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Sub: Reduction in allocation / budget estimates in respect of AICRPs, ICAR, New Delhi for the year 2012-13.

Ref: 1. ICAR Letter F. No. 1 (6)/2012/PHT/Funds/3787 dated 15-02-2013 from All India Co-ordinated Research Project on Post Harvest Technology, Ludhiana, Punjab, India.
2. Order of Vice Chancellor dated 04.03.2013.

It has been observed from the grant released/allocated by the AICRP Centre, Indian Council of Agricultural Research, New Delhi that the Project Coordinators were significantly reducing the budget allocation for some of the AICRPs located at UAS, Bangalore for the current financial year 2012-13 & communicating us the revised estimates in supersession of earlier budget estimates for the year 2012-13. Further, the Project Coordinators of AICRPs have informed to curtail the expenditure & instructed to limit the expenditures within the grants actually provided. It is therefore, all the Scheme Heads / Principal Investigators of AICRPs are directed to reduce the expenditures to be incurred under Traveling Allowances, Recurring Contingencies, etc., & to maintain the expenditures within the grant sanctioned by the AICRPs, Indian Council of Agricultural Research, New Delhi for the year 2012-13. If the expenditures of any of the AICRPs is exceeded than the amount sanctioned for Traveling Allowances, Recurring Contingencies, it is the responsibility of that Principal Investigators to get the additional required funds from the sponsoring agencies to avoid objections by the Auditors. Moreover such of the bills will not be admitted for payment in view of the Directions/instructions stated by the concerned Directors of the projects of the AICRP centers.

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Comptroller

CC to:
1. The Director of Research, UAS, GKV, Bangalore.
2. The Nodal Officer of AICRP projects, DR’s office, UAS, GKV, Bangalore.
3. The Scheme Heads/Principal Investigators of all AICRP projects, UAS, Bangalore.
4. The File.