

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: VEGETABLE PRODUCTION TECHNOLOGY FOR LIVELIHOOD IMPROVEMENT OF SMALL-SCALE FARMERS

The undersigned is directed to refer to the subject noted above and to state that Japan International Cooperation Agency has offered one seat for subject training course scheduled to be held w.e.f. February 01, 2024 to February 15, 2024 Online, w.e.f February 20, 2024 to October 12, 2024 in Japan and w.e.f October 15, 2024 to November 12, 2024 Online Follow-up. All concerned Ministries / Divisions / Departments are requested to send nomination of suitable officer who fulfills the following criteria to the undersigned by 07-12-2023 along with three (3) copies of prescribed JICA forms, one copy of CNIC, FTC Proforma, undertaking, Surety Bond, Passport and Inception Report as advised in the G.I. Booklet.

Course Objective:

Participants acquire knowledge on essential vegetable production technologies and basic farm management, and problem solution skills.


Eligibility Criteria:-

The applicants should:-

- Be an agricultural extension officer involved in dissemination of vegetable production technologies
- Have at least 3 years working experience in agricultural extension service activities.
- Be a graduate of university, not for PhD holders.
- Proficient in spoken and written English.
- Be between the age of 30 and sixty 40 years.

2. New prescribed JICA Application Form, FTC Performa, Undertaking and Surety Bond can be downloaded from EAD's website www.ead.gov.pk under "Foreign Trainings" link in "Forms" ad also available on JICA's website www.jica.go.jp/pakistan/english/index.html.

3. In case of selection of the officer the concerned Departments are requested to ensure timely relieving of the officer along with NOC. Nomination of contractual employees will not be entertained.


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1. Secretary, Ministry of National Food Security & Research, Govt. of Pakistan, Islamabad
2. Ministry of Planning, Development and Special Initiatives, Govt. of Pakistan, Islamabad.
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7. Addl. Chief Secretary, Planning & Development Department, Government of AJK, Muzaffarabad.
8. Addl. Chief Secretary, Planning & Development Department, Government of Gilgit-Baltistan, Gilgit

C.C to:

- i) Secretary, Agriculture Department, Government of Punjab, Lahore.
- ii) Secretary, Agriculture Department, Government of Sindh, Karachi
- iii) Secretary, Agriculture Department, Government of Balochistan, Quetta
- iv) Secretary, Agriculture Department, Government of the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar.
- v) Secretary, Agriculture Department, Government of the AJ&K, Muzaffarabad
- vi) Secretary, Agriculture, Fisheries & Livestock Department, Government of the Gilgit Baltistan, Gilgit.
- vii) Chairman, PARC, G-5/1, Islamabad.
- viii) Director General (NARC), Chak Shahzad, Islamabad.
- ix) Joint Secretary (Training), Establishment Division, Islamabad
- x) System Analyst (Computer Center), EAD kindly upload this Circular and JICA's G.I Booklet on EAD's Website.