RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP AT SVPNPA

Aspiring candidates for the fellowship will be required to make a presentation on the research proposal before the 'Selection Committee'. The committee shall examine the proposed Research Project and also fix the duration for completion of research work.

As per the recommendations of 'Selection Committee' the candidates will be required to amend the proposal in tandem with the NPA coordinator nominated/approved by NPA.

The Selection Committee comprises of :

Internal members :

- Director.
- Joint Director/Dy. Director.
- Professor/Reader. (Dy.Director (Research)/ Astt.Director (Research)

External members :

- DG/Director (Research), BPR&D.
- Seasoned Police Officer (Serving/Retired).
- Eminent Professor from University or Training Institution.

Eligibility & Research team structure :

I) <u>Police Officers :</u>

- a) <u>Serving</u>: Police Officers with minimum 10 years of service with 3 years of field experience.
- b) <u>Retired</u>: Police Officers who retired from the service in the rank of DIG and above.

II) Academicians :

Associate Professor / Professor level Academics from the areas of Psychology, Public Administration, Sociology, Criminology, History, Philosophy, Anthropology, Political Science, Training Methodology, Information & Communication Technology, Forensic Science, Forensic Medicine, Education and similar disciplines with research experience.

III) <u>NPA Faculty</u>: Same criteria as depicted in I (a) above.

IV) Expert Practitioner/Trainer : With sufficient experience of imparting training in the relevant field. For quality output, the research studies pertaining to the fellowship scheme of the Academy will be undertaken by the teams rather than the individuals.

Duration :

The Duration of the Fellowship shall not ordinarily exceed one year. However, the period may be extended, where circumstances so demand, with the approval of NPA.

Fellowship Amount :

The amount of the Fellowship grant will be decided by the Director NPA on case to case basis.