GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

NVBCDP – Recruitment of Laboratory Technicians and Malaria Technical Supervisors (MTS) – Orders Issued

HEALTH, MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE (J2) DEPARTMENT

G.O Rt. NO. 259 Dated : 03.03.2010


ORDER:

The Director of Health of Government of Andhra Pradesh in his letter No.817/NVBDCP/H/2008 dated 1 December 2009 has requested for permission to contract the services of fifteen (15) Laboratory Technicians (LTs) and thirty (30) Malaria Technical Supervisors (MTS) on a temporary basis to assist the District Medical and Health Officers of Srikakulam, Vizianagaram, Visakhapatnam, East Godavari and Khammam districts to achieve effective control of Malaria under the National Vector-Borne Disease Control Programme (NVBDCP). The expenditure to be incurred on these functionaries will be provided by Government of India from the World Bank financed support project.

2. After careful examination of the proposal, the Government is pleased to permit the Director of Health to contract the services of fifteen Laboratory Assistants and thirty Malaria Technical Supervisors for a period of one year. The deployment of the LTs and MTS will be as follows in the five districts:

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3. The LTs and MTS will be deployed in the Tribal-Sub Plan (ITDA)) areas of these five districts with the exception of Visakhapatnam where one LT and one MTS will be responsible for assisting the District Malaria Officer in the management of Malaria Control activities in the urban and sub-urban areas of Vishakhapatnam district. The LTs and MTS deployed in the ITDA areas will work under the overall supervision and control of the Project Officer of ITDA. However, their work scheduling and monitoring shall be the responsibility of the concerned Assistant Malaria Officer (AMO).

4. Each LT and MTS should be assigned a duty station, which shall be the Primary Health Centre (PHC) with high API and the area of their field operation shall be coterminous with the area of operation of one or more PHCs. The PHC Medical Officer shall monitor the day-to-day functioning of these contracted staff. The headquarters of the LTs and MTS shall be determined by the Additional DMHO (ITDA) in consultation with the PO of ITDA and the DMHO / DMO of the district. This process shall precede the selection of the candidates for the posts. As far as possible, only local candidates with familiarity of the place, people and the context of Malaria shall be selected.

5. A committee comprising of the following will select the qualified candidates for each of the five districts duly following the competitive process laid down in the letter No. 14-4/2006-09/ NVBDCP/ VBD /WB /NHR/ NRHM of the Director of NVBDCP dated 9 July 2008:

- District Collector: Chairman
- Project Officer of ITDA: Vice-chairman
- DM&HO & Addl DMHO (ITDA): Members
- District Malaria Officer – Member – Convenor

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6. Upon recommendation of the Selection Committee, the DM&HO will enter into contract with the selected candidates for performance of the tasks defined in the job description of the LTs and MTS in the communication of NVBDCP initially for a period of one year. The contract may be extended for the duration of the World Bank assisted project based on the performance of the contracted candidate. The government orders that each LT shall be contracted on a consolidated remuneration of Rs.5,200 per month and MTS on a monthly remuneration of Rs.5,800. In addition, each MTS will be provided mobility support as per the NVBDCP guidelines, as he/she is required to be in the field for at least twenty-five days a month.

7. The Director of Health is instructed to oversee the contracting process and ensure that all candidates are positioned latest by 31 March 2010. He shall organise a two-week training programme for the LTs and MTS, of which one-week shall be devoted to practical and field-based exercises. The DH shall take the assistance of any reputed institution for training the contracted staff. The DH shall furnish action taken report (ATR) to the Government by 5 April 2010.

8. This order is issued with the concurrence of the Finance (SMPC) Department U.O Note No.34124/1303/A2/SMPC/09 dated 19 January 2010.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT

To
The Director of Health
The Commissioner of Tribal Welfare
District Collectors of Srikakulam, Vizianagaram, Visakhapatnam, East Godavari, and Khammam

Copy to:
The District Medical and Health Officers of Srikakulam, Vizianagaram, Visakhapatnam, East Godavari, and Khammam
The Project Officers of ITDAs of Seetampet (Srikakulam), Parvathipuram (Vizianagaram), Paderu (Visakhapatnam), Rampachodavaram (East Godavari), and Bhadrachalam (Khammam).
PS to Secretary Health
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