



राष्ट्रीय बागवानी बोर्ड

कृषि मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार

85, इन्स्टीट्यूशनल एरिया, सेक्टर-18, गुडगांव-122015

National Horticulture Board

Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India

85, Institutional Area, Sector-18, Gurgaon-122015

Subject : Invitation of Applications for engagement as Consultants

The National Horticulture Board invites applications from retired Officers/Scientists preferably Vice-Chancellors of Agriculture/Horticulture Universities, Directors of National Research Centres for horticultural crops, Directors of ICAR Institutes dealing with horticulture/plantation crops, for engagement as Consultants under Nursery Recognition Scheme of the Board initially for a period of six months. The Board requires three Consultants at the present. The Board would pay a remuneration of Rs. 2000/- per working day within over all ceiling of Rs 35000/- per month payable on the expiry of each calendar month. The interested incumbents may forward their profile to the Managing Director on the above address within 30 days of release of this advertisement.

The Consultant shall be entitled to travel by taxi/train (up to AC first class) and economy class air journey for field visits during the course of engagement as Consultant with NHB. Hotel accommodation costs and DA Shall be paid as admissible to Class-I officers of the rank of Addl. Managing Director of the Board during field visits. The consultants are required to:

- assist the Board in rating these nurseries for the purpose of granting them Recognition Certificates, based on the land and infrastructure available in these nurseries including the technically qualified staff and good nurseries practices for propagation of quality planting material;
- establish a network of quality nurseries across the country for the purpose of propagation and distribution of quality planting material of specified horticulture crops, the Consultant shall under take the inspection of nurseries those managed by ICAR institution, NRC, State Horticulture Departments and others in various States/UT in the country;
- visit the States/UTs for the purpose of pre-assessment and final surveillance of nurseries along with other members of the Assessment Committee;
- conduct regional workshops for the purpose of creating awareness about the guidelines of recognition of horticultural nurseries;
- assist the Board for any other duty/function that may be relevant to the schemes of the Board.

Managing Director