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Subject: Sponsored Research Enhancement Action (SREA)

This is in reference to SREA 01, 02 & 03 scheme of IRD. It is hereby clarified that only top-up funds shall be provided to meet the difference of salary between one below scientific position under the projects under SREA-2 & SREA-3, while SREA-1 will be fully funded by IRD.

S.No.	Scheme	Sanctioned posts under the project	Upgraded post through top-up
01.	SREA - 1 (Rs.5.00 crore or above) Assistance for formulating/writing of major research projects involving multiple faculty members from IIT Delhi or involving multiple Institute with IIT Delhi as the coordinating Institute. The fund proposed for IIT Delhi should be Rs.5.0 crore or more. Funds for hiring a Project Consultant for 2 months will be provided by IRD during the project preparation stage (SREA-1).		
01.	SREA 2 (Rs.2.5 to 5.0 Cr.) This will be implemented for Projects started after having a minimum duration of 01 years as on 31.03.2019 or new projects initiated after 31.03.2019 (SREA 2)	SR.PROJECT* SCIENTIST	PRINCIPLE PROJECT OFFICER/SCIENTIST
02.	SREA 3 (above 5.0 Cr.) This will be implemented for projects after having a minimum duration of 01 years as on 31.03.2019 or new projects initiated after 31.03.2019 (SREA 3)	PRINCIPAL PROJECT SCIENTIST*	PROJECT CONSULTANT

* In case this post is not sanctioned in the project, available scientific post (01) shall be allowed to be upgraded to next level post. The top up funds for such upgraded post shall be borne by IRD.

* Such upgradation shall be provided only against annual contractual project positions only.

This has approval of Dean (R&D).

Assistant Registrar, IRD

Distribution:-

1. All HoDs/HoCs
All PIs/CIs

This may be circulated amongst the concerned PIs and Project staff working in your Deptt./ Centre for information and necessary action.

2. Dean (R&D)
3. Associate Dean (R&D)
4. A.R. (IRD A/Cs.) - May kindly ensure that top up funds only are debited from IRD funds.
5. A.R. (IRD)
6. IRD webmaster - To update on IRIS System.

CC:

- P.S. to Dean (R&D) - To upload the circular & send mail to all concerned.
Ms. Diksha - For records