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D.O. Z-28015/209/2020-TB Project number: CTD-74/2020

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## Dear Dr Sathyamurthi,

With reference to submission of your OR proposal titled "An observational study on the determinants of Psycho-social Wellbeing (PWB), Lost to Follow-up (LFU) and Deceased patients of Multi Drug Resistant Tuberculosis (MDR TB) Patients in Chennai and Madurai districts of Tamil Nadu", it is to inform you that the proposal has been approved by the National Operations Research Committee and shall now be processed for administrative and financial approval of the competent authorities. As per your proposal, budget is Rs. 2380127.00 and duration of the study is 12 months.

You are now requested to provide the following:

- 1. Attached "Mandate form" may be filled in, signed-stamped by PI, verified by the Bank, and returned to CTD by speed post as hard copy.
- 2. Attached "Memorandum of Understanding" (MoU) may be signed between PI and CTD. PI may fill in the details (as required in the areas highlighted) on two hard copies, sign-stamp on all pages, and return both hard copies to CTD by speed post for signature of CTD Head. The second copy of the same shall be sent back to the PI after the signature of the CTD Head. This project shall run subsequently as per the terms and conditions of this signed MoU between the PI and CTD Head.
- 3. PI may send a hard copy of the "Institutional Ethical Clearance certificate" for the said project to CTD.
- 4. Address for sending hard copies of the above documents: Dr K S Sachdeva (Kind attention: Dr Somenath Karmakar, Consultant SAG), Deputy Director General-Tuberculosis, Central TB division, Room no 522, C Wing, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi - 110011.
- 5. Send us a soft copy of the above documents through e-mail as well.

Kindly address all future correspondences to Dr Rajeev N S (Technical Officer (Research), CTD, sethumadhavanr@rntcp.org), Dr Vaibhav Shah (National Consultant, WHO-NTEP-TSN, shahv@rntcp.org), and Dr Somenath Karmakar (Consultant SAG, CTD, karmakars@rntcp.org).

With regards,

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