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To

All Principal Investigators  
Directors of Host Institutes.

Directors/Officers-in-Charge of  
All permanent Institutes/Centres  
Of the ICMR

All Divisional Heads at ICMR Hqrs.

**Subject:** Revision of Emoluments and guidelines on Service Conditions for Research Personnel Employed in R & D Programme of the Central Government/ Department/Agencies.

Sir/Madam,

In continuation of Council's letter of even number dated 17.2.2015 on the subject mentioned above, I am directed to inform you that the Director-General, ICMR has accorded the approval to the applicability of revised slab of stipend to three different categories of Research Associates (RAs) with reference to duration of engagement as under:-

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|-------|------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| (i)   | Research Associate-I   | Rs.36,000/- p.m. for first two years. |
| (ii)  | Research Associate-II  | Rs.38,000/- p.m. for third year.      |
| (iii) | Research Associate-III | Rs.40,000/- p.m. for fourth year.     |

If a fellow has drawn first slab of Rs.36,000/- p.m. in some earlier project and thereafter joins another project, he/she will be placed in the 2<sup>nd</sup> slab. Likewise, if a fellow has already availed first & second slab in some projects, then he/she will be granted 3<sup>rd</sup> slab of Rs.40,000 p.m. If he/she joins a new project/fellowship, previous incomplete duration of a year will not be taken into account for deciding the placement in higher slabs.

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2. **Eligibility Condition:** In ICMR, research fellows come from Life Science/Biomedical/Social Science background, and, therefore, the eligibility criteria for Research Associateship applicable in DST i.e. postgraduate qualification with 3 years of research experience plus-2 research publications will not be applicable. The minimum educational qualification for RA will be Ph.D in Life Science/Social Science/Biomedical Sciences or M.D./M.S./M.V.Sc. in Medical/Dental/Veterinary discipline.

3. All other terms & conditions and rate of stipend for JRFs and SRFs will remain unchanged as stipend in Council's letter dated 17.2.2015.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

Yours faithfully,



(Bharat Bhushan)  
Administrative Officer  
for Director-General

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