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### EMERITUS SCIENTISTS SCHEME FOR RETIRED SCIENTISTS

The Zoological Survey of India, a premier institution under Ministry of Environment and Forests, Government of India engaged in systematic research, survey, inventorisation and faunal exploration invites retired Scientists/professors, readers from different scientific institutions and Universities for appointment as Emeritus Scientist, initially for a period of two years.

The Objective of the Scheme is to provide financial assistance to superannuated but active Zoologists to pursue research in taxonomy and allied fields in connection with preparation of Monographs and revision of Fauna of India Series.

Only Indian citizens, normally, residents of India are eligible for being appointed as Emeritus Scientists.

The detailed Scheme and Proforma can be downloaded from our website : [www.zsi.gov.in](http://www.zsi.gov.in)

Director-in-Charge  
Zoological survey of India, Kolkata - 700 053

### INVITATION FOR WRITING FAUNA OF INDIA VOLUMES

The Zoological Survey of India is continuously publishing detailed authenticated taxonomic documents on different groups of animals under 'Fauna of India' (earlier Fauna of British India) series. As of now 83 volumes of Fauna of British India and 50 volumes of Fauna of India have been published covering a large number of animal groups (Family/Order).

The Fauna of India volumes are detailed taxonomic documents incorporating all existing knowledge on the taxonomy, morphology and evolutionary significance, etc. of the particular animal group. It is being written by very senior scientists/teachers who have a vast experience in the field. In order to cover more groups, the Zoological Survey of India is in the process of recognising experts who can write such documents considering vast experience and valuable contributions in the field of their specialisation. We consider them to be the right person to write the fauna volume.

For further details please write mentioning the group of your expertise to :

The Director  
Zoological Survey of India  
M-Block, New Alipore  
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### E.K. JAAAKI AMMAL NATIONAL AWARD ON TAXONOMY FOR THE YEAR 2009

The Ministry of Environment and Forests invites application from Taxonomists with outstanding contribution for conferring of two Awards, one each in the fields of Plant Taxonomy and Animal Taxonomy for the year 2009

Details of the Scheme are available on the web site:

<http://envfor.nic.in>

The last date of receipt of nominations is

**15-11-2010**



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वहाँ है खुशहाली ॥

**Ministry of Environment and Forests  
Government of India**

## **SCHEME OF EMERITUS SCIENTISTS FOR FAUNA OF INDIA PROJECT IN ZOOLOGICAL SURVEY OF INDIA**

(Approved by Department of Science and Technology vide letter No. F. 16-32/77-BS(Z) dated 19-05-78 and as amended by Ministry of Environment and Forests O.M. Nos. 1/27/86-CSB dated 20-7-78 and 16-8-89).

### **General :**

- 1) The Scheme will be termed as Zoological Survey of India Scheme for Emeritus Scientist.
- 2) The Zoological Survey of India shall administer the Scheme.
- 3) The objective of the Scheme is to provide financial assistance to superannuated but active Zoologists to pursue research in Taxonomy and allied fields in connection with preparation of Monograph and revision of Fauna of India Series.

### **Eligibility :**

- i) Only Indian citizens, normally, residents of India are eligible for being appointed as Emeritus Scientists.
- ii) An Emeritus Scientist who is an acknowledged expert and who has been actively engaged in scientific research which comes within the scope and functions of Zoological Survey of India will be eligible to apply for grant under this Scheme. The quality and number of research publications of the scientists during the 5 years immediately preceding the proposed date of appointment will be the criteria for the selection of Emeritus Scientists.
- iii) The number of Emeritus Scientists to be appointed in Zoological Survey of India shall not exceed six at any point of time. The duration of employment will be two years initially, renewable for a year at a time upto a maximum of four years or 65 years of age whichever is earlier. In no case the age limit is to exceed 65 years.

### **Procedure for selection of Emeritus Scientists :**

The Scientists who wish to be considered for appointment as Emeritus Scientists will be required to send their bio-data and other details in proforma to be prescribed and obtained from Director, Zoological Survey of India. Five copies of the required particulars may be sent to Director, Zoological Survey of India for being considered by Research Advisory and Monitoring Committee (RAMC). The committee will recommend the name(s) to the Secretary, Ministry of Environment and Forests for being appointed as Emeritus Scientists in the Zoological Survey of India. The Vice-Chancellors of Universities, Directors of research Institutes may also sponsor the names of the retiring/retired scientists in the field of Zoology to the Director, Zoological Survey of India for being considered for appointment as Emeritus Scientists under this Scheme. All such cases shall be submitted to the Secretary, Ministry of Environment and Forests for approval.

The Research Advisory and Monitoring Committee (RAMC) which has been set up to assist the Survey will consider application based on the work of scientists and recommend the names of suitable scientists for consideration of Secretary (EF) for initial appointment as well as for renewal of term. The Committee shall follow suitable high selection standards to ensure that the scheme does not become an

avenue for re-employment. Review of work will also be done by the Research Advisory and Monitoring Committee (RAMC).

**Place of work :**

The place of work will be at the Headquarters and the Regional Centre's of Zoological Survey of India or research laboratories or Universities (Zoology Departments). The approval of Head of such an establishment is to be obtained by the concerned scientist at the time of sending the application.

The Emeritus Scientist shall devote his full time to the research project. He will be required to submit half-yearly report of the work done by him during that period to the Director, Zoological Survey of India. The work of the Emeritus Scientists shall remain the property of Zoological Survey of India and its copy-right shall vest in Zoological Survey of India.

**Grant to be given to Emeritus Scientist :**

- i) A sum of Rs. 10,000/- (Rs. Ten thousand only) per month shall be paid by Zoological Survey of India as honorarium to each scientist (likely to be revised).
- ii) A contingent grant of Rs. 20,000/- (Rs. Twenty thousand only) per annum (likely to be revised) shall be paid by Zoological Survey of India to each Emeritus Scientists to cover expenditure on stationery stamps, purchase of apparatus and tools and actual train/bus fare etc. for journey specifically authorized by the Director, Zoological Survey of India. No Daily Allowance will be admissible. An account of such expenditure shall be rendered by the Emeritus Scientist to the Director, Zoological Survey of India.
- iii) The Emeritus Scientists may be given the services of one of the persons against the sanctioned number of research scholarships/research fellowships to be paid by Zoological Survey of India separately at the approved rates of research scholarships and research fellowships.
- iv) The Emeritus Scientists shall not be entitled to benefits like residential accommodation, telephone, etc.
- v) The appointment of Emeritus Scientists will start only after the scientist has actually retired after availing of Leave preparatory to Retirement.
- vi) The Emeritus Scientists can normally remain attached to the institution from where he retired or to other Research Institute suitable for his work. The scientist may himself make necessary arrangements with the concerned Institute/University.

**Financial Procedure :**

All honorarium and contingent grants will be made available to the Emeritus Scientists through the Head of Institution to which he is attached. All claims are to be submitted through the Head of Institution to the Director, Zoological Survey of India and grant will be released by him on yearly basis. A list of all minimum equipments required may be submitted to the Director, Zoological Survey of India at the time of sending the application. An account of contingency grant provided by the Zoological Survey of India supported by original vouchers shall be maintained by the Emeritus Scientist and submitted to the Director, Zoological Survey of India through the Head of the Institution on yearly basis along with utilization certificate as called for under the General Financial Rules. On expiry of the Scheme, all materials including Zoological collections and equipments will be hand over

to the Director, Zoological Survey of India. The expenditure incurred in connection with the final typing and printing of the monographs will be borne by the Zoological Survey of India.

**APPLICATION FOR THE AWARD OF EMERITUS SCIENTIST IN  
THE ZOOLOGICAL SURVEY OF INDIA**

1. Name :
  
2. Designation &  
Name of Department/  
Organisation :
  
3. Date of Birth :
  
4. Date of Superannuation :
  
5. Department/Organisation  
last served, if retired :
  
6. Address :
  
7. Academic Qualification :
  
8. Research Experience :
  
9. List of Publications :

10. Will you be undertake  
(I) Monographic work  
or (II) Faunal work  
relevant/useful to Survey :

11. Scope of work proposed  
under Emeritus Scheme :

12. Duration :

13. Any other relevant information :

Dated : .....

Signature.....