

SITUATION VACANT

Applications are invited from eligible persons (Male & Female) domiciled in Punjab for the following posts for recruitment on contract basis under the development project "Establishment of Centre of Excellence for olive Research and Training (CEFORT) at Barani Agriculture Research Institute, Chakwal for a period upto 30.06.2024:-

#	No. of posts/ Name of post/BPS	Qualification/Experience/Age
1	One post of Food Technologist, BPS-18+165/ S.P.	Qualifications: Ph.D. in the subject of Agriculture Engineering and Technology, Food Technology/Food Science from a recognized university or institution; OR M.Sc. Agriculture/ M.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture (2nd division in Agricultural Engineering and Technology/Food Technology/Food Science earned after B.Sc. Agriculture/B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture from a recognized institution. Experience: Seven (07) years' experience of Research in Agriculture Technology acquired after M.Sc. Agriculture/M.Sc. (Hons) Agriculture. Age limit: 26 to 45 years
2	One post of Agriculture Economist, BPS-18+165/ S.P.	Qualifications: Ph.D. in the subject of Agriculture Economics from a University recognized by Higher Education Commission. Age limit: 26 to 45 years
3	One post of Assistant Agronomist, BPS-18	Qualifications: M.Sc. Agriculture/M.Sc. (Hons) Agriculture (2 nd Division) in Agronomy earned after B.Sc. Agriculture/B.Sc. (Hons) Agriculture from a recognised university or institute. Experience: Three (03) years of research in Agronomy is required after M.Sc. Agriculture/M.Sc. (Hons) Agriculture. Age limit: 25 to 40 years
4	One post of Assistant Research Officer (Horticulture), BPS-17	Qualifications: M.Sc. Agriculture/M.Sc. (Hons) Agriculture (2 nd Division) in Horticulture earned after B.Sc. Agriculture/B.Sc. (Hons) Agriculture from a recognised university or institute. Age limit: 21 to 30 years.

NOTE:

- Relaxation in upper age limit is not admissible for the posts mentioned at Sr. No. 01 to 03 whereas 05 years relaxation is admissible for the post mentioned at Sr. No. 04.
- In case of other relevant degrees, the equivalence certificate issued by the HEC will be provided by the candidate.
- The contract appointments are temporary in nature, non-transferable, job/post specific, non-pensionable & conferring no right for regularization. The contract appointment will be upto 30.06.2024 which can be extended/reduced upto project period with the approval of competent authority.
- Retired persons are not eligible.
- The recruitments will be made strictly on merit on all Punjab basis in accordance with the rules, selection criteria and other provisions of Recruitment Policy, 2022 and Contract Appointment Policy, 2004.
- The applications on prescribed form (which can be downloaded from www.agripunjab.gov.pk) may be addressed to the **Secretary Agriculture, Government of the Punjab, Civil Secretariat, 2-Bank Road (Old P&D Building), Lahore** clearly indicating the post applied for along with curriculum vitae (CV), three passport-size recent photographs and attested copies of all the relevant documents, CNIC/certificates/degrees, which include detailed marks certificates including CGPA, Hafiz-e-Quran Certificate recognized by the Wafaq-ul-Madaras, position in Board/University, issued by the authorized Institute/Madrissa, release orders for ex-Service men, issued by the concerned authority/Institute and must reach by 19.01.2023. Late and incomplete applications will not be considered and only eligible candidates will be called for test/interview. No TA/DA shall be paid.
- The candidates can also apply at www.jobs.punjab.gov.pk. However, hard copy of application form alongwith complete attested relevant documents is mandatory to submit to this department.
- List of eligible candidates shall be displayed on the Notice Board 03 days prior to the interview in addition to the interview call letters. In case of any query/clarification, the candidate may approach the Additional Secretary (Planning), Government of the Punjab, Agriculture Department, Lahore at least two days prior to interview date.
- List of successful candidates shall be displayed on the Notice Board in addition to issuance of offer of appointment letters after approval of the recommendations of Department Selection Committee, by the competent authority.
- The competent authority has the right to increase or decrease the number of posts.
- No post falls under the quota reserved for Women, Minorities and Disabled persons.