

FILE NO. EEQ/2019/000210  
SCIENCE & ENGINEERING RESEARCH BOARD(SERB)  
(a statutory body of the Department of Science & Technology, government of India)

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Vasant Square Mall  
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Sector-B, Pocket-5, Vasant Kunj  
New Delhi-110070

Dated: 14-Nov-2019

**ORDER**

Subject: Financial Sanction of the research project titled "Development of intracellular fluorescent chemosensor for various metal ions using experimental and computational methods" under the guidance of **Dr. Sanjoy Singh** Takhellambam, CHEMISTRY, Assam University, Po. assam university, silchar, Silchar, Assam-788011 - 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. 3657120/- (Rs. Thirty Six Lakh Fifty Seven Thousand One Hundred and Twenty Only) with break-up of Rs. 600000/- under Capital (Non-recurring) head and Rs. 3057120/- under General (Recurring) head for a duration of 36 months. The items of expenditure for which the total allocation of Rs. 3657120/- has been approved are given below:

| S. No | Head   | Total (in Rs.) |
|-------|--|----------------|
| A     | Non-recurring  |                |
| 1     | Equipment<br>-> UV-VISIBLE Spectrophotometer                       | 600000         |
| A'    | Total (Non-Recurring)  | 600000         |
| B     | Recurring Items  |                |
| 1     | Recurring - I (Manpower)   | 1257120        |
|       | Recurring - II . ( Consumables, Travel, Contingencies, Other Cost) | 1450000        |
|       | Recurring - III : Scientific Social Responsibility                 | 20000          |
| 2     | Recurring - IV : (Overhead Charges)                                | 330000         |
| B'    | Total (Recurring)  | 3057120        |
| C     | Total cost of the project (A' + B')                                | 3657120        |

2. Sanction of the SERB is also accorded to the payment of Rs. 600000/- (Rupees Six Lakh only) under 'Grants for creation of capital assets' and Rs. 1035000/- (Rupees Ten Lakh Thirty Five Thousand only) under 'Grants-in-aid General' to Finance Officer, Assam University, Assam University, P.O. Assam University, Silchar being the first installment of the grant for the year 2019-2020 for implementation of the said research project.

3. The expenditure involved is debitable to Fund for Science & Engineering Research (FSER)  
This release is being made under Empowerment and Equity Opportunities for Excellence in Science. (Task force Committee) (SC)

4. The Sanction has been issued to Assam University, P.O. Assam University, Silchar with the approval of the competent authority under delegated powers on 11 November, 2019 and vide Diary No. SERB/F/6585/2019-2020 dated 13 November, 2019

5. 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)).

6. 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.

7. 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.

8. Budget sanctioned under Scientific Social Responsibility (SSR) is meant only for activities enlisted under SSR norms and under no circumstances it can be reappropriated.

9. 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.

10. The sanctioned equipment would be procured as per GFR and its disposal of the same would be done with prior approval of SERB.

11. The release amount of Rs. 1635000/- (Rupees Sixteen Lakh Thirty Five Thousand 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.