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To

The Directors/Project Directors /Project Coordinators
Zonal Coordinators/National Bureaus of ICAR Institutes

Sub:- Amendment in model qualifications for the post of Head of Division/Head of Regional Station, Project Coordinator, Zonal Coordinator, Directors of ICAR Institutes (other than IARI,IVRI,NDRI,CIFE and NAARM), Project Directors, Joint Directors of the Institutes notified as a university under Section 3 of the UGC Act

Sir,

Model Qualifications/experience for various categories of posts of Scientists/Research Management Positions and other tenurial positions were circulated vide letter no. 8(3)/95-Per.IV dated 6th Feb., 1995. According to the above letter, for filling up the positions of Head of Division/Head of Regional Stations, Project Coordinator, Zonal Coordinator, Directors of ICAR Institutes (other than IARI,IVRI,NDRI,CIFE and NAARM), Project Directors, Joint Directors of the Institutes notified as a university under Section 3 of the UGC Act and Asstt. Directors General, one of the essential qualification is the service in the grade of Principal Scientists in the scale of Rs.16400-22400 or an equivalent position. Since this pay scale does not exist in other scientific organisation governed by central pay scales, where the corresponding grade is Rs.16400-20000, the field of choice for the above positions is restricted to Scientists in ICAR system or in the Universities.

The position has been reviewed and it has been decided with the approval of the Governing Body to revise the model qualifications for the following positions as indicated against each :-

Designation and scale of the post	Revised Model Qualifications and Experience
1 Head of Division/ Head of Regional Station, Project Coordinator and Zonal Coordinator (Rs.16,400-22400)	1. Doctoral degree in the relevant subject. 2. A Scientist in the pay scale of Rs.16400-20,000 or in an equivalent position Or 8 years experience as a Senior Scientist (Rs.12000-18500) or in an equivalent position Or An eminent Scientist having

	<p>proven record of scientific contribution working in reputed organization/institute having at least 13 years experience in the relevant subject</p> <p>3. Evidence of contribution of research / teaching / extension education as supported by published work/innovations.</p> <p>4. Specialization (to be defined)</p>
2. Director/Project Director, Joint Director of Institutes notified as University, ADG (Rs.16400-22400)	<p>1. Doctoral degree in the relevant subject.</p> <p>2. At least 5 years experience as a scientist in the pay scale of Rs.16400-20000 or in an equivalent post.</p> <p>Or</p> <p>An eminent scientist having roved record of Scientific contribution working in a reputed organisation/institute having at least 18 years experience in the relevant subject.</p> <p>3. Evidence or contribution to research/teaching/extension education as supported by published work/innovations.</p> <p>4. Specialization (to be defined)</p>

This is issued in partial modification of the letter No. 8(3)/95-Per.IV dated 6th Feb., 1995.

Yours faithfully,



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