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Directorate of Cotton Development
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VACANCY CIRCULAR

Directorate of Cotton Development, Nagpur proposes to engage one (01) Consultant purely on contractual basis for monitoring of National Food Security Mission (NFSM) activities during 2022-23 with a consolidated monthly remuneration of Rs.65,000/- plus Rs.3000/- as transport allowance as per the existing Operational Guidelines of Re-vamped NFSM (2018-19 to 2019-20).

2. The educational qualification/ experience, Age Limit & Duties of Consultant would be as under:

2.1 Educational Qualification/ Experience:

- (i) Doctorate Degree in Agronomy/Agriculture Extension/Soil Science/Plant Breeding/Plant Protection/Agricultural Engineering/ or any other agricultural subject having at least 10 years of field experience or in case of departmental experienced personnel, qualification may be relaxed by the SFSM-EC.
- (ii) Ability to analyse data and preparation of projects, writing reports/seminar notes/articles as evidenced by publication in national and international journals.
- (iii) The person should have the ability of team leadership & motivation.

2.2 Age Limit:

The age limit of Consultant will be below 65 years. Age will be computed as on the last date of the Application. Suitable candidate beyond 65 years of age will also be considered with approval of Ministry.

2.3 Duties of Consultant:

- Liaisoning with SAUs, ICAR Institutes & Commodity Directorates.
- Identification and delineation of acid/alkali soils in the State.
- Updating of package of practices of mandated crops and making the same available to the State/ districts.
- Assessment of requirement of inputs for the State based on targets approved by GOI.
- Development of training material and activity schedule for Cropping System based Training.
- Planning of field demonstrations and supervision of the same.
- Analysis of yield advantage attributable to improved practices/technology with due consideration to seasonal weather conditions, incidence of pest and diseases, soil conditions etc and reporting the same to the State Mission Director.
- Training of field staff engaged in NFSM work.
- Identification of promising crop varieties/hybrids of the mandated crops for the State.
- Development of seed rolling plan for NFSM districts in consultation with SAUs, State Seed Corporation & State Department of Agriculture.
- Implementation of DBT at state & district levels.
- Making available technical information required by National Level Monitoring team during its visit to the State.
- Development of technical literature/ extension materials for farmers.
- Compilation and documentation of contribution of various interventions under cluster demonstrations, lessons learnt and success stories from NFSM districts.
- To provide technical support to the Director/ officers of the Directorate on matters related to interventions of the Mission.
- To render overall help to the technical staff working in the Directorate.
- To perform other tasks specified by Director, Directorate of Cotton Development.

3. The eligible and interested candidates may send their duly signed bio-data to the undersigned upto 13th June, 2022. The bio-data may indicate Name, Date of birth, Permanent address, Postal Address including e-mail and Mobile number, Educational Qualification and experience alongwith copies of certificates of educational qualification & experience.

4. **Place of Posting:** The finally selected candidate will be engaged to work at Directorate of Cotton Development, Nagpur, Maharashtra.

5. Engagement of Consultant will be made purely on contractual basis for a maximum period upto 30.09.2022 of the financial year 2022-23 which is extendable based on performance and continuation of the Scheme & approval of the Competent Authority thereof. The engagement will not confer upon the concerned Consultant any right for regularisation of his/her service in the organisation or any other agency in future. The engagement of the Consultant may be terminated by the authority at any time without assigning any notice and any reason even before the expiry of the contract period.

Note: No TA/DA will be paid for attending interview.

Format of Application for engagement of Consultant on contractual basis under National Food Security Mission (NFSM) scheme in Directorate of Cotton Development, GOI, Nagpur during 2022-23

Post Applied for: _____ Advt. No. & Date: _____

1. Name of the Candidate (in Block letters) :
2. Father's/ Husband's Name :
3. Address for Correspondence :
4. Permanent Address :
5. Category (UR/ OBC/ SC/ ST/EWS) (Attach copy of the caste certificate)
6. Nationality & Religion :
7. Date of Birth (D/M/Y) :
8. Whether Physically Handicapped (Yes/No) :
9. Age (as on closing date of application) : Yrs. Month(s) ... Day (s)
10. All Educational/ Other Professional Qualifications/ Training Courses etc. (Starting from 10th Standard onwards & attach self-attested copies of degree & other certificates in support of the claims).

Affix signed
Passport
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Photograph

Exam/ Degree	Passed/ Training	Year of Passing	Division/ Grade % of Marks	Duration of the Degree/ Diploma	Board/ University	Subject	Subject of Specialisation
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11. Details of experience/ employment (if any) in chronological order (Attach self-attested copies of certificates in support of the claims):

Sl. No.	Organized Institute	Post held	Pay/ Remuneration received	Period of work	Details of Duties performed
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12. Do you possess knowledge of computer application? : (Yes/ No)
 (Attach self-attested copy(ies) of certificate(s), if any)
 12.1 Current Computer Proficiency : (Yes/ No)
13. Complete Postal address of the present employer (Wherever applicable):
14. Any other relevant information (attach extra sheets & also attach self-attested copies of certificates, if any):

Details of enclosures:

Self-Declaration

I hereby declare that the particular furnished above are true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand and agree that in the event of any information being found false or incorrect/incomplete of ineligibility being detected at any time before or after selection/ interview, my candidature is liable to be rejected and I shall be bound by the decision of the Directorate of Cotton Development, I have read this circular and ready to accept all the terms and conditions of engagement.

Signature of the candidate:
Name of the candidate:

Date:
Place:

(Dr. A. L. Waghmare)
Director-in-charge