KARNATAKA VETERINARY, ANIMAL & FISHERIES SCIENCES UNIVERSITY,

VETERINARY COLLEGE BIDAR

No. LFC/VCB/CKP/DST/2025-26/06

Date: 26.06.2025

NOTIFICATION FOR ENGAGEMENT OF FIELD WORKERS (CONTRACTUAL)

Ref:

- 1. Approval letter of DST: DST/SEED/SCSP/STI/2023/1170 dated: 04/02/2025
- 2. Financial sanction from DST: DST/SEED/SCSP/STI/2023/1170 (G) dated: 28/04/2025
- 3. Comptroller order: Comp/AB.AC. -5034/DST-B. Provision/2025-26 dated: 17/06/2025
- 4. Dean, VCB concurrence dated: 25/06/2025
- Order from Registrar No. R/Delegation of Powers/PIs/Scheme Heads/2014-15/1521-A dated: 14.10.2014

A walk-in-interview is scheduled on Saturday, 5th July, 2025 at 10:30 AM for engaging manpower purely on CONTRACTUAL BASIS for the post of Field Worker (02 Nos.) under the DST-sponsored research project entitled:

"SMART GOAL: Sustainable Management and Reproductive Techniques – Goat Performance Optimization for Augmented Livelihood" (Project Code: AbAc: 5034 | DAC: 553)

- 1. Position: Field Worker
- 2. No. of Posts: 02
- 3. Emoluments: ₹18,000/- per month + HRA as admissible
- 4. Essential Qualification:
- Bachelor's degree in Life sciences or related disciplines

5. Desirable:

- Candidates with expertise in handling of animals and collection of blood samples from animals shall be preferred
- Preference will be given to candidates with experience in field-level livestock work and farmer interaction.

Nature of Work:

1. Assisting with Semen Collection and Processing at the Center

The project involves advanced reproductive techniques, including buck semen collection and artificial insemination. Field Workers will assist in the routine collection, evaluation, dilution, and storage of semen. They will also support laboratory procedures and maintenance of records, ensuring quality and biosafety standards are maintained.

2. Conducting Baseline and Post-Intervention Data Collection

Accurate and consistent data collection is crucial for project evaluation. Field Workers will be responsible for gathering baseline data on goat herds before the implementation of interventions and for recording follow-up data post-intervention. This includes animal performance metrics, reproductive parameters, and socioeconomic information from farmers.

3. Monitoring Project Animals in the Field

Regular field visits will be undertaken to monitor animal health, reproductive performance. and management practices. Field Workers will coordinate with beneficiary farmers, ensure compliance with project protocols, and promptly report any deviations or health issues. Their presence in the field will help build trust and strengthen the project's grassroots impact.

4. Assisting in Preparation and Execution of Trainings, Field Demonstrations, and Site Visits

As part of capacity building, the project includes farmer training sessions, practical demonstrations, and exposure visits. Field Workers will play an active role in logistics planning, mobilization of participants, setting up demonstration units, distributing training materials, and recording attendance and feedback.

5. Providing Administrative and Ministerial Support to Investigators

Field Workers will assist the Principal Investigator and Co-Investigators with daily administrative duties such as file maintenance, data entry, communication with stakeholders, coordination with departments, and organizing project documentation. This support will streamline project operations and reporting.

6. Performing Any Other Tasks Related to the Project as Assigned by the Investigators

In addition to the above, Field Workers may be required to carry out any other duties essential for the smooth execution of the project. This flexibility ensures that dynamic and situation-specific project needs are met efficiently and effectively.

Information for candidates

- 1. Candidate shall appear for the interview in person at 10:30 AM on 5th July 2025 at Veterinary College, Bidar. Along with all connected original documents and brief bio-data with one set of self-attested photocopies of each.
- 2. Candidates must appear for interview at their own cost and no TA DA shall be payable.
- 3. Unfilled vacancies shall be kept open till the availability of suitable candidates fulfill the eligible criteria.
- 4. Competent authority reserve the right to cancel the scheduled interview without prior notice/assigning any reasons.
- 5. Knowledge of reading and writing in Kannada and English is essential.
- 6. Candidate should possess all requisite qualifications for the post before the date of interview.
- 7. No advance application is entertained.

Terms and conditions.

- 1. Selection of the post is purely based on contractual basis subject to the permission from the funding agencies and KVAFSU, Bidar from time to time.
- 2. The candidates failing to perform the assigned duties satisfactorily can be terminated at any time without assigning any reasons.
- 3. Candidates are not entailed to
 - a. Provident fund or any other financial or terminal benefits of service.
 - b. Medical insurance or reimbursement benefits.
 - c. Any kind of leave.
 - d. Claim for experience certificates/confer any rights on the post for any appointments in the university.

Principal investigator **DST-Sponsored Project** Dr. Chikkagoudara Kotresh Prasad Prinipal Investigator

CWC to:

- 1. The Director of Research, KVAFSU, Bidar for kind information.
- 2. The Comptroller, KVAFSU, Bidar for kind information.
- 3. The Dean, Veterinary College, Bidar for kind information
- 4. Admin, University website with a request to notify the same.

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- 1. Notice Board Veterinary College, Bidar and Library.
- 2. Assistant Administrative Officer, Veterinary College, Bidar.
- 3. Assistant Comptroller, Veterinary College, Bidar.