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To

The Director, ICAR-Indian Institute of Soil Sciences (ICAR-IISS) Nabi Bagh, Berasia Road, Bhopal-462038 Madhya Pradesh IFax No. 0755- 27333101

Sub: Foreign deputation of Dr. J. Somasundaram, Senior Scientist, ICAR- Indian Institute of Soil Science (IISS), Bhopal during 1.5.2015 to 30.10. 2015 [excluding journey period] for pursuing Fellowship under Endeavour Research Fellowship Australia 2015- Approval regarding.

Sir.

I am directed to convey the approval of the Competent Authority of this Department to the foreign deputation of Dr. J. Somasundaram, Senior Scientist, ICAR- Indian Institute of Soil Science (IISS), Bhopal during 1.5.2015 to 30.10. 2015 [excluding journey period] for pursuing Fellowship under Endeavour Research Fellowship Australia 2015.

- 2. The entire expenses on account of boarding, lodging and both ways international air-fare will be covered under Endeavour Research Fellowship, Australian Government and this Department/ICAR/Institute concerned will not bear any expenditure in this regard.
- 3. The period of absence of Dr. Somasundaram while availing the said training/Fellowship abroad will be regulated by treating the period as 'ON DUTY' with full salary and allowances as per rules.
- 4. Approval is also subject to the execution of Duty Bond by the applicant of appropriate value in favour of ICAR. A copy of Duty Bond executed by the applicant along with its amount break-up may also be supplied to this office for reference and records. Further, the duration of foreign visit shall not be extended.
- 5. Dr. Somasundaram may be relieved for joining the program abroad in accordance with the travel schedule and necessary sanction may be issued by the Institute under intimation to this Department. He may be advised to get in touch with the High Commission of India, 3-5, Moonah Place, Yarralumla, Canberra ACT-2600, Australia to present brief of his accomplishment and activities abroad. He may also be advised to deliver a seminar on the relevant topics at the Institute after his arrival from abroad and also to submit deputation report along with the prescribed Annexure which may be sent by the Institute directly to the ADG (Coord), ICAR, New Delhi within one month of the Scientist's return from abroad, under intimation to this Department.

Yours faithfully

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1. Dr. J. Somasundaram, Senior Scientist, ICAR- Indian Institute of Soil Science (IISS), Bhopal.

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3. High Commission of India, 3-5, Moonah Place, Yarralumla, Canberra ACT-2600, Australia.

4. ADG (Coord.), ICAR, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.

5. _ Director (P), ICAR, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.

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