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Subject: Award letter for qualifying ICMR-Junior Research Fellowship (JRF) Examination 2023, held on 8th July, 2023-reg.

Dear Student,

Congratulations!

We are pleased to inform you that you have been qualified for the award of ICMR- Junior Research Fellowship (JRF)-2023 in Life Sciences/Social Sciences, held on 8th July, 2023 under the ICMR fellowship scheme. The offer of JRF is valid for a period of eighteen (18) months from the date of issuance of this letter (i.e. from 6th February, 2024 to 30th July, 2025). In order to accept this offer, you are required to submit your confirmation to join the same latest by 15th March 2023, only through email to icmrjrfrhd@gmail.com. No further extension will be considered beyond this period.

You need to submit following documents (hard copies) duly completed and signed for joining ICMR-JRF latest by 30st July, 2025 (formats available on ICMR website) once you enroll/register for PhD program by speed post on the address give below:

Dr Geeta Jotwani, Scientist-G and Head, Division of Human Resource Development, Indian Council of Medical Research Headquarters, Ansari Nagar, New Delhi-110029

- Copy of the completed application form as per the guidelines and in the prescribed format.
- Copy of a detailed research proposal you are willing to undertake for your PhD.
- Ph.D. registration/enrollment certificate duly issued by the host institute/university and attested by guide and head of the institution.
- Joining report and undertaking (in ICMR format only) with your recent passport size photo affixed, duly attested by guide and the competent authority of your institute. The date of joining must be subsequent to the date of Ph.D. registration/enrollment.
- ICMR mandate form (prescribed format) attested by accounts authority of the host institute along with cancelled cheque copy (in PDF formats only).

This is to inform you that you have to follow the procedure as defined in the guidelines. The same has been reiterated below:

- i. You are required to identify your guide/place of interest in a Medical College/Hospital/University/National Laboratory/ Institution of National Importance (INIs) in India.
- ii. Submit the research proposal on health research through your Guide duly recommended by the Institutional Academic Council or any equivalent Research Committee along with the joining documents as given below for the activation of ICMR-JRF fellowship.
- iii. Fellowship will be governed by the terms and conditions stated in the ICMR-JRF guidelines.
- iv. You will be paid a fellowship amount of Rs. 37,000/- (Rupees thirty-seven thousand only) plus HRA per month as per rule for two years and an annual contingency amount of Rs. 20,000/- (Rupees twenty thousand only) as per the existing JRF guidelines.
- v. You will be upgraded to SRF after two years depending on assessment of satisfactory progress of work and will be paid a fellowship amount Rs. 42,000/- (Rupees forty-two thousand only) plus HRA per month as per rule from date of SRF upgradation as applicable an annual contingency amount of Rs. 20,000/- (Rupees twenty thousand only) as per the existing JRF guidelines.

Please note that you cannot join/avail the fellowship before 06/02/2024. In case, you are found not eligible at any stage during the tenure of the fellowship, due to false certification or any other reason (including computer error) the ICMR reserves the right to withdraw the award. You are requested to acknowledge receipt of the award letter.

Thank you,

Yours faithfully,

(Harjeet Kaur Bajaj)
Administrative Officer-HRD
(For Director General, ICMR)