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To,

The Director of all National Labs/Institutes of CSIR

**Sub: Recognition of Fellowships/Scholarships as Prestigious -reg.**

Kind attention is invited to Clause 7.2 of CSIR Foreign Deputation Guidelines, 1996 regarding recognition of Prestigious Fellowships by CSIR.

In this regard, Directors of CSIR Labs/Institutes are requested to submit proposals (upto two) of Distinguished International Fellowships / Scholarships that are presently not recognized as Prestigious Fellowships by CSIR but are being offered by International agencies/organizations after global selection & stringent selection criteria. Such Fellowships/Scholarships should be of direct relevance to the domain area of the concerned CSIR lab so as to elevate CSIR's Scientific & Technological excellence to global standards.

Such proposals would be considered by the Competent Authority for recognizing them as prestigious after following due diligence.

The above proposals with complete information & documents as per enclosed Annexure-I, may please be forwarded to the undersigned **latest by Feb 21, 2020.**

Encl. as above

Yours faithfully,

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Under Secretary(ISTAD)

## ANNEXURE-I

1.	Name of the CSIR Lab/Institute	
2.	Proposed Fellowship/Scholarship for consideration as Prestigious Scholarship under clause 7.2 of CSIR Foreign Deputation Guidelines, 1996	
3.	Agency/Organization offering the fellowship/scholarship	
4.	Whether fellowship is offered after global selection (Yes/No)	
5.	Selection Criteria (Please specify mode of selection at each stage if selection process is multistaged)  (Please attach supporting documents)	
6.	List of Members of Scientific Advisory Board/Selection Board meant for selection of fellows with their Curriculum Vitae(CVs)  (Please attach supporting documents)	
7.	Amount of fellowship/scholarship being offered	
8.	Funding organization	
9.	Justification for direct relevance of the proposed fellowship/scholarship to the ongoing/planned research work of proposing CSIR Lab/Institute  (Brief write-up )	