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## **Position: Director, Central Institute of Medicinal and Aromatic Plants (CIMAP), Lucknow**

CSIR, the premier agency established by the Government of India to undertake scientific and industrial research in the country, is looking for suitable scientist/technologist for the post of Director for its Central Institute of Medicinal and Aromatic Plants (CIMAP), Lucknow. The major R&D programmes of the Institute relate to genetic improvement, technique and technologies for cultivation, production and processing of medicinal, essential oil, dye and gum yielding plants for value added products.

CIMAP has six field stations at Nainital and Purara in UP, Kodaikanal, Bangalore in Karnataka, Pulwama in J&K and Hyderabad in AP. CIMAP has a total staff strength of around 400 including 100 scientists. The annual budget is around Rs 12 crores.

The Director, as the Chief Executive of the laboratory, is responsible among other things for realizing its mission.

### **Qualifications for the post**

M.Sc. 1st Class with 16 years of experience or Ph.D. (Science) with 13 years of experience in the relevant field of the Laboratory.

The candidate must be a creative, innovative and well-established scientist/technologist of distinction possessing leadership qualities, a proven track record of managing inter-personal skills and an ability to communicate effectively. The candidate should preferably be around 50 years of age (relaxation in age limit, qualification and/or experience is permissible in case of exceptionally meritorious candidates). This is a contractual appointment for a period of six years or up to superannuation (at the age of 60 years) whichever is earlier. The contract however could be extended in exceptional cases.

The post carries the pay scale of Rs 18,400-500-22,400 plus allowances as admissible to CSIR employees, with a facility to share the monies realized from external contract R&D, consultancy and rendering of S&T services. Residential accommodation is provided as per CSIR rules.

Interested candidates may send their complete biodata by **10 April 2000** to the Director-General, CSIR, Rafi Marg, New Delhi 110 001 (Fax: 3710618; E-mail: dgcsir@csirhq.ren.nic.in).