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F. No. 27(17)/NP/2011-HRD
Dated 31st May, 2012

Dear Sir/ Madam,

We are pleased to inform you that the ICAR proposes to fill-up **ICAR National Professorial Chairs (2 positions) and Norman Borlaug Chair in International Agriculture (1 position) in ICAR-AU system, under the Scheme of Creation of National Professorial Chairs.** The basic objective of the Scheme is to promote excellence by recognizing outstanding scientists with proven output and outcome for creating a culture of basic research through their project work in the National Agricultural Research System (NARS) and establishing and nurturing a novel school of thought around the recognized person.

The positions carry a fixed pay of Rs. 75,000/- per month with allowances for a period of five years. The tenure of the position may be extended, based on excellence shown in the quality of work, but in no case beyond the age of 65 years of the incumbent. In addition, the contingent funds for required staff, equipment and operational assistance would also be provided by the ICAR.

Principal Scientists/ Professors active in research, holding the post for a minimum period of 8 years, and not exceeding 58 years of age (as on 31st July, 2012) who have demonstrated excellence through individual contributions and achievements and have contributed significantly through basic research in agriculture and allied science subjects including veterinary science, are eligible for consideration for ICAR National Professorial Chair. However, the eligibility for nominations for Norman Borlaug Chair in International Agriculture, *inter alia* those existing for the ICAR National Professors, should be currently active in basic research having specific impact on International Agriculture with **strong evidence** of contribution to the basic research in the form of knowledge and technology generation including published work. There is no discipline-wise allocation of the ICAR-National Professorial position.

I take this opportunity in requesting you to **kindly nominate such eminent scientist(s) along with up-to-date bio-data and the research project proposal** in the prescribed proforma (Parts A, B and C) for consideration by the High Powered Search-cum-Selection Committee. The nominations may please be forwarded to the undersigned **latest by 31st July, 2012.** Candidates those who have been nominated in response to the earlier ICAR notification number F. No. 27(17)/NP/2011-HRD dated 7th April, 2011, 8th June, 2011 and dated 18th January, 2012 for ICAR Professorial Chairs/Norman Borlaug Chair in International Agriculture need not be nominated again unless the applicant/nominee desires to revise the technical programme. **Nominations received after the due date will not be considered.** The prescribed proforma for nomination along with the relevant guidelines are enclosed and may also be downloaded from ICAR website (www.icar.org.in). It may please be noted that canvassing of any kind will be treated as disqualification.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Arvind Kumar)

Encl: as above.

To

- (i) All the Vice-Chancellors of State Agricultural Universities, ICAR Deemed Universities, Central Universities having Faculty of Agriculture and Central Agricultural University
(ii) All the Directors/ Project Directors of ICAR Institutes, National Bureaux and NRCs.
(iii) Presidents of Concerned National Academies

Copy for information to:

- (i) All DDGs ICAR, Secretary ICAR, Financial Advisor (DARE)
(ii) Sr. PPS to D.G. ICAR, Sr. PS to Chairman ASRB and PS to Members ASRB

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Arvind Kumar
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NAU / PSR 13/14
Dt. 16 JUN 2012

**Proforma for Nomination for the Position of ICAR Professorial Chairs
Including Norman Borlaug Chair in International Agriculture**

PART A: Biodata of the Nominee

(Not exceeding six pages excluding the list of publications)

1. Name of the nominee:
2. Present affiliation and address for contact including Email and Phone/Mobile:
3. Date of birth/ present age:
4. Nationality:
5. Post presently held along with the pay-scale and period:
6. Academic qualifications (with examination passed, Board/ University, year of passing, % marks/ CGPA/OGPA, major subjects, distinctions if any):
7. Employment Record (with post held, scale of pay, employer, year of joining, year of leaving, major responsibilities):
8. Research/ teaching experience:
 - i) Research experience and achievements:
 - ii) Teaching experience and achievements:
 - iii) Significant work done in the field of specialization:
9. List of important research publications (during the last 15 years) with NAAS rating of journals available at <http://naasindia.org/documents/jrnlist.pdf> :

Sl. No.	Publications	NAAS Journal ID	NAAS Weightage/ Rating
National			
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10. Honours and Awards:
 - i) Membership of National/ International Academies:
 - ii) National/ International Awards/ citations/ recognitions:
11. *Any other specific point that the nominee would like to mention in support of his/ her candidature:*

Date:
Place:

Signature of the Nominee
Name

PART B: Research Project Proposal

(Not exceeding 6 pages)

1. Title of the Project:
2. Objectives:
3. Proposed location of work
4. Detailed justification indicating therein as to how the project will add to our present knowledge and create a culture of basic research in the National Agricultural Research System:
5. Review of literature (showing briefly the status and critical gaps, not exceeding one page):
6. Technical Programme (with activity milestones and time-frame):
7. Specialized Training programmes (national/ international) proposed to be organized/ books to be written, and courses to be taught.
8. Expected output(s) particularly on time scale (please quantify):
9. Expected impact of the output(s) on the agriculture of the country/*International Agriculture:
10. Budget requirement (year-wise, head-wise, with list of equipment) (please see the rules/guidelines):
11. Additional information by the Nominee, if any.

Place:
Date:

Signature of the nominee
Name

** Applicable to nominees for ICAR Norman Borlaug chair in International Agriculture*

PART C: DECLARATION BY HEAD OF THE HOST INSTITUTION/ UNIVERSITY

It is to certify that the name of Dr. , presently working as at is being nominated by this University/ Institute for the position of ICAR National Professorial Chair/ Norman Borlaug Chair in International Agriculture. He/ she would be working on the project entitled " " which is within the mandate of this University/ Institute.

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Signatures of the Vice Chancellor/ Director
Name:
Address:

Date:
Place:

Forwarding note by the proposer in support of the research contribution:

Signature of the Proposer

To
*The Deputy Director General (Edn.)
Indian Council of Agricultural Research, KAB-II, Pusa
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