Subject: Recruitment to the post of Director, National Institute of Ocean Technology (NIOT), NIOT Campus, Velachery-Tambaram Main Road, Pallikarani Village, Narayanapuram Post, Chennai-601302, Tamil Nadu.

The Ministry of Earth Sciences invites application for the post of Director of the National Institute of Ocean Technology (NIOT), NIOT Campus, Velachery-Tambaram Main Road, Pallikarani Village, Narayanapuram Post, Chennai-601302, Tamil Nadu, an autonomous body, established in 1993, registered under the Tamil Nadu Registration of Societies Act. The main aim of NIOT is technology Development, as well as technology promotion in Ocean Science and Marine sector.

The post of Director will fall vacant w.e.f. 1.09.2009.

The Director, who is the Chief Executive Officer of the Institute, is responsible for formulation, development and implementation of various technology mission mode programmes and other technical support activities implemented by NIOT. He is also responsible for formulation of schemes for development of user friendly and industry specific technologies; identification, formulation and execution of technology development programmes with other institutions in India and abroad (for further details see Institute’s website http:/www.niot.res.in). The particulars of the post, qualification, experience etc; required are as follows:-

1. Pay: The post of Director is in the pay-scale of PB-4 Rs.37400-67000 + 10000 Grade Pay per month and other allowances are as per the rules of the Institute.

2. Qualification & Experience

Essential:- Doctorate in Science/Engineering/Technology, with over 20 years experience in teaching, research & technology development, with a minimum 5 years term as Head/Leader of an important technical/scientific programme or institution.

Desirable :- Experience in formulating and implementing multi-disciplinary and multi-institutional programmes preferably in the ocean and marine sciences/technology involving active interaction/participation with industries is desirable. Experience in the formulation and management of international collaborative ventures is also desirable.

3. Age: Preferably below 55 years. Relaxation can be considered in respect of exceptionally qualified or/and experienced persons.
4. **Mode of Recruitment** :- On Direct Recruitment basis as per instructions amended from time to time. Those already working in Central/State Government, autonomous bodies/PSU etc., to join on immediate absorption basis.

5. **Selection Process** :- Interested persons are requested to send their application in the plain paper along with Passport size photograph giving the (1) name (2) present designation & Organization; (3) mailing address and telephone, fax, e-mail; (4) date of birth; (5) nationality; (6) marital status; (7) academic record (starting with High School) with details of Degree/certificate, year of passing, Board/University and Division secured – distinctions, if any; (8) subjects and specialization – Degree, Major subjects, specialization, if any; (9) professional experience (in chronological order a list of positions held, names of organizations and dates); (10) Present position – Scale of pay, present Basic Pay, approximate total emoluments, functions/responsibilities; (11) list of publications (list of papers published in reputed scientific journals and major conferences – in chronological order starting from recent one); (12) career summary (giving a short resume of the professional accomplishments, experience and special interests); (13) two references and (14) special requests or considerations, if any. The applicants should also certify and sign with date at the end of the application that “the statements and information furnished in the application are true to the best of my knowledge and belief”. The application complete in all aspects should be addressed to:

   Director (Establishment )  
   Ministry of Earth Sciences  
   Mahasagar Bhavan, Block No.12,  
   C.G.O. Complex, Lodi Road,  
   New Delhi-110 003.

Applications should not be sent by e-mail or fax. All applications should reach the above address within 6 (six) weeks from the date of advertisement. Persons working in Government and Semi-Government bodies should send their applications through proper channel. Short-listed candidates will be invited for a discussion with the Selection Committee. This advertisement is also available on the Ministry’s website [www.moes.nic.in](http://www.moes.nic.in) and DoP&T’s website [www.persmin.nic.in](http://www.persmin.nic.in)