

Criterion – 3

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No.SR/WOS-A/LS-296/2017
Government of India
Ministry of Science & Technology
Department of Science & Technology
(KIRAN Division)

Technology Bhavan
New Mehrauli Road
New Delhi-110 016
Dated: 13.02.2020

ORDER

Sub: Financial approval of the project under Women Scientist Scheme-B (WOS-B) entitled "**Development of novel packaging film for fruit and vegetable storage using metal oxides Nano particles synthesized by different process**" under the guidance of **Dr. Sapna Thakur**, Department of Biotechnology, Eternal University, Baru Sahib, Distt Sirmour-173101, Himachal Pradesh.

In partial modification of this Department's sanction letter of even number dated 17.04.2018, sanction of the President is hereby accorded to revise the total cost of the project from **Rs 24,40,000/-** to **Rs. 25,47,946/-** and the revised budget break up is as follows:

Heads	Sanctioned Amt. (Rs.)	Additional Amt. (Rs.)	Revised Sanction Amt. (Rs.)
Fellowship for Ph.D @ Rs. 55,000/- + HRA @ 16%	19,80,000/-	1,07,946/-(HRA for 24 months & 16 days)	20,87,946/-
Consumables	1,00,000/-		1,00,000/-
Contingencies	75,000/-		75,000/-
Travel	75,000/-		75,000/-
Overhead	2,10,000/-		2,10,000/-
Equipment	Nil		Nil
Grand Total	24,40,000/-		25,47,946/-

2. Sanction of the President is also hereby accorded the payment of **Rs. 9,00,000/- (Rupees Nine Lac only)** as Second installment to the **Finance Officer, Eternal University, Baru Sahib, Distt Sirmour-173101, Himachal Pradesh** for implementation of the said project during the current financial year.
3. The account of the grantee organisation shall be open to inspection by the sanctioning authority and audit (both by C & AG of India and Internal Audit by the Principal Accounts Office of the DST), whenever the organisation is called upon to do so, as laid down under Rule 236(1) of General Financial Rules 2017.
4. The Grantee Institute (GI) will maintain separate audited as per GFR 2017 Rule 230 (8) account for the project and the entire amount of grant will be kept in an interest bearing bank account. For Grants released during F/Y 2019-20 and onwards interest and other earnings, against released Grant shall be remitted to Consolidated Fund of India, immediately after finalization of accounts, as it shall not be adjusted towards future release of Grant. A certificate to this effect shall have to be submitted along with statement of expenditure/utilization certificate for considering subsequent release of grant/closure of project accounts. GI should also follow Rule 230(17) of GFR 2017 concerning to reservation of SC/ST/OBC, if applicable.
5. This sanction is subject to the condition that the grantee organisation will furnish to the Department of Science & technology, financial year wise Utilization Certificate (UC) in the proforma prescribed as per GFR 2017 and audited statement of expenditure (SE) along with up to date progress report at the end of each financial year duly reflecting the interest earned / accrued on the grants received under the project. This is also subject to the condition of submission of the final statement of expenditure, utilization certificate and project completion report within one year from the scheduled date of completion of the project.
7. The grantee organisation will have to enter & upload the Utilization Certificate in the PFMS portal besides sending it in physical form to this Division. The subsequent/final installment will be released only after confirmation of the acceptance of the UC by the Division and entry of previous Utilization Certificate in the PFMS.
8. In case the scheme provides for payment of honorarium / remuneration / fellowship / scholarship to the PI, a para may suitably be incorporated in the DSO to the effect that "PI is not drawing any emoluments/ salary/fellowship from any other project either supported by DST or by any other funding agency.

Contd..p/-

9. Principal Investigator (PI) is directed to acknowledge "research grant" in all publications emerging out of this particular project. For example, "author acknowledge Department of Science & Technology, Government of India for financial support vide reference no.....under Women Scientist Scheme to carry out this work". Also she is advised to be either 'first' or 'corresponding' author in all publications

10. The expenditure involved is debitable to Demand No.86, Department of Science & Technology for the year 2019-20:

3425 Other Scientific Research (Major Head)
60 Others (Sub-Major Head)
60.200 Assistance to other Scientific Bodies (Minor Head)
68 Science and Technology Institutional and Human Capacity Building (Sub Head)
01 Disha Programme for Women in Science
68.01.31 **Grants-in-aid General for the year 2019-20 (Voted)**
(Previous: Disha Programme for Women in Science 3425.60.200.55.01.31)

11. The amount of **Rs. 9,00,000/- (Rupees Nine Lac only)** will be Disbursed to the **Finance Officer, Eternal University, Baru Sahib, Distt Sirmour-173101, Himachal Pradesh** by means of electronic transfer as per the details given below:

Institute name	: Eternal University, Sirmour
Bank Name	: State Bank of India
Account Number	: 30957030400
Branch	: Baru Sahib
IFSC code	: SBIN0011784

12. As per Rule 234 of GFR 2017, this sanction has been entered at S. No. **642** in the register of grants maintained in the Division for scheme (**KIRAN: WOS-A**).

13. This issues with the concurrence of IFD Vide their Concurrence Dy.No.C/5033/IFD/2019-20 dated 08.01.2020.



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Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:-

1. The Director of Audit (CW & M-II), AGCR Building, IP Estate, New Delhi-110 002.
2. Copy with two spare copies of the sanction to the Drawing & Disbursing Officer, DST, Cash Section.
3. The Director, ICAR-Central tuber Crops Research Institute, Sreekariyam, Thiruvananthpuram-695017, Kerala.
4. Dr. Radheshyam Rai, Department of Biotechnology, Eternal University, Baru Sahib, Distt Sirmour-173101, Himachal Pradesh.
5. Dr. Sapna Thakur, Department of Biotechnology, Eternal University, Baru Sahib, Distt Sirmour-173101, Himachal Pradesh.
6. Pay & Accounts Officer, DST, New Delhi
7. IFD, DST, New Delhi
8. Sanction Folder.



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