

NODAL OFFICER, ICZMP

DIRECTORATE OF FISHERIES, Odisha, Cuttack

Walk-In- Interview

The Joint Director of Fisheries (Coastal)-Cum- Nodal Officer, ICZMP, Directorate of Fisheries, Odisha, Cuttack will hold a Walk- in- interview for engagement of the following individual to be engaged on contractual basis initially for a period of one year which may be extended on the basis of requirement of the Project and satisfactory performance of personnel engaged. Applications are invited from eligible candidates for filling up of post as mentioned below under the Project.

Sl. No.	Name of the Post	No. of Post	Qualification
1.	Fisheries Development Officer	03	B.F.Sc. / M.Sc.(Zoology) and equivalent

Eligible candidates with required qualification and experience are required to report for the interview along with original and photocopies of certificates, mark sheets and two pass port size photographs on the date and time of interview. Details of terms indicating qualification, experience, job requirement and monthly emoluments are available in the website: www.orissafisheries.com & www.iczmpodisha.org. The interested candidates are required to submit their CV in advance latest by 07/09/2013. The authority reserves the right of accepting/rejecting any or all applications without assigning any reason thereof. No personal query will be entertained.

Interview Schedule: 11 /09/2013 at 11AM

Venue: Directorate of Fisheries,

Dry Dock, Jobra, Cuttack

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**Joint Director of Fisheries (C)
Cum-Nodal Officer, ICZMP.**

INTEGRATED COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT PROJECT, ODISHA

Fisheries & ARD Department

Terms of Reference for posts of Fisheries Development Officer

1. Background:

The Government of Odisha in partnership with Government of India has initiated a project to achieve the goals of sustainable utilization of coastal areas without causing any notable degradation of its habitats and deterioration of the ecosystem and avoid the adverse impact of unplanned and incompatible development. As one of the components of the national initiative through integrated coastal zone management (ICZM) approach like in states of Gujarat and West Bengal, the approach is being piloted in Odisha. This component will include capacity building of the state level agencies and institutions, including preparation of an ICZM plan for the coastal sediment cells that include the stretches of Paradip to Dhamara and Goplarpur to Chilika, including regional coastal process study, and pilot investments. It has adopted Integrated Coastal Zone Management activities.

Under Integrated Coastal Zone Management Project, State Project Management Unit (SPMU) has been formed under the Department of Forest and Environment, Government of Odisha and will implement the Odisha component of this national initiative. The project envisages execution through primary and secondary institutions from the State Project Management Unit to the community level groups.

2. Objectives of the Project:

The overarching objectives of the project is to provide for the best long –term and sustainable use of coastal natural resources and for perpetual maintenance of the most beneficial natural environment through full involvement of all the stakeholders through a comprehensive and integrated programme. In order to do so, the underlying objectives of the project include:

- Building up of the National capacity for implementation of comprehensive coastal management approach in the country, and piloting the integrated coastal zone management approach within state of Odisha.
- To build state level capacity to manage coastal zone issues is a necessary complement to the national level capacity building, given the constitutional division of responsibilities between the state and national governments.
- The key outcome indicators will be:
 - i) The existence of an appropriate national institutional structure for guiding and coordinating implementation of ICZM approaches,
 - ii) The number of “knowledge benchmarks” showing improvement according to end-users of knowledge services,
 - iii) The number of completed pilot ICZM activities demonstrating cross-sectoral and spatial integration; and
 - iv) The number of other ICZM plans initiated to replicate the lessons learnt.

The initiatives proposed under ICZM Project, Odisha has following objectives;

- Formulation of Integrated Coastal Zone Management Plan for the State
- Coastal Erosion and Associated Oceanographic process
- Vulnerability to Disaster
- Biodiversity Conservation
- Livelihood security
- Pollution/ Environmental quality management
- Improvement and conservation of cultural / Archeological assets

3. Organization and Implementation Structure:

The overall responsibility for the project implementation and coordination for the component designed for the state rest with the State Project Management Unit, Integrated Coastal Management Project, Odisha which has been established to serve as a coordinating agency. The State Steering Committee (SSC) is the apex body chaired by the Chief Secretary, Government of Odisha while the Principal Secretary, Forest and Environment, Government of Odisha is the Vice – Chairman. This Committee includes representatives of various implementing departments and civil society. The Project Director of SPMU, ICZMP, Odisha will act as Convener of SSC.

PEA for Component of Fisheries: Fisheries & ARD department, Government of Odisha is responsible for the proper implementation of the different developmental schemes in inland, Brackish water and marine sector. The Directorate of Fisheries, Odisha is mandated for implementation of the fisheries component under ICZMP, Odisha.

4. Job Description of Fisheries Development Officer:

- Required to work in the field as per requirement of the assignment and suitability from time to time. He /She shall ensure coordination between PEA and different stake holders for effective implementation of the fisheries component under ICZM Programme of the State of Odisha.
- Will technically assists the Nodal Officer in the implementation and financial management of the project sub-component.
- Shall play a leading role in coordinating the functions of SHG and their overall management under this project.
- The job of the person will be to provide technical support and assists the SHGs and ensure that financial management is carried out as per the Financial Management / Financial Rule for the Society and World Bank norms in implementation of different components/ sub components of alternative livelihoods options for fisher folk.
- Shall be responsible for preparing all reports and returns pertaining implementation of the fisheries programme in the field as and when required.
- Shall be delivering on any other related works assigned to him by the Nodal Officer/ Project Implementing Officer as may be required from time to time.
- Shall liaise with the field project implementation.
- Shall coordinate & support workshops, meetings and seminars, etc.
- Shall monitor the activities of the implementing SHGs and their performance and required to inspect the works frequently.
- Any other work assigned to him by the Nodal Officer/ Project Implementing Officer from time to time.

5. Essential Qualification of Fisheries Development Officer: He/ She should possess a Degree in Bachelor of Fishery Science (B.F.Sc) or M.Sc.(Zoology) /M.Sc.(Marine Biology) or Equivalent Qualification from recognized University/ Institute with excellent academic record.

6. Work Experience and other Attributes of Fisheries Development Officer:

- a) At least 2 years of post qualification experience at the state or community level activities in related field is preferable.
- b) Experience of working with similar programmes is preferable.
- c) He/ She should have fluency in English, Oriya and Hindi, excellent in drafting and verbal communication skills.
- d) He/ She should be physically and mentally fit to discharge the duties prescribed and capable of undertaking extensive tours.
- e) He / She will be liable to serve anywhere in the area of the project operation.
- f) Knowledge of computer application will be added advantage

7. Remuneration of Fisheries Development Officer: A consolidated amount of Rs. 15,000.00 per month.