

F.No. 7-17/2025-IC-II (Comp. No.:377361) Government of India Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare Department of Agricultural Research and Education Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi

Dated the 20th June, 2025

To,

The Director,

ICAR- Central Inland Fisheries Research Institute, Barrackpore, Kolkata.

Subject:- Foreign visit proposal of Dr. Subir Kumar Nag, Principal Scientist, ICAR-Central Inland Fisheries Research Institute, Barrackpore, Kolkata to attend the 4th International Congress on 'Earth and Geological Sciences (ICEGS-2025)' at Paris, France from 21/07/2025 to 22/07/2025 (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 Dr. Subir Kumar Nag, Principal Scientist, ICAR- Central Inland Fisheries Research Institute, Barrackpore, Kolkata to attend the 4th International Congress on 'Earth and Geological Sciences (ICEGS-2025)' at Paris, France from 21/07/2025 to 22/07/2025 (excluding journey time). The instant visit will be treated as "personal". The duration of foreign visit shall not be extended.

2. The ICAR-CIFRI will provide financial assistance not exceeding Rs. 50,000/- from Foreign TA head of Institute's Budget, which has been financially concurred by AS&FA, ICAR/DARE. Further, DBT will provide travel grant. Remaining expenses over and above the funding shall be borne by the applicant himself. The applicant has obtained political clearance, whereas, FCRA clearance is not applicable in this case.

3. Permission is subject to observance of:

i. All relevant rules and codal formalities.

ii. Expenditure must be as per prescribed ceiling of GoI/ICAR.

iii. Relevant guidelines of DARE/ICAR/Institute.

4. The applicant may only be relieved after completion of pre-departure formalities. He will be required to submit a copy of the deputation report (including actionable items for ICAR and institute concerned) to concerned SMD of ICAR, New Delhi and ADG(IR), ICAR, New Delhi within one month of completion of the programme.

Yours faithfully, (Surajit Saha)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

Copy to:

- 1. The Deputy Director General (Fy. Sci.), ICAR, KAB-II, Pusa, New Delhi-12.
- 2. Dr. Subir Kumar Nag, Principal Scientist, ICAR- CIFRI, Barrackpore, Kolkata. Email ID <u>subirknag@yahoo.com</u>.
- 3. The Embassy of India, 13-15 rue Alfred Dehodencq, 75016 Paris, France. Email ID: <u>cons.paris@mea.gov.in</u>.
- 4. Project Director, DKMA, with request to kindly upload this permission letter on ICAR website.
- 5. ADG (IR), ICAR, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 6. Dir(P), ICAR, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 7. Master File & Event Register.