

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

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Dated the 23rd August, 2023

To,

The Director,

ICAR-Indian Agricultural Research Institute,

New Delhi,

Subject:

Rescheduling request of Dr. Dhandapani R., Scientist, ICAR-Indian Agricultural Research Institute, New Delhi for availing Post Doctoral Fellowship at University of Missouri (UoM) Columbia, USA from 01/10/2023 to 30/09/2024 instead of earlier from 01/07/2023 to 30/06/2024 (excluding jou rney time) -reg.

Sir,

In supersession of this department's order dated 22nd August,2023 I am directed to convey the approval of the competent authority of this department for the rescheduling of foreign visit of Dr. Dhandapani R., Scientist, ICAR-Indian Agricultural Research Institute, New Delhi for availing Post Doctoral Fellowship at University of Missouri (UoM) Columbia, USA from 01/10/2023 to 30/09/2024 instead of earlier from 01/07/2023 to 30/06/2024 (excluding journey time).

- 3. Earlier University of Missouri (MU) had offered a consolidated fellowship of \$ 40,000 per annum, now the fellowship amount has been updated to \$ 60,000 per annum for livelihood, accommodation, visa, air travel, and medical insurance etc. at University of Missouri, Columbia, MU, USA, so there is no financial liability on the part of DARE/ICAR/Institute.
- 4. There is no change in other term and conditions of deputation in respect Dr. Dhandapani R as communicated to the Institute vide this Department's Proposal ID No. 14246-DirecFL-1/7/2023-30/6/2024 dated 09th May, 2023.

Yours faithfully,

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

Copy to:

- 1. Dr. Dhandapani R., Scientist, ICAR-Indian Agricultural Research Institute, New Delhi
- 2. Embassy of India, 2107 Massachusetts Avenue, NW Washington DC 20008 Email: hoc.washington@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.