SNEHA TRUST

(Sponsored by Indian Overseas Bank)

C/o. Financial Inclusion Department Indian Overseas Bank, Central Office, 763, Anna Salai, Chennai – 600 002

"SNEHA", a Trust founded by Indian Overseas Bank, is running 14 Rural Self Employment Training Institutes (RSETIs) at various Districts in Tamilnadu.

RSETI aims at tackling the problem of unemployment through vigorous training, motivation and practical orientation of the youth towards self-employment besides providing follow up/escort services for enabling their self-employment as per the guidelines of MoRD.

Now "SNEHA" Trust requires personal for the post of **Office Assistant** for the RSETI established at **Karur district** on contract basis.

Name of the post	Number of Vacancy
Office Assistant	1

Qualifications & Other Requirements:

Desirable age for all positions is 22-40 years.

S.No.	Position	Qualifications & Other Requirements:
1.	Office Assistant	 Shall be a Graduate with computer knowledge Applications are invited from Karur District only. Knowledge in Basic Accounting is a preferred qualification Shall be fluent in spoken and written local language. Fluency in English / Hindi would be an added qualification Shall be proficient in MS Office (MS-Word, MS-Excel and MS-Power point), Tally & Internet Skills in typing in local language is essential, Typing skills in English an added advantage

1.Minimum Standards of Recruitment:

- a. Only those candidates who meet the minimum eligibility criteria as outlined above will be considered. However, the Trust will evaluate most appropriate competencies including attitudes and behaviour.
- b. The contract will be valid for **a period of 3 years** subject to annual review and renewal of the contract by the Trust once a year.

2. Selection Process:

- a. The selection process will comprise of:
- (i) Written Test to assess General Knowledge and Computer capability
- (ii) **Personal Interview** to assess communication ability, leadership qualities, attitude, problem solving ability and ability to get along with the trainees, developmental approach.

3.Application:

A common application form has been ported in our website <u>www.iob.in</u>. Applicants can download the form and apply for the respective post along with required copies of supportive documents as mentioned in the application.

Eligible candidate may send their application along with attested copies of supporting certificates to following address within 15 days from the date of Advertisement.

Regional Office 12/1, A. P T. Road, Park Road-Sathy Road Jn Erode-638 003.

4.Engagement on Contract

- a. The Offer of Engagement of services will be issued by the Competent Authority / Trust and there will be no link or connection whatsoever with the parent Bank.
- b. There will be NO commitment / obligation / liability for the Bank to absorb such candidates who are selected on contract for any job in the Bank at any time.

5. Joining Formalities:

- a) The selected candidate will be required to submit a medical fitness report signed by a district level Medical Officer, prior to joining to confirm his/ her current state of health.
- b) The selected candidate will be required to join soon, in any case not later than 15 days from the date of receiving the offer letter.
- c) If either party decides to discontinue the contract, for any reason, whatsoever, the staff member or the organization, will be required to give one month's notice or equivalent salary in lieu thereof.
- d) If there is any disciplinary action taken against any selected candidate in his / her earlier organization, the decision of the Management of Trust / Society / RSETI regarding the selection / non selection of the said candidate, shall be final and binding."
- e) The Trust reserves the right to terminate the contract without assigning any reasons. In such case, one-month notice or salary in lieu thereof will be payable by the organization.
- f) The new joinee will submit a joining report to the Director and complete the required joining formalities.

6. Job Description of Support Staff at RSETI

Office Assistant:

- 1. Assisting the Director and Faculty in effective functioning of the Institute to fulfil the objectives of the Trust.
- 2. Maintaining of Cash book, General Ledger, vouchers, as per the guidelines (Presently single entry Book keeping).
- 3. Maintaining all books, registers, both manual and soft copy as per the prevailing guidelines from Trust/Ministry.
- 4. Maintaining and updating all data relating to trainings, Follow up, Settlement, etc.
- 5. Creating and updating MIS data as per the guidelines.
- 6. Preparation of monthly report and other periodical reports and submission to Trust, Ministry and other agencies involved in overall supervision of functioning of RSETI.
- 7. Organising the required logistics for training including arranging Boarding, Dormitory, etc.
- 8. Arranging the training materials for all Skill batches.

- 9. Making registration of candidates in all the trainings, taking daily attendance of trainees, taking boarding attendance of trainees.
- 10. Conducting follow up visits as directed by Director and reporting the same to the Director.
- 11. Up keeping of all fixed Assets and maintaining of Inventory of items including training materials and equipment.
- 12. Maintaining of Library books and issuing books to the trainees as and when they demand.
- 13. Carryout all the Instructions/any other work given by the Director and faculty from time to time.

7. Service Matters

a. Emoluments:

The emoluments payable to the support staff taken on contract is in the table below.

S.No.	Position		Salary Structure	
1.	Office Assistant	rev ex bc rer	onsolidated salary of Rs. 12,000/- which may be vised for the ensuing year by an amount not ceeding 10% of preceding year's consolidated salary used on satisfactory review/ performance of services andered.	
		, mi	ted Travel Allowance [FTA]: Actuals subject to nimum of Rs.1000/- per month against bills or can aim Rs.500/- per month on declaration basis.	
2.	Annual Medical allowance on declaration basis	Rs.2,500/-		
3.	TA for outstation duties	The travelling expenses payable for travel to the staff of RSETI is dependent on the office exigencies and approval of the tour programme on duty for follow up / EAP / other office work by the competent authority i.e., Director of RSETI. For the approved tour programme/travel on duty, eligible mode is II Class sleeper by train by the regular/shortest route or equivalent class by Public Transport (Bus). A reasonable local conveyance by public transport may also be reimbursed.		
4.	HA for outstation	1 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	From 4 to 8 hrs >8hrs	
	tour (per day)	Office Assista	nt Rs.100/- Rs.200/-	

b. Leave:

S.No.	Category of Leave	Period
1.	Casual Leave	12 days per year
2.	Privilege Leave	10 days per year
3.	Sick Leave	10 days per year
4.	Maternity Leave	90 days per child in a contract of one year after completing six months of entering contract subject to maximum of two surviving children.

c. Career Planning

1. If an **Office Assistant** has been performing very well and the contract has been renewed for two consecutive terms of three years, s/he may be designated as Senior Office Assistant for the next contract.

2. Any extension / renewal in contract shall be done within time frame which is mandatory.

d. Induction:

Induction is a systematic process of introducing the new joinees to RSETI, to enable them to understand the Vision, Mission, Values, Objectives of RSETI, Key features of RSETI, as well as their job responsibilities.

e. Increment

- 1. The contract staff will be eligible for increment once she/he completes the contract period of one year satisfactorily.
- 2. The annual Increment rate for the Senior Office Assistant may be fixed at 15%.

f. Separation

- **i. Resignation:** The contract staff member who resigns from the services of the organization, will be required to serve one month after serving the notice or will forfeit proportionate salary/ make good the salary as per the contract.
- **ii. Dismissal for disciplinary reasons:** The contract of the staff may be terminated by the Director for reasons of serious misconduct by following due process as laid down, with due approval from the concerned Regional Manager (RM).

g. Code of Conduct:

A. Misconduct:

No staff member shall indulge in any form of misconduct in the organization. Misconduct will be categorized as – (i) Minor Misconduct and (ii) Major Misconduct. Without prejudice to the general meaning of the word "misconduct", the following omissions and commissions will constitute minor/ major misconduct.

- (1) **Minor Misconduct** This refers to irregularities and misconduct on the part of staff that are improper but not grave enough to warrant immediate suspension or dismissal viz.: Absence from duty without showing proper cause or without reporting the absence in a timely manner, even for a day.
- (2) **Major Misconduct** Given below is the list of grave actions that warrant immediate investigation and suspension / dismissal viz.
 - (a) Theft, fraud, and falsification of records.
 - (b) Misappropriation of funds and property.
 - (c) Failure to carry out duties as stated in the job description.
 - (d) Failure to maintain responsible work behaviour.
 - (e) Failure to carry out instructions of the superiors.
 - (f) Abuse of administrative rules and procedures for monetary gain.
 - (g) Corruption (ie giving or accepting bribes or kickbacks in the form of money, services, gifts or discounts directly or indirectly).
 - (h) Engaging directly in trade, commercial activity, other employment or any other activity regarded as conflict of interest.
 - (i) Absence from duty for 3 or more consecutive days without prior intimation/permission.
 - (j) Unauthorised disclosure of any confidential or classified information to public/outsiders/others.
 - (k) Undisclosed conflict of interest.
 - (I) Insubordination (i.e. undermining authority)
 - (m) Physical violence against staff.
 - (n) Discrimination and harassment whether racial, social or sexual.

- (o) Repeated instances of one or more minor misconduct.
- (p) Gross negligence or negligence of work which may be harmful to the organization.
- (q) Criminal conviction by a court.
- (r) Any action which may result in or create a situation detrimental to RSETI's work or reputation, outside or inside the place of work.
- (s) Holding double employment.
- **B.** No individual or group shall be discriminated against or harassed on the grounds of sex, gender, race, ethnic origin, age, caste, colour, marital status, social background etc.

(h) Disciplinary Action and procedure thereof

- (a) In case of minor misconduct, informal procedures such as one to one discussion will be conducted. Formal procedures will be employed in cases where informal mechanisms have failed. Even verbal warnings will be documented on file.
- (b) In case of major misconduct appropriate action will be initiated by the Director. The Regional Manager (RM) or his/ her representative will conduct an enquiry at the Institute to provide the opportunity for all concerned to put forward their cases. The person conducting the enquiry will then submit a report with recommendations. RM will take a decision and implement the same which will be binding on both the parties.
- (c) In case of termination of contract for act of major misconduct, the staff member shall be relieved from the services with immediate effect and no contract amount in lieu of notice period will be payable.
- (d) All disciplinary procedures will be unbiased and fair investigations will be conducted with the opportunity for defence.
- (e) A staff member who is alleged to have committed an act of misconduct or has allegedly failed to comply with RSETI's policies will be given a show cause notice / charge sheet clearly mentioning the acts of omission / commission s/he is alleged to have indulged in seeking her/ his explanation for the same.
- (f) The staff member will be given 7 days' time to reply to the show cause notice/ charge sheet from the date on which such notice is served on the concerned staff member.
- (g) On receipt of the explanation from the staff member, disciplinary action as deemed fit by the RM shall be initiated as follows:
 - (1) If the staff member admits the charges and allegations, the **Regional Manager** (RM) may decide to impose such punishment as deemed fit
 - (2) If the staff member denies the charges and allegations, the RM may appoint an **Enquiry Authority (EA)** to go into the charges and allegations and submit the report within 15 days of the response.
 - (3) The EA will afford all reasonable opportunities to the staff member to be heard in the enquiry. The EA shall also examine any witnesses and evidence as may be placed before it.
- (h) On receipt of the report of the EA, the RM after due consideration of the report may:
 - (1) If the EA has found the person guilty, agree to the charges, then, EA may impose such punishment as they deem fit, including dismissal where necessary.
 - (2) For reasons to be recorded, disagree with the findings, and impose such punishment / acquit the person, as they deem fit.
- (i) While arriving at the decision, the RM will consider the findings of the EA, the past service records of the staff member, any extenuating circumstances, and all other relevant material.

i. Standards of Service:

The staff member shall carry out the assignment in accordance with the highest standard of professional and ethical competence and integrity, having due regard to the nature and purpose of the assignment and will conduct herself / himself in the required manner.

For any queries, the candidates may contact Indian Overseas Bank, Regional Office, Erode, Landline number-0424 2212429 (Between 10.00 am to 5.00 pm)