ACTIVITY REPORT

POTENTIAL SECONDARY METABOLITES FOCUSING COLORECTAL CANCER FROM NATURAL SOURCES

The project proposal entitled 'Potential Secondary Metabolites focusing Colorectal Cancer from Natural Sources' was submitted to the scheme DBT Initiative on Chemical Ecology of the North East Region (NER) of India by Dr. Finose A (Principal Investigator), Assistant professor, PG Department of Microbiology, GEMS Arts and Science College. The Co-PI for the project was Dr. Papia Dutta, Assistant Professor, Chemistry, Faculty of Science, Assam down town University, Guwahati, Assam

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Project Proposal On

"POTENTIAL SECONDARY METABOLITES FOCUSING COLORECTAL CANCER FROM NATURAL SOURCES -[41790]"

Submitted to:

Department of Biotechnology
Ministry of Science and Technology
Government of India
New Delhi, India













Part 1: General Information









1. Name of the Institute/University/Organisation submitting the Project Proposal:

ASSAM DOWN TOWN UNIVERSITY

2. State: Assam

3. Status of the Institute: NGO/VO/Foundation/Trust

4. Designation of the Executive Authority of the Institute/University forwarding the application :

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5. Project Title:

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6. Category of the Project R & D [1]

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7. Specific Area: NER Programme

Is the Proposal Submitted Under Specific Call for Proposal: Yes

8. Project Duration : 3 Years and 0 Months

9. Project Total Cost (Rs): 4961000.00









10. Single/Multiple- Multi-Institute

Institutional:

11. If the project is multi-institutional, please furnish the following:

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12. Project Keywords: Cancer, Cardiovascular diseases, pharmacology, epidemiology,

medicinal herbs, secondary metabolites, bioactivity.

13. Require Regulatory

Clearance:

No

Uploaded Regulatory Not uploaded

Clearance Document:

14. Require Ethical No

Clearance:

15. Industry Collaboration: No

16. Project Summary (Not to exceed one page. Please use separate sheet).

Cancer is one of the leading causes for death in India & abroad. In spite of remarkable advancements in the field of diagnosis and treatment, its still a major threat to our society. Its the second most common disease after cardiovascular disorders for maximum









deaths in the world. The usual consumption of traditional herbs has also been observed in several ethnic communities as they have been passed from ancestral generations to the present. The medicinal herb is a plant or a part used for the rapeutic properties. It is a widely recognized fact that many pharmacologically active drugs are derived from natural resources. Epidemiological evidences also focus on herbs as dietary constituents with multiple anticancer characteristics. It would be crucial to define appropriate strategies to achieve benefits from medicinal herbs. The main aim here is to isolate and characterize a secondary metabolite with anticancer potential and can be further assayed for other bioactivity studies with patenting.

Part 2: Particulars of Investigators



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