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Call for Collaborative Research Proposal

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Research Circle of Tamil Nadu Forest Department is inviting proposals for undertaking collaborative research projects on emerging thrust areas of Forestry Research. Some of the suggested topics are:

1. Economic valuation of forests and eco-system services,
2. Climate smart forestry models,
3. Blue Carbon estimation,
4. Disaster risk reduction and mitigation through forestry,
5. Research on indigenous nature-first solutions,
6. Satellite imagery-based estimation and modelling, etc.

Or, and any other promising areas related to sustainable forest management. The project is expected to be useful in enhancing the efficacy of conservation efforts of the department and/or other stakeholders, like farmers, industries, institutions and public at large.

The above list is only suggestive.

Budget for each proposal should be limited to roughly Rs. 7.50 Lakhs. In exceptional circumstances, the budget may be enhanced to Rs. 10.00 Lakhs. Duration of Research may be 1 – 1.5 years duration.

Proposal may be submitted to this Office (address mentioned above). The research proposal needs to clearly indicate the objectives, methodologies, management implications, Principal investigator, role of the respective collaborators, expected and should be prepared in the spirit of real collaboration and synergy with the Tamil Nadu Forest Department.

Proposals may be submitted on or before 15/02/2024 (through email and also authenticated hard copy).



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