



VACANCIES

CENTRAL ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORITY (MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT)

We are looking for qualified, dynamic, self-motivated career-oriented, team players to fill the following vacancies. Writing and presentation skills, proficiency in English, familiarity with Government regulations and computer literacy will be considered as additional qualifications.

The age limits will not be applicable to those who already in state service. Applicants from Government or Semi-Government Sector should forward their applications through Heads of their Institutes.

1) Post of Chemist- (MM 1-1) - (01 Post)

Qualifications : External 1. A Bachelor's Degree in the field of Science which is recognized by the UGC with Chemistry as a subject.

AND

A minimum five (05) years post qualifying experience in Executive Level in the field of recognized Analytical Laboratory.

Internal 1. Having obtained the qualifications required by the external candidate above.

OR

2. Five (05) years satisfactory service in Laboratory works at Junior Manager Level in CEA.

Age Limit : Should not be less than 22 years and not more than 45 years.

Place of work : North Central Provincial Office at Anuradhapura

2) Post of Assistant Director (Information Technology) - (MM 1-1) - (01 Post)

Qualifications & Experience : External 1. A Bachelor's Degree in the field of Information Technology and Network/System Administration which is recognized by the U.G.C.

AND

A minimum five (05) year post qualifying experience in Executive Level in the field of Information Technology and Network/System Administration after obtaining the first degree.

Internal 1. Having obtained the qualifications required by the external candidate above.

OR

2. Five (05) years satisfactory service in the field of Information Technology as a Junior Manager Level in CEA.

Age Limit : Should not be less than 22 years and not more than 45 years.

Place of work : Head Office at Battaramulla

3) Post of Assistant Director (Legal) - (MM 1-1) - (01 Post)

Qualifications & Experience : External 1. A Bachelor's Degree in Law which is recognized by the UGC and enrolled as Attorney-at-Law.

AND

A minimum five (05) year post qualifying experience at the bar as a Practicing Lawyer.

Internal 1. Having obtained the qualifications required by the external candidate above.

OR

2. Five (05) years satisfactory service in Legal Officer at Junior Manager Level in CEA.

Age Limit : Should not be less than 22 years and not more than 45 years.

Place of work: Head Office at Battaramulla

Salary Scale for MM 1-1 Posts - Rs. 91,690 -10x2480-15x3450 – 168,240

You will be placed at the salary step of **Rs.71,730/=** in terms of Management Services Circular No. 01/2025 of 25.03.2025 and its Schedule II.

In addition to the above salary, Rs.17,800/- of cost of living allowance is paid.

As per the Management Services Circular No. 01/2025 of 25.03.2025 and its schedule II,

Salary step with effect from **01.01.2026 – 81,710/-**

Salary step with effect from **01.01.2027 – 91,690/-**

Fringe Benefits for the MM 1-1 Posts -

- Professional Allowance
- Telephone Allowance
- Medical Insurance Scheme
- Encashment of Unutilized Medical Leave

4) Technical Officer (Civil Engineering and Protection) (JM 1-2) – (01 Post)

5) Technical Officer (Electric and Mechanic) (JM 1-2) – (01 Post)

**Qualifications : External
& Experience**

1. A Degree in the field of Physical Science/ Engineering which is recognized by the UGC.

AND

One (01) year in the field of engineering or related subject in a recognized Institution.

Internal

1. Having obtained the qualifications required by the external candidate above.

OR

2. Completion of minimum (05) years satisfactory service in the “Management Assistant - Technological (MA 2-2)” II Category in Grade II in the relevant field.

Salary

Rs. 74,010 - 10x 1360- 18x 2040- 124,330.00

You will be placed at the salary step of **Rs.59,552 /-** in terms of Management Services Circular No. 01/2025 of 25.03.2025 and its Schedule II.

In addition to the above salary, Rs.17,800/- of cost of living allowance is paid.

As per the Management Services Circular No. 01/2025 of 25.03.2025 and its schedule II.

Salary step with effect from **01.01.2026 – 66,781/-**

Salary step with effect from **01.01.2027 – 74,010/-**

Age Limit : Should not be less than 22 years and not more than 45 years.

Place of work : Dompe Sanitary Landfill (Gampaha) / Head Office at Battaramulla

6) Post of Assistant Librarian (JM 1-1) - (01 Post)

Qualifications & : **External** 1. A Bachelor Degree in the field of Library & Information Science which is recognized by the UGC.

OR

Experience 2. Higher Diploma in Library and Information Science (NVQ 6) issued by Sri Lanka Library Association or Other recognized Institution

AND

At least Five (05) years post qualifying experience in a relevant field in a recognized institution.

OR

3. Diploma in Library and Information Science / Public Librarianship (NVQ 5) issued by Sri Lanka Library Association or Other recognized Institution

AND

At least Ten (10) years post qualifying experience in a relevant field in a recognized Institution.

Internal 1. Having obtained the qualifications required by the external Candidate above.

Salary Scale Rs. 72,650 - 10x 1360- 18x 2040- 122,970.00

You will be placed at the salary step of **Rs.58,615** /- in terms of Management Services Circular No. 01/2025 of 25.03.2025 and its Schedule II.

In addition to the above salary, Rs.17,800/- of cost of living allowance is paid.

As per the Management Services Circular No. 01/2025 of 25.03.2025 and its schedule II.

Salary step with effect from **01.01.2026 – 65,633/-**

Salary step with effect from **01.01.2027 – 72,650/-**

Age Limit : Should not be less than 22 years and not more than 45 years.

Place of work : **Head Office at Battaramulla**

7) Post of Assistant Legal Officer - (MA 5-1) (01 Post)

Qualifications & Experience : **External** LLB Degree which is recognized by the UGC and enrolled as Attorney-at- Law.

Salary : Rs. 58,740-10 x 1,190 – 15 x 1360 –11 x 1,670 – 109,410.00

You will be placed at the salary step of **Rs.49,031/=** in terms of Management Services Circular No. 01/2025 of 25.03.2025 and its Schedule II.

In addition to the above salary, Rs.17,800/- of cost of living allowance is paid.

As per the Management Services Circular No. 01/2025 of 25.03.2025 and its schedule II.

Salary step with effect from **01.01.2026 – 53,886/-**

Salary step with effect from **01.01.2027 – 58,740/-**

Age Limit : Should not be less than 22 years and not more than 45 years.

Place of work : **Head Office at Battaramulla**

8) Post of Laboratory Assistant - (MA 2-2) (01 Post)

Qualifications & Experience : **External** 1. Having obtained a certificate of proficiency not below than the National Vocational Qualification Level 5 in the relevant field, issued by a Technical / Vocational Training Institute accepted by the Tertiary and Vocational Education Commission.

And

One (01) year experience in the relevant field in a recognized Institution.

Internal 1. Having obtained the qualifications required by the external candidate above.

Salary : Rs. 50,540-10 x 540 – 7 x 630 –4 x 1,080 – 20x 1,280 – 90,270.00 P.M.

You will be placed at the salary step of **Rs.43,379/-** in terms of Management Services Circular No. 01/2025 of 25.03.2025 and its Schedule II.

In addition to the above salary, Rs.17,800/- of cost of living allowance is paid.

As per the Management Services Circular No. 01/2025 of 25.03.2025 and its schedule II.

Salary step with effect from **01.01.2026 – 46,960/-**

Salary step with effect from **01.01.2027 – 50,540/-**

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

Place of work : Northern Provincial Office at Kininochchi

9) Post of Management Assistant (Non- Tech) - (MA 1-2) (16 Posts)

Qualifications & Experience : **External** Having passed the G.C.E.(O/L)examination in six (06) subjects in one sitting with credit passes for four subjects including

- Experience**
- i. Sinhala/Tamil
 - ii. English language
 - iii. Mathematics.

And

Having passed three (03) subjects (Other than the General paper) at the GCE (A/L) examination in one sitting.

And

One (01) year experience in the relevant field in a recognized Institute.

And

Should pass the practical test in Computer Literacy conducted by CEA.

Internal Confirmed employees who have completed minimum five (05) years of service of the categories of Primary Level – Skilled, Primary Level – Semiskilled and Primary Level – Unskilled who possess the following qualifications are eligible to apply.

With

Having passed the G.C.E.(O/L)examination in six (06) subjects in one sitting with credit passes for four subjects including

- i. Sinhala/Tamil
- ii. English language
- iii. Mathematics.

And

Should pass the practical test in Computer Literacy conducted by CEA.

Note :- Any period of service prior to been appointed to a permanent post or any period of service to be completed under training as a prerequisite for appointment on permanent basis to any post should not be counted within the five years of service required for qualification as stated above. Any period of service on casual / temporary basis too should not be counted for this purpose.

Salary Scale : Rs. 46,220 –10x540–7x630-12x1080-12x1280-84,350.00

You will be placed at the salary step of **Rs 40,403./=** in terms of Management Services Circular No. 01/2025 of 25.03.2025 and its Schedule II.

In addition to the above salary, Rs.17,800/- of cost of living allowance is paid.

As per the Management Services Circular No. 01/2025 of 25.03.2025 and its schedule II.

Salary step with effect from **01.01.2026 – 43,312/-**

Salary step with effect from **01.01.2027 – 46,220/-**

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

Place of Work: Will be decided according to the merit list your preference and management decision.

Fringe Benefits for JM & MA:

- Medical Insurance Scheme
- Encashment of Unutilized Medical Leave

Other: Every applicant:

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

Recruitment Procedure

As per the approved Scheme of Recruitment for the Central Environmental Authority.

Nature of the Appointment

Permanent with entitlement to Employee Provident Fund and Employee Trust Fund.

General Instructions

The applicants should visit www.cea.lk website to download the specimen application and should be forwarded in registered post **on or before 21st November 2025** to reach the Director General via address given below. Applicants those who have not used the specimen application will not be considered. All educational, professional, and other relevant qualifications must be completed by the closing date of the advertisement.

Please indicate the post applied for, on the top left-hand corner of the envelope. Incomplete and late applications will be rejected. Copies of the certificates to prove academic / professional qualifications and experience should be attached with the application. If the Degree acquired from a foreign university, UGC recognition should be attached.

Incomplete and/or late applications will not be accepted.

Director General

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