Terms of Reference Consultant-Entomologist

(Intersectoral Coordination for Prevention and Control of Zoonotic Diseases)

National Health Systems Resource Centre (NHSRC), New Delhi on behalf of Ministry of Health & Family Welfare (MoH&FW) is seeking applications from qualified candidates for the above mentioned post purely on contractual basis.

Job Description:

- Coordination with concerned state health officials for surveillance of zoonotic diseases major health importance.
- Undertake field visits to various states to carry out surveillance activities.
- Report to NCDC Delhi regarding the activities undertaken and Necessary actions.
- Trapping of rodent from domestic situations.
- Collection of rodents from wild and per domestic situations by diggings.
- Dissection of rodents and collection of sera samples and organs.
- Collection of ectoparasites for bacteriological examination and susceptibility tests of flees of various insecticides.
- Colonization of different vector species
- Investigation of rat falis
- Investigation of suspected cases of human plague
- Technical advice regarding control of disease
- Providing training in surveillance technique of Zoonosis
- Activities will be carried out using the existing infrastructure at PSU, Bangalore. The consultant will make field visits to carry
 out the surveillance.

Qualifications:

M.Sc in Entomology / Zoology preferably Doctorate (PhD) in Medical Entomology.

Experience:

• Experience of 10 years or more in the field of entomological investigations pertaining to Zoonotic diseases of public health importance during outbreaks, zoonotic disease surveillance in including plague surveillance in India.

Desirable:

- Broad knowledge and understanding of disease surveillance system, epidemiology and Public Health practice
- Excellent skill in data analysis in field epidemiology Public health setting
- Willing to travel extensively India

Age Limit: Upto 65 Years

Remuneration: Rs. 60,000/- per month (consolidated). TA/DA on official tour shall be provided as per extant Government norms.

No. of Position: One

Location: Delhi

Other Conditions: As per extant GOI/MOHFW instructions.

Period of contract: 1 year and extendable based on annual performance evaluation with an increase of 5% in remuneration.

To Apply: Candidates are requested to download the application form attached with the TOR, which is uploaded on the NHSRC website and email the duly filled application form to ncdc.mohfw@gmail.com only, by **27-Aug-2020**. Application submitted in other format will not be accepted. Please ensure to mention post applied for on the application form, without which the application form will not be accepted.