## **Expression of Interest**

## Invitation of applications for engagement of Expert (One) to facilitate in the project "Digitization of Forest flora of Manipur"

The Forest Research Institute, Dehradun intends to engage expert to facilitate in the preparation of report in a project entitled "Digitization of Forest flora of Manipur" as per terms of reference.

The applicant should be retired Scientist with more than 20 years of experience in the field of Forest Botany with expertise in plant taxonomy and special reference to floral diversity of north-eastern region of country. The applicant with desired qualification may submit their CVs including their experience, technical expertise to the Director, Forest Research Institute, P.O. New Forest, Dehradun latest by 30<sup>th</sup> March, 2015.

## Terms of Reference

- 1. The expert will facilitate in the project team's work in preparation of the project report of the forest flora of Manipur and shall submit a report within six months of joining.
- 2. The total emoluments of the expert to complete the assignment will be Rs. 75,000/- (Seventy Five Thousand).
- 3. The expert will be entitled to avail Travelling, Boarding and Lodging charges as per entitled of group A officer's in the grade pay of retired post for field visits under the project.
- 4. The mode of payment of the expert will be as under:
  - 20 percent of the contract amount will be released at the time of signing of the agreement.
  - 50 percent of the contract amount will be released after the submission of the draft report.
  - 30 percent of the contract amount will be released after submission of final report.

- 5. The agreement shall be purely contractual and time bound.
- 6. The engagement under the contract does not confer any right /claim whatsoever either explicitly or implicitly for any regular appointment in ICFRE or any of its institutes against any post or otherwise under any legal condition or precedent. However engagement can be discontinued any time, if your work or conduct is not found satisfactory or up to the mark by giving a 15 days' notice.
- 7. The project information and data will not be used or transferred to any agency or for personal use.