

Details on Expression of Interest invited for appointment of Ombudsman under MGNREGS

The District Rural Development Agency, Puducherry invites applications from willing persons having degree from any recognized University, to be engaged as Ombudsman (one Post) for this U.T of Puducherry for Puducherry and Karaikal District for redressal of grievances and disposal of complaints relating to implementation of the MGNREG Act and MGNREGS for a tenure of 2 years extendable by one year based on performance appraisal or till attaining the age of 68 years whichever is earlier

Eligibility criteria

The persons fulfilling the following criteria may apply for selection of Ombudsman under MGNREGS.

1. Should not be more than 66 years of age as on 01.01.2022.
2. Should hold a degree from any recognized University.
3. Should not be insane/of unsound mind
4. He/ She should not have been declared as insolvent. Nor should there be any case, either civil or criminal, pending against him/her in any court in India
5. Should not have been convicted or sentenced to punishment.
6. Person of eminent standing and impeccable integrity with at least Ten years of experience in public administration, law, academics, social work or management.
7. Preference may be given to person resident of the same or neighboring district.
8. Experience in working with people or community organisation shall be mandatory qualification.
9. **No person who is a member of a recognised political party or banned organisation shall be considered for appointment as ombudsman, each person shall be required to file a declaration to this effect along with the application.**
10. The person selected as Ombudsman must be physically active and capable of conducting field tours, inspections and visit to remote rural location in the districts

Appointment

The one Ombudsman for the both District of Puducherry and Karaikal will be appointed on the recommendations of the Selection Committee.

Remuneration

The Ombudsman shall be allowed compensation, in the form of fee, of **Rs. 2,250/- (two thousands two hundred and fifty thousand)** per sitting with maximum upper limit of **Rs 45,000/- (Forty five thousand)** per month. Sitting means per day functioning irrespective of number of cases and its duration in terms of working hours

Removal

On unsatisfactory performance, the Ombudsman may be removed by the State Government on the recommendation of the Selection Committee.

Jurisdiction & Location

The office of MGNREGA Ombudsman shall be located in DRDA, Puducherry. Technical and administrative support will be provided by the DRDA Puducherry. All necessary support to enable the ombudsman to carry out the assigned functions, including support staff, office equipments, complaint box, and telephone helpline etc., shall be provided to the Ombudsman by the district authority.

The state government shall provide necessary legal support to cases in courts relating to actions taken in the official capacity by the Ombudsman.

Secretary(RD) will act as a Appellate Authority on the disclosure of ombudsman.

The willing persons fulfilling above criteria may submit their written expression of interest in the prescribed proforma along with a copy of the required documents to the **Project Director, DRDA** on or before **24.08.2022** through registered post. The application received after the due date will not considered.

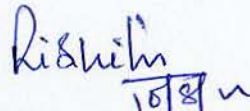
The committee reserves the right to accept or reject any application for expression of interest without assigning any reasons thereof.

Contact

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NB:- Visit website www.nrega.nic.in to know details about role and duties of Ombudsman under MGNREGS.


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PROJECT DIRECTOR, DRDA

Model application format

1. Personal Information

- 1.1 Name :
- 1.2 Age (as on....) :
(attach date of birth certificate)
- 1.3 Address for correspondence :
- 1.4 Permanent Address (attach proof of Residence) :
- 1.5 Are you medically (physically & mentally) fit to conduct field visits? (attach a medical fitness certificate) :
- 1.6 Whether member of Political party? (attach a personal affidavit certified by a notary public) :
- 1.7 Whether convicted / charge sheeted in a Criminal case? (attach a personal Declaration certified by a notary public) :
- 1.8 Do you have responsibility of implementing MGNREGA in any capacity? :

2. Professional Information.

- 2.1 Highest education qualification (attach Copy of certificates attested by a gazetted officer) :
- 2.2 Total no. of years of work experience (attach copy of certificated attested by A gazetted officer) :
- 2.3 Field of experience :
- 2.4 Last post / position held, if any :
- 2.5 Member of any society / professional Body, if any (give details) :

3. Declaration:

It is certified that above information furnished by me are correct. I have gone through the advertisement and the Instructions on Ombudsman. Issued by the Govt. of India and understand that this is a part time work and all functions are to be carried out within the purview and confines of the MGNREGS Act, Rules and Schemes framed there under and operational guidelines issued by Govt. of India from time to time.

- 3.1 Date of retirement (in case of Government Servant) :
- 3.2 Post held at the time of retirement :

Date:
Place:

Signature of the applicant:
Name of the applicant: