

Dated: 28-Dec-2020

**ORDER**  
 Subject: Financial Sanction of the research project titled "Development of organic -conjugated luminogens with tunable solid state emissions and evaluation of mechano-responsive properties " under the guidance of Dr. Rupam Jyoti Sarma, Chemistry, Gauhati University , Jalukbari, guwahati, assam, Guwahati, Assam-781014 - Release of 1st grant.

Sanction of Science and Engineering Research Board (SERB) is hereby accorded to the above mentioned project at a total cost of Rs. 2732400/- (Rs. Twenty Seven Lakh Thirty Two Thousand Four Hundred Only) with break-up of Rs. 610000/- under Capital (Non-recurring) head and Rs. 2122400/- under General (Recurring) head for a duration of 36 months. The items of expenditure for which the total allocation of Rs. 2732400/- has been approved are given below:

S. No	Head	Total (in Rs.)
<b>A</b>	<b>Non-recurring</b>	
1	Equipment -> Chiller -> Digital Stirring Hot Plate -> Vacuum pump	610000
A'	Total (Non-Recurring)	610000
<b>B</b>	<b>Recurring Items</b>	
1	Recurring - I : (Manpower) Recurring - II : ( Consumables, Travel, Contingencies) Recurring - III : Scientific Social Responsibility	1164000
2	Recurring - IV : (Overhead Charges)	690000
B'	Total (Recurring)	20000
<b>C</b>	<b>Total cost of the project (A' + B')</b>	248400
		2122400
		2732400

- Sanction of the SERB is also accorded to the payment of Rs. 720800/- (Rupees Seven Lakh Twenty Thousand Eight Hundred only) under 'Grants-in-aid General' to Registrar, Gauhati University, Jalukbari, Guwahati, Assam being the first installment of the grant for the year 2020-2021 for implementation of the said research project.
- The expenditure involved is debit to Fund for Science & Engineering Research (FSER) This release is being made under Core Research Grant. (PAC Organic Chemistry)
- The Sanction has been issued to Gauhati University, Jalukbari, Guwahati, Assam with the approval of the competent authority under delegated powers on 28 December, 2020 and vide Diary No. SERB/F/6458/2020-2021 dated 28 December, 2020
- Sanction of the grant is subject to the conditions as detailed in Terms & Conditions available at website ([www.serb.gov.in](http://www.serb.gov.in)).
- Overhead expenses are meant for the host Institute towards the cost for providing infrastructural facilities and general administrative support etc. including benefits to the staff employed in the project.
- While providing operational flexibility among various subheads under head Recurring-II, it should be ensured that not more than Rs. 1.5 lakh each should be spent for travel and contingency.
- Budget sanctioned under Scientific Social Responsibility (SSR) is meant only for activities enlisted under SSR norms and under no circumstances it can be reappropriated.
- As per rule 211 of GFR, the accounts of project shall be open to inspection by sanctioning authority/audit whenever the institute is called upon to do so.
- The sanctioned equipment would be procured as per GFR and its disposal of the same would be done with prior approval of SERB.
- The release amount of Rs. 720800/- (Rupees Seven Lakh Twenty Thousand Eight Hundred only) will be drawn by the Under Secretary of the SERB and will be disbursed by means of RTGS transaction as per their Bank details given

below:

PFMS Unique Code	GAUUNIV
Account Name	General Account Guwahati University
Account Number	38422220812
Bank Name & Branch	State Bank of India GUWAHATI UNIVERSITY BRANCH, GUWAHATI UNIVERSITY CAMPUS PIN 781014
IFSC/RTGS Code	SBIN0002060
Email id of A/C Holder	nodalofficer@gauhati.ac.in
Email id of PI	rupam.sarma@gmail.com

12. The institute will furnish to the SERB, separate Utilization certificate(UCs) financial year wise to the SERB for Recurring (Grants-in-aid General) & Non-Recurring (Grants for creation of capital assets) and an audited statement of accounts pertaining to the grant immediately after the end of each financial year.
13. The institute will maintain separate audited accounts for the project. A part or whole of the grant must be kept in an interest earning bank account which is to be reported to SERB. The interest thus earned will be treated as credit to the institute to be adjusted towards further installment of the grant.
14. The project File no. CRG/2020/002720 may also be mentioned in all research communications arising from the above project with due acknowledgement of SERB.
15. The manpower sanctioned in the project, if any is co-terminus with the duration of the project and SERB will have no liability to meet the fellowship and salary of supporting staff if any. beyond the duration of the project
16. As this is the first grant being released for the project, no previous U/C is required.
17. The institute may refund any unspent balance to SERB by means of a Demand Draft favoring "FUND FOR SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING RESEARCH" payable at New Delhi.
18. The organization/institute/university should ensure that the technical support/financial assistance provided to them by the Science & Engineering Research Board should invariably be highlighted/ acknowledged in their media releases as well as in bold letters in the opening paragraphs of their Annual Report.
19. In addition, the investigator/host institute must also acknowledge the support provided to them in all publications, patents and any other output emanating out of the project/program funded by the Science & Engineering Research Board.

To,  
Under Secretary  
SERB, New Delhi

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to: -

1.	The Principal Director of Audit, A.G.C.R. Building, IIIrd Floor I.P. Estate, Delhi-110002
2.	Sanction Folder, SERB, New Delhi.
3.	File Copy
4.	Dr. Rupam Jyoti Sarma Chemistry Gauhati University, Jalukbari, guwahati, assam, Guwahati, Assam-781014 Email: rupam.sarma@gmail.com Mobile: 919864128514 (Start date of the project may be intimated by name to the undersigned. For guidance, terms & Conditions etc. Please visit <a href="http://www.serb.gov.in">www.serb.gov.in</a> .)
5.	Registrar, Gauhati University, Gauhati University, Jalukbari, Guwahati, Assam (Receipt of Grant may be intimated by name to the undersigned)

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