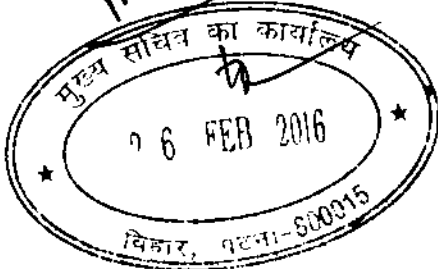


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Government of India  
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions  
Department of Personnel and Training  
[Training Division]



Block-4, Old JNU Campus  
New Mehrauli Road, New Delhi-67  
Dated: 18 .02. 2016

**TRAINING CIRCULAR**

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Subject: Knowledge Co-Creation Program on "Participatory Irrigation Management System for Paddies (A)" to be held in Japan from 18<sup>th</sup> May to 6<sup>th</sup> July, 2016 under Technical Cooperation Program of the Government of Japan.

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The undersigned is directed to state that the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) has invited applications for Knowledge Co-Creation Program on "Participatory Irrigation Management System for Paddies (A)" to be held in Japan from 18<sup>th</sup> May to 6<sup>th</sup> July, 2016 under Technical Cooperation Program of the Government of Japan.



The program aims to improve and strengthen irrigation management system in participant's countries and is offered to the government officials in charge of irrigation management (especially in establishing and supporting water users' groups).

The applying organizations are expected to nominate those officers who are in charge of irrigation management especially in establishing and supporting water users' groups with more than 3 years experience in the relevant field (basic knowledge and skills in agricultural and/or irrigation engineering are required). The applicant should be a university graduate; have competent command over spoken and written English; must be in good health (both physically and mentally); must not be part of any type of military service. The recommendable age of the candidate is between 25 to 45 years.

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In addition, the following information in respect of the nominated officers may please be mentioned while furnishing the nomination:-

- Whether attended any foreign training program in the past? If so, the duration/details thereof;
- Whether cleared from vigilance angle;
- Age;
- Whether working in North East State/J&K;
- A brief in 50-100 words justifying the nomination.

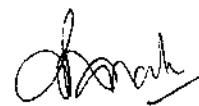
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5. The course covers the cost of a round-trip air ticket between international airport designated by JICA and Japan; travel insurance from the time of arrival in Japan to departure from Japan; allowances for (accommodation, living expenses, outfit and shipping); expenses for JICA study tours and free medical care for participants who may fall ill after reaching Japan (costs relating to pre-existing illness, pregnancy, or dental treatment are not included).

6. It is, therefore, requested that the nomination of suitable candidates may please be forwarded **(in two copies) in JICA's prescribed format** to this Department duly authenticated by the HOD of the concerned department in accordance with the eligibility criteria.

7. The applications should reach this Department through the Administrative Ministry/Department/State Government not later than **23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2016**. Nominations received after the prescribed date may not be considered. The details of the program (General Information Brochure) may be drawn from Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions' website at the link <http://persmin.gov.in/otraining/Index.aspx>.



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To,

- a) Secretary, Department of Agriculture & Cooperation, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.
- b) Secretary, Department of Rural Development, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.
- c) Secretary, Ministry of Water Resources, Shram Shakti Bhawan, New Delhi.
- d) Chief Secretaries to all the State Governments/Union Territories (with request to circulate the same amongst their related Departments/Organizations).
- e) Mr. Sachiko Imoto, Senior Representative, Japan International Cooperation Agency, JICA India Office, 2nd Floor, Dr. Gopal Das Bhawan, 28, Barakhamba Road, New Delhi - 110001.
- f) NIC with request to post the circular along with the JICA's circular on this Department's website.