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LETTER/NOTICE

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The Principal
All Colleges under NRCB Region

Dear Sir/Madam,

The University Grants Commission provides financial support to undertake Minor Research Projects to College Teachers in the areas of Science (Pure and Applied Science), Engineering and Technology, Medical Science, Pharmacy, Agricultural Science, Humanities and Social Sciences, including Arts, Commerce, Law, Languages and Allied disciplines under the scheme, "Minor Research Project for Teachers". While forwarding the research proposals, the Colleges must ensure that adequate research facilities are available in the specialized area of research for which the proposal is being forwarded.

The following are the eligibility criteria for applying under the scheme:

1. The teachers on permanent/regular roster in the College covered under section 2(f) and 12 B of UGC Act, 1956 are eligible to apply for Minor Research Project.
2. The permanent teachers working in self financing Institutions (Self financing colleges subject to fulfillment to conditions stipulated in the UGC (Fitness of institution for grant Rules, 1975) and subject to the condition that fees charged by such colleges are in accordance with the State/University fee regulations or as laid down by any law in force) are also eligible to apply under the scheme.
3. The beneficiaries of Minor Research Project scheme, who have submitted the final report of the project but have not completed a gap of one year as yet, are not eligible to apply under the scheme.
4. **Teachers, who have already been availing fellowship/research project/research award under the UGC's schemes or receiving funds for research project from any other agency, need not apply.**
5. **All the proposals shall be subjected to the provisions of the XII Plan guidelines. Proposals already submitted as per the XI Plan guidelines may please be revised in accordance with the XII Plan guidelines.**
6. Before submitting the proposals under the scheme, the teachers are requested to follow the XII Plan Minor Research Project Guidelines in letter and spirit. Non-compliance of the guidelines will lead to rejection of the proposal as well as action against the forwarding Authorities.

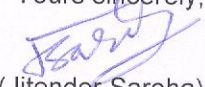
The content of this letter may be brought to the notice of all the Teachers teaching in various departments under your charge. **The XII Plan Guidelines of the Minor Research Project including the format in which the proposal is to be submitted, are available on UGC website (www.ugc.ac.in/mrp).**

The last date for submission of Minor Research Project is **31st December, 2013.**

With regards,

Dean, College Development Council
Of the Universities in the NRCB Region

Yours sincerely,


(Jitender Saroha)