



VIKRAMA SIMHAPURI UNIVERSITY  
NELLORE – 524 003

No.VSU/FRGS/2016 (SCIENCE)

Date:10-03-2017

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE VICE-CHANCELLOR**

Sub:- Vikrama Simhapuri University – Nellore - Introduction of Faculty Research Grant Scheme (FRGS) as a Pilot Project for the year 2016-17– Acceptance of the proposals entitled, **“Assessment of Heavy metals in Nellore coastal ecosystems: Analysis of Biota and remedial action plan”** submitted by Dr.Ch.Venktrayulu, Assistant Professor, Department of Marine Biology, V.S.University, Nellore – Sanction of Faculty Research Grant in two installments - Release of the First Installment grant – Orders – Issued.

Read:-

1. Resolution No. Section – II (iii) Financial Matters (a) dated 20.05.2016 of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Executive Council meeting
2. This Office Circular of even No., dated 27-5-2016
3. Minutes dated 16-12-2016 of the Evaluation Committee constituted for the purpose
4. Vice-Chancellor's Orders dated 12-01-2017

**ORDER:-**

- (1) In pursuance of the orders 4<sup>th</sup> read above, grant under the Faculty Research Grant Scheme (FRGS) may be released in two installments to the applicants (Science: Rs.2,00,000/- and for Arts Rs.1,00,000/-).
- (2) ***There shall be review of the progress once in Six months, which is mandatory.***
- (3) The Project proposal entitled, **“Assessment of Heavy metals in Nellore coastal ecosystems: Analysis of Biota and remedial action plan”** submitted by **Dr.Ch.Venktrayulu**, Assistant Professor, Department of Marine Biology, **V.S.University, Nellore**, is accepted for consideration to sanction the grant of Rs.2,00,000/- (Rupees Two lakhs only) under the Faculty Research Grant Scheme, under science stream.
- (4) **The above Grant of Rs.2 lakhs (Rupees Two lakhs only) will be released in two installments.**
- (5) Accordingly, sanction is hereby accorded for the release and payment of Rs.1 lakh (One lakh Only) being the first installment grant under the FRGS to Dr.Ch.Venktrayulu, Assistant Professor, Department of Marine Biology, V.S.University, Nellore subject to the following conditions:
  - a) The above scheme is strictly available only to those Regular Teachers working in the V.S.University, Nellore / VSUPG Centre, Kavali, as the case may be and who are not sanctioned any Research Project from any funding agency.
  - b) The above grant is provided to facilitate their research activities to augment the research output.
  - c) The grantee should follow the FRGS guidelines strictly without any deviation.
  - d) The Duration of the above project for maximum for 2 (two) years) only, from the date of starting.

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- e) The grant may be utilized as per the guidelines, for the following:-
- i) Equipments Minor equipments only. The equipments so acquired by the Principal Investigator under the above FRGS, must be deposited to University / College / Institution after the completion of the project which will be institutional property).
  - ii) Chemicals and Consumables
  - iii) Books & Journals
  - iv) Hiring Services
  - v) Contingency
  - vi) Special Needs
  - vii) Field work
- f) The grantee should send his / her acceptance certificate (Annexure-II) duly stamped and signed on the Revenue stamp forwarded by the Principal, V.S. University, Nellore / Special Officer, VSUPG Centre, Kavali, as the case may be, so that the first installment can be released
- g) The grant is not transferable.
- h) If the Faculty is likely to be left / superannuated from the VSU, he /she should settle the accounts of the grants before final relieving from the University.
- i) If a Principal Investigator fails to complete the project, he / she has to refund the entire amount released with interest
- j) After the completion of the VSU FRGS project, the Principal Investigator shall submit the Utilization Certificate, vide Annexure-VI)
- k) The expenditure in this regard shall be met from, "DEVELOPMENT A/c"

(BY ORDER)

  
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To

Dr.Ch.Venktrayulu, Assistant Professor, Department of Marine Biology, V.S.University, Nellore,  
**through** the Principal, V.S.University, Nellore

Copy to the Principal, V.S.University, Nellore for information

Copy to the Head I/c, Department of Marine Biology, V.S.University, Nellore, for information

Copy to A.O (Finance) for necessary action.

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