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2. Essential Skills for the positions: Strong written and verbal communication skills are essential, along with expertise in basic computer applications such as word processing, spreadsheets, and PowerPoint presentations. Additional skills required for each position are listed above. Proficiency in IT skills, including Microsoft Office and G Suite applications (Google Docs, Sheets, and Slides), is also necessary, particularly the ability to create impactful presentations.

3. Age Limit: Must be below 50 years of age.

4. Place of Posting: Selected candidate shall be posted at the location mentioned above which will entail frequent travelling to the project sites.

5. Remuneration:

5.1. The monthly fees or emolument shall be as mentioned in the pay column or TOR.

6. Duration of Contract:

6.1. The duration of contract will be for a period of 01 (one) year. The contract may be renewed subject to the performance satisfaction and continuance of the project you are engaged with.

6.2. A detailed document of terms and conditions of engagement would be provided to the selected candidates and a deed agreement would have to be signed by the selected candidate with the SCEP to that effect.

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10. Selection Process:

- 10.1. There will be written/technical test and personal interview for the positions. Written/Technical test will comprise of Subject Matter Knowledge, General Knowledge, Reasoning, and English.
- 10.2. The Written Test/ Personal Interview will be held only in Shillong.

11. General Information:

- 11.1. The pre-requisite qualifications and experience are minimal and the mere fact that a candidate possesses the same will not entitle him/her for being called for interview. MBDA reserves the right to restrict the candidates to be called for interview to a reasonable number on the basis of qualifications and experience higher than the minimum prescribed in the advertisement or by any other condition that it may deem fit.
- 11.2. Candidates are advised to clearly indicate their contact number and e-mail address to facilitate faster communication. Information regarding the screening test/written/interview will be sent only to the shortlisted candidates via SMS/E-mail and no correspondence will be made with applicants who are not shortlisted. List of the shortlisted candidates will be displayed in the MBDA website, **www.mbda.gov.in** and office notice board.
- 11.3. MBDA reserves the right to conduct additional examination /skill test or call for any additional documentary evidence in support of educational qualification & experience of the applicant.
- 11.4. In case of non-availability of suitable candidates with prescribed qualifications and experience, MBDA reserves the right to relax the prescribed qualifications and experience for candidates found more suitable for lower position with relevant experience and expertise in the specified field.
- 11.5. The number of vacancies indicated in the advertisement and notification is tentative. MBDA reserves the right to increase/decrease the number of posts at the time of selection and make appointment(s) accordingly, if more vacancies do exist in between the advertisement and the selection process.
- 11.6. MBDA reserves the right to extend the closing date for receipt of applications. MBDA also reserves the right to fill or not to fill any or all the positions advertised or cancel recruitment procedure at any stage without assigning any reason thereof.
- 11.7. No TA/DA shall be paid for attending written test and interview.
- 11.8. Canvassing of any kind will render to disqualification.
- 11.9. Staff already working with MBDA, who are otherwise eligible can also apply. Their applications must be routed through their reporting officer. However, for newly appointed staff, he/she should complete a minimum period of one year in their current position.

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