

FORMAT FOR INVITING REFEREES COMMENTS

1. Name of the Referee :
2. Designation of the Referee :
3. Address with contact details :
4. Title of the project :
5. Date of receipt of proposal :

Detailed evaluation of project

#	Components	Comments
I.	Objectives	
A	Are the objectives realistic/ advisable and justifying the research work?(If No, please specify)	
B	Is the objective(s) need any modification? (If Yes, please specify)	
C	Overall view on Objectives*	
II.	Relevance to scientific excellence	
A	Is the literature of previous work reviewed properly? (If No, please specify)	
B	Is the proposed study duplication of previous work? (If Yes, please specify)	
C	Is the scientific approach relevant to the problem?(If No, please specify)	
D	Overall view on relevance to scientific excellence*	
III.	Methodology	
A	Is the methodology given fulfilling all the objectives? (If No, please specify)	
B	Is the approach novel / innovative? (If Yes, specify)	
C	Overall view on Methodology*	
IV.	Work Plan	
A	Is the research plan of work clear? (If No, please specify)	
B	Is the proposed work schedule clearly indicating the timelines? (If No, please specify)	
C	Overall view on Work plan*	
V.	Product / Process development	
A	Is the project aims at developing new Technology/ Breed/ Variety/ Method/ Protocol/ Process? (If Yes, please specify)	
B	Is the project aims at improving an existing Technology/ Breed/ Variety/ Method/ Protocol / Process? (If Yes, please specify)	

C	Overall view on Product/ Process development*	
VI.	Expertise of PI/ Co-I's and the implementing/ collaborating institute	
A	Do the researchers have the necessary expertise and competence to carry out the work? (If No, please specify)	
B	Is collaboration required to fulfil research work? (If No, please specify)	
C	Role and responsibility of investigators/ institutes in collaborating projects is justifying? (If No, please specify)	
D	Views on the expertise/ infrastructure of collaborating institute/ researcher? (please specify)	
E	Overall view on experts involved in the work*	
VII.	Budgetary detail (manpower, consumables, travel, equipment's and other facilities, etc.)	
A	Is the budget proposed is sufficient to carry out work? (If No, please specify)	
B	Are the proposed budget components viz., manpower, equipment etc., is justified? (If No, please specify)	
C	Is outsourcing of said work/ experiment/ is necessary? (If Yes, please specify)	
D	Overall view on budget proposed*	
VIII.	Socio-economic value	
A	Is the project propos aims at socio-economic benefits/ upliftment?(If Yes, please specify)	
B	Overall view on Socio-economic value*	
IX.	Specific comments/ observations on the components of project*	
X.	Suggestions for improvement (Please specify, if any)	
XI.	Recommendation of the referee	
A	Recommended as it is	
B	Recommended with modification as suggested	
C	Not recommended	

Note = * Not more than 50 words

Place :

Signature of the Referee

Date :