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Nomination Letter

30th August 2023

To,

Office of Sun Pharma Science Foundation
8C, 8th Floor, Hansalaya Building,
15-Barakhamba Road, Connaught Place,
New Delhi – 110001 (India)

Subject: Nomination of Dr. Sandip B. Bharate for Sun Pharma Science Foundation Research Award 2023 in Pharmaceutical Sciences

I nominate Dr. Sandip B. Bharate (Senior Principal Scientist, Department of Natural Products & Medicinal Chemistry, CSIR-Indian Institute of Chemical Technology Hyderabad) for the Sun Pharma Science Foundation Research Award 2023 in Pharmaceutical Sciences.

Dr. Bharate is a medicinal chemist, earned his MS and PhD from NIPER Mohali. He had worked in the pharmaceutical industries, Dr. Reddy's Laboratories Hyderabad and Piramal Life Sciences Mumbai. He pursued postdoctoral research at the University of Montana USA, and then began his independent research career at the CSIR-Indian Institute of Integrative Medicine Jammu in 2011. He has significantly contributed in the area of new drug discovery through his research efforts in natural products and medicinal chemistry. His specific research areas include the discovery of small molecule kinase inhibitors for cancer and multi-targeted drug ligands for Alzheimer's disease. The small molecule CDK9 inhibitor, discovered from his group has reached to the clinical trial. His scientific accomplishments were rewarded with prestigious young scientists awards from NASI, CSIR, and OPPI in 2015, 2016 and 2019, respectively. Therefore, I am nominating him for this yet another prestigious award under the category of Pharmaceutical Sciences. I strongly recommend him for this award.

Regards,

D. S. Reddy
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