



GOVERNMENT OF SIKKIM
RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT
GANGTOK

Ref. No. 69/RDD

Date: 01-04-2026

To

The Director,
Information and Public Relations Department,
Government of Sikkim,
Tadong.

Subject: Publication of Advertisement for the Post of Ombudsperson under MGNREGA

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to enclose herewith both hard and soft copy of Advertisement for the post of Ombudsperson under MGNREGA with a request to kindly publish the same in Sikkim Express in two issues on alternative days. The size of the said Advertisement maybe limited to a maximum of one fourth of a page.

I am further directed to request you for online advertisement of the same in the State Portal and your social media pages for one week. The bill for the same maybe forwarded to the undersigned for settlement, please.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,


Joint Secretary,

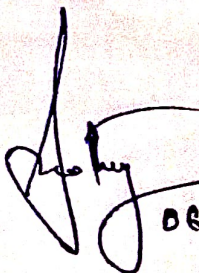
MGNREGA/ Rural Development Dept,
Government of Sikkim.

Joint Secretary
MGNREGA/RDU
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DD / Advt. for print media

AD / IT. for state portal

DIO / GtH for social media pages.


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Advertisement for the post of Ombudsperson under MGNREGA-RDD

Application is invited from interested candidates in the prescribed format for filling up 6 (six) posts of Ombudsperson for Gangtok, Gyalshing, Soreng, Namchi, Pakyong and Mangan districts under Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act (MGNREGA-Sikkim). One Ombudsperson shall be appointed for each District after internal assessment and shall be responsible for redressal of grievances, resolving social audit issues and disposal of complaints relating to implementation of MGNREGA Act.

The criteria, qualification, remuneration, tenure and jurisdiction of the said post are placed hereunder;

1. Eligibility Criteria

The applicant should be a retired Government Officer not below the rank of Joint Secretary or equivalent or Senior Lawyer, Social Worker, Academicians with experience in Rural Development.

The age of the applicant as on 1st April, 2026 should not be less than 62 years.

The applicant should have experience in working with people and communities.

The applicant should have experience in implementing developmental programmes.

The applicant should not be a member of any political party.

The applicant must be physically active and capable of conducting field tours, inspections and visits to remote rural location in the District.

He should be able to handle the simple Ombudsman App for online reporting.

2. Remuneration

Remuneration will be calculated at the rate of Rs. 2250/- (Rupees Two Thousand Two Hundred Fifty) only per sitting with maximum upper limit of Rs. 45000/- (Rupees forty

five thousand) per month. All necessary support to enable the Ombudsperson to carry out the assigned functions shall be provided when required. TA/DA shall be provided at the rate admissible to Class I Officers of the State Government.

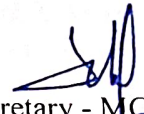
A nodal Officer shall be appointed in the Department to assist the Ombudsman if necessary.

3. Tenure and Jurisdiction

The tenure of the engagement will be 2 years extendable not more than twice by 1 year each based on performance appraisal or till the incumbent attains the age of 68 years whichever is earlier. There shall be no reappointment.

The Ombudsperson shall function within the jurisdiction of the Districts.

The application format may be obtained from the Office of the Special Secretary-cum-Project Director MGNREGA, 4th Floor, RDD, Head Office, Gangtok during office hours or downloaded online from the RDD website rmdd.sikkim.gov.in and submit the filled in form to rmdd.sikkim.gov.in. The last date of application is 15th April, 2026.


Joint Secretary - MGNREGA
Rural Development Department
Government of Sikkim
Gangtok
Joint Secretary
MGNREGA/RDD
Govt. Of Sikkim

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 and mentally) fit to conduct field visits? (Yes/No)

1.6 Whether member of a political party? (Yes/No):

1.7 Whether convicted/chargesheeted in a criminal case? (Yes/No)

1.8 Do you have responsibility of Implementing MGNREGA in any capacity?

2. Professional Information

2.1 Highest educational qualification (attached copy of certificates attested by a gazetted officer)

2.2 Total number of years of experience (attached copy of certificates attested by a gazette 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 Ombudsperson" issued by the Government 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 MGNREG Act, Rules and Schemes framed there under and operational guidelines issued by Government of India from time to time.

Place:

Signature of the Applicant:

Date:

Name of Applicant: