1,500 per month

Extra duty payments

Preliminary Grade Rs. 105 per hour

Grade II Rs. 140 per hour

Grade I Rs. 150 per hour

(d) *Other Allowances:-*

- (1) Interim allowance 1-10% of the consolidated salary per month.
- (2) Interim allowance II Rs. 1,200 per month
- (3) Cost of living Allowance Rs. 1,000 per month
- (4) Incentive allowance of Rs. 250 per month after five years of Service.
- (5) Hardlying allowance Rs. 600 per month
- (6) Enhanced Allowance Rs. 2,400 per month for those serving in operational areas
- (7) Special allowance Rs. 3,000 per month for those serving in the Jaffna Peninsula
- (8) Uniform upkeep allowance Rs. 255 per month
- (9) Batman allowance Rs. 637.50 per month (If permitted to live out)
- (10) Ration allowance Rs. 6213.64 per month (If permitted to live out)
- (11) Qualification pay where applicable (upto a maximum of Rs. 637.50 per month)
- (12) 03 sets of holiday railway warrants per year (for Officer, Spouse and Children)
- (13) An additional set of railway warrants or the reimbursement of bus fare for officers living in Messes to travel from the Mess to the home-town once a month.
- (14) Free issue of uniforms & ancillary items.
- (15) Free medical facilities (including for families if applicable)
- (16) Married Officers permitted to live - out are entitled to a free bus pass to travel to place of work within 30 miles radius.
- (17) Rent allowance for married officers not in occupation of a government married quarter. Pilot Officer to Group Captain and above Rs. 1,500-3,850/= per month.

16. Pensions/Gratuities are payable in terms of the Air Force Pensions & Gratuities code 1981 as amended from time to time. All Officers are contributors to the Widows and Orphans Pension (Armed Forces) Scheme. Rates of contributions are as per Widows and Orphans Pension (Armed Forces) Scheme Regulations 1970.

17. *Instructions to Applicants :*

- (a) Applications should be submitted in applicants own hand writing terms of the form specified below. All cages of the application should be completed neatly with as much details as possible. Applications should be addressed to:

“Chief Recruiting Officer Sri Lanka Air Force Ekala Kotugoda” so as to reach him not later than 1200 noon on 26th April 2006 under registered cover. The envelope enclosing the application should be marked “Application for Commission in the Branch” Applications received after the closing date and not in accordance with the requirements of this notification and not in registered post mail will not be entertained.

- (b) Candidates who are in Government service/ Corporations/ Boards/Civil Establishments should forward their applications through their Heads of Department/Corporations/Boards/Civil Establishments & should bear a certificate to the effect that the candidate will be released if selected.

- (c) Applicants should attach to their applications copies of:

- (1) Certificate of Registration of Birth,
- (2) Certificates of the highest academic and professional qualifications obtained,
- (3) Certificates of Character from at least two responsible persons who are personally acquainted with the applicant,
- (4) Certificates in support of sports activities, cadeting, etc.,
- (5) Certificate in support of any claims made in the application.

Originals of these certificates should be produced only if and when the applicant is called for the interviews.

18. 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.

Selection Interview etc. :-

19. Preliminary selections will be made amongst those candidates who fulfils the above conditions only. candidates so selected from the preliminary interview will be required to undergo medical test as may be prescribed by the Commander of the Air Force. The final selection will then be made after an interview of those selected candidates, by a selection board appointed by the Ministry of Defence.

20. Candidates selected for interviews will be informed in writing of the place, time and date of such interviews. No Travelling or other expenses will be paid in this respect.

21. On every occasion an applicant is summoned for an interview he is to produce his National Identity Card issued by the Department of Registration of persons.

22. Candidates likely to be suitable following their final interview will be required to present themselves before an Air Force Medical Board.

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

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

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

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

SPECIMEN APPLICATION FORM

APPLICATION FOR COMMISSION IN THE SRI LANKA REGULAR/VOLUNTEER
AIR FORCE IN THE BRANCH

1. Full Name (As per the National Identity Card): _____,
2. National Identity Card Number : _____,
3. (a) postal Address : _____,
(b) Permanent Address : _____,
(c) Nearest Police Station to Permanent Address: _____,
(d) District : _____,
(e) Electorate : _____,
(f) GS Division : _____,
(g) Telephone Number : _____,
4. Date of Birth : _____,
Age (as at 30th June 2006) :-
Years : _____, Months: _____, Days: _____,
5. Married or Single : _____,
6. Nationality : _____,
(State whether citizen of Sri Lanka by Descent or by registration and if latter, quote number and date of certificate)
7. Height: _____, feet and : _____, inches: _____,
8. Particulars of School and/ or University : _____,

Name of School/ University	Date of		Public Examination & subjects Passed (including Grading)
	Joining	Leaving	

9. Particulars of employment since leaving School/University:

Name & Address of employer	Nature of Employment	Period of service	
		From	To

10. Particulars of parents :

Full Name	Place of Birth	Occupation	Present Address
Father			
Mother			

11. Any special qualification for the post:

12. Details of current achievements in sports. (Give details of teams and competitions participated with dates and standards achieved)

13. Other achievements of note at School/University or with outside organizations. (Give details with dates)

14. Any previous service in the Armed Force or Volunteer Force, Cadet Corps or Boy Scout Organization.

15. Have you applied earlier to join the Sri Lanka Air Force or any of the Armed Services or Police, if so give details and the outcome of such applications.

16. Have you being convicted or bound over by a civil or military court, if so give details:-

17. If earlier employed in a Government Department or in the public Sector/Board/Corporation (including the Central Bank, National Bank, Universities, Joint Stock Companies controlled by the Government etc.) reasons for termination of employment:-

18. Particulars of testimonials:-

Name	Designation	Postal Address

19. Declaration to be signed by the applicant:-

I declare on my honour that answers given to the above questions are, to the best of my knowledge and belief correct. I have read and understood the procedure which will be adopted and the rules which will apply in respect of those candidates who are selected for Commission in the Sri Lanka Air Force published in the *Gazette* of the Republic of Sri Lanka.

Signature of Applicant.

Date : _____,

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SRI LANKA REGULAR AIR FORCE

Airmen Vacancies

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

(1) (a) Trade and Educational Qualifications required :

(1) Aeronautical Engineering

(i) *Aeronautical Engineering Mechanic*. - Passes in 06 subjects at the GCE (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings (without additional and optional subjects) 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) Electronic and Telecommunication Engineering :

(i) Air Radio Mechanic.

(ii) Telegraph Mechanic.

Passes in 06 subjects at the GCE (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings (without additional and optional subjects) 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.

(iii) Telephonist.

(iv) Air Communicator.

(v) Computer Technician.

Passes in 06 subjects at the GCE (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings (without additional and optional subjects) 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)

(3) General Engineering :

(i) Armament Mechanic

(ii) General Mechanic

(iii) Motor Transport Mechanic

(iv) Aircraft Welder

Passes in 06 subjects at the GCE (O/L) Examination at not more than two sittings (without additional and optional subjects) 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.