

F. No. 6-5/2017-TS
Government of India
Ministry of Human Resource Development
Department of Higher Education
Technical Section - I

Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi
Dated: 14th December, 2017

To,

The Registrar,
Indian Institute of Technology- Guwahati

Subject: Government of India Clearance for organizing the conference on Advances in Sustainable Polymers (ASP)-2018 to be held during 08-11 January, 2018 at IIT Guwahati.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter dated 05.10.2017 on the subject cited above and to convey this Ministry's no objection for organizing the abovesaid conference, subject to the condition that no hospitality in the form of air travel and accommodation is extended to foreign participants without prior approval of the competent authority, as stipulated in Department of Expenditure OM dated 12.07.2012 (copy enclosed). The necessary political clearance from MEA has been received (copy enclosed).

Yours faithfully

(Kundan Nath)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

No.19(9)/E.Coord/2012
Government of India
Ministry of Finance
Department of Expenditure

North Block, New Delhi,
Dated: 12 July, 2012

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Approval for holding international / national seminar / conference – support for delegates.

It has been observed that Ministries/Departments refer proposals for approval of Cabinet Secretary through Secretary (Exp) for holding of international seminars/conferences, wherein a commitment to provide travel and accommodation support for delegates from foreign countries has already been made. In some cases, even if there is no reciprocity or mutual understanding or MoU, the host Departments/Ministries commit themselves to such support for participants without the approval of the competent authority.

2. It has, therefore, been decided with the approval of Cabinet Secretary, that no commitment for bearing the travel/accommodation cost of participants from foreign countries for participating in seminars/conferences should be made without the prior approval of Secretary (Exp.) / Cabinet Secretary, irrespective of the expenditure to be incurred on the seminar/conference.

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To

1. All Secretaries to the Government of India
2. All FAs (by name)



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Ministry of External Affairs
New Delhi

No. AA/162/01/2017-1660

December 01, 2017

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject : Political Clearance for organising International conference on "Advances in Sustainable Polymers (ASP-2018)" from January 08-11, 2018 at IIT Guwahati.

Please refer to your O.M. No. 6-5/2017-TS-1 dated October 27, 2017, on the subject mentioned above.

2. This Ministry has no objection from political angle for the proposed event with foreign participants (as per the list attached), as stated in your aforesaid communication, subject to clearance of Ministry of Home Affairs as applicable.
3. Participation from Taiwan would be subject to existing guidelines on the subject (copy enclosed).
4. The foreign participants may please be advised to enclose copies of letter of invitation from the organizer in India and this Ministry's political clearance as well as MHA's clearance as applicable while applying for visa with the Indian Mission/Post abroad.

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