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POLLUTION CONTROL COMMITTEE (RESPONDENT NO. 36)

I, Dr. N. Ramesh, S/o Natarajan, aged 56 years, Member Secretary, Puducherry Pollution Control Committee, Puducherry, do hereby solemnly affirm and state as follows:

1. I respectfully submit that I am conversant with the facts of the case and competent to swear this affidavit.
2. I respectfully submit that in compliance with the Hon'ble NGT order dated 11.09.2024, the Puducherry Pollution Control Committee (PPCC) has taken steps to fill up the three vacant posts in the PPCC.

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3. I respectfully submit that the State Government of Puducherry vide G.O Ms.No.12/2016-Envt., and G.O Ms.No.14/2016-Envt dated 25th August 2016 established and notified the State Air Laboratory under section 28 (1)(a) of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and State Water Laboratory under Section 52 (1) (a) of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 for the Puducherry Pollution Control Committee (PPCC). (Annexure - I).
4. I respectfully submit that the Puducherry Pollution Control Committee (PPCC) Laboratory has obtained the National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories (NABL) Certification as per ISO / IEC 17025: 2017, General Requirements for the Competence of Testing & Calibration Laboratories. The certificate is valid till 28/11/2025. (Annexure – II).
5. I respectfully submit that in the U.T of Puducherry, there is no Environmental Laboratories established and notified under Section (12)(1)(a) of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986. Expanding the existing Laboratory of Puducherry Pollution Control Committee (PPCC) is also not currently feasible due to space constraints, as it operates from a rented facility.
6. I respectfully submit that the Government of Puducherry has approved for the construction of an integrated Office building and Laboratory for Department of Science, Technology & Environment and Puducherry Pollution Control Committee and tenders were floated by the Public Works Department. The work order will be issued shortly. Upon completion, the building will house a State-of-the-art laboratory equipped with sophisticated instrumentation and other necessary infrastructure. Necessary action will be taken to establish

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an Environmental Laboratory in accordance with Section (12)(1)(a) of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.

7. I respectfully submit that PPCC proposes to strengthen the Air and Water Laboratory for monitoring various notified parameters after the construction of the integrated office building cum Laboratory.

8. I respectfully submit that the PPCC has two laboratories, one functioning at Puducherry and the other at Karaikal Region of U.T of Puducherry. The existing Laboratory at Puducherry has NABL accreditation.

9. I respectfully submit that the Puducherry Pollution Control Committee (PPCC) will fill up all the three existing vacancies within a period of four months. In this connection, necessary advertisement has been hosted in the website of the Department and published notice in the Newsdaily / Rojgar on 28.12.2024 inviting applications for filling up the post of Environmental Engineer through Deputation / promotion in PPCC as per the existing Recruitment Rules. Necessary measures were also taken to fill up the one vacant post of Scientist - B by promotion as per the recruitment rules (Annexure - III).

10. I respectfully submit that to address the man power shortage, PPCC has taken steps for recruiting (6) Nos of Technical Consultants and (3) Nos of Scientific Consultants through outsourcing. Since PPCC doesn't not have any administrative officials to handle the administrative matters, PPCC has proposed to hire 4 Nos. of retired Government officials as Consultants for handling Administrative and Accounts matters. PPCC is also reviewing the

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manpower and strengthening based on the requirement to address various functions entrusted to PPCC.

11. I respectfully submit that Puducherry Pollution Control Committee would abide by any further direction which may be passed by the Hon'ble National Green Tribunal.

n. Ramesh
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VERIFICATION

Verified at Puducherry on 6th day of January 2025 that the contents of the above affidavit are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and information as derived from the official records and nothing material has been concealed there from.

n. Ramesh
 DEPONENT
Dr. N. RAMESH
 MEMBER SECRETARY
 PUDUCHERRY POLLUTION
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Solemnly affirmed at Puducherry
 on this day 6th day of January 2025
 and signed his name in my presence

SIGNED BEFORE ME

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ANNEXURE – I

Notification of Laboratories u/s 17(2) & section 52 of the Water Act and u/s 17(2) & section 28 of Air Act.

The Government of Puducherry vide G.O Ms. No.12/2016-Envt., and G.O Ms. No.14/2016-Envt Puducherry dated 25th August 2016 has published in the Gazette the Laboratory of the Puducherry Pollution Control Committee as Water and Air Laboratory.

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<p>20] September 2016]</p> <p style="text-align: center;">GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY CHIEF SECRETARIAT (ENVIRONMENT) <i>(G.O. Ms. No. 12/2016-Envt., Puducherry, dated 25th August 2016)</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">NOTIFICATION</p> <p>In exercise of the powers conferred under sub-section (1) of section 52 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve and specify the laboratory of the Department of Science, Technology and Environment, Puducherry and the laboratory of the Pollution Control Committee, Puducherry as State Water Laboratories to carry out the functions entrusted to the State Water Laboratory under the Act.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">S. THAMMU GANAPATHY, Deputy Secretary to Government (Environment).</p> <p style="text-align: center;">GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY CHIEF SECRETARIAT (ENVIRONMENT) <i>(G.O. Ms. No. 13/2016-Envt., Puducherry, dated 25th August 2016)</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">NOTIFICATION</p> <p>In exercise to the powers conferred under sub-section (2) and (3) of section 53 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint the Scientist(s) of the Department of Science, Technology and Environment, Puducherry/Pollution Control Committee, Puducherry as Analysts for the purpose of analysis of samples of water or of sewage or trade effluent sent for analysis to any laboratory established or specified under sub-section (1) of section 52 of the Act:</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 5%;">Sl. No.</th> <th style="width: 40%;">Name, qualification, designation and office in which serving</th> <th style="width: 55%;">Appointed to function as</th> </tr> <tr> <th style="text-align: center;">(1)</th> <th style="text-align: center;">(2)</th> <th style="text-align: center;">(3)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">1.</td> <td>Dr. V.R. Sumathi, M.Sc. (Chemistry), Ph.D. Scientist, Department of Science, Technology and Environment, Puducherry.</td> <td>Government Analyst</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Sl. No.	Name, qualification, designation and office in which serving	Appointed to function as	(1)	(2)	(3)	1.	Dr. V.R. Sumathi, M.Sc. (Chemistry), Ph.D. Scientist, Department of Science, Technology and Environment, Puducherry.	Government Analyst	<p style="text-align: right;">761</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 33%; text-align: center;">(1)</th> <th style="width: 33%; text-align: center;">(2)</th> <th style="width: 33%; text-align: center;">(3)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td style="vertical-align: top;">2.</td> <td style="vertical-align: top;">Tmt. G. Rukmani, M.Sc. (Chemistry), Scientist, Department of Science, Technology and Environment, Puducherry.</td> <td style="vertical-align: top;">Government Analyst</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="vertical-align: top;">3.</td> <td style="vertical-align: top;">Thiru P. Vipin Babu, M.Sc. (Micro-Biology), M.Phil. Scientist-B, Puducherry Pollution Control Committee, Puducherry.</td> <td style="vertical-align: top;">Pollution Control Committee Analyst</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p style="text-align: center;">S. THAMMU GANAPATHY, Deputy Secretary to Government (Environment).</p> <p style="text-align: center;">GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY CHIEF SECRETARIAT (ENVIRONMENT) <i>(G.O. Ms. No. 14/2016-Envt., Puducherry, dated 25th August 2016)</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">NOTIFICATION</p> <p>In exercise of the powers conferred under sub-section (1) of section 28 of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve and specify the laboratory of the Department of Science, Technology and Environment, Puducherry and the laboratory of the Pollution Control Committee, Puducherry as State Air Laboratories to carry out the functions entrusted under the Act.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">S. THAMMU GANAPATHY, Deputy Secretary to Government (Environment).</p> <p style="text-align: center;">GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY CHIEF SECRETARIAT (ENVIRONMENT) <i>(G.O. Ms. No. 15/2016-Envt., Puducherry, dated 25th August 2016)</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">NOTIFICATION</p> <p>In exercise to the powers conferred under sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 29 of the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint</p>	(1)	(2)	(3)	2.	Tmt. G. Rukmani, M.Sc. (Chemistry), Scientist, Department of Science, Technology and Environment, Puducherry.	Government Analyst	3.	Thiru P. Vipin Babu, M.Sc. (Micro-Biology), M.Phil. Scientist-B, Puducherry Pollution Control Committee, Puducherry.	Pollution Control Committee Analyst
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ANNEXURE – II

NABL accreditation:

The Central Laboratory of the Puducherry Pollution Control Committee (PPCC) located at R.S No.189, Garage Building, Iyyanar Koil Street, Marie Oulgaret, Mettupalayam, Puducherry has obtained the National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories (NABL) as per ISO / IEC 17025: 2017 , General Requirements for the Competence of Testing & Calibration Laboratories. The license is valid till 28/11/2025.

 	National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories NABL
CERTIFICATE OF ACCREDITATION	
ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYTICAL LABORATORY, DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY & ENVIRONMENT, PUDUCHERRY POLLUTION CONTROL COMMITTEE	
has been assessed and accredited in accordance with the standard ISO/IEC 17025:2017 "General Requirements for the Competence of Testing & Calibration Laboratories"	
for its facilities at R.S.NO. 189, GARAGE BUILDING, IYYANAR KOIL STREET, MARIE OULGARET, METTUPALAYAM, PUDUCHERRY, INDIA in the field of TESTING	
Certificate Number:	TC-6480
Issue Date:	29/11/2023
	Valid Until: 28/11/2025
This certificate remains valid for the Scope of Accreditation as specified in the annexure subject to continued satisfactory compliance to the above standard & the relevant requirements of NABL. (To see the scope of accreditation of this laboratory, you may also visit NABL website www.nabl-india.org)	
Name of Legal Entity: Puducherry Pollution Control Committee (PPCC)	
Signed for and on behalf of NABL	
	 N. Venkateswaran Chief Executive Officer



(Advertisement No. NIPERK/2024/DIR/01)

INVITES

Applications for the post of Director of NIPER- Kolkata

Applications are invited for appointment to the post of Director of National Institute of Pharmaceutical Education and Research (NIPER) at Kolkata (West Bengal), autonomous institute of national importance under the aegis of Department of Pharmaceuticals, Ministry of Chemicals & Fertilizers, Government of India at a fixed salary of Rs. 2,25,000 in Level 17 per month as per 7th CPC on contractual basis, as per the rules and regulations prescribed.

Details of eligibility conditions, application format, etc. are available on the website of Department of Pharmaceuticals (www.pharmaceuticals.gov.in) and NIPER-Kolkata (www.niperkolkata.edu.in).

Applications, in prescribed format, should reach within 30 days of publication of the advertisement in the Employment News in hard copy by Speed/Registered Post only to the **Deputy Secretary (NIPER), Department of Pharmaceuticals, Ministry of Chemicals & Fertilizers, Room No. 403 B Wing, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi – 110001 (Email ID: richa.p@gov.in).**

Submission of applications through email also is mandatory.

**Deputy Secretary
(NIPER)**

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Government of India
Department of Atomic Energy
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Variable Energy Cyclotron Centre
Sector-I, Block-AF
Bidhan Nagar, Kolkata - 700 064

Engagement of 7 Research Associates for VECC & 2 Research Associates for ALICE project of VECC
Advt. No. VECC-4/2024 & VECC-5/2024

Applications are invited from Indian Citizen only for engagement of 7 Research Associate for VECC & 2 Research Associate for ALICE project of VECC purely on temporary basis.

The details of the advertisement is available in the VECC homepage i.e. www.vecc.gov.in.

Interested candidates may download the application form and send the duly filled in application through email ra2024@vecc.gov.in only. No other mode of application will be accepted. Before apply, candidates are requested to go through the advertisement carefully and should ensure that he/she fulfills all the eligibility conditions mentioned in the advertisement.

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उन्नत प्रणाली केंद्र Centre for Advanced Systems

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Defence Research & Development Organisation (DRDO)
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हैदराबाद-501303 / Hyderabad - 501303

Closing Date : 15 days from the date of publication in Employment News

Advertisement No. CAS/ADMIN/MD/2024/01

Date: 13 Dec, 2024

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED FROM ELIGIBLE DOCTORS FOR THE POST OF
MEDICAL DOCTOR (ON CONTRACT BASIS)

1. Name of the Post	: MEDICAL DOCTOR (ON CONTRACT BASIS)
2. No. of Post	: ONE (01)
3. Salary	: Rs. 75,000/- per month (Consolidated / Fixed)
4. Age	: Not exceeding 69 years as on the closing date.
5. Qualification / Educational Qualification	: MBBS (Allopathic) and Retired from Central / State Government / PSUs (OR) MBBS (Allopathic) and having min 05 years experience of Medical Practice post MBBS. (OR) MBBS alongwith MD (General Medicine/ Community Medicine / Internal Medicine / Emergency Medicine / Geriatric Medicine / Paediatric Medicine/ Respiratory Medicine).
	: Preferably from Hyderabad should be well versed with English / Hindi / Telugu languages.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- a) The post is purely on Contract Basis. b) NPA and other allowances not admissible. c) The duration of appointment is for a period of one year from the date of appointment or till the posting of a regular incumbent of CAS whichever is earlier. d) The Medical Doctor selected for the post is not eligible for seniority or any other benefit if selected for regular Government service at later stage. e) The appointment is subject to approval of DRDO Headquarters, New Delhi. f) Working Hours (Except Holidays) - Monday to Friday - 9:00 Hrs to 17:30 Hrs
Saturday/Sunday (on emergency or on call)
2. Eligible candidates should submit type written applications on plain paper mentioning therein Name, Father's / Husband Name, Date of Birth, Address for Communication, Educational Qualification, Details of Experience, Phone Number, Email address and photocopies of all the Certificates / Testimonials & Two recent passport size photographs should be sent to The Director, Centre for Advanced Systems (CAS), Yadgarpally(V), Keesara(M), Hyderabad - 501303, Telangana (S) within 15 days from the date of publication of this advertisement. The envelope should be subscribed as "APPLICATION FOR THE POST OF MEDICAL DOCTOR (ON CONTRACT BASIS)".

3. The organisation reserves the right to accept/ reject any application without assigning any reasons.

(डॉ. एच. श्री वर्धन / Dr. L. Sree Vardhan)

वैज्ञानिक 'एफ' / Scientist 'F'

डी.ओ.एम.एस. / DOMS

कृते निदेशक, सी.एस.एस. / For Director, CAS

APPLICATION PROFORMA

Advertisement No. _____ Date _____

1. Post applied for	:			
2. Name (in full)	:			
3. Father / Husband Name	:			
4. Date of Birth	:			
5. Address for Correspondence	:			
6. Permanent Address	:			
7. Mobile No.	:			
8. Email ID	:			
9. Educational Qualifications (Attach copies of the same)	:			
Qualification	Institution / University	Year of Passing	Subjects	Marks Percentage

Photograph

10. Details of Experience :
(Attach copies of the same)

11. Any other Information :
I certify that, the particulars given above are true & correct to the best of my knowledge.

Date: _____

Place: _____ Signature _____
CBC 10301/11/0139/2425 EN 39/71



No. 3019/PPCC/EST/SCI/2024
Government of Puducherry

Puducherry Pollution Control Committee

Puducherry

Dated 16/12/2024

Notification

The Puducherry Pollution Control Committee hereby notifies the vacancy of one post of **ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEER** in Puducherry Pollution Control Committee (Autonomous), Puducherry, which is classified as Group'B' carrying pay in Level 7 of Pay Matrix to be filled up on Deputation basis (including short term contract/ Promotion. This notification is for inviting application for filling up the post of 'Environmental Engineer'. The method of recruitment to the post is by Deputation (including short-term contract) Promotion failing which by direct recruitment.

2. The Notification containing the details of vacancies, educational qualification, eligibility criteria, mode of application etc., can be viewed in the department's website <https://dste.py.gov.in> and <https://dste.py.gov.in/ppcc/>.

Last Date for Submission of Application : Within six weeks (42 days) from the date of publication of this Notification in the Employment News.

MEMBER SECRETARY

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PUDUCHERRY POLLUTION CONTROL COMMITTEE