



Government of India
Ministry of Science and Technology
Department of Biotechnology, New Delhi 110 003

Director's Position Open at National Institute of Animal Biotechnology (NIAB), Hyderabad

The National Institute of Animal Biotechnology (NIAB), is an autonomous institute established by Department of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science and Technology, Govt of India at Hyderabad. The institution is mandated to undertake translational research and capacity building in the area of Animal Biotechnology. The vision is to enhance knowledge on livestock production and health and translate the knowledge for developing a globally competitive livestock industry through innovative science and technology development.

Applications are invited from Indian nationals including non-resident Indians (NRIs) for the post of 'Director', National Institute of Animal Biotechnology (NIAB), Hyderabad. The position offers a unique opportunity to those willing to take up a challenging assignment and provide dynamic leadership in scientific, academic and administrative matters relating to the institute. The candidate is expected to establish NIAB as a world class research institute and guide multi-disciplinary research teams. Scientists from Central/State Governments, research institutes, autonomous bodies, etc.

- (i) Holding analogous post on regular basis in the parent Department
- (ii) With 5 years service in post with Grade pay of Rs 10,000 or equivalent in the parent cadre/Department and possesses qualifications and experience as given below can apply.

1. Job specifications

- (i) To provide academic and administrative leadership to the Institute.
- (ii) The post is in the Pay Scale of Rs 80,000 (Fixed) with allowances as per Central Government Rules.
- (iii) Age: Preferably below 56 years but relaxable for exceptional candidates.

2. Qualifications

Essential:

- (i) A Ph.D. degree in Veterinary Sciences/Animal Sciences/Modern Biology/Life Sciences/Dairy Sciences or equivalent with specialization in the relevant area.
- (ii) A minimum of 15 years of research experience in responsible positions in the area of Veterinary Sciences/Animal Sciences or any discipline relevant to Animal/Veterinary Sciences.
- (iii) Excellent track record in the form of quality publications, evidence of patents and Technologies developed/Transfer.
- (iv) Professional eminence in the form of fellowships of national/international academics, national/international awards, etc.

Desirable:

- (i) Proven ability to interact with national and international organizations.
- (ii) Understanding of various overarching aspects of Animal Science/Veterinary Science or any discipline relevant for Animal/Veterinary Sciences.

3. General

- (i) The applicants in Central/State Government Organizations/Public Sector Undertakings/Autonomous Organizations must send their applications 'Through Proper Channel'. The applications received without the recommendations of the employers will not be considered.
- (ii) The date of determining the age limit shall be the closing date for receipt of applications.
- (iii) The post will be for a five year tenure initially or on attaining the age of superannuation as per Government of India rules, whichever is earlier.

Completed applications strictly in the format given at DBT website: <http://dbtindia.nic.in> and NIAB website www.niab.org.in with a passport size photograph fixed at the space shown in the format along with testimonials including list of publications indicating impact factors should be sent to **Smt. Veena T. Bhatia**, Director, Department of Biotechnology, Block-2, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi 110 003 (e-mail: bhatia.veena@nic.in, Tel.: +91-11-2436 5972) superscribing the cover with the name of the post applied for **within 60 days** from the date of publication of advertisement in the *Employment News* and the closing date for the candidates residing abroad and from Andaman and Nicobar and Lakshadweep Islands, States/Union Territories in the North-Eastern region, Ladakh region of J&K, Sikkim, Sub division Chamba and Lahauland Spiti districts of Himachal Pradesh will be **75 days**.

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