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To

1. The Secretary (All Ministries/ Departments under Central Govt.)
2. The Secretary(Agriculture Department), All State Governments
3. The Secretary(Planning Department), All State Governments/Union Territories
4. The Registrar (All Agricultural Universities).

Subject: Filling up the vacancy of Member (Official) in the Commission for Agricultural Costs & Prices(CACP), on deputation (including short-term contract) basis.

Sir,

I am directed to say that, one vacancy of Member (Official) in the Commission for Agricultural Costs & Prices (CACP), an attached office of this Department in the pay scale of PB-4 Rs.37,400-67000/- + Grade Pay 10,000/- (pre-revised), [Level 14 (Rs.144200-218200) in the Pay Matrix (revised)] is required to be filled up on Deputation(including short-term contract) basis, as per the following educational and other qualifications :

(I) Officers of the Indian Economic Service or Indian Statistical Service -

- (i) holding analogous posts on regular basis; or
- (ii) with three years regular service in the posts in the pay scale of PB-4 with the Grade pay of Rs. 8700 (pre-revised), [Level 13 (Rs.118500-214100) in the Pay Matrix (revised)] or equivalent;

OR

(II) Officers under the Central Government or State Government or Universities or Agricultural Universities or Recognised Research Institutes holding analogous posts on regular basis or with three years regular service in the posts in the pay scale of PB-4, Rs.37400-67000/- with the Grade pay of Rs.8700 (pre-revised), [Level 13 (Rs.118500-214100) in the Pay Matrix (revised)] or equivalent and possessing the following Educational qualifications and experience :

- (a) Ph.D. in Agricultural Economics or Agricultural Statistics from a recognised University; and
- (ii) Twelve years' of teaching or research experience in different aspects of agriculture, including agricultural price policy, production economics, and agricultural trade policy; and
- (iii) Ability for application of quantitative techniques.

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Note 1:- The maximum age for appointment on deputation or short-term contract shall not exceed 56 years as on the closing date of receipt of applications.

Note 2:- Period of deputation or period of deputation including short-term contract in another ex-cadre post held immediately preceding this appointment in the same or some other organisation or department of the Central Government shall not ordinarily exceed three years.

Note 3:- The selection shall be made by a Search-cum-Selection Committee (SCSC) duly constituted in accordance with guidelines issued by the Department of Personnel and Training, which shall have the right to shortlist the candidate for the post on the basis of experience, qualifications, etc., and call for personal discussion with them. It may, however, be noted that, the SCSC is free to identify and recommend any other person also, on the basis of merits, who has not applied for this post.

2. Duties attached to the post of Member (Official), Commission for Agricultural Costs and Prices, in brief, are as follows:

(a) Take part in the deliberations/meetings of the Commission; (b) Advise/inform the Chairman on any issue of interest to the Commission; (c) Accompany the Commission during field visits; and (d) Conduct research/analytical work in areas agreed to by the Commission and approved by the Chairman.

3. The officer selected on 'deputation' basis will have the option to draw his grade pay/level pay plus deputation (duty) allowance or to have his pay fixed in the scale of the post in accordance DOPT's O.M. No.2/22(B)/2008-Estt. (Pay II) dated 3rd September, 2008, O.M. No.2/22/2008-Estt.(Pay II) dated 3rd November, 2009 and O.M. No.6/8/2009 -Estt. (Pay II) dated 17.06.2010 as amended from time to time.

4. Applications of only such officer will be considered as are routed through proper channel and are accompanied by (i) Bio-data (in triplicate) in the enclosed proforma (ii) Photocopies of Annual Confidential Reports/Annual Performance Appraisal Reports of last five years attested (signed & stamped) on each page by an officer not below the rank of Under Secretary to the Government of India (iii) Integrity Certificate (iv) Certificate stating that no vigilance case is either pending or contemplated against the officer (v) No Penalty Certificate stating that no major/minor penalty has been imposed on the officer or a statement giving details of major/minor penalties imposed on the officer, if any, during the last 10 years.

5. Applications of willing, suitable and eligible officers and those who could be spared in the event of their selection, may kindly be forwarded to Shri Abhijit Chakraborty, Under Secretary(EA), Department of Agriculture, Cooperation and Farmers Welfare, Room No.478-A, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi - 110001, latest by 20th October, 2017. While forwarding the application, it may also be verified and certified that the particulars furnished by the officers are correct. The applications in the prescribed format, received without being countersigned by the Head of Department in the manner provided for in the format, will be summarily rejected.

6. Applications received after expiry of last date or without the ACRs/APARs attested as above, Vigilance Clearance, Integrity Certificate and a statement of major/minor penalty, if any, imposed on the officers during the last 10 years or otherwise found incomplete, shall liable to be rejected. Those candidates, already applied earlier for this post, in response to this Ministry's letter dated 25.10.2016, and subsequently published in Employment News dated 12-18 November, 2016, need not apply again.

7. The aforesaid vacancy may kindly be given wide publicity in your Department/Organisation. The application proforma can also be downloaded from the Department's website at <http://agricoop.nic.in>.

Yours faithfully,



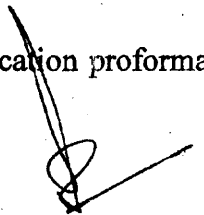
(Abhijit Chakraborty)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

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Copy to:

1. All Ministries/Departments of the Government of India. It is requested that the vacancy may please be given wide publicity by circulating it in the subordinate and attached offices, Research Institutions under their administrative control.
2. All Attached and Subordinate offices, under the Department of Agriculture, Cooperation and Farmers Welfare.
3. Secretary, Department of Economic Affairs, Ministry of Finance, North Block, New Delhi, with the request to upload this circular on their website.
4. Secretary, Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation, Sardar Patel Bhawan, Sansad Marg, New Delhi, with the request to upload this circular on their website.
5. Department of Secondary & Higher Education, Ministry of Human Resource Development, with a request to circulate the vacancy amongst all the Central/State/Deemed Universities of India other than Agricultural Universities.
6. Chairman, CACP, with the request that eligible officials, about which the Commission has information, may be asked to apply in the prescribed proforma along with their curriculum vitae.
7. The Secretary, ICAR, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi. He is requested to have the vacancy circulated to the Recognised Research Institutes, etc.
8. NIC with the request to upload the advertisement alongwith the application proforma on the departmental website.



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