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**Government of India
Ministry of Science and Technology
Department of Biotechnology**

**Block-2, CGO Complex,
Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003
Dated: 08th August, 2025**

NOTICE

This has reference to the advertisement published on 12th July, 2025 for recruitment to two (02) posts at the level of Scientist 'H', a Group 'A' Scientific Post (Gazetted) in Department of Biotechnology.

2. In response to the various queries received in the Department seeking clarification on whether the period spent in pursuing a Ph.D. would be considered towards the required experience for the post of Scientist 'H'. It is clarified that the period spent for pursuing Ph.D. will be counted towards the requisite 20 years of experience for the post of Scientist 'H'.
3. The last date of submitting applications has also been extended by two weeks i.e. upto 24th August, 2025, to allow candidates to apply accordingly after this clarification.
4. Eligible candidates who have already applied against the advertisement need not apply again.
5. All other terms and conditions contained in the said advertisement remains the same.



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