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### **AGRICULTURAL AND PROCESSED FOOD PRODUCTS EXPORT DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY**

**(Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Govt. of India)**

3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, NCUI Building, 3 Siri Institutional Area,  
August Kranti Marg, (Opp. Asiad Village), New Delhi

Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority is a Government of India, Statutory Autonomous Organization under the Ministry of Commerce and Industry. The organization is involved in the work related to the development of export of agri products and processed food items from India to rest of the world.

Herbal and Medicinal plants are among the scheduled products of APEDA from promotion of export of these items. The estimated international market for Herbal and Medicinal plants is around USD 60 billion growing @ 7% per annum and it is estimated that it may grow to USD 5 trillion by 2050.

The Floriculture Division of APEDA requires a qualified person to assist it in the work related to the export of Herbal and Medicinal plants particularly in the following fields:-

1. To identify species having applications/ use as Herbal and Medicinal plants.
2. Identification of plants species having potential for export and which are allowed for export under Foreign Trade Policy.
3. To examine the lists of scheduled agri products and suggest if any plant species could be put on positive list with justification.
4. To examine if any endangered species can be cultivated and considered for export.

The requirement of person to assist the department in the above mentioned task is on retainership basis and the retainership shall be on the following terms and conditions:-

1. The retainership shall be for a period of six months w.e.f. the date the person on retainership reports for duty.

2. The person on retainerhip will attend office for providing advice on the matters related to medicinal and aromatic plant development, as and when required by the concerned division.
3. A fee of Rs.1250/- (One thousand two hundred fifty) all inclusive will be paid only for the day on which the person on retainerhip attends office and no TA/DA will be payable separately.
4. The working hours on the day retainer attends office shall be 9:00 A.M. to 5:30 P.M.
5. Weekly offs and holidays are not paid.
6. No paid leave is admissible to the person engaged on retainerhip.
7. Other service benefits which are admissible to the employees of APEDA shall not be admissible to the person working on retainerhip.

The interested suitable persons may submit their application giving full details viz., Name (in capital letters), Father's/Husband's Name, Date of Birth and Age as on date, Current Postal Address, and Educational Qualifications with Experience if any etc., to General Manager (Admn.), Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, NCUI Building, 3 Siri Institutional Area, August Kranti Marg, New Delhi-110016 within a period of ten days from the date of release of this advertisement.