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F.No. 8(2)/2013-Per.IV

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Amendment-03

To,

- (i) Chairman and Members, Agricultural Scientists' Recruitment Board (ASRB), New Delhi.
- (ii) All the Directors of ICAR Institutes/Bureaux/ATARI/ Project Directorate/NRCs.

Subject: Amendment in Model qualifications for Scientific positions and RMPs in the ICAR System.

Sir,

The revised model qualifications for selection to different scientific positions and Research Management Positions (RMP) in the ICAR on lateral entry basis was issued vide ICAR letter No. 8 (1)/2007-Per.IV dated 26th April, 2012 and subsequently amended vide letter No. 8(2)/2013-Per.IV dated 29.10.2015. An alternative qualification has been prescribed for Eminent Scientists working inside and outside the NARS, who does not possess experience in Research Management Positions (RMPs) or specified Non-RMPs, under Clause (ii) of the existing essential qualification for the positions of the DDGs/Director, NAARM/ND, NAIP (Sl.No.7) and Directors of National Institute with Deemed to be University status (Sl.No.8).

It has been observed that the existing eligibility criteria in Clause (ii) of the above stated qualification has a further inbuilt condition requiring a prescribed length of service in RMP/some Non-RMPs. This mandatory RMP/Non-RMP service requirement acts as a potent restricting factor in attracting potential candidates in the category, thus defeating the purpose of the clause. After due consideration, and on recommendation of the Committee on ARS, it has been decided with the approval of Minister of Agriculture and Farmer's Welfare & President, ICAR, Society to amend the Clause (ii) of S.No.7 & 8 of Essential Qualifications for the positions of DDGs/Directors of National Institute & other equivalent posts as stated below:

Sl. No.	Existing Clause (ii) of the Essential Qualification	Amended Clause (ii) of the Essential Qualification proposed by the Committee on ARS
7: DDG/ Director,	(ii) An eminent Scientist/ Teacher having at least 8 years' experience in the grade of	(ii) A Scientist/ Teacher having at least 8 years' experience in the grade of Principal Scientist/Professor or in

<p>NAARM/ ND, NAIP</p> <p>&</p> <p>8: Directors of National Institutes with Deemed to be University status</p>	<p>Principal Scientist/ Professor or in an equivalent position in the pay band-4 of Rs. 37400-67000 with grade pay of 10000 out of which 3 years' experience should be in a Research Management Position or 5 years' experience in positions specified below or 3 years cumulative weighted experience in RMP & specified position, after giving weightage of 1.0 for service rendered as RMP and 0.6 to service rendered in positions specified below.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>An Eminent Scientist having proven record of scientific contribution working in a reputed Organization/ Institutes having at least 21 years' experience in the relevant subject, out of which 3 years' experience should be In a Research Management Position or 5 years' experience in any of the following positions.</p> <p>(a) Heads of Divisions at ICAR Institutes, (b) Heads of Regional Stations of ICAR Institutes, (c) Project Coordinator, (d) Zonal Coordinator (service rendered prior to 27.01.2009), and (e) Joint Directors of Institutes other than National Institutes /DUs.</p>	<p>an equivalent position in the pay band-4 of Rs. 37400-67000 with grade pay of Rs. 10000 out of which 3 years' experience should be in a Research Management Position or 5 years' experience in positions specified below or 3 years cumulative weighted experience in RMP & specified position, after giving weightage of 1.0 for service rendered as RMP and 0.6 to service rendered in positions specified below.</p> <p>(a) Heads of Divisions at ICAR Institutes, (b) Heads of Regional Stations of ICAR Institutes, (c) Project Coordinator, (d) Zonal Coordinator (service rendered prior to 27.01.2009), and (e) Joint Directors of Institutes other than National Institutes /DUs.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>An 'Eminent Scientist' having proven record of scientific contribution working in a reputed Organization/ Institutes having at least 21 years' experience in the relevant subject.</p> <p>Under this alternative qualification of "Eminent Scientist", all those candidates shall be considered who have been decorated with: (i) National/International awards/ recognitions such as those conferred by National Organizations like ICAR, CSIR, DBT etc., Government of India, International Bodies of repute like FAO, UN etc., (ii) Fellows of one of the recognized National Academies viz., National Academy of Agricultural Sciences, National Academy of Medical Sciences, Indian Academy of Sciences, Indian National Academy of Engineering, Indian National</p>
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The Essential Qualifications in Clause (ii) for the posts of DDGs/ Director, NAARM/ ND, NAIP (Sl.No.7) and Directors of National Institutes with Deemed to be University status (Sl.No.8) notified vide Council's letter no 8(1)/2007- Per. IV dated 26th April, 2012 and No. 8(2)/2013 Per. IV dated 29.10.2015 stands amended to the above extent. This amendment is applicable from the ASRB Advt. No. 02/2016.

Yours' faithfully,



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