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It is observed that Security Personnel have been engaged in ICMR Institutes/ Hqrs. either from DGR or other agencies, as per the present guidelines, following GFR 2017 norms that are mandatory for hiring of Security Services in ICMR.

- 2. Most of our ICMR Institutes/ Centres are dealing with biological agents and few have Bio safety Level (BSL)-3 lab and one Institute has BSL-4 High Containment Lab. Few more BSL-3 & 4 labs are being constructed for ICMR. Some of the Institutes/Centres are also handling radioactive materials. Risk to a Bio Lab that handles infectious and unknown etiology agents, radioactive material etc, broadly includes:
 - Sabotage of chemicals, biological and radioactive or proprietary;
 - Disruption to critical or high-value equipment;
 - Threats from activist groups;
 - Deliberate exposure to hazardous materials;
 - Loss or release of sensitive information; and
 - Unauthorized laboratory experimentation

Though hiring of Security Services from DGR is not a mandatory requirement for ICMR, but keeping in view of the present security threats and bio hazards, visit of foreign delegates and VVIP, the ICMR Hqrs/ Institutes/Centres have been classified as under:

High Priority Security Cover			Moderate Security cover	
1.	ICMR-NIV, Pune	1.	ICMR-NIE, Chennai	
2.	ICMR-NIRT, Chennai	2.	ICMR-NIOP, New Delhi	
3.	ICMR-NJIL & OMD, Agra	3.	ICMR-NIMR, New Delhi	
4.	ICMR-RMRC, Bhubaneswar	4.	ICMR-NIN, Hyderabad	
5.	ICMR-RMRC, Gorakhpuar	5.	ICMR-NICPR, Noida	
6.	ICMR-RMRC, Dibrugarh	6.	ICMR-NIOH, Ahmedabad	
7	ICMR-RMRC, Port Blair	7.	ICMR-NITM, Belagavi	
8.	ICMR-NICED, Kolkata	8.	ICMR-NCDIR Bengaluru	
9.	ICMR-RMRIMS, Patna	9.	ICMR-NIREH, Bhopal	
10.	ICMR-VCRC, Puducherry	10.	ICMR-NARFBR, Hyderabad	
11.	ICMR-NARI, Pune	11.	ICMR-NIRTH, Jabalpur	
12.	ICMR-BMHRC, Bhopal	12.	ICMR-NIIRNCD, Jodhpur	
13.	ICMR Headquarters	13.	ICMR-NIRRH, Mumbai	
14.	ICMR-NIMS, New Delhi	14.	ICMR-NIIH, Mumbai	

- (i) For High Priority Security Cover To engage the security agencies enlisted by the Directorate General of Resettlement (DGR), through GeM portal, with 100% staff from Ex-service or Ex-paramilitary persons.
- (ii) For Moderate Security Cover To engage the security agencies, through GeM portal, with 60% Ex-service or Ex-paramilitary persons and 40% trained civilian security staff.

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- (iii) Depending upon the local needs, lady security staff can also be engaged, complying with the above criteria.
- 3. In case the DGR enlisted Security Services are not available through GeM, selection has to be done following GeM enabled system, as per norms.

This issue with the approval of DG, ICMR

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