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Directorate General of Health Services
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Ophthalmology Section

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To

Addl. Director General Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) Head, Information, Systems and Research Management Ansari Nagar New Delhi – 110029.

Subject: Proposal from Dr. Bose Sreenivas, Chairman, BRAINS for financial support for research work – reference through PS to Minister of State for Finance and Corporate Affairs.

Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of letter dated 16.3.2017 from the Director, Office of Minister of State for Finance and Corporate Affairs forwarding therewith a proposal from Dr. Bose Sreenivas, Chairman, Board of Research and Analysis in Intuitive Neuro Science (BRAINS), Kerala seeking financial support for initiating a research work pertaining to enhancing the calibre of efficiency of intellectual faculties (BRAIN POWER) in general as also the aspect of affording the sense of sight to blind children by means of any source other than that of their damaged eyes in particular.

In this connection, it may be mentioned that there is no provision in the approved scheme of NPCB for financial support for such research projects.

Since ICMR is research wing of the Ministry, it is requested that the above proposal may please be examined for further necessary action.

Yours faithfully

(Dr. Promila Gupta) Deputy Director General (O)

Copy to:

1) Shri Dhiraj Kumar, Director, Office of Minister of State for Finance and Corporate Affairs, 164, North Block, New Delhi-110001.

2) Dr. Bose Sreenivas, Chairman, Board of Research and Analysis in Intuitive Neuro Science (BRAINS), Calicut university (Post), Malappuram Dist.-673 635, Kerala