



श्री माता वैष्णो देवी विश्वविद्यालय  
SHRI MATA VAISHNO DEVI UNIVERSITY

Kakryal, Katra – 182320 (J&K)  
(A State University Recognized u/s 2(f) & 12(B) of UGC Act, 1956)

No.: SMVDU/R&D/25/3916-3923

Date: 12.12.2025

### Notification

**Subject:** Appointment of PI & Co-PI of Research Project titled "*Design and Development of 3D-Printed Packaging for Post-Harvest Loss Reduction in Jammu & Kashmir Agriculture*" sanctioned under Sponsored Research & Extension Program 2025-26 of the JK Science Technology & Innovation Council (JKST&IC).

**Reference:** *Sanction Order vide No. JKST&IT/28/R&D/2025/2109-13 dt: 02-12-25.*

Sanction of the Competent Authority is hereby accorded for acceptance of Research Project entitled, "Design and Development of 3D-Printed Packaging for Post-Harvest Loss Reduction in Jammu & Kashmir Agriculture" sanctioned under Sponsored Research & Extension Program 2025-26 of the JK Science Technology & Innovation Council (JKST&IC) for a period of 02 years with a total financial assistance of Rs.8,00,000/- (Rupees Eight lakh only).

Further, **Dr. Mir Irfan Ul Haq, Associate Professor, SoME, SMVDU** as Principal Investigator (PI) and **Dr. Ankush Raina, Assistant Professor, SoME, SMVDU** along with **Dr. Ovais Gulzar, Assistant Professor, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Islamic University of Science & Technology, Awantipora** and **Dr. Sanjay Mohan, Associate Professor, SoME, SMVDU**, as Principal Co-Investigators (Co-PI's) in the above Research Project which shall henceforth be referred as **RP-160**.

As per the above stated order the said amount of grant-in-aid amounting to Rs.8,00,000/- (Rupees Eight lakh only) shall be released, as per the availability of funds, which shall be governed by JKST&IC guidelines. The terms & conditions and ceilings of the expenditure under different heads shall be communicated separately at the time of release of the first installment of the approved grant. All procurements under the said Project shall be made strictly as per GFR-2017 norms.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

*12/12/2025*  
Dean [R&D]  
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**Copy to:**

1. Registrar SMVDU, for kind information.
2. Dean Faculty of Engineering, for information.
3. Finance Officer, for information (along with copy of Sanction Letter dt.02-12-2025 of JKST&IC).
4. Head, SoME, for information.
5. Concerned \_\_\_\_\_, for information & n.a.
6. Assistant Registrar, VC Secretariat, for kind information of the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor.
7. AR (Establishment) for information
8. Faculty I/c website, for uploading the same on University website.
9. Concerned file.