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FOREST & ENVIRONMENT DEPARTMENT

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SUBJECT—Guidelines for Nomination/Appointment of Chairman and Member Secretary of State Pollution Control Board, Odisha.

No. 1873—FE-ENV2-ESTT-0002/2016-F&E.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Clause (e) of sub-section (2) of Section 64 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 (Central Act 6 of 1974), the Government of Odisha hereby makes the following guidelines for nomination/appointment of Chairperson and Member-Secretary, State Pollution Control Board, Odisha.

The terms and conditions for appointment to the posts of Chairman and Member-Secretary shall be as follows :—

Chairman :

1. Method of Appointment : By nomination by the State Government
2. Term of Office : Three years from the date of nomination or attaining the age of 65 years whichever is earlier.
3. Qualification : No person shall be nominated as Chairman and Experience unless he/she possesses the following qualifications, namely :-
Must have special knowledge or practical experience relating to Environmental Protection.

OR

Must be or has been a member of an All India Service, either in the I.A.S. or in the I.F.S. Cadre, holding or held post not below the rank of Principal Secretary to the Government of Odisha or in the that cadre having knowledge and experience in administering institutions of the State Government, relating to Environmental Protection.

4. Age Limit : Must not have completed 65 years.
5. Pay : As per prevailing Government norms.

OR

Pay as applicable to the post of Principal Secretary to the Government or as the case may be.

For the post of Member-Secretary :

1. The Member-Secretary will be appointed on deputation from Government/Government Undertakings/Universities.
2. The Member-Secretary will be on deputation and the tenure of the service is 3 years and full time.
3. Qualifications :

The incumbent should possess a Postgraduate Degree in Science/Graduation in Engineering or Technology relating to environment field or equivalent thereof.

OR

Must be a Member of an All India Service, either in the I.A.S. or in the I.F.S. Cadre, holding or held the post not below the rank of Commissioner-*cum*-Secretary to the Government to Odisha or in the said cadre having adequate knowledge and experience in administering institutions of the Government, relating to Environmental Protection.

4. Experience :

He/She should have adequate experience of working in the area of environment protection before applying for the post.

5. Pay :

The incumbent will have the same pay and emoluments at the rate he/she was drawing in the parent organization before deputation.

6. Power to relax :

Where the Government is of the opinion that it is necessary or expedient to do so, it may, by order, for reasons to be recorded in writing, relax any of the provisions of these guidelines with respect to any class or category of persons.

By order of the Governor

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