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Department of Science &  
(ICPS Division)

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Technology Bhawan,  
New Delhi -110 016.  
Date: 18.10.2018

### OFFICE MEMORANDUM

**Subject: Constitution of Apex Committee to consider Quantum Information Science & Technology (QuST) cluster proposal.**

With the approval of Competent Authority, the Apex Committee on Quantum Information Science & Technology (QuST) has been constituted, as per the following composition:

S. No.	Expert & Affiliation	Status
1.	Dr. V.K. Saraswat, Member, S&T, NITI Aayog, New Delhi.	Chairman
2.	Professor K. Vijay Raghavan, Principal Scientific Adviser to the Government of India, Vigyan Bhavan Annexe, New Delhi - 110011	Member
3.	Dr. K. Sivam, Chairman, ISRO, Antariksh Bhavan, New BEL Road, Bengaluru-560 023, Karnataka or his nominee.	Member
4.	Dr. K. N. Vyas, Chairman AEC and Secretary DAE, Anushakti Bhavan, C.S.M. Marg, Mumbai - 400 001, Maharashtra or his nominee.	Member
5.	Dr. G. Satheesh Reddy, Secretary, D/o Defence R&D and DG, DRDO, New Delhi or his nominee.	Member
6.	Dr. S. C. Jha, Chairman, NTRO, JNU, New Delhi or his nominee.	Member
7.	Dr. Anurag Kumar, Director, Indian Institute of Science (IISc), Bangalore.	Member
8.	Dr. K R Murali Mohan, Head-ICPS Division, Department of Science & Technology (DST), Ministry of Science & Technology, New Delhi.	Member-Secretary

#### 2. Terms of Reference:

*Secretary, Mistry invitee*

- The Committee will guide, set targets, recommend level of financial support for each project, advise and provide final recommendations of the QuST proposal as well as to monitor the progress the project.
- All non-officials members are entitled for reimbursement of Travel expenses, local accommodation etc. as per the GOI norms for attending Committee Meetings.

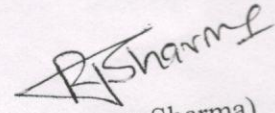
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### 3. Tenure:

The tenure of the Apex Committee will be for three years from the date of issue of the notification and / or upto the duration of the QuST project.

This issues with the approval of the Secretary, DST, New Delhi vide his Dy. No: 15482 dated 17.10.2018.

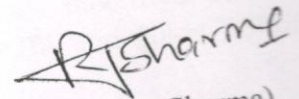


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