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**From:** Office of Head, ISTAD

**To:** The Directors / Heads of all National Labs. / Instts. / Hqrs./ Units

**Sub: Inclusion of Hanse-Wissenschaftskolleg (HWK) Scientific Fellowships as Prestigious Fellowship list of CSIR**

Sir / Madam,

I am directed to inform you that the Competent Authority has accorded approval for recognition of the following Hanse-Wissenschaftskolleg (HWK) Scientific Fellowships as Prestigious Fellowship for the grant of deputation in terms of Para 7.2 of CSIR Foreign Deputation Guidelines 1996:

- i. Regular Fellowship
- ii. Junior Fellowship

The above fellowship has been recognized as prestigious fellowship by CSIR and may be availed for a **maximum period of ONE YEAR** on deputation terms and the remaining duration (if any) may be adjusted by granting leave due and admissible. This will be applicable w.e.f. the date of issue of this order.

It is further clarified that the deputation benefits under Para 7.2 of CSIR Foreign Deputation Guidelines shall be extended only in cases where the fellowship has been duly recognized by CSIR as prestigious under Para 7.2 before applying for such fellowships (as circulated vide ISTAD letter No. AB-CSIR/635/2025-ISTAD-CSIR HQ dated 07.07.2025).

Yours faithfully,

  
(Vandana Digvijay Singh)  
Deputy Secretary

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