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Government of Pakistan
Ministry of Finance, Revenue
Economic Affairs, Statistics and Privatization
Economic Affairs Division

No. 2(1) SEA/Korea/2017.

Islamabad the January 18, 2017

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: - 2017 KOICA-MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAM IN TECHNO-ENTREPRENEURSHIP COMPETENCY BASED ON EE&ICT CONVERGENCE (HGU) TO BE HELD FROM 7TH AUGUST, 2017 TO 21ST DECEMBER, 2018 AT POHANG & SEONGNAM, KOREA

The undersigned is directed to inform that the Korea International Cooperation Agency (KOICA) through Handong Graduate School of Global Development & Entrepreneurship of Handong Global University, Korea has invited **04** nominations for the above **Fully Funded** Master Degree Programme to be held from **7th August, 2017 to 21st December, 2018**. The detailed information and application forms can be downloaded from websites www.ead.gov.pk and www.koica.go.kr.

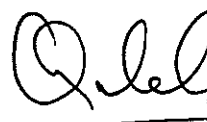
2. The eligibility criteria and objectives of the subject courses are as under:

Eligibility Criteria

- i. Must possess a Bachelor's Degree in the relevant field.
- ii. Not a Citizen of Korea.
- iii. Federal/Provincial Government Officials having minimum of two years of experience in electrical, electronic, ICT Convergence, or startup related works whereas private sector employees are not eligible.
- iv. Others
 - Have a good command of both spoken and written English to take classes conducted entirely in English and to be able to write academic reports and thesis in English.
 - Be in good health, both physically and mentally to complete the program.
 - Pregnancy, HIV/AIDS, tuberculosis or any kind of contagious disease is regarded as disqualifying condition for participation in this program.
 - Not be a person who has withdrawn from KOICA's scholarship program.
 - Person belonging to the institution in which candidates submitted false documents and returned to his/her country arbitrarily in the middle of scholarship program cannot be applied.
 - Have not participated in KOICA's scholarship program or any of the Korean government's Scholarship Program (Master's Degree Program) previously.

Objectives

- To educate governmental officials of developing countries in the areas of electrical engineering and ICT convergence industry in order to enhance their comprehensive competency for nurturing start-ups.
- To share the technologies in the electrical engineering and ICT convergence industry.
- To enhance the competency for ultimately promoting electrical engineering and ICT convergence industry.
- To increase the competency for vitalizing start-ups in electrical engineering and ICT convergence industry.



3. Nominations of only suitable and serious/willing candidates who are mentally, & physically fit to attend the such a long training program, fulfilling the above laid-down eligibility criteria prescribed by the sponsoring agency duly approved by the competent authority along with the following documents may kindly be forwarded to this Division by the close of business hours (4 PM) 9th February, 2017 positively.

1. Application package as per the attached checklist (Duly filled in) 04 copies
2. Proforma for Foreign Training 01 Copy
3. Surety Bonds 01 Copy
4. Undertaking 01 Copy
5. Passport Copy 02 Copies
6. Copy of National Identity 02 copies

4. Keeping in view the past unpleasant experience such as with drawl of selected candidates from the scholarship programs just before the start of program etc. which ultimately hamper/effect continuity of scholarship program, relationships with donor agency and positive image of Pakistan, all candidates are required to submit a separate undertaking duly verified from the nominating ministry/department in addition to the above mentioned undertaking and surety bond that in case of their final selection they will proceed to Korea despite of any emerging situation failing to do so strict disciplinary action against the candidate would be initiated. Further, KOICA would not consider such nominating ministry/department and the respective candidate in future for any of its long term training facility.

5. Incomplete/late submission of documents/nomination will not be accepted .Moreover; any deliberate provision of wrong information on the part of the candidate shall be viewed seriously.



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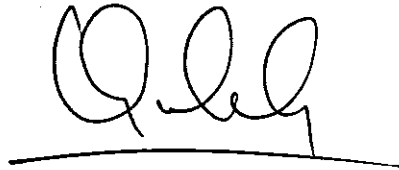
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