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

Dated the 19th August, 2025

To,

The Deputy Director General (CS), Indian Council of Agricultural Research, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi-110001

Subject:- Foreign visit proposal of Dr. Maganti Sheshu Madhav, Director, ICAR-NIRCA (formerly ICAR-CTRI), Rajahmundry for participation in 40th meeting of ISO/TC-126 "Tobacco and Tobacco Products" in Stockholm 2025 at SIS, Sweden from 02/09/2025 to 05/09/2025 (excluding journey time)-reg.

Sir,

I am directed to convey the approval of the Competent Authority of this Department to the foreign visit proposal of Dr. Maganti Sheshu Madhav, Director, ICAR- National Institute for Research on Commercial Agriculture (formerly ICAR-CTRI), Rajahmundry for participation in 40th meeting of ISO/TC-126 "Tobacco and Tobacco Products" in Stockholm 2025 at SIS, Sweden from 02/09/2025 to 05/09/2025 (excluding journey time). The instant visit will be treated as "official". The duration of foreign visit shall not be extended.

- 2. All the expenses related to the visit will be borne by the Bureau of Indian Standards, Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Government of India. Expenses over and above the funding shall be borne by the applicant himself without any liability on DARE/ICAR/Institute. The applicant has obtained political and FCRA clearance.
- 3. Permission is subject to observance of:
 - i. All relevant rules and codal formalities.
 - ii. No financial liability on DARE/ICAR/Institute.
 - iii. Relevant guidelines of DARE/ICAR/Institute.
- 4. The applicant may only be relieved after completion of pre-departure formalities. He will be required to submit a copy of the deputation report (including actionable items for ICAR and institute concerned) to concerned SMD of ICAR, New Delhi and ADG(IR), ICAR, New Delhi within one month of completion of the programme.

Yours faithfully,

(Shama Nanda)

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- 2. Project Director, ICAR-DKMA, ICAR Hqrs with request to kindly upload this permission letter on ICAR website.
- 3. Embassy of India, Stockholm, Sweden Email ID: consular.stockholm@mea.gov.in .
- 4. ADG (IR), ICAR, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 5. Dir(P), ICAR, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 6. Master File & Event Register.