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Sub: Formation of "Intellectual Property Rights and Incubation Cell"
(IPRIC) under R&D wing of the Institute.

The Institute's Research and Development Wing has been receiving considerable number of sponsored research projects from various agencies. The research results under these projects have a large potential to be converted into patents through acquiring Intellectual Property Rights (IPRs). As per the R&D policy of the Institute, a platform for encouraging filing of IPRs and patenting the products/technologies for necessary commercialization is very much desirable. The Government of India through various initiatives is also encouraging and offering to extend suitable support through various fora for this purpose.

The Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Government of India and the National Research Development Corporation (NRDC) and other similar agencies working for this cause need to be roped in for creation of IPR support system under the aegis of R&D wing of the Institute. The same platform can also nurture and encourage Incubators to innovate and inculcate the habit of entrepreneurship amongst the faculty and graduate class.

With the above objectives, the Institute announces the formation of (IPRIC) IPR and Incubation Cell under R&D wing of the Institute.

Dr. Vineet K. Sharma, Department of Biological Sciences is hereby appointed as the Coordinator of IPR and Incubation Cell. The main objectives of the Cell are as follows:-

1. To help the faculty members in the patent writing and filing process.
2. To form a procedure to handle the in-house patent applications.

3. To tie-up with a federal expert agency to take care of the patent writing, filing and application process and also take their help in reaching to the potential investors interested in our technologies.
4. To handle the patent defense and infringement cases.
5. To educate and provide assistance to the faculty members about the commercial importance of their work and how it can be converted into a technology which can potentially be transferred to companies or converted into a commercial product.
6. Eventually, explore the possibilities to provide space in the Institute to the Incubators to help the faculty members and graduating students to start their own spin-offs and start-ups independently or in collaboration with an investor company.

The Coordinator (IPRIC) shall develop detailed modalities for collaboration with NRDC, DBT and other similar foundations working in this area.

This is for information and necessary action by all concerned.



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