

## **Ceylon Petroleum Corporation**

### **Recruitment of Agricultural Research & Development Officer on Contract Basis for the CPC Projects & Operational Expansions**

Applications are invited from citizen of Sri Lanka to be considered for the undermentioned Post.

<b>Service condition</b>	-	Contract Basis for 01 Year
<b>Number of Vacancy</b>	-	02
<b>Age Limit</b>	-	Should not be more than 30 years of age as at closing date of applications
<b>Salary</b>	-	Rs. 164,295.00 + Cost of Living Rs.10,000 + Rs. 5250

#### **Required Qualifications for the above posts**

1. Honours Degree in Agriculture of a recognized University or equivalent with 01 year relevant post degree experience.
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2. General Degree in Agriculture of a recognized University or equivalent with 02 years relevant post degree experience.

Field Research experience will be added qualification.

#### **Job Description**

1. Assist in formulating new agrochemical products (insecticides, herbicides, fungicides, etc.) based on market needs.
2. Conduct field trials, lab tests, and product efficacy studies in collaboration with research institutions or internal teams.
3. Analyze and interpret trial data for product performance, phytotoxicity, and environmental impact.
4. Prepare technical dossiers for product registration in line with the regulatory framework of Sri Lanka or target export markets.
5. Liaise with the Registrar of Pesticides and other regulatory authorities to ensure timely approval.
6. Provide technical input to sales and marketing teams regarding product positioning, usage guidelines, and farmer training materials.
7. Train field staff and distributors on product application, safety, and best agronomic practices.
8. Monitor market trends, competitor products, and innovations in agrochemical technologies.
9. Recommend improvements or alternatives based on feedback and industry developments.

10. Work closely with marketing, production, QA, and logistics to ensure product readiness and launch.
11. Maintain accurate records of trials, product specifications, and development stages.
12. Any other relevant jobs assigned by the Management.

### **Fringe Benefits**

The Project will contribute 12% of the salary towards the EPF whilst the employee will have to contribute 08%. The Corporation will also contribute 3% of the salary towards the ETF.

Note :- This contractual appointment will not entitle or legally bind any permanent appointment in the Corporation.

### **How to Apply**

Application using the prescribed form should be forwarded with names and addresses and contact details of two non – related referees. Certified copies of all Educational certificates should be enclosed along with the application. Application form could be down loaded from the careers tab in the official website of the Ceylon Petroleum Corporation [www.ceypetco.gov.lk](http://www.ceypetco.gov.lk)

Also the applicants could fill an online form and should upload the scan copies of the certificates.

**Applications from employees in Government Departments and Statutory Bodies should be forwarded through their Heads of Institutions who should certify whether the applicant could be released to take up appointment, if selected.**

***The post applied for should be written on the top left hand corner of the envelope which contains the application should be sent to the following address by requested post on or before 19.08.2025***

**The application not complying the above requirements will be rejected.**

**Managing Director  
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