KONGU ENGINEERING COLLEGE

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SEED GRANT RESEARCH SCHEME SANCTION ORDER

Ref. No: KEC/R&D/SGRS/03/2021

27,12,2021

Subject: Financial sanction of the research project entitled "Development of cost-effective hybrid membrane for high temperature fuel cell applications" for "Dr Pagidi Aruna of Chemical Engineering as PI" under SEED Grant Research Scheme

Our Management is pleased to sanction the above mentioned project for the possible funding through SEED Grant Research Scheme of our Institution. Sanction of SEED Grant is hereby accorded to the above mentioned project at a total cost of "Rs. 4,95,000.00" with break-up of "Rs. 4,00,000.00" under "Non-Recurring" and "Rs. 95,000.00" under "Recurring" for the duration of 2 Years. The items of expenditure for which the total allocation has been approved, are given below:

S.No.	Head	Total (in Rs.)
A	Non-Recurring	
	Equipment(s):	4,00,000.00
	1. Fuel Cell Hardware	
	2. Magnetic Stirrer, Bath Sonicator, Torque Wrench,	
	3. Temperature Controllers & Accessories	
В	Recurring	
	Consumables and Characterization	95,000.00
C	Total Cost (A+B)	4,95,000.00

- Sanction of the grant is subject to the conditions as provided in "Terms & Conditions" of the application 1. form.
- The amount should not be spent for purposes other than the approved budget as mentioned above and in 2. case any revisions required, it should be informed in advance to the undersigned.
- The sanctioned equipment would be procured as per the directions of the institute purchase committee constituted by the principal and the equipment which is available at the institute should not be purchased under any circumstances.
- Principal Investigator should maintain the details of the purchased equipment in the stock register properly and at the end of every year, progress report should be submitted to the R&D cell. After the tenure of the project, all the equipments and belongings related to the project should be transferred to the department laboratory.
- If the performance of the work is found not satisfactory, then the undersigned has the rights to terminate the SEED Grant Research Project at any point of time.

Copy to:

The Correspondent 1.

2. Principal Investigator through their Head of Department

3. R&D Cell

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