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**F.No. CPS 3-2/2013-NFSM**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare**  
**Department of Agriculture, Cooperation and Farmers Welfare**  
**(NFSM-Cell)**

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi,  
Dated:02.11.2015

To,  
The Director General,  
ICRISAT, Patancheru,  
Hyderabad-502324

**Sub:** Revised administrative approval of ICRISAT project entitled “Utilizing Chickpea Genome Sequence for Crop improvement” funded under NFSM– reg.

Sir,

In continuation of this ministry's letter of even number dated 19.08.14 and 19.10.2015 conveying therewith the sanction of the above cited project. The competent authority of this department has approved the above project with the revised outlay in view of enhanced emoluments for Senior Research Fellow (SRF) / Research Associate (continuation of this dept.'s letter F. No. CPS18-22/2014 dated 04.09.2015). The Centre wise approved emolument of SRF and revised budget required for the above mentioned project from 2014-15 to 2016-17 is at **Annexure-I**. The year-wise revised outlay of emoluments of contractual staff is as under.

(Rs. In lakhs)

Year	Original approved budget	Revised budget	Re-revised budget
2014-15	501.05520	507.6352	501.05520
2015-16	554.20520	565.8632	572.4432*
2016-17	209.59000	220.5000	220.5000
<b>Total</b>	<b>1264.8504</b>	<b>1293.9984</b>	<b>1293.9984</b>

\*The arrears of the emolument of contractual staff for the year 2014-15 (1.10.2014 to 31.3.2015) have been included in the budget of 2015-16.

- The payment for SRF/RA will be made as per revised rates of emoluments for Senior Research Fellow (SRF)/ Research Associate (RA) under ICAR/SAUs i.e. one SRF @ Rs. 25000/- per month for 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> year and for 3<sup>rd</sup> year @ Rs. 28000/- per month RA for Rs. 38000/- per month for Master degree holders & Rs. 40000/- per month Doctoral degree holders.
- The rate of HRA is allowed as per approved norms of ICAR/SAUs.

Other terms and condition will remain the same as indicated in letter of even number dated 19.08.2014.

Encl: As above.

(Dr. D.P. Malik)  
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**Centre wise revised budget for contractual staff (SRF/RA) engaged in ICRISAT's project "Utilizing Chickpea Genome Sequence for Crop improvement" from 2014-15 to 2016-17**

Rs. in lakh

Centre / Designation	2014-15*			2015-16			2016-17		
	Approved Budget	Revised budget	Difference	Approved Budget	Revised budget	Difference	Approved Budget	Revised budget	Difference
ICRISAT, (1 SPS+ 1 RA)**	10.944	12.192	1.25	11.944	14.44	2.50	12.944	15.44	2.50
ICARDA, (1 RA +1 SRF)	6.552	8.57	2.02	6.852	9.88	3.03	7.2	9.88	2.68
IIPR, kanpur, (1 RA)	3.456	4.608	1.15	3.646	5.76	2.11	3.746	5.76	2.01
RAKCA, Sehore (1 SRF)	2.592	3.312	0.72	2.692	4.032	1.34	2.792	4.032	1.24
RARI, Durgapura (1 SRF)	2.592	3.312	0.72	2.692	4.032	1.34	2.792	4.032	1.24
JAU, Junagarh (1 SRF)	2.592	3.312	0.72	2.692	4.032	1.34	2.792	4.032	1.24
<b>Total</b>	<b>28.728</b>	<b>35.306</b>	<b>6.58</b>	<b>30.518</b>	<b>42.176</b>	<b>11.658</b>	<b>32.266</b>	<b>43.176</b>	<b>10.91</b>
Arrear 2014-15 \$		0	0	0	6.58	6.58	0	0	
<b>Grand Total</b>					<b>48.756</b>	<b>18.238</b>	<b>32.266</b>	<b>43.176</b>	<b>10.91</b>

\* Arrear for RA & SRF from 1.10.2014 to 31.3.2015

\*\*For ICRISAT, Pathancheru the emolument revised for Research Associate only and not for Special Project Scientist

\$ Arrear of the 2014-15 is included under 2015-16.