Invitation of Application for Empanelment of Assessors in the field of Testing and Calibration

An opportunity to get acquaint with challenging and diverse scenarios to sharpen your planning and organization capability, time management and analytical thinking ability on becoming a NABL empanelled assessor.

National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories (NABL) (A constituent board of Quality Council of India, an autonomous body under Ministry of Commerce) has been established with the objective to provide Government, Industry Associations and Industry in general with a scheme for third-party assessment of the management and technical competence of conformity assessment bodies (CAB).

NABL provides accreditation to Testing & Calibration Laboratories, Medical Laboratories, Proficiency Testing Providers (PTP) and Reference Material Producers (RMP) based on ISO/IEC 17025, ISO 15189, ISO/IEC 17043 and ISO 17034 respectively with the engagement of external experts as its assessors.

Who should apply?

(i) Qualification and Experience Requirements of Assessors:

➢ Minimum educational qualification requirements are a Bachelor’s degree in Engineering/Technology or a Master’s degree in Science.
➢ The work experience requirement is a minimum of 10 years in the relevant field of testing/calibration out of which 5 years at managerial level and above.
➢ The candidate should have preferably undergone 4-days training course, from reputed institute, on laboratory quality management system and internal audit as per ISO/IEC 17025.

(ii) Skill Requirements of Assessors:

➢ Extensive experience in performing testing and currently working in organization directly involved in day to day management of testing and / or calibration activity.
➢ Experience in laboratory management and involved in development and implementation of laboratory quality assurance procedure.
➢ A high degree of interpersonal skills.
➢ Experience in conducting QMS audits is an added advantage.

(iii) Selection process:

➢ Screening of application dovetailed with video/telephonic interview (if necessary).
➢ Shortlisted candidates will be sent with an invitation to attend 5 days residential assessor training program as per ISO/IEC 17025 coupled with written examination on last day.
➢ Successful candidates will be empanelled as Observer to join assessment team in one or two NABL assessments and based on feedback from the lead assessor will be subsequently empanelled as Technical assessor for further assessments on need basis.

Preferable Age for empanelment as NABL assessor: 35 to 55 years

Suitable qualified professionals who meet the eligibility criteria may send their resume in NABL 221 format to training@nabl.qcin.org.