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Subject: Proposal under "FIST Program - 2019" [TPN -31787]

Dear Sir,

Kindly refer to your captioned proposal submitted by your Department/ Centre/ College for support under the FIST Program of DST. I am pleased to inform you that the proposal has been favorably recommended in Level 1 category by the DST based on the recommendation of the FIST Advisory Board (FISTAB). The details of the recommendation for 5 years duration of the project are given below:

To augment the research facilities in the department

E- Rs 100 L [i) AFM- Rs 85 L ii) FTIR-Rs 15 L]

M- Rs 15 L

Total- Rs 115 L

It may be noted that the allocations indicated now above with respect to any Equipment or any other budget heads are the Upper Limit of the Budget as they are purely based on recommendations. However, Department shall now finally firm-up specifications/ configurations of each Equipment, Computational & Networking facility in Computer Lab, Infrastructure Facility as recommended above to be acquired by the Department/ Centre/ School/College and actual cost of this project shall firmed up based on these inputs from you. The support for the 'Maintenance' will be provided as per norms under FIST Program. The type of equipment and its specifications/ configurations finalized now by the Department/Centre/ School/ College would not be possible to change during the course of implementation of the said project. For enabling us to process the case further, including the release of 1st installment of grant now, you are requested to please upload the following documents at the earliest and latest by 15th April 2020 (Wednesday) only through e-PMS web portal of the DST using the registered USER ID and PASSWORD:

- Valid quotation for each of the recommended equipment (CIF value) for support. Please ensure recommended above that the budgetary cost is not an inflated one with respect to its specifications given. In case, the recommendation shows Equipment list is "to be identified & prioritized", please submits quotations of the identified & prioritized Equipment only. Teaching Aids like LCD Projector, Smart Boards etc. are out of scope under FIST support and shall not be projected by the Department/ Centre/ School/ College.

- Quotations with detailed plans for implementation of the 'Networking and Computational Facilities' (NW) under the support as per guidelines mentioned in the Terms and Conditions of DST-FIST Program available at the Website:www.fist-dst.org.

- Budgetary quotes from suppliers along with details & their cost estimates of Items/activities recommended & proposed under 'Infrastructure Facility' which includes the list of Books, Lab renovation etc...