The Institute invites applications for the following purely temporary positions for its Sikkim Unit. Qualified candidates may appear for a **Walk in Interview on 08th October 2015** at 10:30 A.M. at the Office premises of the Sikkim Unit Campus-Pangthang, Gangtok, East Sikkim 737101. **Age Limit:** JRF- 28 years, FA- 28 years, and for RA post- 35 years, maximum (relaxation for SC/ST/Women/PH and OBC). Desirous candidates must send their Bio-data in advance to **Scientist In-Charge, G.B. Pant Institute of Himalayan Environment & Development**, Sikkim Unit (Pangthang), Post Box 24, Gangtok, East Sikkim 737101 via email (hkbadola@rediffmail.com) mentioning complete personal details, qualifications, experience, publications etc. The candidates are required to bring along all documents, certificates and testimonials, publications etc. in original (also with a complete photocopy set). No TA/DA will be paid for attending the interview. Candidates may also visit the Institute website (http://gbpihed.gov.in) for details.

**Project: Forest Resources and Plant Biodiversity, under National Mission for Sustaining the Himalayan Ecosystem (NMSHE- Task Force 3)**

**Post: Junior Research Fellow (01):** @ Rs 12,000/- (Fixed per month) + HRA as per Institute norms; @ Rs 16,000/- for NET (JRF) qualified persons + HRA (as per norms).

**Qualification (Essential):** First class Masters degree in Botany/Plant sciences/ Forestry/ Environmental Sciences/Ecology/Ethnobiology; **Desirable:** Preference will be given to candidates having experience of working in Himalayan region.

**Project: Network Programme on Convergence of Traditional Knowledge Systems for Sustainable Development in the Indian Himalayan Region (NMSHE- Task Force 5)**

**Post: Research Associate-RA (01) @ Rs. 22,000/- (Fixed per months) + HRA as per the Institution norms;**

**Qualification (essential):** Ph.D. with first class Masters degree in Botany/Forestry/Ecology/Traditional knowledge/Ethnobiology/Environmental Sciences/Geography/Social sciences, supported by research publications in impact factor journals, **Qualification (desirable):** Working experience in Traditional knowledge and related research fields in the Himalayan region; Should possess analytical capabilities, computer proficiency, and motivation for research.

**Position: Junior Research Fellow- (01):** @ Rs 12,000/- (Fixed per month) + HRA as per Institute norms; @ Rs 16,000/- for NET (JRF) qualified persons + HRA (as per norms).

**Qualification (Essential):** First Class Masters degree in Botany/Forestry/Ecology/Environmental Sciences/ Geography/ Traditional knowledge/Social sciences; **Desirable:** Physically fit to work in the Himalayan Mountains.

**Project: Preventing extinction and improving conservation status of threatened plants through application of biotechnological tools (DBT, New Delhi)**

**Post: Junior Research Fellow (01):** @ Rs 12,000/- (Fixed Per Month) + HRA as per Institute norms; @ Rs 16,000/- for NET (JRF) qualified persons + HRA (as per norms).

**Qualification (Essential):** First class Masters degree in Botany/Plant sciences/Plant Ecophysiology/Forestry/ Environmental Sciences/ Plant Biotechnology; **Desirable:** Preference will be given to candidates having experience of working in Himalayan region.

**Post: Field Assistant (01):** @7500/- (Fixed per month)

**Qualification (Essential):** Intermediate (10+2); **Desirable:** Preference will be given to the candidate having working experience in the field and laboratory.

**P.S.:** Arrangement on 08th October 2015 for travel between ‘Main Taxi Stand’ (Near Gurudwara) Gangtok-Sikkim and the interview venue (Sikkim Unit, campus Pangthang) shall be made by the institute. The interested candidates may be board on the institute vehicle between 8.45 am to 9.30 am at main Taxi Stand Upper Floor, Gangtok.