The Kerala State Council for Science, Technology and Environment (KSCSTE) is an autonomous body under the Government of Kerala constituted to promote excellence in Science, Technology and Environment in the State through learning, research and development with the involvement of Academia, Industry and Research Organizations.

In order to keep the Council & its R&D Institutions in the forefront with respect to expertise and innovations, we are looking for a dynamic, result oriented Scientist with relevant academic/management experience to be appointed as its Member Secretary.

The Member Secretary shall be responsible for formulating the agenda of the Executive Committee/State Council, Operating funds of KSCSTE, Chair the meetings of Assessment Committees of Scientists up to grade F, appoint Scientific, Technical, Administrative staff in Council Headquarters, take disciplinary action of people under his authority.

The Member Secretary will also be the Member Secretary to Kerala Coastal Zone Management Authority (KCZMA) at present.

The tenure of the Member Secretary will be 3 years from the date of appointment.

**Eligibility Criteria:**

**I. Essential Qualifications:**

PhD in Science/Technology/Engineering or M.D. (in any branch of modern medicine)

**II. Experience:**

- A minimum of 15 years in Research/Academic/R&D Institutions of which at least 5 years should be in the grade of Scientist F(Pay band Rs 37400-67000 Grade pay 8900) or shall be presently holding the grade of scientist G(Pay band Rs.34700-6700 Grade pay 10000). Experience in equivalent positions/grade with documented scientific accomplishments (publications/patents/books, etc.) and a minimum of 3 years documented administrative experience in R&D Institutions, Public Sector Units, Universities, Central or State Departments.

**III. Upper age limit:**

The Upper age of candidates as of the date of this advertisement shall be 58 years.

Applications / nominations with detailed bio-data and a passport photograph for the above position must reach the Office of the Executive Vice President on or before 05.00 P.M. on 31st July, 2015. Applications / Nominations can also be sent by Email: evpkscste.std@kerala.gov.in.

Sd/-

Date: 15.06.2015  Executive Vice President