

On advice of the URC (University Research Committee), the policy for consultancy and such other activities is accepted for further compliance and action by all concerned at the University.

The University being situated in rural place the entire policy is designed to make it faculty friendly, advantageous and aspire for industry-academic consultancy projects.

- i) Faculty has every freedom to consult the industry directly, get the projects and inform the same URC at a later stage.
- ii) The income generated through consultancy work by the institution is earmarked for the development of facilities for further consultancy works in the same department.
- iii) All the facilities of the existing laboratories are made available to the faculty for consultancy work 24/7.
- iv) Whatever the industry invests in the form of instruments to carry out their projects. The instruments would be the property of the institution.
- v) The every department is encouraged to prepare a consultancy manual with details of expertise and facilities available to carry out consultancy works. They are also encouraged and supported to contact industries for informing the same.

I. CONSULTANCY INCENTIVES:

- (1) 80% of the consultancy project share (for projects of theoretical nature) will be equally distributed among the members participating in the consultancy project. Balance 20% share will go to the University.

- (2) In cases where lab or any other facilities of university are utilized, 60% of the consultancy project share will be distributed amongst all university personnel involved in the project and balance 40% share will go to the university.

II. SPONSORED PROJECTS INCENTIVES

Research promotion has been the regular phenomenon of the university. To persuade the faculty members the faculty incentives are sanctioned.

- (1) If the sanctioned project amount is 20 lakhs and above, the Principle Investigator (PI) will be paid Rs. 10,000/- per month per project and each Co-PI will be paid Rs. 5000/- rupees per month per project until the project period ends.
- (2) The PI and CO-PI above stated incentive amount should not exceed the overhead charges paid to the University.
- (3) If it exceeds, PI and Co PI incentive amount may be reduced.

III. STUDENTS RESEARCH PROMOTION/POLICIES/INCENTIVES

- (1) Mini Projects/Project works having research outcomes will be given in-house funding for proto typing, fabrication, testing etc. activities (only) to an extent of Rs 15,000/- per batch.
- (2) Best mini project award will be given department wise per year with a cash award of Rs 5000/- per batch per dept. per academic year
- (3) Best project award per department will be awarded a cash award of Rs 10,000/-
- (4) Best Intern-ship per department will be given a cash award of Rs. 3000/- per year (only one award in an academic year will be given per department).