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STTP- Sanction Letter

Ref. No. 34-66/503/FDC/STTP/Policy-1/2019-20

Date 10 AUG 2020

From

Director,
Faculty Development Cell,
AICTE, New Delhi-110070

To

The Drawing and Disbursing Officer,
All India Council for Technical Education,
Nelson Mandela Marg,
Vasant Kunj, New Delhi – 110070

Sub: Release of grant for conduct of Short Term Training Programme (STTP) under AQIS 2019-20 during the financial year 2020-21– reg.

Sir,

This is to convey the sanction of the Council for payment of **Rs. 300000 /- (Rupees Three Lakh Only)** for conduct of Short Term Training Program as per details given below:-

1.	Name and address of the beneficiary University / Institution	SRI SIDDHARTHA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY MARALUR TUMKUR Karnataka 572105
2.	Permanent ID of Institute	1-9751201
3.	Institute type	Unaided - Private
4.	Name of Coordinator	Dr. TUPPADA MALLESH
5.	Amount sanctioned	Rs. 300000/-
6.	Amount to be released	Rs. 300000/- Full & final payment
7.	Head of account	601.15(a) Gen. Short Term Training Programme (Plan)
8.	The authorized officer in whose favour Cheque/ Demand Draft/ RTGS is to be made	REGISTRAR / DIRECTOR / PRINCIPAL
9.	Title of the programme	Application of GIS and Remote Sensing in CIVIL Engineering

1. The amount of the grant shall be drawn by the Drawing and Disbursing Officer, All India Council for Technical Education on the grant-in-aid bill and shall be disbursed to and credited to the Registrar/ Director/Principal of the institute through RTGS.
2. This grant-in-aid is being released in conformity with the terms & conditions as well as norms of the scheme as already communicated, and also being communicated in this letter.
3. The Principal of the Institute and the Coordinator of the Program are requested to verify the correctness of the under-mentioned Bank Account / RTGS Details submitted by them alongwith the proposals, in which the grant is being released:-

Institute PAN No.	Bank Name	Bank Branch Name	Bank Branch Address	Account Holder Name	Account Type	Account Number	IFSC Code
AAATS4382D	SYNDICATE BANK	SSIT campus	Tumkur	Principal SSIT	Saving Account	20072200000424	SYNB0002007

Instructions/Guidelines to be followed by the University/Institution

I. Disbursement of funds to University/Institutions

- a. The full amount of the grant sanctioned is being released as advance to the University/Institute.
- b. The amount spent by the institute on the conduct of STTP shall be adjusted on the basis of utilization certificate and detailed expenditure statement submitted by the University/Institution on the prescribed format along with other mandatory documents viz feedback form, copy of proceedings and completion report etc.
- b. The above said amount of grant shall be refunded back to AICTE if the Letter of Approval (LOA) / Extension of Approval (EOA) is not issued by AICTE to the institute for the academic year 2020-21.

II Maintenance of Accounts

- a. The Institute shall strictly follow the provisions laid down in the scheme document as available on the portal.
- b. Funds covered by this grant shall be kept separately and would not be mixed up with other funds so as to know the amount of interest accrued on the grant.
- c. The University/College/Institute shall maintain proper accounts of the expenditure out of the grants, which shall be utilized only on approved items of expenditure.
- d. The grant is intended to cover items of expenditure connected with the Short Term Training Programme such as Boarding & Lodging to the participants, TA to outstation participants, Honorarium to Course Coordinator, reading material to participants, Honorarium to resource persons, TA/DA to resource persons including two outstations resource persons & working expenses (reprographic services, postage, transport, daily wages, tea/coffee etc).

III. Conduct of test and issuance of certificate

A test shall be conducted by Program Monitoring Committee (PMC) at the end of the program and joint certificates shall be issued (by AICTE & conducting institute) to those participants who have attended the program and have scored minimum 60% marks in the test.

IV. Submission of Documents by the University/Institutions to AICTE

- a. The following mandatory relevant documents are required to be submitted by the University/Institution within one month of the completion of the program:-
 - (i) Original Statement of actual expenditure & Utilization Certificate in the prescribed proforma duly signed by the Head of the institution and countersigned by Registrar/Finance Officer/Govt. Auditor. In case of self-financing/private institutions, Statement of actual Expenditure & Utilization Certificate are required to be audited & signed and sealed by a Chartered Accountant endorsing the membership number and complete postal address. Format for the same is available on AICTE web portal.

The University/Institution is not required to submit bills/vouchers/invoices etc for the expenditure incurred out of recurring grants. However, such copies of bills/vouchers/invoices shall be digitized by respective institutions receiving grant and uploaded scanned copies of such bills/vouchers/invoices etc on the portal for availability and view at any point of time.

- (ii) Feedback form in the prescribed proforma.
 - (iii) Copy of the proceedings and completion report.
 - (iv) List of candidates who have successfully completed the program on the basis of the test conducted by Program Monitoring Committee (PMC).
 - (v) Report submitted by Program Monitoring Committee (PMC).
- b. The amount of the grant shall be adjusted on submission of utilization certificate & detailed expenditure statement by University/Institution. On receipt of these documents, the total amount of financial assistance, admissible as per the norms, shall be worked out and grant-in-aid adjusted.

V. General instructions

- a. Preferably 10% of the participants may be industry professionals deputed by industry. Further, not more than 2 participants shall be from the host institution/group of institutions.
- b. The grant released/or part thereof, if remains unutilized for any reason after expiry of stipulated time period (for any reasons to include unspent amount, interest, penalty if imposed) shall be refunded back to AICTE in the form of RTGS payable to Member Secretary, AICTE, New Delhi. The bank details of AICTE are as under:-

Account No	: 55113199952
Name of the Account Holder	: Member Secretary, AICTE, New Delhi
Bank Name	: State Bank of India
Branch Name	: Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi
IFSC Code	: SBIN0050203

- c. The STTP is a residential program of a duration of six days with minimum 40 participants. The approved STTP shall be conducted within six months from the date of release of funds.
- d. If programme is not conducted within the period of six months of the release of the 100% grant, the released amount, alongwith interest accrued thereon, has to be necessarily returned back to AICTE within a month through RTGS.
- d. The expenditure under the Heads 'Honorarium to Course Coordinator' and 'Honorarium to Resource Persons' shall not exceed 1% & 20% respectively of the total sanctioned grant for the Programme. However, overall expenditure shall not exceed the funds sanctioned for the Programme.
- g. Any extra money required to complete the programme must be borne by the institute from their own resources. But the quality of the activities should not be compromised.
- h. Any unavoidable circumstantial change in the program with respect to name of Project Coordinator, Venue and date for organizing STTP would mandatorily require prior approval of the Council. All such requests should be addressed to AICTE, in advance, recording the specific reasons for proposed changes, failing which the offer for the grant already issued would be treated as automatically withdrawn and the financial assistance released in favour of the beneficiary institution shall be refunded immediately to the Council. Kindly mention the File No. 34-66/503/FDC/STTP/Policy-1/2019-20 in your future correspondence.
- i. **Steering Committee/Project Monitoring Committee (PMC)** is required to be constituted at institutional level. The constitution of the PEC shall be as under:
- (i) Principal/Director/Registrar of the institution (Chairperson).
 - (ii) (ii) Coordinator of the program (Member Secretary).
 - (iii) Two HoDs and one subject expert (members).

The members of the said PMC shall **not** be below the rank of Associate Professor. A test shall be conducted by Project Monitoring Committee (PMC) at the end of the program and the certificates shall be issued to those participants who have **attended** the program and have qualified in the test. The minutes of the meetings, along with PMC report, are to be submitted to the Council at end of the program along with other mandatory documents.

- j. **GoI GFR rules** (@<https://doe.gov.in/order-circular/general-financial-rules2017-0>) should be followed during utilization of grant.
- k. This Sanction Order may be treated as Offer Letter for all purposes.

NOTE:- Any deviation from the above will invoke serious action against the Institute.

Yours sincerely,

10 AUG 2020

(Col. B Venkat)
Director (FDC)

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to: -

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