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Government of India
Ministry of Communications
Department of Telecommunications
Sanchar Bhavan, 20 Ashoka Road, New Delhi

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CIRCULAR

Sub: Engagement of around 16 (Sixteen) Retired/Retiring shortly (within 2 months) Government Employees in WPC Wing HQ, Delhi in Department of Telecommunications on short-term contract basis – reg.

Department of Telecommunications invites applications from retired/ retiring (within 2 months) Government Servants who have retired/ going to retire within 02 months from the posts of Engineer (Level-10 of 7th CPC Pay Matrix)/Junior Wireless Officer (JWO) (Level-6 of 7th CPC Pay Matrix) or equivalent in the Dept of Telecom (WPC Wing) or from Ministries/ Departments/Attached/Subordinate Offices of Government of India having analogous/comparable functional profile for engagement on Contractual Basis, initially for a period of one year from the date of engagement which may be extended or curtailed as per the functional requirement. The total number of posts for contractual engagement has been provisionally identified as **13 (Thirteen)** for 'Engineer'-level and as **03 (Three)** for JWO-level. These numbers may vary depending on administrative requirement and availability.

2. The details including eligibility criteria, Terms & Conditions etc., are enclosed as **Annexure-I**. The Department reserves the right to accept or reject in part or full or all the responses without assigning any reasons whatsoever.

3. Application, as per **Annexure-II**, may be sent to the Under Secretary (Admn.I), Department of Telecommunications, Room No. 417, Sanchar Bhavan, 20, Ashoka Road, New Delhi-110001. Soft copy of application (along with scanned copy of enclosures in pdf format) can be sent on **sumish.82@gov.in**.

4. **The printed/soft copy of the application should reach the office address/e-mail id mentioned above by 05:00 PM of 11.09.2023. Applications received after this date and time and incomplete applications including those without required enclosures are liable to be summarily rejected.**

Signed by Sumish

Date: 21-08-2023 17:08:38

(Sumish)
Reason: Approved

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

Tel. 2303 6210

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Annexure-I

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(Admn.I Section)**

Terms and Conditions for Engagement of Retired/ would be Retired (within 2 months) Government/Employees on Contract Basis (Contract Employees) against the vacant posts of Engineer/Junior Wireless Officer (JWO)

1. Eligibility and Job Description:

1.1. The candidate should have retired/ going to retire (within 2 months) from Central Government Ministries/Department, its attached/subordinate Offices having experience of functioning in Govt. offices.

1.2. The candidate who has retired/ going to retire (within 2 months) from the post of Engineer/Junior Wireless Officer (JWO) or equivalent are eligible for engagement on contract basis on respective posts.

1.3. The candidate should have good communication and interpersonal skills, fair knowledge of computer applications such as MS Word, MS Excel and Power Point etc.

1.4. Educational and other Qualifications Required:

Post	Educational and Other Qualification Required
Engineer <i>(Wireless Planning and Co-ordination and Wireless Monitoring Organisation)</i>	<p>Essential:</p> <p>i. Degree of a recognised University in Telecommunication Engineering or Electrical Engineering with Radio Communication or Electronics or Telecommunication as a special Subject; Or,</p> <p>ii. Master's Degree in Science with Physics and Radio Communication or Electronics or Telecommunication as a special subject; Or,</p> <p>iii. M.Sc degree or its equivalent with Wireless Communication, Electronics, Radio Physics or Radio Engineering as subject; Or,</p> <p>iv. Degree in Engineering from a University incorporated by an Act of Parliament or State Legislature in India or other educational institutions established by an Act of parliament or declared to be deemed as Universities under section 3 of the University Grants Commission Act, 1956 (3 of 1956); Or,</p> <p>v. Passed Section A and B of the Institution Examinations of the Institutions of Engineers (India);</p>

	<p style="text-align: center;">Or,</p> <p>vi. Obtained a degree or Diploma in Engineering from such foreign University or college or institution and under such conditions as may recognised by the Government for the purpose from time to time;</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Or,</p> <p>vii. Passed Associate Membership Examination Part-II and III or Section A and B of the Aeronautical Society of India;</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Or,</p> <p>viii. Passed Associate Membership Examination Part II and III or Section A and B of the Aeronautical Society of India;</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Or,</p> <p>ix. Passed Graduate Membership Examination of the Institution of Electronics and Radio Engineers, London held after November, 1959.</p>
Junior Wireless Officer (JWO)	<p>Essential: Diploma in Engineering in the field of telecommunications or Electrical or Electronics or Radio Communications from a recognised university or Institute or Board.</p> <p>Desirable:</p> <p>A. (I) Degree in engineering or Technology in the fields of Telecommunications or Electrical or Electronics or Radio Communications from a recognized university or Institute.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Or</p> <p>(II) Certificate in maritime mobile or Acro-Mobile communications from recognised university or Institute.</p> <p>B. Two Years' Experience in operation and Maintenance of Radio Communications equipment in Government or Private sector listed* organisation.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">* Corporate entities listed on the national stock exchanges or companies with public share holdings.</p>

2. **Period of Engagement:**

2.1. The engagement will be purely on short term contract basis. The initial engagement would be for a period of one year, which may be extended further depending upon the requirement of Department of Telecommunications and the performance of the contract appointee but it shall not be extended beyond 65 years of age.

2.2. The engagement of Contract Employees would be of a temporary nature against the tasks assigned. The engagement can be cancelled at any time by Department of Telecommunications without assigning any reason.

3. **Age Limit:**
 - 3.1. Not more than 64 years of age on the last date for receipt of applications i.e. on 11.09.2023.
4. **Remuneration:**
 - 4.1. A fixed monthly amount shall be admissible, arrived at by deducting the basic pension from the last basic pay drawn at the time of retirement.
 - 4.2. No increment and Dearness allowance shall be allowed during the term of the contract.
5. **Allowances:**
 - 5.1. **Accommodations/HRA:** No accommodation or HRA will be provided by the Department.
 - 5.2. **Transportation Allowance:** A fixed amount of Rs. 7200/- (for Govt. servants retired at Level-9 and above)/ Rs. 3600/- (for Govt. servants retired at Level 6 to 8) as Transport Allowance for the purpose of commuting between the residence and the place of work shall be paid. This shall not exceed the rate applicable to the appointee at the time of retirement. The amount so fixed shall remain unchanged during the term of engagement. No Dearness Allowance shall be admissible on the Transportation Allowance.
 - 5.3. **TA/DA:** No TA/DA is admissible for joining the assignment or on its completion. The Contract Employee will be allowed TA/DA on official tour, if any, as per his/her entitlement at the time of retirement.
 - 5.4. **Leave:** Paid leave of absence will be allowed at the rate of 1.5 days for each completed month of service. Accumulation of leave beyond a calendar year shall not be allowed. No remuneration for the period of absence in excess of the admissible leave will be paid to Contract Employees.
6. The engagement as Contract Employee will not be considered as a case of re-employment.
7. Attention is drawn to Central Vigilance Commission's Circular No. 01/0/2017 dated 23.1.2017 and circular No. 08/06/2011 dated 24.06.2011 regarding engagement of Consultants/Contract Employees. They will be completely accountable for any advice rendered by them during their engagement in this Department in view of norms of ethical business and professionalism.
8. **Selection Procedure:**
 - 8.1. Selection of the suitable candidates for their engagement on contract basis shall be done on the basis of interview/interaction with the candidate. Wherever required, service records & usual clearances will also be considered.
9. **Working facilities to be provided:**
 - 9.1. Only the basic facilities/infrastructure will be provided to the Contract Employees. No transport or telephone/Internet facility at residence etc. shall be provided.
10. **Working hours:**
 - 10.1. Working Hours shall normally be from 9:00 AM to 5:30 PM during working days including half an hour lunch break in between. However, depending on the exigency of work and if required, the Contract Employees may have to reach office early or sit late to complete the time bound work or attend office on Saturdays/ Sundays/ other holidays. No extra remuneration or fee

would be payable if work requires late sitting or coming on holidays.

11. Tax deduction at Source:

11.1. Income Tax or any other tax liable to be deducted, as per the prevailing rules, will be deducted at source before effecting the payment of remuneration.

12. Confidentiality of data and documents:

12.1. The Contract Employees will be governed by the Officials Secret Act, 1923, as amended from time to time and will not disclose to any unauthorized person any information/data that may come to their notice during the period of their engagement as 'Consultant' in the Ministry. All such documents are the property of the Government.

12.2. The Contract Employees will not utilize or publish or disclose or part with, to a third party, any data or statistics or proceedings or information gathered during the course of the assignment for the office, without the express written consent of this Department.

12.3. The Contract Employees will be bound to hand over the entire set of records of assignments to the office before the expiry of the contract and before the final payment is released by this Department.

12.4. The Contract Employees will sign an **agreement of confidentiality** with the Government of India that will contain a clause on Ethics and Integrity.

12.5. The Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) of the data collected as well as deliverables produced for this Department shall remain with this Department.

13. Conflict of Interest:

13.1. The Contract Employee appointed by this Department, shall in no case represent or give opinion or advice to others in any matter which is adverse to the interest of this Department or Government of India. No Contract Employee would be permitted to take up any other assignment during the period of engagement.

14. Termination of service:

14.1. The services of Contract Employee may be terminated at any time without assigning any reason whatsoever. However, if the contract employee is not willing to continue for whatsoever reasons, he shall give minimum one month's notice to this Department.

15. Accident, Injury etc. during the period of engagement:

15.1. Department of Telecommunications shall not be responsible for any loss, accident, damage, injury suffered by the Contract Employee whatsoever arising in or out of the execution of his work, including travel.

16. Rights of Department of Telecommunications:

16.1. Department of Telecommunications reserves the right to cancel and not to proceed in the matter for engagement of Contract Employees at any stage without giving any reason, whatsoever. The decision of Secretary, Department of Telecommunications shall be final in all respects.