Bright career opportunities in R&D of medicinal and aromatic plants at CIMAP

Central Institute of Medicinal and Aromatic Plants (CIMAP), a premier institution of CSIR through its well-defined mission of ‘Green Path for Better Health and Life’, is making available the improved agro-processing and biotechnologies of commercially important medicinal and aromatic plants and gene and biomolecule prospection for drug discovery using modern analytical tools and techniques of new biology and chemical sciences.

If you are aspiring to pursue your career in these challenging areas of medicinal and aromatic plants research and development and possess requisite qualifications and experience, CIMAP offers the opportunity for the following scientific positions:

- **Group IV(1) Scientist-B (Unreserved)**, in the scale of Rs 8000–275–13,500 for CIMAP Headquarters, Lucknow to develop upscaled processes for natural products/phytochemicals/aroma chemicals and chemical syntheses etc. and to prepare techno-economic feasibility report for industrial processing of plant derivatives. The candidate should be ready to work at any of the Resource Centres of CIMAP.

- **Group IV(1) Scientist-B (Reserved for OBC)**, in the scale of Rs 8000–275–13,500 for CIMAP Resource Centre, Purara, Bageshwar (Uttaranchal) to work in the area of natural product chemistry and quality analysis especially for isolation of bioactive molecules of plant origin and related activities.

- **Group IV(1), Scientist-B (Unreserved)**, in the scale of Rs 8000–275–13,500 for CIMAP Resource Centre, Bangalore (Karnataka) to work in the area of natural product chemistry and quality analysis especially for isolation of bioactive molecules of plant origin and related activities.

- **Group IV(1), Scientist-B (Reserved for Scheduled Caste)**, in the scale of Rs 8000–275–13,500 for CIMAP Resource Centre, Boduppal, Hyderabad (AP) for participation in the genetic improvement of medicinal and aromatic plants using conventional and biotechnological tools.

- **Group IV(1), Scientist-B (Unreserved)**, in the scale of Rs 8000–275–13,500 for CIMAP Resource Centre, Panthagar (Uttaranchal) for participation in the genetic improvement of medicinal and aromatic plants using conventional and biotechnological tools.

Interested candidates may apply in the prescribed form by **30 June 2004**. The details of the posts, qualification, job requirement, etc. can be seen in the issue of Employment News dated 15–21 May 2004. The full advertisement and prescribed application form for the above posts are also available on CIMAP website which can be downloaded from www.cimap.res.in or can be obtained from the Director, Central Institute of Medicinal and Aromatic Plants (CIMAP), Post Office: CIMAP (near Kukrail Picnic Spot) Lucknow 226 015, UP, India by sending a self-addressed envelop of $23 \times 10$ cm size indicating name of the post applied for and affixing a postal stamp worth Rs 10/- only by 15 June 2004.