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- In continuation of circular vide F.No. A. Extn. 26/10/2015-AE-I, Dated: 06 January, 2016 for "Inviting Research project proposals by Agricultural Extension Division of ICAR – for funding under ICAR Extramural Research Projects", the date for Submission of Project Proposals is extended upto 15, February 2016.

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Copy f.w.c's to the Heads of all teaching Departments in the University for information and necessary action. The submission of project proposals by Agricultural Extension Division of ICAR for funding under ICAR-ERP has been extended upto 15th February, 2016.

Desirous, may send their project proposal (both hard copy and soft copy) through Head of the department on or before 6th February, 2016.

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The Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) New Delhi has launched a scheme to sponsor and support short-term result-oriented Extramural Research Projects to resolve problems limiting production and value addition in agriculture. The projects can be submitted by ICAR institutes, State Governments, Agricultural and other universities, public, quasi-public and private institutions capable of undertaking research in the identified thrust areas, and fulfilling the criteria as laid down in the guidelines. Researchers (Professor / Principal Scientist / Associate Professor / Senior Scientist / Assistant Professor / Scientist with Ph. D. or M. Sc.) with three years of research experience are eligible to submit proposals. The detailed guidelines, eligibility criteria and proforma of application for grant of extramural research projects can be downloaded from the ICAR website http://www.icar.org.in/en/node/8175

Following are the thrust areas for consideration of project proposals for funding:

- 1. Mapping of socio-economic and socio-personal patterns in different agro-ecosystems
- 2. Institutional innovations, dynamics of convergence and linkages in extension
- 3. Skill Gap Analysis and Capacity development of stakeholders
- 4. ICT-led Knowledge Management, usage patterns and impact
- 5. Nutrition Extension: Awareness, Dietary pattern, designing suitable interventions for nutria-smart villages
- 6. Value chain analysis, marketing-led extension and agri-business models
- 7. Gender Partnership in Agriculture and Gender Sensitization
- 8. Technology and resource mapping for optimized use and suitable extension interventions
- 9. Extension interventions for Climate smart agriculture
- 10. Adoption and Impact assessment of NARS technologies
- 11. Developing tools and methodologies in extension research

Duly signed hard copies of Project Proposals need to be submitted through proper channel to the **Deputy Director General (Agril Extn)**, Indian Council of Agricultural Research, Krishi Anusandhan Bhawan-I, Pusa, New Delhi – 110012. Over the envelope, kindly write as, "Extramural Research Project under Agricultural Extension Division". In addition, a soft copy of the proposal need to be sent to the e-mail id: padhiguru[AT]gmail[dot]com. At subject line of mail, kindly write, "Extramural Research Project under Agricultural Extension Division". **Both hard copy and softcopy should reach on or before 20.01.2016.** In the project proposal, the complete postal address including email id and phone and mobile number of Principal Investigator of the project is to be mentioned.