



VIVEKANANDA PARVATIYA KRISHI ANUSANDHAN SANSTHAN
(Indian Council of Agricultural Research)
ALMORA (UTTARAKHAND) - 263601

F. No. 9-39/2012-Admn.I

Applications are invited for filling-up of the following temporary posts at VPKAS, Almora and its Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Chinyalisaur(Uttarakashi) and Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Kafligair(Bageshwar) under the Administrative control of ICAR, New Delhi.

Sl. No.	Post/Place of Posting	Pay Band/ Pay Scale + Grade Pay	Age Limit	Number of Vacant post-Reservation Position	Qualifications	
					Essential	Desirable
1	Subject Matter Specialist/T-6 (Crop Production) KVK, Kafligair (Bageshwar)	PB-3 (₹15600-39100) + GP ₹ 5400/-	18 to 35 years	01 post- UR	Master's degree in Agriclural Science (Agronomy) or Equivalent qualifications from a recognized university	1. 2-3 years's experience in crop production of hill crops. 2. Working knowledge of computer application 3. Ph.D. in relevant subject as specified
2	Subject Matter Specialist/T-6 (Plant Breeding/ Seed Technology) KVK, Chinyalisaur (Uttarakashi)	PB-3 (₹ 15600-39100) + GP ₹ 5400/-	18 to 35 years	01 post- UR	Master's degree in Agricultural Science [Plant Breeding/Seed Science & Technology/ Genetics (with Plant Breeding as major subject)] or Equivalent qualifications from a recognized university	1. 2-3 year's experience in seed production of hill crops. 2. Working knowledge of computer application and data management. 3. Ph.D. in relevant subject as specified
3	Subject Matter Specialist/T-6 (Crop Protection) KVK, Chinyalisaur (Uttarakashi)	PB-3 (₹ 15600-39100) + GP ₹ 5400/-	18 to 35 years	01 post -OBC	Master's degree in Agricultural Science (Plant Pathology/ Entomology/ Nematology/ Plant Protection) or Equivalent qualifications from a recognized university	1. 2-3 year's experience in crop protection of hill crops. 2. Working knowledge of computer application 3. Ph.D. in relevant subject as specified
4	Farm Manager/T-4 KVK, Chinyalisaur (Uttarakashi)	PB-2 (₹ 9300-34800) + GP ₹ 4200/-	18 to 30 years	01 post - UR	Bachelor degree in Agriculture or Equivalent qualifications from a recognized university	1. 2-3 year's experience in Farm management 2. Working knowledge of computer application

5	Programme Assistant (Lab Technician)/T-4 KVK, Chinyalisaur (Uttarakashi)	PB-2 (₹ 9300-34800) + GP ₹ 4200/-	18 to 30 years	01 post - UR	Bachelor degree in Agriculture/Science with Botany and Chemistry or Equivalent qualifications from a recognized university	1. 2-3 year's experience of working in the laboratory and maintenance of equipment. 2. Working knowledge of computer application
6	Programme Assistant (Computer)/T-4 KVK, Chinyalisaur (Uttarakashi)	PB-2 (₹ 9300-34800) + GP ₹ 4200/-	18 to 30 years	01 Post- SC	Bachelor degree in Computer Science/ Computer Application/ Information Technology or Equivalent qualifications from a recognized university	2-3 year's experience of working in computer application or Information Technology.
7	Technical Assistant/ T-3 (Field/Farm Technician) VPKAS, Almora.	PB-1 (₹ 5200-20200) + GP ₹ 2800/-	18 to 30 years	02 post 1 post –UR 1 post - OBC	Bachelor degree in Agriculture Science or Equivalent qualifications from a recognized university	1. 2-3 year's experience in seed production/ crop production of hill crops 2. Working knowledge of computer
8	Technician/T-1 (Field/Farm Technician) VPKAS, Almora.	PB-1 (₹ 5200-20200) + GP ₹ 2000/-	18 to 30 years	02 post - UR	Matriculation with at least one year certificate in Agriculture from recognized Institution	Experience in crop management
9	Stenographer Grade- III KVK, Kafligair (Bageshwar)	PB-1 (₹ 5200-20200) + GP ₹ 2400/-	18 to 27 years	01 post- UR	12th Class pass or equivalent from a recognized Board or University Professional efficiency: The candidate will be given one dictation test in English or in Hindi at 80 w.p.m. for 10 minutes. The candidates who opt to take the test in English will be required to transcribe the matter in 50 minutes on computer and the candidates who opt to take the test in Hindi will be required to transcribe the matter in 65 minutes on computer.	-

- Note:** 1. The candidates who have applied earlier for the posts of Serial No. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6 and 9 need not to apply again for the same post.
2. Last date of receipt of applications is 30 days from the date of publication of this advertisement in the Employment News & for applications posted from the Andaman and Nicobar Islands, Lakshadweep, Minicoy and Amindmi Islands, States/Union Territories in the North Eastern Region, Ladakh Division of J&K State, Sikkim, Pangi, Sub Division of Chamba, Lahul and Spiti District of Himanchal Pradesh, last date would be 15 days over and above 30 days from the date of advertisement.
3. Application form and details for the above posts are available on institute website – <http://vpkas.nic.in>

Administrative Officer

General Instruction:

1. Application should be submitted in the prescribed proforma and Separate application should be submitted for each post. Self attested copies of the relevant documents are to be attached with the application such as Educational Qualification/Age Certificate/ Caste Certificate etc.
2. Crucial date for determining the upper age limit of candidate will be the closing date of receipt of application. Relaxation to SC/ST/OBC as per rules. There will be no age limit for the employees of the Council for the above Technical posts. The maximum age limit for the ICAR employees will be relaxable upto 45 years for the post of Stenographer Grade-III.
3. Application form must accompany with a Bank Draft of ₹ 500/- for the posts mentioned at serial No. 1 to 3 and ₹ 200/- for the post mentioned at serial No. 4 to 9(SC/ST/Women/Physical Handicapped candidates are exempted) drawn in favour of the Director, VPKAS(ICAR), Almora payable at SBI, Almora. No other means of payment will be accepted failing which the application will be rejected. The date of Bank Draft should not be earlier than the date of issue of the advertisement in the Employment News and same should be valid for a period of three months, candidates must write his name on the back of the Bank draft. The application fee is not refundable.
4. Name of the post for which applied must be clearly indicated on the envelope along with sender's name and address. Last date of receipt of applications is 30 days from the date of publication of this advertisement in the Employment News & for applications posted from the Andaman and Nicobar Islands, Lakshadweep, Minicoy and Amindmi Islands, States/Union Territories in the North Eastern Region, Ladakh Division of J&K State, Sikkim, Pangi, Sub Division of Chamba, Lahul and Spiti District of Himanchal Pradesh, last date would be 15 days over and above 30 days from the date of advertisement. Applications completed in all respects should reach the Administrative Officer, Vivekananda Parvatiya Krishi Anusandhan Sansthan(ICAR), Almora – 263601 (Uttarakhand) within 30 days from the date of publication of this advertisement in the Employment News.
5. Candidates already in government service should submit their applications through proper channel.
6. The posts is temporary but likely to continue and the candidate may be transferred to anywhere in India in ICAR institutes/stations.
7. For Research Associates / Senior Research Fellows who have been engaged on contractual basis in different Institutes under ICAR as on i.e. **12.12.2011** are eligible for relaxation in the upper age limit to the **extent of their spell, during which they were actually engaged as RAs / SRFs in different projects** (maximum of 16 years 3 months). A break of more than 6 months may not be accepted and may be treated as an inordinate spell of break. An employment certificate indicating the names of the project and the exact period the incumbent worked in each project, may be obtained from the Competent Authority, and enclosed alongwith the application. **The applications without Experience certificate will be disqualified.** The age relaxation is applicable for the posts of T-6, T-4 and T-3 under Direct Recruitment for RAs / SRFs only. This dispensation is only for relaxing the maximum age limit and does not imply any other relaxation whatsoever regarding essential qualifications and experience etc.
8. **Candidates applying for the vacancies will have to give a declaration stating whether he is related to any employee of the VPKAS(ICAR), Almora or any Institutes of ICAR and, if so, name the persons and describe the nature of his/her relationship.**
9. The prescribed qualifications are minimum and an enhanced qualification does not entitle the candidate to be called for written test/interview. Where the number of applications received in response to advertisement is large, it will not be convenient or possible for the Institute to call all the candidates for written test/interview. The Director of the Institute has the right to fix criteria based on education qualifications and experience for screening the applications so as to reduce/shortlist the number of candidates called for written test/Interview. Shortlisted candidate will be called for written test/ interview.
10. No T.A./D.A. will be paid to the candidates called for interview/test. Unemployed SC/ST candidates called for interview/test will be paid second class train/bus fare by the shortest route, as per Govt. of India rules.(on production of proof).
11. Incomplete applications/applications without demand draft/applications received after the closing date will not be considered and no correspondence in this regard will be entertained.
12. The Director, VPKAS(ICAR), Almora reserves the right to cancel the recruitment to the above posts without assigning any reason thereof.
13. Applications received after the due date for any reason including postal delays will not be entertained.
14. The above posts are non-government but pensionable under 'New Pension Scheme'.
15. All the dispute/litigation, if any in this regard will be subject to Uttarakhand High Court, Nainital jurisdiction only.

Administrative Officer

**VIVEKANANDA PARVATIYA KRISHI ANUSANDHAN SANSTHAN
(INDIAN COUNCIL OF AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH)
ALMORA-263601 (UTTARAKHAND) INDIA**

Application Form

1. Name of the post.....
2. Name of applicant (in Block letter)
3. Father's/Husband's name
4. Permanent address
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5. Mailing address
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6. Date of birth
7. Sex: Male/Female
8. Age as on closing date of applicationYears.....Month.....Day
9. Nationality.....
10. Marital Status.....
11. Whether belongs to SC/ST/OBC ? Yes/No
(if so, enclose attested copy of the certificate)
12. Whether physically handicapped ? Yes/No
(if so, enclose attested copy of the certificate)
13. Educational and Technical Qualifications

Recent
passport size
photograph
(Self Attested)

Sl. No.	Name of the Exam	Board/University	Year of passing	Subjects	Division

14. Details of experience, if any :

Sl. No.	Name of Employer	Post held	Scale of pay	period	Nature of duties performed

15. Bank Draft No.....Date.....

16. Name of employment office, registration no. and date

17. Whether you are related to any employee of the

VPKAS, Almora and its KVK's/ any other

Institutes of ICAR , if so, name the person

and describe the nature of relationship with him.

Declaration

I hereby declare that all the statements made above are complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. In the event of any information found false or incorrect at any time before or after the selection/interview, my candidature may be cancelled and I shall abide by the decision of the Director, VPKAS, Almora.

Place:

Date:

SIGNATURE OF THE APPLICANT

**FORM OF CERTIFICATE PRESCRIBED FOR
SCHEDULED CASTE AND SCHEDULED TRIBE**

Form of Certificate as prescribed in M.H.A., O.M. No. 42/21/49-N.G.S., dated 28-1-1952, as revised in Dept. of Per. & A.R., Letter No. 36012/6/76-Estt. (SCT) dated 29-10-1977, to be produced by a candidate belonging to a Scheduled Caste or Scheduled Tribe in support of his claim.

FORM OF CASTE CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that Shri/Shrimati*/Kumari* _____ Son/
daughter* of _____ of village/town* _____ in
District/ Division* _____ of the State/Union Territory*
_____ belongs to the _____

Scheduled Caste
Caste/Tribe* which is recognized as a ----- under:-
Scheduled Tribe*

- * The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Order, 1950.
- * The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Order, 1950.
- * The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) (Union Territories) Order, 1951.
- * The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) (Union Territories) Order, 1951.

[(As amended by the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Lists (Modification Order) 1956, the Bombay Reorganisation Act, 1960, the Punjab Reorganisation Act, 1966, the State of Himachal Pradesh Act, 1970, the North-Eastern Areas (Reorganisation) Act, 1971 and the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Orders (Amendment) Act, 1976].

- * The Constitution (Jammu and Kashmir) Scheduled Castes Order, 1956.
- * The Constitution (Andaman and Nicobar Islands) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1959,
as amended
by the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Orders (Amendment) Act, 1976.
- * The Constitution (Dadra and Nagar Haveli) Scheduled Castes Order, 1962.
- * The Constitution (Dadra and Nagar haveli) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1962.
- * The constitution (Pondicherry) Scheduled Castes Order, 1964.
- * The constitution Scheduled Tribes (Uttar Pradesh) Order, 1967.
- * The Constitution (Goa, Daman and Diu) Scheduled Caste Order, 1968.
- * The Constitution (Goa, Daman and Diu) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1968.
- * The Constitution (Nagaland) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1970.
- * The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Castes Order, 1978.
- * The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Tribes order, 1978.
- * The Constitution (Jammu and Kashmir) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1989.

- * The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Order (Amendment) Act, 1990.
- * The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Order Amendment Act, 1991.
- * The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Order Second Amendment Act, 1991.

2. This certificate is issued on the basis of the Scheduled Castes/ Scheduled Tribes Certificate issued to Shri/Shrimati*_____ father/mother* of Shri/Shrimati/Kumari*_____ of village/town*_____ in District/Division*_____ of the State/Union Territory*_____ who belong to the Caste/Tribe* which is recognized as a Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe* in the State/Union Territory*_____ issued by the _____ Dated _____

3. Shri/Shrimati*/Kumari*_____ and/or his/her* family ordinarily reside(s) in village/town*_____ of _____ District/Division* of the State/Union Territory* of _____

Signature_____

Designation_____

(With Seal of Office)

State

Place_____

Date_____ Union Territory

NOTE:- The term "Ordinarily resides" used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the Representation of the Peoples Act, 1950.

* Please delete the words which are not applicable.

**FORM OF CERTIFICATE TO BE PRODUCED BY OTHER BACKWARD CLASSES
APPLYING FOR APPOINTMENT TO POSTS UNDER THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.**

This is to certify that Shri/Smt./Kumari _____ son/daughter of
_____ of _____ village/town _____
in District/Division _____ in the State/Union Territory
_____ belongs to the _____ community
which is recognized as a backward class under the Government of India, Ministry of Social
Justice and Empowerment's Resolution No. _____ dated
_____. Shri/Smt./Kumari _____ and/or his/her family
ordinarily reside(s) in the _____ District/Division of the
_____ State/Union Territory. This is also to certify that he/she does
not belong to the persons/sections (Creamy layer) mentioned in Column 3 of the Schedule
to the Government of India, Department of Personnel and Training O.M. No. 36012/22/93-
Estt. (SCT) dated 8.9.1993**.

**District Magistrate,
Deputy Commissioner etc.**

Dated

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*- The authority issuing the certificate may have to mention the details of Resolution of Government of India, in which the caste of the candidate is mentioned as OBC.

** - As amended from time to time.

Note:- The term "Ordinarily" used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the Representation of the People Act, 1950.