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Sub: Filling up the vacancy of Senior Research Fellows (SRFs) under ICAR project.

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Spices Board proposes to conduct a walk-in test/interview for filling up temporary posts of Senior Research Fellow (SRF) in Indian Cardamom Research Institute, Myladumpara, Kerala, RRS Sakleshpur, Karnataka and RRS Gangtok, Sikkim to work under the ICAR project titled “All India Co-ordinated Research Project on Spices” on a consolidated pay of Rs.16,000/- + 10% HRA per month.

The eligibility prescribed for the post:

- a) Qualification : i) M. Sc. Agriculture or M. Sc. Botany
ii) Computer literate with knowledge of computer fundamentals and working knowledge in Windows or Linux operating system, word, processing, electronic worksheet, e.mail etc.
- b) Age : 35 years as on 01.06.2017.
- c) Nature of work : The Experiments envisaged in the project deals with cardamom genetic resources, varietal improvement programmes adopting various breeding techniques and evaluation of improved cardamom clones to identify high yielding ones for commercial cultivation.
- d) About the Project : The programme on evaluation of the improved cardamom clones is a multi institutional programme aimed to identify the best suited ones in the respective agro ecological conditions.
- d) Expectations from the candidate :
1. A basic knowledge on Spices particularly on cardamom and Black Pepper, cardamom field operations, Good Agricultural Practices for sustainable production.
 2. Familiar with breeding techniques employed in self/cross pollinated propagated and quality planting material production.
 3. Knowledge on experiment's design and layouts in the field.
 4. Organizing training/seminars.

- e) Vacancies: : ICRI Myladumpara, Kerala – 1 No.
RRS Sakleshpur, Karnataka – 1 No.
RRS Gangtok, Sikkim - 1 No.
- f) Tenure: : 10 months upto 31.3.2018.
- g) Venue of the interview/test:
- 1) Indian Cardamom Research Institute,
Myladumpara, Kailasanadu PO,
Idukki District, Kerala – 685 553.
[Ph no 04868-237268, 237206, 237207]
 - 2) Regional Research Station, Sakleshpur
Donigal PO, Sakleshpur, Hassan District,
Karnataka – 573134.
[Ph no 08173-244281]
 - 3) Regional Research Station, Tadong,
Yakthung House, Tadong, Gangtok,
Sikkim – 737102.
[Ph No. 03592-231307]
- h) Date and time of Walk in test/interview : 4th July 2017 at 10.00 a.m.

Eligible candidates may appear for a written test/interview along with resume, recent passport size photo, original certificates and one set of attested copies of certificates (Proof for age, educational qualification and experience if any) in the prescribed date and venue.

Dated 13th June 2017

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