F.No.19-1/2022-TS.VII Government of India Ministry of Education Department of Higher Education

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi, Dated 8th March, 2022

To,

- 1. The Vice-Chancellors of all Central Universities/State Universities/Deemed Universities.
- 2. The Directors of all IITs/ IIMs/NITs/SPAs.
- The Directors of all ISSERs.
- The Directors of NITIE-Mumbai/ NIFFT-Ranchi/ NERIST-Itanagar/ SLIET-Longowal/ CIT-Kokrajhar/ GKCIET-Malda.

Subject: - Short term Indian faculty secondment to Asian Institute of Technology (AIT), Bangkok by the Government of India for a period upto 16 weeks - Invitation of nominations for semester commencing August, 2022 & January, 2023 - regarding.

Madam/Sir.

I am directed to say that Asian Institute of Technology (AIT), Bangkok is an autonomous International Institute providing advanced education in engineering, science and allied fields. The AIT's academic year has two semesters which begin in August and January. The Government of India provides support to the AIT by way of faculty secondment for a period upto 16 weeks in selected areas of specialization. The areas under consideration for faculty secondment for August, 2022 and January, 2023 terms are enclosed (Annexure-1). The period of secondment coincides with an academic term of AIT, Bangkok.

- The entire cost of secondment of Indian faculty to AIT, Bangkok is borne by the Government of India. The seconded faculty are entitled to travel by air by economy class in shortest route from the nearest port of embarkation in India to Bangkok and will also be entitled for excess baggage charges as per instructions issued by Government of India. The seconded faculties are entitled to daily allowance/accommodation/medical facilities in Bangkok through Embassy of India. AIT also provides accommodation in the campus subject to availability. The above-mentioned terms and conditions of secondment are tentative and subject to approval by the Ministry of Finance at the time of secondment.
- The seconded faculties are also entitled to draw their pay plus special pay, if any, and allowances as admissible to them in India, during their deputation period, from their parent institutions.
- You are requested to nominate faculty of your institution, especially from the concerned department, for the courses to be taught during the semesters starting from August 2022 & January 2023. The nominee must have a doctorate degree in the relevant area, postgraduate teaching experience relevant to the course description indicated against the area and substantial research publications in the area to his credit. Nominations may kindly be sent in respect of only those candidates, who could be spared, in the event of their selection, for undertaking the proposed assignment at AIT, Bangkok for a period upto 16 weeks. Since it is the endeavour of the Government to send best faculties from India to project the right kind of

images at the international level, you are requested to nominate faculties strictly meeting the above mentioned requirement. The Selection Committee gives its recommendations to the Government on the basis of the bio-data of the nominees placed before it. Therefore, five copies of the bio-data of the faculty recommended in the enclosed proforma (Annexure-2) duly filled and signed both by the nominated faculty and well as the Head of the nominating Institution may be sent for consideration of the Selection Committee to the address given below by 10th April, 2022. The soft copy of the Bio-data of the nominated faculties must also be mailed to ts7.edu@nic.in.

The Under Secretary (TS-VII)
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5. A copy of this notice has also been placed in the website of this Ministry, www.education.gov.in.

Encl: as above

Yours faithfully,

(Achint Kumar)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

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Copy to:- Director, NIC with the request to upload this letter and its enclosures on the website of Ministry of Education.