



MAHATMA GANDHI UNIVERSITY, KERALA

Abstract

Mahatma Gandhi University - SERB Ramanujan Fellowship - Dr. Krishnan Kartha Kalathil, School of Chemical Sciences - Release of fifth instalment of Rs. 17,14,209/- (Rupees Seventeen Lakh Fourteen Thousand Two Hundred and Nine Only) after deducting TDS and retaining overhead charges - Sanctioned - Orders issued.

PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT 2

No. 8107/P&D 2/2026/MGU

Priyadarsini Hills, Dated: 08.09.2026

Read:- 1. SERB File No. RJF/2021/000078, dated 08.03.2022.
2. U.O No. 4103/P&D 2/2022/MGU, dated 21.04.2022.
3. U.O. No. 6777/P&D 2/2023/MGU, dated 16.06.2023.
4. U.O. No. 5216/P&D 2/2024/MGU, dated 14.06.2024.
5. U.O. No. 6563/P&D 2/2025/MGU, dated 18.07.2025.
6. SERB File No. RJF/2021/000078, dated 06.08.2026.
7. Request dated 10.08.2026 received from Dr. Krishnan Kartha Kalathil, School of Chemical Sciences.

ORDER

As per the paper read as (1) above, the Science and Engineering Research Board (SERB) had selected Dr. Krishnan Kartha Kalathil for Ramanujan Fellowship to work on research theme entitled "Programmable Supramolecular Polymerisation of Multi-chromophoric Systems for Efficient Charge Transport" for 5 years. As per references cited (2), (3), (4) and (5), the first four instalments of Ramanujan fellowship released by SERB had already been transferred to the Principal Investigator.

As per the paper read as (6) above, the SERB had sanctioned Rs. 18,90,000/- (Eighteen lakh ninety thousand rupees only) towards the fifth instalment for the above Fellowship. The PFMS Section has confirmed that the amount had been credited to University Account.

Considering the request submitted vide reference cited (7), the Finance wing of University has recommended to release the fifth instalment of Ramanujan Fellowship after deducting TDS and retaining overhead charges. The break up details are as follows:-

Total Fellowship (01.04.2026 to 31.03.2027)	Rs. 12,84,677/-
TDS (10 %) to be deducted PAN No - DBMPK3876C	Rs. 1,28,468/-
Fellowship after deducting TDS	Rs. 11,56,209/-
Research Grant	Rs. 5,58,000/-
Overhead Charges	Rs. 47,323/-

In the above circumstances, sanction has therefore been accorded by the Vice Chancellor to the following :-

(a) To release an amount of Rs. 17,14,209/- (Rupees Seventeen Lakh Fourteen Thousand Two Hundred and Nine Only) to Principal Investigator through PFMS.

(b) To retain overhead charges of Rs. 47,323/- (Rupees Forty Seven Thousand Three Hundred and Twenty Three only) in university account opened for retaining the same.

(c) To remit an amount of Rs.1,28,468/- (Rupees One Lakh Twenty Eight Thousand Four Hundred Sixty Eight Only) to the Income Tax department as TDS (PAN No - **DBMPK3876C**).

The expenditure on this account shall be debited to the head of account "23 730 91 Others" provided in the budget estimates of the current financial year (2026-27).

The Principal Investigator shall implement the project as per rules and regulations of the SERB/ANRF and the University.

Orders are issued accordingly.

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ASSISTANT REGISTRAR III (ADMIN)
For REGISTRAR

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1. Dr. Krishnan Kartha Kalathil, Ramanujan Fellow, School of Chemical Sciences.
2. The Head of Department, School of Chemical Sciences.
3. PS to VC.
4. PA to Registrar / FO
5. PFMS/Audit V/IQAC
6. AR III (Admn), DR (P&D), JR I (Admn)
7. IT Cell/University Website/ Records

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Section Officer