**Annexure I**

**PSF-TUBITAK Second Joint Call for Proposals**

**Guide lines for Proposal Submission**

**by**

**Pakistan Science Foundation (PSF) and The Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey (TUBITAK)**

**The Call is open between 01.11.2017 and 15.01.2018**

The Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey (TÜBİTAK) and Pakistan Science Foundation (PSF), under the protocol on Cooperation in Science and Technology invite scientists and researchers working in the Universities and Research Centers to submit joint proposals for R&D projects in the following priority areas;

• Renewable Energy

• Earth Sciences

• Aeronautics

• Materials Science

• Biotechnology

• Environmental Science

**GUIDELINES FOR PROPOSAL SUBMISSION**

* The partners should come to an agreement with each other using their own means of communication and jointly develop and complete their project proposal before submitting it to TÜBİTAK and PSF. TÜBİTAK and the PSF do not match the collaborating partners.
* Joint Research & Development Project must contribute towards development of Technology, Process, Technique, Prototype, Commercialization and Innovation, leading to socio-economic uplift of both countries.
* Project proposals must provide detailed information on the objectives and justification of the planned joint research work, the methodology to be followed, the composition of each research team and the intended time schedule.
* The relevant application forms (distributed by TÜBİTAK and PSF) which are approved the by the heads of institutions of the project co-directors should be duly filled and submitted by the Turkish scientists to TÜBİTAK and by the Pakistani scientists to PSF for evaluation and approval.
* Curricula vitae of both research teams should be attached.
* The duration of the projects should not exceed 24 months.
* The maximum cost of the project from Pakistani side Rs.6.0 million (48,000 Euros)
* The cost of permanent equipment should not exceed 40% of the total project cost.
* The deadline for submission is 15.01.2018.
* The present call for proposals and the required information for Turkish side about the application procedure are available on the online application system: http://uidbpbs.tubitak.gov.tr/.
* The present call for proposals and the application forms for the Pakistan side are available from the PSF web site at the address www.psf.gov.pk
* The applications for Turkish side are only accepted via online application system. After completion of the online application procedure, Turkish scientists must submit the required signed documents to:

For Turkish Side:

Mr. Kerem Lutfi AKILLI

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Directorate for International Cooperation

Bilateral and Multilateral Relations Department

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For Pakistani Side:

The Pakistani scientists must submit one hard copy and electronic copy through email to:

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