

## VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT FOR THE POSITION OF THE DIRECTOR, BAY OF BENGAL PROGRAMME INTER-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANISATION

The Bay of Bengal Programme Inter-Governmental Organisation (BOBP-IGO) is seeking application from suitable candidates for the post of the Director. The Director will be based in Chennai, India and will be responsible for the administrative, managerial and scientific activities of the Organisation. The deadline for submitting application via post or email is **10th October 2020**.

### TERMS OF REFERENCE

The Director will be the Chief Executive and legal representative of the Bay of Bengal Programme Intergovernmental Organisation (BOBP-IGO). He/she will be responsible for the overall conduct of the Organisation's activities and the implementation of its objectives.

#### **Qualifications:**

- national of a Member-Country\* of BOBP-IGO;
- above forty (40) and below fifty-nine (59) years of age as on 31 July 2020;
- education level equivalent to a Master's Degree in Fisheries, Marine Biology, Zoology, Environmental Sciences, Economics, or related field;
- a minimum period of 10 years in positions of responsibility at national/international level in the field of fisheries, with experience in international/regional development, especially in the Bay of Bengal region;
- proven leadership and managerial capacity;
- complete integrity and impartiality and an ability to liaise effectively with officials of national governments, regional and international organizations and members of the fishery sector worldwide at senior levels;
- willingness/ability to travel and proven skills to communicate effectively with people of a wide range of nationalities, social and political levels;
- fluency in both written and spoken English;
- proficiency in use of electronic means of communication and computer; and
- good moral conduct.

**Duration of Appointment:** will be five (05) years from the date of joining the position. He/she shall be eligible for reappointment for another term subject to the retirement age limit of sixty-five (65) years and approval of the Governing Council.

**Salary and Benefits:** For details please write to [info@bobpigo.org](mailto:info@bobpigo.org).

**Applications** containing full curriculum vitae and the names of three professional referees should be addressed to:

**Secretariat**  
BOBP-IGO  
91, St Mary's Road, Abhiramapuram  
Chennai – 600 018  
Tamil Nadu, India  
Tel: # 91 44 24936188; Email: [info@bobpigo.org](mailto:info@bobpigo.org)

**Closing Date** for receipt of applications is **10 October 2020 (Saturday)**. Applications can also be sent on the email mentioned above.

**BOBP-IGO is an equal opportunity employer**

\* **Bangladesh, India, Maldives and Sri Lanka**