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## Office Memorandum

## Subject: Revision of ICMR- Emeritus Scientists Guidelines-

With the approval of Competent Authority, the guidelines for Emeritus Scientists has been revised\*. The details are given below:-

3.110.	Existing	Revised
1	Application process:	Application process:
	The application can be submitted at any time and the Selection Committee meeting for award of IES will be held twice in a year i.e. January/July. Applications received during January- June will be considered in July and applications received during July-December will be considered in January.	ICMR will be periodically inviting applications for the ICMR-ES against any vacancies on the ICMR website.
2.	Minimum Eligibility:	Minimum Eligibility:
	Scientists/Technologists retired not above the age of 70 years,	Scientists/Technologists retired or due to retire (within 3 months from the date of advertisement) not above the age of 67 years, in the pay level 13A who have held the post of the status of a Professor/ Associate Professor or of Director/Deputy Director in a Institute of an All India Character or scientists with comparable scientific experience and achievements

		in an organization of the ICMR and have been actively engaged in biomedical research/projects as PI or Co-PI for past years of their service.
3	No capping for ICMR retired scientists in the previous guidelines	i. The numbers of positions are limited to thirty (30) at any given point of time. ii. At any point of time, not more than 25% of the positions will be awarded to ICMR scientists i.e. only eight (08) out of 30 positions may be awarded ICMR retired scientists. However, in exceptional cases, this can be relaxed purely based on scientific merits such as non-existence of specialized knowledge outside ICMR. In such cases 100% positions can be offered to retired scientists within ICMR. Secretary, DHR & DG, ICMR shall decide such relaxation.
4	Monthly remunerations: The ICMR-ES will be paid monthly remuneration of Rupees one lakh consolidated	Monthly remunerations: The ICMR-ES will be paid monthly remuneration of amount equal to last pay drawn minus pension, including deduction of commuted value of pension, if any. The amount of remuneration shall remain fixed for the term of the contract. There will be no annual increment/percentage increase during the contract period.
	Research contingency: Nil	Research contingency: The ICMR-ES may be supported with a research contingency grant of Rs. five lakh per annum based on a project activity to be carried out, including the payments for article publishing/processing

		charges.
5	Appointing Authority: DG, ICMR and Secretary, DHR (Ministry of Health and Family Welfare) shall be the appointing authority for the ICMR-ES	Appointing Authority: DG, ICMR and Secretary, DHR (Ministry of Health and Family Welfare) shall be the appointing authority for the ICMR-ES with the approval of the Minister concerned.

<sup>\*</sup> The detailed guidelines are available at ICMR website.

This is issued with the concurrence of DHR vide its letter Q- 11022/150/2022 -HR(ICMR)/Effoice- 8251165 dated 12.02.2024 and approval of Hon' ble HFM as President, GC, ICMR.

Signed by Jagdish Rajesh Date: 23-02-2024 17:17:31

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