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Dated the 3rd May, 2023

**The Director,
ICAR-Central Soil & Salinity Research Institute,
Karnal**

Subject : Grant of permission to Dr. Ashim Datta, Scientist, ICAR-Central Soil & Salinity Research Institute, Karnal for availing Indo US visiting Fellowships at Michigan State University, East Lansing, USA for two years from 01/06/2023 to 31/05/2025 (excluding journey time)-reg.

Sir,

I am directed to convey the approval of the competent authority of this Department to the foreign visit of Dr. Ashim Datta, Scientist, ICAR-Central Soil & Salinity Research Institute, Karnal for availing Indo US visiting Fellowships at Michigan State University, East Lansing, USA for two years from 01/06/2023 to 31/05/2025 (excluding journey time). The period of absence of Dr. Ashim Datta while availing Indo US visiting Fellowships will be regulated by treating this period of foreign visit as on duty (F.No.8-76/2009-IC-II dated 5-7-2013). This permission is subject to FCRA clearance from MHA.

- 2) The host institute shall bear all the expenditure , so there is no financial liability on the part of DARE/ ICAR/ Institute.
- 3) The applicant may be relieved after completing pre departure formalities. He may be directed to upload the deputation report (including actionable items for ICAR and institute concerned) on FVMS portal and submit directly to SMD concerned of ICAR, New Delhi and ADG(IR), ICAR, New Delhi within one month of his return.

Yours Faithfully,

(Prem Prakash Maurya)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

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1. DDG(NRM), ICAR, KAB-II, Pusa, New Delhi.
2. Dr. Ashim Datta, Scientist, ICAR-Central Soil & Salinity Research Institute, Karnal
3. Embassy of India, 2107 Massachusetts Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20008
4. Project Director, DKMA, with request to kindly upload this permission letter on ICAR website.
5. ADG (IR), ICAR, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.
6. JS (P), ICAR, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.
7. Master File & Event Register.