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Sub: DSTE – Release of GIA to Research Projects during the year 2015 – 2016 – Proposals called for – Reg.

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Research and Development activities are encouraged in the Union Territory of Puducherry to fulfill Socio-Economic objective of the Territory through the application of Science and Technology. To promote the above, this Department is implementing 'Science and Technology Programme' under the Scientific Research Sector. Under this programme financial assistance will be released to undertake Science and Technology related research projects, as grant-in-aid.

In this connection, research proposals are invited from the Faculty members/ Scientists/ Technologists working in the Research/ Educational Institutions functioning under the Government/ Private in the U.T of Puducherry. The Research Projects may include the following thrust areas where research work will be useful to the developmental needs of this Territory.

I. Environment.
II. Popularization of Science.
III. Basic/ Applied Scientific Research
IV. Information Technology.
V. Innovative software Development.
VI. Water Resources Management.

The prime objective of the project proposal should be such that the research work will yield as far as possible direct benefit to this Territory. In this regard it is stated that the eligible project proposals for release of GIA will be selected subject to the specific conditions (Annexure – I) and general conditions (Annexure – II). The proposal as per the prescribed proforma (Annexure – III) is to be submitted to this Department through proper channel in triplicate (3 hard copies & 1 soft copy). The last date for receipt of project proposals by this Department is **31.08.2015,** the details and application format can also be downloaded from the Departmental website **http://dste.puducherry.gov.in**

Travel Grant-Financial Assistance:

A scheme for partial financial assistance to Scientific/ Technical personnel to attend National/ International Conferences/ Seminars have been provided by the department, the details and application format can also be downloaded from the Departmental website **http://dste.puducherry.gov.in/Formatfor_TravelGrant.pdf**

Partial Financial Assistance to conduct Research Program:

Applications are invited from the Organizations/ Institutions and Scientific/ Technical personnel for support of partial Financial Assistance to conduct National/ International Seminar/ Conference/ Symposia/ Colloquia/ Workshop/ Training program in Major discipline (Chemical/ Earth/ Engineering/ Life Science/ Mathematics/ Medical/ Physical/ Environmental etc). The details and application format can also be downloaded from the Departmental website **http://dste.puducherry.gov.in/Formatfor_Conference%20Funding.pdf**

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