

SCIENCE & ENGINEERING RESEARCH BOARD(SERB)

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Vasant Square Mall
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New Delhi-110070

Dated: 27-Mar-2019

ORDER

Subject: Financial Sanction of the research project titled "Identification of miRNAs from contrasting lines of *Carthamus* and their contribution in tolerance against *Fusarium wilt*" under the guidance of Prof. Manu Agarwal, Botany, University of Delhi, North Campus, New Delhi, Delhi, New Delhi, Delhi-110007 and by Prof. Rupam Kapoor, Professor, Botany, University Of Delhi, North Campus - Release of 1st grant.

Sanction of Science and Engineering Research Board (SERB) is hereby accorded to the above mentioned project at a total cost of Rs. 4035196/- (Rs. Forty Lakh Thirty Five Thousand One Hundred and Ninety Six Only) with break-up of Rs. 0/- under Capital (Non-recurring) head and Rs. 4035196/- under General (Recurring) head for a duration of 36 months. The items of expenditure for which the total allocation of Rs. 4035196/- has been approved are given below:

S. No	Head	Total (in Rs.)
A	Non-recurring	
1	Equipment	0
A'	Total (Non-Recurring)	0
B	Recurring Items	
1	Recurring - I : (Manpower)	1443360
	Recurring - II : (Consumables, Travel, Contingencies)	2225000
	Recurring - III : Scientific Social Responsibility	0
2	Recurring - IV : (Overhead Charges)	366836
B'	Total (Recurring)	4035196
C	Total cost of the project (A' + B')	4035196

- Sanction of the SERB is also accorded to the payment of Rs. 1801570/- (Rupees Eighteen Lakh One Thousand Five Hundred and Seventy only) under 'Grants-in-aid General' to Registrar, University of Delhi, North Campus, New Delhi, Delhi being the first installment of the grant for the year 2018-2019 for implementation of the said research project.
- The expenditure involved is debitable to Fund for Science & Engineering Research (FSER) This release is being made under Core Research Grant. (PAC Plant Sciences)
- The Sanction has been issued to University Of Delhi, North Campus, New Delhi, Delhi with the approval of the competent authority under delegated powers on 27 March, 2019 and vide Diary No. SERB/P/12951/2018-2019 dated 27 March, 2019
- Sanction of the grant is subject to the conditions as detailed in Terms & Conditions available at website (www.serb.gov.in).
- Overhead expenses are meant for the host Institute towards the cost for providing infrastructural facilities and general administrative support etc. including benefits to the staff employed in the project.
- While providing operational flexibility among various subheads under head Recurring-II, it should be ensured that not more than Rs. 1.5 lakh each should be spent for travel and contingency.
- As per rule 211 of GFR, the accounts of project shall be open to inspection by sanctioning authority/audit whenever the institute is called upon to do so.
- The sanctioned equipment would be procured as per GFR and its disposal of the same would be done with prior approval of SERB.
- The release amount of Rs. 1801570/- (Rupees Eighteen Lakh One Thousand Five Hundred and Seventy only) will be drawn by the Under Secretary of the SERB and will be disbursed by means of RTGS transaction as per their Bank details given below:

1. 18,01,570 - 20/3/19
2. 10,00,000 - 20/12/20