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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

**Subject: - (i) Minimum eligibility condition for recruitment of RA/SRF and
(ii) Bench fees charged from SRF/JRF students doing Research in
Institutes.**

The Governing Body of Indian Council of Agricultural Research Society in its 249th Meeting held on 3rd February, 2020 has approved the minimum eligibility condition for recruitment of RA/SRF for remote areas/location of the Country, as identified by the Govt. of India, as a special case that if there is non-availability of NET qualified suitable candidates for SRFs, a provision for hiring of Young Professional II (YP-II) is allowed. Further, the 50% concession is allowed in bench fees charged (by ICAR Institutes/AUs) from SRF/JRF students outside the National Agricultural Research System (NARS) belonging to EWS, SC, ST, OBC & Women categories for doing research in ICAR Institutes.

17/6/20
(Ravi Kumar)
Director (Agril. Edn.)

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