सेवा में,

निदेशक/परियोजना निदेशक
भारतीय कृषि अनुसंधान परिषद

1. केंद्रीय शुचि बागवानी संस्थान, नैनिक, राजस्थान।
2. केंद्रीय उपशुचि बागवानी संस्थान, सलमान, उत्तर प्रदेश।
3. केंद्रीय शीतोष्ण बागवानी संस्थान, श्रीनगर, जम्मू कश्मीर।
4. केंद्रीय दूरीय शुचि अनुसंधान संस्थान, पोटेंटैल, बिहार।
5. केंद्रीय शुचि पृष्ठीय फलस्तुल अनुसंधान संस्थान, कासरगंड, खेजरी।
6. कानून अनुसंधान निदेशकालय, मुंबई, कर्नाटक।
7. राष्ट्रीय अंगुर अनुसंधान केंद्र, पुणे, महाराष्ट्र।
8. राष्ट्रीय लीमों अनुसंधान केंद्र, मुजफ्फरपुर, बिहार।
9. राष्ट्रीय अनार अनुसंधान केंद्र, सौलपुर, महाराष्ट्र।
10. राष्ट्रीय नींबू अनुसंधान केंद्र, नागपुर, महाराष्ट्र।
11. निदेशालय ताड़ तेल अनुसंधान, पंजाब, आंध्र प्रदेश।
12. राष्ट्रीय बंजर अनुसंधान केंद्र, तिरुचिरापल्ली, तमिलनाडु।

महोदय,

भारतीय कृषि अनुसंधान परिषद के बागवानी विभाग संभाग का पत्र आपके सुपरिचय/आवश्यक कार्यवाही हेतु इस पृष्ठ के दूसरी ओर है।

भवदीय

(सारांश सिंह हिंदू) सहा.महा.निदेशक (बागवानी विभाग)
F.No. 56/2018-H.S-1                               Dated 31st April, 2018

To,

To all the Directors of the Institute under Horticultural Science-1 Section, (As per list enclosed)

Sub:- Call for Expressions of Interest for Nomination on the Scientific Panels in the Food safety and Standards Authority of India

Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of mail dated the 27.03-2018, along with its enclosure, received from Section Officer (CDN, TC) on the subject mentioned above.

It is for your information and appropriate action in the matter.

Yours faithfully,

( W.S. Dhillon)
Assistant Director General (HS-II)

Encl: As above.
Call for Expressions of interest for Nomination on the Scientific Panels in the food safety and Standards Authority of India

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Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith communication received from Food Safety and Standards Authority of India on the subject cited above for further necessary action.

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Dated: 3-1-18

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Dear Sir,

Subject: Call for Expressions of Interest for nomination on the Scientific Panels in the Food Safety and Standards Authority of India- Reg.

The Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI) has been established under the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 with the mandate for laying down science based standards for articles of food and to regulate their manufacture, storage, distribution, sale and import to ensure availability of safe and wholesome food for human consumption. The work of setting of standards is undertaken by the Scientific Committee & Scientific Panels as provided in the Act.

2. The Authority is in the process of reconstituting some of its Scientific Panels and constituting three new Scientific Panels for development of Standards for new Food Products or re-visiting the existing Standards for different categories of food commodities. Accordingly, the Authority is looking for suitable professionals/ scientists/ subject experts in their individual capacity and not as representatives of any institution or scientific body for the following Scientific Panels:

   (i) Antibiotic Residues (New);
   (ii) Cereals, Pulses & Legume and their Products (Including Bakery);
   (iii) Fruits & Vegetables and their Products (Including Dried Fruits and Nuts);
   (iv) Meat and Meat Products including Poultry;
   (v) Milk and Milk Products;
   (vi) Oils and Fats;
   (vii) Spices and Culinary Herbs (New);
   (viii) Sweeteners, Sugars & Honey, including their products (New);
   (ix) Sweets and Confectionery; and
   (x) Water (including flavoured water) & Beverages (alcoholic non-alcoholic).

3. The Scientific Panels invariably meet 4-6 times in a year, for one or two days, to accomplish the task in hand. As such, participation in the Scientific Panels would be on part time basis. A scientist/professional/ subject expert once selected for nomination on the Scientific Panels, is statutorily required to declare his/ her personal conflict of interest, if any, in the items under consideration of the Scientific Panels. The cost of travel and other incidentals would be reimbursed by the Food Authority in addition to payment of applicable sitting fee.

4. You are requested to circulate this communication to scientists/ professionals/ subject experts in your organisation or forward the above details to them so as to reach out to the maximum number of experts who may wish to be associated with the task, or to nominate suitable individual experts who, in your opinion, can contribute to the working of the Authority. The proforma for online application and other details can be seen on the website http://www.fssai.gov.in.
A copy of the document titled “Call for Expressions of Interest” is enclosed for ready reference with a request to upload on your Organization's website.

with regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Pawan Agarwal)

Encl. as above

Dr. Trilochan Mohapatra
Director General & Secretary,
Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) &
Department of Agricultural Research & Education (DARE),
Krishi Bhawan,
New Delhi-110001.
The Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI) has been established under the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 with the mandate for laying down science based standards for articles of food and to regulate their manufacture, storage, distribution, sale and import to ensure availability of safe and wholesome food for human consumption.

2. The Authority is primarily responsible for laying down science-based standards for different categories of food products/items, ingredients, additives, preservatives, contaminants, etc. The process of development of a standard is driven by the principle of food safety and involves risk assessment. It involves deliberations by the Scientific Panels constituted for product categories and laying down the standard(s); which are validated/approved by the Scientific Committee and finally approved by the Food Authority before the process of issue of draft notification(s) of the Standards/Regulation is initiated for inviting public comments, followed by a final notification.

3. The Authority is in the process of reconstituting some of its Scientific Panels and looking for suitable individuals as members for the following Scientific Panels:

   (i) Antibiotic Residues;
   (ii) Cereals, Pulses & Legume and their Products (Including Bakery);
   (iii) Fruits & Vegetables and their Products (Including Dried Fruits and Nuts);
   (iv) Meat and Meat Products including Poultry;
   (v) Milk and Milk Products;
   (vi) Oils and Fats;
   (vii) Spices and Culinary Herbs;
   (viii) Sweeteners, Sugars & Honey, including their products;
   (ix) Sweets and Confectionery; and
   (x) Water (including flavoured water) & Beverages (alcoholic non-alcoholic).

4. The above Scientific Panels comprise the professionals/scientists/subject experts, who have acquired knowledge, experience and expertise in the specific domain. Such members may be on the faculty/staff/rolls of Universities, Academic and Research Institutions, retired individuals recognized for their outstanding knowledge/expertise.
in the subject area. However, it may not be feasible to nominate such candidates who are in employment of any Industry, as it may be perceived as conflict of interest.

5. The Food Authority follows a transparent, objective and rigorous selection procedure for short-listing the most suitable and outstanding individuals who can contribute significantly to the Scientific Panels of the Authority and provide independent scientific opinion in arriving to its decisions. The evaluation and selection of the candidates will be done by the Authority on the basis of clearly defined selection criteria. The candidates may go through the procedure for selection available at https://fssai.gov.in/scientificpanels/files/guidelines.pdf before applying and particularly familiarize themselves with the conflict of interest provisions.

6. Members selected on the Scientific Panels would need to undertake periodic visits to New Delhi where the meetings of the Scientific Panels are normally held and a commitment to devote time and resources for the deliberations in the meetings. Membership would be given in their individual capacities and are required to avoid conflicts of interest. The Food Authority meets the travel and lodging expenses of members as per approved rates, in addition to a token sitting as applicable.

7. Accordingly, this is a call for invitation of Expressions of Interest from the Subject Experts/ Scientists/ Professionals with outstanding records / achievements to their credit in the field of food science and subjects relevant to the Scientific Panels, for nomination as members of the Scientific Panels for a period of three years. Existing members of the Scientific Panels are also eligible to apply. The members of the Scientific Panels are to be appointed in accordance with section 13 (1) of the FSS Act, 2006.

How to Apply?

8. Interested persons are invited to submit their applications online at http://fssai.gov.in/scientificpanels. The scientists so selected for the Scientific Panels will be working in their individual capacity as subject experts and not represent the organization, if any, for which they may be working.

9. The last date of submission of applications is 15th April, 2018.

10. In case of any query, please contact Shri Kumar Anil, Advisor (Standards), Food Safety and Standards Authority of India, FDA Bhavan, Kotla Road, New Delhi-110002 (Email: advisor@fssai.gov.in, Phone No. 011-23217833).

11. Scientists/Professionals/ Experts are encouraged to suggest suitable candidates or forward the above details to them so that there is maximum dissemination of information and wider participation by the Scientific Community.