

Government of India Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare Department of Agricultural Research and Education Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi

FVMS Proposal ID- 296-ADHOC CONFERENCE-20/11/2023-26/11/2023

Dated the 10th November, 2023

To,

The DDG (AS), ICAR, Krishi Bhawan New Delhi.

Subject: Grant of permission to Dr. Tirtha Kumar Datta, Director, ICAR-Central Institute for Research on Buffaloes, Hisar for attending 13th World Buffalo Congress "For a neutral carbon footprint livestock" at Caracas, Venezuela from 22/11/2023 to 24/11/2023 (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. Tirtha Kumar Datta, Director, ICAR-Central Institute for Research on Buffaloes, Hisar for attending 13th World Buffalo Congress "For a neutral carbon footprint livestock" at Caracas, Venezuela from 22/11/2023 to 24/11/2023 (excluding journey time). The instant visit will be treated as "personal". The duration of foreign visit shall not be extended. This permission is subject to FCRA clearance from MHA.

- 2. The travel expenses, congress fee and accommodation shall be borne by the host Institute. Any other expenses shall be borne by the applicant, so there is no financial liability on the part of DARE/ICAR/ Institute. This has the concurrence of AS & FA vide Dy. No. 195/AS/FA dated 07.11.2023, subject to observance of (i) all relevant rules and codal formalities; (ii) no financial liability on 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 the FVMS portal and to submit a copy of the same to concerned SMD of ICAR, New Delhi and ADG(IR), ICAR, New Delhi within one month of the programme.

Yours faithfully,

(Inderdeep Kandwal) Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

Copy to:

- 1. Dr. Tirtha Kumar Datta, Director, ICAR-Central Institute for Research on Buffaloes, Hisar
- 2. Embassy of India, Quinta Tagore No.12, Avenida SanCarlos, La Floresta, Caracas-1060-A. Email: hoc.caracas@mea.gov.in
- 3. Project Director, DKMA, with request to kindly upload this permission letter on ICAR website
- 4. ADG (IR), ICAR, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 5. JS (P), ICAR, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 6. Master File & Event Register.