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To,

- (i) All Directors of ICAR Institutes
- (ii) CAUs/ICAR-DUs

Sub: Approval of guidelines by GB for Partnerships in cutting edge science between ICAR and Private Entities (Item No. S-13 of 238th GB meeting): reg.

Sir,

I am to convey the approval of the Governing Body, ICAR during 238th meeting held on 18th October, 2016 (Item No. S-13) relating to Partnership in cutting edge science between ICAR and Private Entities. The following broad guidelines have been devised for this purpose:

1. International advertisements inviting expression of interest for collaboration with reputed private/public companies may be issued based on the request of SMDs/Institutes.
2. A Technical Committee may evaluate the response and give its recommendations. The Technical Committee shall develop appropriate selection criteria a priori and get the same approved from the competent authority.
3. A MOU duly vetted by legal and finance divisions shall be signed between the collaborating organisations. The MoU shall duly incorporate the interest of DARE/ICAR and the legal provisions and other guidelines pertaining to public-private partnerships existing in ICAR/DARE and Govt. of India.

(V. K. Bharti)
Under Secretary (NASF)

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2. OSD & Sr. PPS to DG, ICAR
3. PPS TO Addl. Secretary and FA (DARE/ICAR)
4. PPS TO Addl. Secretary (DARE) and Secretary, ICAR
5. OSD (NAEP Unit)
6. All ADGs, ICAR; Director (P), Director (F), ICAR
7. PD, DKMA
8. US (Admn), ICAR, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi
9. All officers/sections of ICAR, Krishi Bhawan/KAB-I&II/ASRB/NAEP
10. M&I Unit, KB & ISO, DKMA for uploading the same on the ICAR website