Ministry of Science and Technology

NATIONAL ENGINEERING RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT CENTRE OF SRI LANKA (NERDC)

V A C A N C I E S

NERDC is the premier Engineering Research and Development organization in Sri Lanka, coming under the purview of the Ministry of Science and Technology. NERDC engage in variety of intellectually challenging Engineering Research and Development projects based on national importance and priorities and carryout various technical services for industries throughout the Island.

Applications are invited from qualified, energetic, proactive and innovative Sri Lankan professionals for the following post.

DIRECTOR GENERAL – HM 2-3

For External Candidates

Academic and Professional Qualifications : (01 or 02 below)

01. Bachelor's Degree in Engineering of 4 years duration with 1st Class or 2nd Class Upper Division from a university recognized by the University Grant Commission of Sri Lanka **AND** Corporate Membership (Charter) of a professional body recognized by the Institute of Engineers, Sri Lanka OR Postgraduate degree in Master Level

OR

02. Bachelor's degree of 4 years duration in Engineering from a university recognized by the University Grant Commission of Sri Lanka and postgraduate degree in Master level **AND** Corporate Membership (Charter) of a Professional body recognized by Institution of Engineers Sri Lanka

Experience : 20 years experience after the first degree in a reputed organization, of which, 10 years should be at Senior Management level and five years post charter experience.

Age Limit : Should be not less than 30 years and not more than 50 years.
(The upper age limit will not apply to individuals currently employed in the Public sector including Government Corporations/ Boards/ other Statutory Bodies)

For Internal Candidates

Having obtained the qualifications required by the external candidates above

OR

Five (05) years experience as a Deputy Director General at the NERDC

Salary Scale : HM 2-3 - 2025 : Rs. 173,000 - 12 × 4,850 - 231,200

(Salary will be paid as per the Management Services Department Circular No. 01/2025 + All Government approved Allowances including Professional Allowance, Communication Allowance, Cost of Living Allowance, etc.)

Other Benefits :

- NERDC contributes 15% of the salary to the Employees Provident Fund and employee should contribute 10%
- NERDC contributes 3% of the salary to the Employees Trust Fund
- Government approved Transport Allowance of Rs. 50,000/- OR NERDC maintained vehicle, Fuel Allowance as per the relevant Government circulars.
- Reimbursement of Medical bills as per the approved Medical Scheme of the NERDC
- Other Government approved allowances /privileges will be given as per the relevant Government circulars.

Closing Date for Applications : 2025.10.12

Applications giving full Bio-Data with names, addresses and telephone numbers of two non-related referees and copies of the certificates relevant to educational, professional and experience should be forwarded by registered post to reach the under mentioned address on or before the closing date.

(The position applied should be marked on the top left hand corner of the envelope. The Applications from employees in the Public Sector, Government Corporations/ Boards/ Statutory Bodies should be forwarded through their respective Heads of institutions, if such applications are to be considered)

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