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To,
Dr. V.K.Jain,
Vice Chancellor,
Doan University, Dehradun.

Subject: Release of funds for Himalayan Fellowship-regarding.

Sir,

I am directed to convey the approval of Competent Authority for **Rs. 2,39,22,360/ (Rupees two crore thirty nine lakh twenty two thousand three hundred sixty only)** for engagement of 03 nos. Reseach Associates-I (RA-I) and 10 nos. Junior Research Fellows (JRF) for a period of three years to carry out the Research and Development activities supported by "**National Mission on Himalayan Studies**". The head wise break-up of the funds are given below:

Head	1 st year (in Rs.)	2 nd year (in Rs.)	3 rd year (in Rs.)	Total
A. Recurring				
(i) Fellowship	5155200.00	5155200.00	5587200.00	15897600.00
(ii) Contingency (including Domestic Travel)	1950000.00	1950000.00	1950000.00	5850000.00
(iii) Institutional charges	710520.00	710520.00	753720.00	2174760.00
Total	7815720.00	7815720.00	8290920.00	23922360.00

2. The work of research will be carried out strictly as per the study area, objective and deliverables mentioned in the **Annexure 1**. Other terms and conditions will be as mentioned in **Annexure 2**.

3. Sanction of the Competent Authority is also hereby conveyed for release of funds of **Rs.78,15,720/-** towards Grants-in-Aid for the research activities for the financial year 2015-16 Plan/recurring being **1st installment of grants** as per above mentioned break-up.

4. The Grants-in-Aid will be regulated in accordance with the provisions contained in the guidelines of the Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, New Delhi. The Grants-in-aid is also subject to chapter 9 of the General Financial Rules, 2004, as amended from time to time, read with Government of India's decisions incorporated thereunder and any other guidelines which may be issued in this regard, and in particular to the following conditions:

1. Engagement of staff as per the provision of GFEs and NMHS guidelines (Appendix-A)



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S.No.	Name	Date of Joining	Name of the PI	Qualification	Research Title	Date of Resignation
1.	Parmendar Singh	1/12/2016	Dr. Vijay Shridhar/Dr. Archana Sharma	M.tech (Environmental technology)	Sustainable tourism including eco-tourism	
2.	Rashi Srivastava	1/12/2016	Dr. Achlesh Daverey /Dr. Archana Sharma	M.tech (Environmental technology)	Waste managaement	
3.	Priyanka Kumari	1/12/2016	Prof. K. Arunachalam/Dr. Vijay Shridhar/Dr. Archana Sharma	M.Sc.(Environment Management)	Issues concerning development in sensitive areas	
4.	Ina Bahuguna	1/8/2016	Prof. Harshpati Dobhal/Prof. Kusum Arunahchalam	M.A. (Economics)	Testing options for human capacity Building promoting micro enterprises and green technology	
5.	Kailash Chandra	1/12/2016	Dr. Vijay Shridhar/Prof. K. Arunachalamt	M.Sc. (Zoology)	Conservation of Genetic resources of Rare, Endemic, threatened and globally significant flora and fauna including agro-bio-diversity	
6.	Shikha Arora	1/8/2016	Dr. Achlesh Daverey	M.Sc. (Forestry)	Use of alien plants extracts for bio-preservation of wood	
7.	Yudhishter dutt	1/12/2016	Dr. Ujjwal Kumar/Dr. Vijay Shridhar/Dr. Archana Sharma	M.Sc.(Environment Management)	Appraisal to plant diversity and restoration of degraded lands in Pithoragarh district	Resigned
8.	Vivek Kushwaha	1/8/2016	Prof. Harsh Dobhal/Prof. H. c. Purohit/Prof. Kusum Arunachalam	M.Sc. (Forestry, Wildlife & Environment Science)	Supplementary livelihood options for local communities and other rural population and study the market linkages	
9.	Priyanka Sharma	1/12/2016	Dr. Ujjwal Kumar/Prof. Kusum Arunachalam /Dr. Achlesh Daverey	M.Sc (Environmental Science)	Effect of forest fires on nutrient dynamics in the soil.	
10.	Devanshi Singh	5/12/2016	Dr. Ujjwal Kumar/Prof. Kusum Arunachalam/Dr. Achlesh Daverey	M.Sc. (Biotechnology)	Effect of forest fire on microbial biomass and diversity	