Government of India invites applications for the post of Chairperson, Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers’ Rights Authority (PPV&FRA), New Delhi from persons of outstanding calibre and eminence with practical experience of not less than ten years in the field of plant varietal research or plant breeding or seed industry or agricultural development.

The Chairperson shall be the Chief Executive of the Authority in the rank of Secretary to the Government of India. The appointment shall be made on deputation/contract basis for a period of five years or upto the age of sixty-five years, whichever is earlier. The method of appointment, duties attached to the post etc., will be as per the provisions contained in the Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers’ Rights Authority Act, 2001 and Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers’ Rights Authority Rules, 2003 (www.seednet.gov.in).

Interested candidates may send their applications along with supporting documents to Director (Seeds), Ministry of Agriculture, Department of Agriculture & Cooperation, Room No.339, Krishi Bhawan, Dr.Rajendra Prasad Road, New Delhi-110001, in the prescribed format available on the above mentioned website latest by 15th July 2010.
**PROFORMA**

**APPLICATION FOR THE POST OF CHAIRPERSON, PROTECTION OF PLANT VARIETIES AND FARMERS' RIGHTS AUTHORITY**

1. Name (in block letters):
2 (a). Designation of the applicant (in full):
   (b). Office address:
3. Address for communication:
4. Telephone numbers:
5. E-mail ID:
6. Date of Birth:
7. Educational/Professional qualifications (along with names of the institutions):

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9. Position held during the previous ten years:

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10. (a) Whether any penalty awarded to the applicant:
(b) Whether any action or enquiry is going on against the applicant:
11. Additional information, if any with supporting documents:

Name and Signature of the Applicant

Date:

Declaration

I hereby declare that all the statements made in the application are true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. In the event of any information being found false/incorrect or ineligibility being detected before or after the selection, my candidature will stand automatically cancelled.

Name and Signature of the Applicant

Date:

(To be filled by the forwarding Authority)

It is certified that the particulars furnished above are correct and no disciplinary case is either pending or contemplated against the officer and no penalty major or minor, was imposed on the officer during the last ten years and his integrity is beyond doubt.

Name, signature and designation of the competent forwarding authority with telephone No. and office seal