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Government of India

Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare

Department of Agricultural Research and Education

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi

Dated the 29<sup>th</sup> September, 2025

To,

The Director,

ICAR-Central Institute of Fisheries Technology (CIFT),

CIFT Junction, Willingdon Island

Matsyapuri P.O., Cochin, Kerala-682 029

**Subject:- Foreign visit proposal of Smt. Sruthi P., Sr. Technical Assistant, ICAR-CIFT, Kochi to present a paper in (GAF9) - 9<sup>th</sup> Global Conference on Gender in Aquaculture and Fisheries on "Transforming aquaculture and fisheries for gender justice" organized by Gender in Aquaculture & Fisheries section of Asian Fisheries Society (AFS) in collaboration with Asian Institute of Technology, (AIT) at Bangkok, Thailand from 01.10.2025 to 03.10.2025 (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 Smt. Sruthi P., Sr. Technical Assistant, ICAR-CIFT, Kochi to present a paper in (GAF9) - 9<sup>th</sup> Global Conference on Gender in Aquaculture and Fisheries on "Transforming aquaculture and fisheries for gender justice" organized by Gender in Aquaculture & Fisheries section of Asian Fisheries Society (AFS) in collaboration with Asian Institute of Technology, (AIT) at Bangkok, Thailand from 01.10.2025 to 03.10.2025 (excluding journey time). The instant visit will be treated as "official". The duration of foreign visit shall not be extended.

2. The instant foreign visit of Smt. Sruthi P. is fully funded by the organizers of GAF-9 Asian Institute of Technology (AIT), Bangkok, Thailand.

3. The political clearance in the matter has been issued by Ministry of External Affairs (MEA) to Smt. Sruthi P., vide Ref. No: EPC080925117987TH. The FCRA clearance to Smt. Sruthi P has been issued by Ministry of Home Affairs (MHA) vide OM No. 0700673954G6G dated 12/09/2025.

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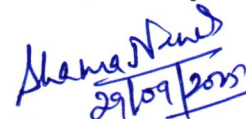
4. Permission is subject to observance of:

- i. All relevant rules and codal formalities.
- ii. No financial liability on DARE/ICAR/Institute.
- iii. Relevant guidelines of DARE/ICAR/Institute.

5. The applicant may only be relieved after completion of pre-departure formalities. Smt. Sruthi P will be required to submit a copy of the deputation report (including actionable items for ICAR and institute concerned) to concerned Subject Matter Division (SMD) of ICAR, New Delhi and Assistant Director General (International Relations), ICAR, New Delhi within one month of completion of the programme.

6. This issues with the approval of the Secretary (DARE) & DG, ICAR.

Yours faithfully,

  
(Shama Nanda)

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