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Dated: 03/08/2026

Applications are invited for the temporary post of one (1) Junior Research Fellow (JRF) for ongoing research project entitled “*Development of Vegetative Propagation Protocol and Vacuum Freeze Dehydrated Probiotic Powder from Sohiong (Prunus nepalensis) Fruit*” funded by Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Government of India, under the Principal Investigator **Dr. R. Sasikumar**, Associate Professor-Food Technology, Department of Agribusiness Management and Food Technology, NEHU Tura Campus, West Garo Hills, Tura-794002, Meghalaya. The selected candidate may be enrolled in Ph.D. Programme from the Department of Agribusiness Management and Food Technology, North-Eastern Hill University (NEHU), West Garo Hills, Tura, Meghalaya based on university rules and regulations.

Project duration: Twelve (12) months, offer will be initially for a period of six (6) months, which may be extended further depending upon satisfactory performance of the incumbent and co-terminus with the project or until further order, whichever is earlier.

Emoluments: - SRF-Rs.35,000 + HRA for third year (For NET/GATE candidate only)

Essential Qualifications:

First Class M.Sc/M.Tech/ in Food Engineering and Technology/ Food Technology/Biotechnology/Chemical Engineering/ Agriculture Process Engineering/Bioprocess Engineering and its allied subjects.

Desirable Qualifications

Working experience on Food Testing Laboratory/National Level Laboratory, HPLC, DSC, Particle size analyzer, Spectrophotometric, FT-IR, and knowledge in FSSAI, BIS, ISO, etc., as well as statistical tools for science and technology will be preferred.

How to apply

Interested candidates may send their applications in prescribed format (Annexure-I) along with scanned copies of mark sheets, certificates from 10th standard onwards, caste certificate (if applicable), experience certificate (if any), copies of publications, awards, any other testimonials and a copy of detailed CV with photo to **Dr. R. Sasikumar**, Associate Professor-Food Technology, Department of Agribusiness Management and Food Technology, North-Eastern Hill University, Tura Campus, West Garo Hills, Tura, Meghalaya via e-mail (sashibiofoodster@gmail.com) on or before 09/08/2026. Shortlisted candidates will be called for personal interview on **14/08/2026 at 11.30 AM**. The shortlisted candidate should bring all original and self-attested photocopies of documents while the personal interview.

N.B. (1) No TA/DA will be paid for attending the interview.

(2) Those in employment or doing Ph.D. must submit ‘No Objection Certificate’ from the concerned employer / Ph.D. Supervisor.

(3) The selected candidate is requested to join as immediately as per the need base.

Sd/-

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