## Government of Pakistan FINANCE DIVISION (Quality Assurance –I Section)

CIRCULAR

## Subject: - COLLABORATIVE PROGRAM BETWEEN WB AND JICA: PUBLIC DEBT AND RISK MANAGEMENT

The Economic Affairs Division vide its O.M No.1 (64) Japan-II/2024 dated 03.09.2024 has informed that the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) has offered (Fully funded) one seat for subject training course scheduled to be held in Japan w.e.f.... February 06, 2025 to March 01, 2025.

## **Course Objective:**

➤ How to identify and classify the key types of debt-related Contingent Liabilities that countries are exposed to and alternative methods to assess and quantify these fiscal risks by applying World Bank developed Excel-based tools. Challenges that the countries participating in the course encounter will be discussed.

## **Eligibility Criteria:-**

- > Senior officer to middle management level of central government managing mid and long-term government debt or fiscal risk.
- ➤ Have more than 5 years working experience in the field of government debt management or fiscal risk on sovereign guarantees (loans and PPPs) preferably in managing external debt.
- Not participated in same training offered by JICA or World Bank in the past 5 years
- > Be a graduate.
- > Proficient in spoken and written English.
- ➤ Be between the age of thirty-five (35) & fifty (50) years.
- 2. Interested Officers of this Division who fulfill the given eligibility criteria are requested to furnish their nominations duly recommended by the AFS/head of their respective Wing alongwith three (3) copies of prescribed JICA forms, copy of Passport, CNIC, undertaking, surety bond, FTC Performa as advised in G-I Booklet to QA-I Section by 17.09.2024.
- 3. JICA application Forms and FTC Performa can be downloaded from EAD's website <a href="www.ead.gov.pk">www.ead.gov.pk</a> under "Foreign Trainings" link in "Forms", and also available on JICA's website: <a href="www.jica.go.jp/pakistan/english/index.html">www.jica.go.jp/pakistan/english/index.html</a>.

**Note:-** "In addition to the eligibility criteria specified for a training, all officers who are working on contract basis/fixed pay package or having less than two years continuous government service or less than three months of service in Finance Division or against whom disciplinary proceedings/inquiry is in progress, may need not apply"

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All Officers (BPS-17 & above) of Finance Division, Islamabad

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