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Dated the 12 July/2010**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

Sub: 5th Post Graduate Diploma Programme in "Public Policy and Management" to be conducted by Management Development Institute, Gurgaon during 2010-2012 - Nominations reg.

Department of Personnel and Training has invited nominations for the above mentioned Fifteen months Post Graduate Diploma Programme to be conducted by MDI from **25th October' 2010**. The participants will undergo Institutional training (compulsory residential) for one year at MDI Campus, Gurgaon. The programme includes an international module of about six weeks duration at the George Mason University, USA. During second year, the participants would return to their respective work location but would continue to work on a dissertation on a relevant topic of their interest and national significance. The Post Graduate Diploma will be granted only when the dissertation is approved by the thesis evaluation committee. A brochure containing the details of the said programme as well as terms and conditions of the programme is available on the website of Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (www.persmin.pig.in) and as also that of MDI, Gurgaon (www.mdi.ac.in)

Application for the programme are invited from the interested officers equivalent to Group 'A' in Administration/ Finance wing at ICAR Headquarters/ Institutes who should have put in atleast seven years as Group 'A' service. The officer should not have undergone a training programme of 12 week or more duration in India during a period of five years preceding the date of commencement of the programme. The officer should not have undergone a programme of training abroad of more than two weeks in preceding two years, more than one month in preceding three years or more than six months in the preceding five years. The cost of International component of the programme (including travel) for all participants will be borne by DOP&T. The expenditure on account of Domestic component of the above training in respect of participants from ICAR Headquarters as well as ICAR Institutes will be borne by the Council. However, 50% of the cost of residential accommodation to be provided by MDI, Gurgaon i.e. Rs.52,500/- has to be borne by participant out of his/ her own funds.

Interested officers viz. Directors/ DSs/ DDs/USs/ SF&AOs/ F&AOs at ICAR Hqrs. and CAOs/ /CF&AOs/SAOs / SF&AOs / AOs/ F&AOs of ICAR Instts. who are not more than 50 years of age (53 years in case of officers belonging to SC and ST) as on 25.10.2010 i.e. the date of commencement of the programme and having valid Passport may send their nominations **through proper channel** in the prescribed nomination form. The nomination form may be downloaded either from the MDI website as stated above or from the ICAR website (www.icar.org.in). In the case of applicant of ICAR Instts., part - B of the nomination form may be filled by the Director concerned of the Institute. The information required in the proforma at Annexure-A enclosed may also please be given by the applicant.

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- 1 All the Directors/ DSs/ DDs/USs/ SF&AOs/ F&AOs at ICAR Hqrs. and CAOs/ /CF&AOs/SAOs / SF&AOs / AOs/ F&AOs of ICAR Instts. (through Director concerned of the Institute).
- 2 Media & Information Unit, ICAR Hqrs. with request to post this circular on the website of ICAR.

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