डॉ. महांतेश शिरूर उपनिदेशक (कृषि विस्तार) प्रधान समन्वथक (देसी) कृषि विस्तार नीति, सरकारी निजी भागीदारिता एवं कृषि विस्तार में उत्कृष्टता का अन्तर्राष्ट्रीय केन्द्र



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Sub: Recruitment of DAESI Facilitators-reg.

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This is in continuation to the reference cited above regarding the recruitment of DAESI facilitators in all the SAMETIs.

The recruitment of DAESI facilitators shall be done as per new DAESI guidelines (enclosed) to appoint facilitators who possess skills in handling computers, data entry in MIS and submission of weekly progress reports. In every district, more than one facilitator can be selected, put them on a merit list and they shall be oriented and trained by MANAGE/SAMETIS, so that we have pool of facilitators who can be engaged to run parallel DAESI batches in the same district/ neighbouring districts.

Directors and State Nodal Officers (DAESI) in all the states are requested to personally chair the recruitment of facilitators immediately in all the NTIs for smooth conduct of the DAESI program as per new the guidelines shared.

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To

- Directors SAMETIs of all States
- 2. State Nodal Officers (DAESI) of all States

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While monitoring the DAESI final examinations in West Bengal, Madhya Pradesh and Odisha States, by MANAGE Consultants observed that many of the NTIs are implementing the DAESI program without recruiting DAESI facilitators. Further, it was observed in many NTIs, the coordinators/Heads are drawing the salary of facilitators and are utilizing for other purpose which is against the guidelines. This is causing problems in running the DAESI programs systematically.

Hence, all the SAMETIs are requested to pursue the recruitment of facilitators within a month in all the NTIs for smooth conduct of the DAESI program as per guidelines (IMAGE, Odisha to continue as per existing arrangements). Further, the drawing of facilitator's salary by the NTI coordinators has to be discontinued with immediate effect

The recruitment of DAESI facilitators shall be done as per new DAESI guidelines (enclosed) as many facilitators are lacking required skills to MANAGE the DAESI batches, especially on data entry and submission of weekly progress reports. In a District more than one facilitator can be selected, put on a merit list and they shall be oriented and trained by MANAGE/SAMETIs, so that we have pool of facilitators who can be used to run parallel batch in the same district/neighboring districts.

This is issued with the approval of Director General, MANAGE

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Procedure and Criteria for selection of Facilitator

The following procedure and criteria shall be adopted for recruitment of DAESI facilitators in all the NTIs to run DAESI program

- Applications will be invited by NTIs/SAMETI from agri-professionals to work as 'Facilitators' for organizing DAESI program. The Facilitator should be residing in the District where DAESI program is implemented.
- The appointment will be on contract basis for one year only.
- After the completion of the batch, the same facilitator can be appointed as facilitator for other DAESI programs.
- A single facilitator cannot organize more than one DAESI program simultaneously at any point of time.
- · The Facilitator will be selected based on the following criteria
 - a. Graduate/post graduate in Agriculture/Horticulture with minimum 3 years' experience in agriculture or allied sectors. Preference may be given to Agriculture graduates having an experience of around 20 years in Department of Agriculture, SAUs or KVKs with sufficient field experience. Candidate must not have attained the age of 65 years.
 - b. The candidate should have adequate knowledge about the agricultural activities undertaken in the districts and experience in organizing training programs.
 - c. The candidates must have good oral and writing communications skills and should be capable of mobilizing input dealers for DAESI Program
 - d. The candidate should be proficient to handle the computers, smart phones and to independently manage the documentation and database management of DAESI program.
 - e. Selection committee to recruit the facilitator may be formulated at district level with representatives from SAMETI, ATMA and implementing agencies and complete the recruitment in fair and transparent manner

Criteria and weightage for selection of Facilitator

Sl. No.	Criteria	Weightage
1.	M.Sc. (Agriculture and allied subjects)	4 marks
2.	Doctorate in Agriculture and allied subjects	6 marks
3.	Additional Service (more than 20 years) each year of additional service carry weightage of one.	10 marks (max)
4.	Experience in training institute (one mark for each completed year of service)	5 marks (max)
5.	Experience in field extension (one mark for each completed year of service)	5 marks (max)
6.	Proficiency in computer and database management	5 marks (max)
7.	Interview	15 marks
Total		50 Marks