



MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE
HECTOR KOBBEKADUWA AGRARIAN RESEARCH &
TRAINING INSTITUTE

Applications are called for the following posts from suitably qualified candidates who are citizens of Sri Lanka.

01. ACCOUNTANT - 01

Qualifications & Experience

External : A Bachelor's Degree in Management or Commerce, **OR** Higher National Diploma in Accountancy **OR** Intermediate Level qualification of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Sri Lanka (ICASL) **OR** Intermediate Level qualification of Chartered Institute of Management Accountants (CIMA) **OR** Intermediate Level qualification of Association of Certified and Corporate Accounts (ACCA).

AND

At least three years post qualifying experience in accounting and finance in a Government Department / Corporation / Board or a reputed Mercantile Establishment.

A Credit pass for English at the G.C.E. (O/L) Examination will be an added qualification.

Note : Exposure to computerized accounting environment is a distinct advantage.

Internal : Minimum of five (05) years satisfactory service as Accounts Officer Grade I of the Junior Manager Category.

Age : Should be not less than 30 years and not more than 45 years. The upper age limit will not apply to the internal candidates.

Salary Code & Salary Scale :

MM 1-1 Rs. [25,640 - 3x665 - 7x735 - 15x925 - 46,655/-]

02. RESEARCH OFFICER - 13

Qualifications & Experience

Educational : (a) A special degree of four years duration in Sociology, Economics, Econometrics, Statistics, Agriculture, Nutrition, Public Policy, Gender Studies, Communication or in a relevant field with a first class or second class upper with appropriate subject combinations from a university recognized by the UGC.

AND

(b) A special degree of four years duration in Sociology, Economics, Econometrics, Statistics, Agriculture, Nutrition, Public Policy, Gender Studies, Communication or in a relevant field with a second class lower with appropriate subject combinations from a university recognized by the UGC and a minimum of one year post graduate research degree in the relevant field.

OR

(c) A degree in Sociology, Economics, Econometrics, Statistics, Agriculture, Nutrition, Public Policy, Gender Studies, Communication or in a relevant field with appropriate subject combination from a university recognized by the UGC and a 02 year post graduate research degree in the relevant field.

Age : Should be not less than 22 years and not more than 45 years. The upper age limit will not apply to the internal candidates.

Salary Code & Salary Scale :

AR 1: Rs. [24,725 - 5x550 - 5x645 - 15x770 - 42,250]

03. TRANSPORT ASSISTANT - 01

Qualifications & Experience

Educational : (a) Having passed the G.C.E. (O/L) Examination in six subjects in one sitting with Credit passes for four subjects including
i. Sinhala / Tamil
ii. English Language
iii. Maths

AND

(b) Having achieved the performance level required to follow a tertiary education course by passing the required number of subjects other than the 'General Paper' at the G.C.E. (A/L) Examination.

Vocational : Two (02) years Diploma or Certificate Course in Motor Mechanism / Transportation of equivalent

AND

One (01) year post qualifying experience in a reputed public or private sector in the relevant field.

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

Salary Code & Salary Scale :

MA 2-2: Rs. [14,610 - 10x145 - 7x170 - 4x290 - 20x345 - 25,310]

Other Benefits (For all posts)

All posts are permanent with entitlement to Employees' Provident Fund and Employees' Trust Fund.

In addition to the salary, the government approved Cost of Living and Special Allowances will be paid. A medical scheme is also available for the institute staff.

Duly completed applications together with the certified copies of the proofs of relevant educational qualifications, experience along with the names and contact details of two non-related referees should be sent by registered post to reach the **Director, Hector Kobbekaduwa Agrarian Research and Training Institute, 114, Wijerama Mawatha, Colombo 07, on or before 30th November 2015**. The post applied for should be clearly written on the top left-hand corner of the envelope. Application forms can be obtained during office hours from the Administration Unit or can be downloaded from the website. Full details are available at www.harti.gov.lk

Applicants in government corporations / statutory bodies / public sector institutions should forward their applications through their respective heads of institutions.

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