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SCIENCE & ENGINEERING RESEARCH BOARD (SERB)

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Date: 28-Oct-20

ORDER

Subject: Financial sanction of the research project titled: “Investigating the synergistic effect of *Al³⁺* to reduce the waterlogging and also enhance the performance of organic photovoltaics” under the leadership of Dr. Anantha Gopalan, Physics, RPS Degree College, Beluru, Sankar Road, Mahabubnagar, 507530. (2/23/2019 - Revised 1st page)

Sanction of Science and Engineering Research Board (SERB) is hereby accorded to the above mentioned project at a total cost of Rs. 1927500/- (Ru. Eighteen Lakh Twenty Seven Thousand Five Hundred and Sixty One Rupees only) under the leadership of Dr. Anantha Gopalan, Physics, RPS Degree College, Beluru, Sankar Road, Mahabubnagar, 507530. The sanction is subject to the approval of the concerned authority under departmental process on or before 08 October, 2019 and vide Order No. SERB/01/2019-2021 dated 08 October, 2019.

The following budget may be considered for RPS Degree College, Beluru, Sankar Road, Mahabubnagar

Sl. No	Particulars	Amount (in Ru.)
A	Non recurring	
1	Equipment	125100
2	Travel	
3	Travel (Miscellaneous)	20700
B	Recurring Items	
1	Personnel (B): (Miscellaneous)	1024000
2	Personnel (R): (Consultancies, Travel, Contingencies)	483000
3	Personnel (I): (Direct Recruitments)	142700
M	Total (Non-recurring)	145800
T	Total cost of the project (A + B)	1927500

2. Sanction of the SERB is also extended to the payment of Rs. 225150/- (Rupees Two Lakh Twenty Five Thousand One Hundred and Fifty one Rupees only) towards the purchase of capital assets and Rs. 332750/- (Rupees Three Lakh Three Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty one Rupees only) towards the purchase of consumables and other miscellaneous items for the project.

3. The expenditure incurred is debitable to Fund for Science & Engineering Research (FSEIR).

This release is being made under Early Career Research Award, (EC-CAR) (Physical & Mathematical Sciences).

4. The sanction has been issued to RPS Degree College, Beluru, Sankar Road, Mahabubnagar with the approval of the concerned authority under departmental process on or before 08 October, 2019 and vide Order No. SERB/01/2019-2021 dated 08 October, 2019.

5. Sanction of the grant is subject to the conditions as detailed in Terms & Conditions available at website (<https://www.serb.gov.in>).

6. Unutilized expenses are meant for the host institute towards the cost of providing infrastructural facilities and general administrative support including benefits to the staff employed in the project.

7. While providing operational flexibility among various subheads under head 'Personnel (B)', it should be ensured that the amount under Rs. 1,02,40,000 should be spent as below and contingency.

8. As per rule 217 of GDS, the accounts of project shall be open to Inspector by providing suitable facilities wherever the facilities are called upon to be.

9. The sanctioned equipment should be preserved as per GDS and its disposal of the same would be done with prior approval of SERB.

10. The release of Rs. 750000/- (Rupees Seven Lakh Fifty Thousand Rupees only) will be done to the Union Secretary of the SERB and will be disbursed by means of MTCC transactions as per their bank details given below:

Account Name	RPS DEGREE COLLEGE
Account Number	374511100106
Bank Name & Branch	ORIENTAL BANK OF COMMERCIAL, Mahabubnagar, Oriental Bank of Commerce, opp. - IT, Mahabubnagar, Hyderabad - 508009
IFSC Number Code	0000000040
E-mail of A/C Holder	rsrb@serb.gov.in
E-mail of PI	rsrbpi@serb.gov.in

11. The institute will furnish to the SERB, New Delhi, separate Utilization Certificate (UC) statement year-wise to the SERB for Recurring (Claims in and Grants) and Non-Recurring (Claims for creation of capital assets) and an annual statement of account regarding to the grant immediately after the end of each financial year.

12. The institute will maintain separate audited accounts for the project. A part or whole of the grant must be kept in an Interest bearing bank account which is to be approved by SERB. The interest thus earned will be treated as credit to the entire billable amount towards the expenditure of the grant.

13. The project file no: SERB/01/2019-2021 may also be mentioned in all research communications relating from the above project with due acknowledgment of SERB.

14. The managers mentioned in the order, if any, in connection with the sanction of the project and SERB will have no liability to meet the liability and safety of supporting staff if any, happened a disaster of the project.

15. As this is the last grant being released for the project, no previous GDS is required.

16. The Institute may collect any unpaid amounts to SERB by means of a Demand Draft bearing "SERB FOR SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING RESEARCH" payable at New Delhi.

17. The responsible authorities already should ensure that the financial management activities pertaining to the Science & Engineering Research Board, a statutory body of the Department of Science & Technology (DST), Government of India should be fully disclosed to their website as well as its satisfaction in this regard complies with the Annual Report.

18. In addition, the responsibility of the host institute is also acknowledged for the support provided to their staff and other non-eligible staff and any other staff immediately out of the project program funded by the Science & Engineering Research Board, a statutory body of Department of Science & Technology (DST), Government of India.

(Dr. Rajesh K R)

Secretary

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To,

Senior Secretary

SERB, New Delhi

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4	Dr. Anantha Gopalan Principal RPS Degree College, Beluru, Sankar Road, Mahabubnagar, 507530 E-mail: rsrbpi@serb.gov.in Mobile: 9890100147
5	Joint Executive Officer, RPS Degree College, Beluru, Sankar Road, Mahabubnagar Principal of institution to be included by separate transmittal sheet.

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