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OFFICE ORDER

In continuation of Council's Office Order of even number dated the 26th Aug, 2015, Director General, ICAR is pleased to approve the following enhancement of delegated powers to the Directors of ICAR Institutes (except National Institutes), National Research Centres/Project Directorates and Bureaux:

Sl. No.	Item	Extent to which enhanced	Remarks
1.	(Item No.65(xxii) of Schedule III of Powers for sanctioning expenditure towards contract for security work (watch & ward)	The power to sanction expenditure on security contract to the Directors of ICAR Research Institutes/ National Research Centres/ Project Directorates/ Bureaux enhanced from Rs.40.00 lakh per annum to Rs.60.00 lakh per annum (except National Institutes)	 i) The procedure prescribed by the Govt. of India/ICAR from time to time may be followed strictly and before awarding the contract if needed the agreements may be got vetted by Legal Advisor. ii) The Institute having sanctioned strength of Watch & Ward /Group 'D' and also having labourers of temporary status for the job, are however, required to obtain prior approval of the Council with detailed justification for any work contract on the recommendation of Institute Management Committee. iii) This is also subject to budgetary provision and availability of funds, following the prescribed procedure and general economy orders/instructions issued by the Govt. of India/Council from time to time. iv) Minimum Wages are incurred and no security points/persons of security should be enhanced. v) Latest technology may also be adopted to enhance security in more effective ways.

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