

INFORMATION OF SANCTIONED PROJECT AND APPROVAL FOR IMPLEMENTATION
(REQUEST FOR VICE CHANCELLOR'S APPROVAL)

1. Project Title and sanction letter no.: Understanding the fluxes of microplastics in the coastal ecosystems of major rivers of India. Sanction Letter No. CRG/2021/004725 dated 24th June 2022.
2. Funding agency: Science and Engineering Research Board (SERB)
3. Department: Science of Earth, Ocean and Atmospheric Sciences (SEOAS)
4. Principal Investigator: Dr. Anish Kumar Warriar, Manipal University
5. Co-Investigator (if any): Dr. Priya M. D'Costa (from Goa University) and Dr. Kanu Shil (from Assam Downtown University).
6. Duration of Project: 3 years
7. Total amount of the project: Rs.46,74,620/- (from this, Rs.6,30,000/- is allocated to Goa University)
8. Sanctioned Sub Heads and amount: For Goa University
 - a) Manpower : NIL
 - b) Chemicals/Consumables: Rs.5,00,000/-
 - c) Contingency: NIL
 - d) Travel: NIL
 - e) Other Costs: Rs.75,000/-
9. Overhead: Rs.55,000/-
10. Number and Designation of research staff: NIL
11. Terms and Conditions
 - a) Dates of submission of Report : April 2023, April 2024, April 2025, June 2025
 - b) Dates for submission of utilization certificate: April 2023, April 2024, April 2025, June 2025

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Annexure I**Plan of utilization of sanctioned grant over the year**

Project Title: Understanding the fluxes of microplastics in the coastal ecosystems of major rivers of India.

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Sr. No.	Recurring Head	Amount
1.	Consumables	Rs.2,15,000/-
2.	Other costs	Rs.15,000/-
3.	Overhead	Rs.20,000/-

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DR. P. D'COSTA
Co-PI.

Dated: 24 June, 2022

ORDER

Subject: Financial Sanction of the research project titled **Understanding the Fluxes of Microplastics in the Coastal Ecosystems of major Rivers of India** under the guidance of **Dr. Anish Kumar Warriar**, Civil Engineering, Manipal University, Madhav Nagar, Manipal, Udupi District, Karnataka, India, KARNATAKA-576104 and by **Dr. Priya M. D'Costa**, Assistant Professor, School Of Earth, Ocean And Atmospheric Sciences, Goa University and by **Dr. Kanu Shil**, Assistant Professor, Faculty Of Paramedical Science, Assam Down Town University - 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. 3786120/- (Rs. Thirty Seven Lakh Eighty Six Thousand One Hundred and Twenty Only) with break-up of Rs. 1490000/- under Capital (Non-recurring) head and Rs. 2296120/- under General (Recurring) head for a duration of 36 months. The items of expenditure for which the total allocation of Rs. 3786120/- has been approved are given below:

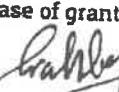
The following budget may be considered for Manipal University, Madhav Nagar, Manipal, Udupi District, Karnataka, India

S. No	Head	Total (in Rs.)
A	Non-recurring	
1	Equipment -> Manta Trawl Net with a flow meter -> Deep Freezer (minus 40 degrees) -> Niskin Water sampler -> Stereozoom microscope with camera	1490000
A'	Total (Non-Recurring)	1490000
B	Recurring Items	
1	Recurring - I : (Research Personnel) Recurring - II : (Consumables, Travel, Contingencies, Other Cost) Recurring - III : Scientific Social Responsibility	1257120 675000 20000
2	Recurring - IV : (Overhead Charges)	344000
B'	Total (Recurring)	2296120
C	Total cost of the project (A' + B')	3786120

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13. In addition, the investigator/host institute must also acknowledge the support provided to them in all publications, patents and any other output emanating out of the project/program funded by SERB.
14. Sanction order for release of funds under a) Non-recurring and b) Recurring will be issued separately depending on the availability of funds. The project become operational from the day the first release of grant received by the implementing Institute.


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To,
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4.	<p>Dr. Anish Kumar Warriar Civil Engineering Manipal University, Madhav Nagar, Manipal, Udupi District, Karnataka, India, KARNATAKA-576104 Email: anish.warrier@manipal.edu Mobile: 919673772815</p> <p>Dr. Priya M. D'Costa School Of Earth, Ocean And Atmospheric Sciences Goa University</p> <p>Dr. Kanu Shil Faculty Of Paramedical Science Assam Down Town University (Start date of the project may be intimated by name to the undersigned. For guidance, terms & Conditions etc. Please visit www.serb.gov.in.)</p>
5.	<p>Registrar, Manipal University, Madhav Nagar, Manipal, Udupi District, Karnataka, India</p> <p>(Receipt of Grant may be intimated by name to the undersigned)</p>


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Science and Engineering Research Board
3rd & 4th Floor, Block II
Technology Bhavan, New Mehrauli Road
New Delhi - 110016


Dated: 24 June, 2022

ORDER

Subject: Research project entitled Understanding the Fluxes of Microplastics in the Coastal Ecosystems of major Rivers of India under the guidance of Dr. Anish Kumar Warriar, Civil Engineering, Manipal University, Madhav Nagar, Manipal, Udupi District, Karnataka, India, KARNATAKA-576104 and by Dr. Priya M. D'Costa, Assistant Professor, School Of Earth, Ocean And Atmospheric Sciences, Goa University and by Dr. Kanu Shil, Assistant Professor, Faculty Of Paramedical Science, Assam Down Town University.

1. In continuation of SERB's sanction order No. CRG/2021/004725 dated 24 June, 2022, sanction of the competent authority is hereby accorded to the payment of a sum of Rs.760000/- under 'Grants-in-aid General' to Manipal University, Madhav Nagar, Manipal, Udupi District, Karnataka, India, KARNATAKA-576104 being the grant for the financial year 2022-2023 for implementation of the above said project.
2. Sanction of the grant is subject to the conditions as detailed in Terms & Conditions available at the website (www.serb.gov.in) and as mentioned in the sanction order of even number dated 24 June, 2022.
3. As this is the first grant being released under 'Grants-in-aid General' for the project, no previous U/C is required.
4. The expenditure involved is debitable to Fund for Science & Engineering Research (FSER) This release is being made under Core Research Grant (PAC Earth & Atmospheric Sciences) (General)
5. The Sanction has been issued with the approval of the competent authority on 22 June, 2022 and vide Diary No. SERB/F/2007/2022-2023 dated 23 June, 2022..
6. The release amount of Rs. 760000/- (Rupees Seven Lakh Sixty 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:

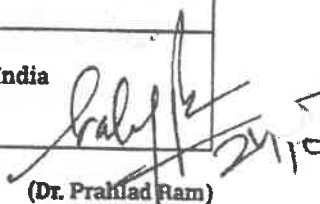
PFMS Unique Code	MAHE
Account Name	MANIPAL ACADEMY OF HIGHER EDUCATION (SERB)
Account Number	38713985678
Bank Name & Branch	State Bank of India State Bank of India Madhuvan Serai Ground Floor Near Smrithi Bhavan Tiger Circle Manipal 576104 Karnataka
IFSC/RTGS Code	SBIN0004426
Email id of A/C Holder	uss.research@manipal.edu
Email id of PI	anish.warrier@manipal.edu


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5.	<p>Registrar, Manipal University, Madhav Nagar, Manipal, Udupi District, Karnataka, India</p> <p>(Receipt of Grant may be intimated by name to the undersigned)</p>


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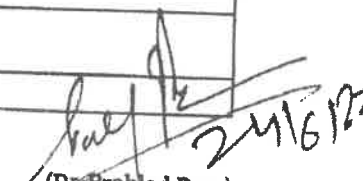
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1. In continuation of SERB's sanction order No. CRG/2021/004725 dated 24 June, 2022, sanction of the competent authority is hereby accorded to the payment of a sum of **Rs. 1490000/-** under 'Grants-in-aid Capital' to Manipal University, Madhav Nagar, Manipal, Udupi District, Karnataka, India, KARNATAKA-576104 being the grant for the financial year 2022-2023 for implementation of the above said project.
2. Sanction of the grant is subject to the conditions as detailed in Terms & Conditions available at the website (www.serb.gov.in) and as mentioned in the sanction order of even number dated 24 June, 2022.
3. As this is the first grant being released under 'Grants-in-aid Capital' for the project, no previous U/C is required.
4. The expenditure involved is debitable to Fund for Science & Engineering Research (FSER) This release is being made under Core Research Grant (PAC Earth & Atmospheric Sciences) (Capital).
5. The Sanction has been issued with the approval of the competent authority on 22 June, 2022 and vide Diary No. SERB/F/2006/2022-2023 dated 23 June, 2022.
6. The release amount of **Rs. 1490000/- (Rupees Fourteen Lakh Ninety Thousand only)** will be drawn by the Under Secretary of the SERB and will be disbursed by means of RTGS transfer as per their Bank details given below:

PFMS Unique Code	MAHE
Account Name	MANIPAL ACADEMY OF HIGHER EDUCATION (SERB)
Account Number	38713985678
Bank Name & Branch	State Bank of India State Bank of India Madhuvan Serai Ground Floor Near Smrithi Bhavan Tiger Circle Manipal 576104 Karnataka
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Sanction of Science and Engineering Research Board (SERB) is hereby accorded to the above mentioned project at a total cost of Rs. 630000/- (Rs. Six Lakh Thirty Thousand Only) with break-up of Rs. 0/- under Capital (Non-recurring) head and Rs. 630000/- under General (Recurring) head for a duration of 36 months. The items of expenditure for which the total allocation of Rs. 630000/- has been approved are given below. The following budget may be considered for Goa University, Taleigao

S. No	Head	Total (in Rs.)
A	Non-recurring	
1	Equipment	
A'	Total (Non-Recurring)	0
B	Recurring Items	0
1	Recurring - I : (Research Personnel)	
	Recurring - II : (Consumables, Other Cost)	0
	Recurring - III : Scientific Social Responsibility	575000
2	Recurring - IV : (Overhead Charges)	0
B'	Total (Recurring)	55000
C	Total cost of the project (A + B)	630000
		630000

- Sanction of the SERB is also accorded to the payment of Rs. 250000/- (Rupees Two Lakh Fifty Thousand only) under 'Grants-in-aid General' to Registrar, Goa University, Taleigao being the first installment of the grant for the year 2022-2023 for implementation of the said research project.
- The expenditure involved is debitable to Fund for Science & Engineering Research (FSER). This release is being made under Core Research Grant. (PAC Earth & Atmospheric Sciences)
- The Sanction has been issued to Goa University, Taleigao with the approval of the competent authority under delegated powers on 22 June, 2022 and vide Diary No. SERB/F/2008/2022-2023 dated 23 June, 2022
- Sanction of the grant is subject to the conditions as detailed in Terms & Conditions available at website (www.serb.gov.in).
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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. 250000/- (Rupees Two Lakh Fifty 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:

PFMS Unique Code	UNIGOA
Account Name	Goa University
Account Number	10664493609
Bank Name & Branch	State Bank of India State Bank of India University Branch Goa University Complex Taleigao Plateau 403 206 Goa
IFSC/RTGS Code	SBIN0004311
Email id of A/C Holder	registrar@unigoa.ac.in
Email id of PI	anish.warrier@manipal.edu

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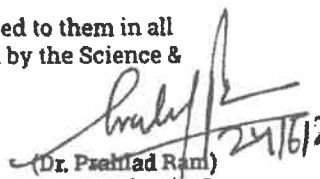
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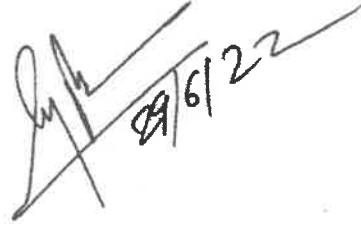
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The updated RTGS details of the Assam Downtown University, Chandrapur Road, Sankar Madhab Path, Gandhi Nagar, Panikhaiti, Guwahati is as below:

PFMS Unique Code	DOWNTOWN
Account Name	Assam Downtown University
Account Number	0136104000142106
Bank Name & Branch	IDBI Bank IDBI Bank GS Road Guwahati Assam-781005
IFSC/RTGS Code	IBKL0000136
Email id of A/C Holder	joutishman@downtowngroup.in



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The following budget may be considered for Assam Down Town University, Chandrapur Road, Sankar Madhab Path, Gandhi Nagar, Panikhaiti, Guwahati

S. No	Head	Total (in Rs.)
A	Non-recurring	0
1	Equipment	0
A'	Total (Non-Recurring)	
B	Recurring Items	0
1	Recurring - I : (Research Personnel)	235000
	Recurring - II : (Consumables, Travel, Contingencies)	0
	Recurring - III : Scientific Social Responsibility	23500
2	Recurring - IV : (Overhead Charges)	258500
B'	Total (Recurring)	258500
C	Total cost of the project (A + B')	258500

2. Sanction of the SERB is also accorded to the payment of Rs. 100000/- (Rupees One Lakh only) under 'Grants-in-aid General' to Chairman, Assam Down Town University, Chandrapur Road, Sankar Madhab Path, Gandhi Nagar, Panikhaiti, Guwahati being the first installment of the grant for the year 2022-2023 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 Core Research Grant. (PAC Earth & Atmospheric Sciences)

4. The Sanction has been issued to Assam Down Town University, Chandrapur Road, Sankar Madhab Path, Gandhi Nagar, Panikhaiti, Guwahati with the approval of the competent authority under delegated powers on 22 June, 2022 and vide Diary No. SERB/F/2009/2022-2023 dated 23 June, 2022

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PFMS Unique Code	DOWNTOWN
Account Name	Assam DOWNTOWN University
Account Number	013604000142106
Bank Name & Branch	IDBI Bank IDBI Bank GS Road Guwahati Assam-781005
IFSC/RTGS Code	IBKL0000136
Email id of A/C Holder	joutishman@downtowngroup.in
Email id of PI	anish.warrier@manipal.edu

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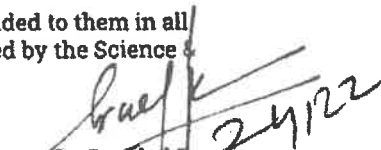
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