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Faculty of Animal Science, Veterinary Science and Fisheries, Rampur, Chitwan is pleased to call for a proposal for research grants for 4 (four) students provided by the **Adventist Development & Relief Agency of Nepal (ADRA Nepal)** to Masters and PhD students under its standard guidelines and research norms. The following are the further points of elaboration regarding proposal preparation:

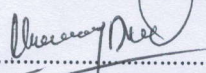
- The proposal has been called for the **Master's (MVSc, MSc Ani. Sc.) and PhD students** who are in their 3<sup>rd</sup> and 1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> semester, respectively.
- The research should be supervised by the faculty of FAVF. The thesis research of students will be prioritized in granting the research fund.
- The proposal must be prepared in any of the following thematic areas- Animal Nutrition (Feed & Forage), Ruminant Production, Mastitis, Animal Health, Infertility and reproductive diseases of cattle and buffalo.
- The research must be conducted in **Rupendehi** (Sainamaina Municipality and Kanchan Rural Municipality) and **Kapilbastu** (Budhabhumi and Banganga Municipalities) districts.
- The maximum budget (including the taxes) for each proposal is **NRs 150,000/-** (One Lakh Fifty Thousand only) and there is the possibility of **supplement grants for PhD students**.
- The **50% of the grant** will be provided to students soon after the selection of the proposal and the remaining 50% will be availed after the presentation of findings and submission of the research report to FAVF.
- The research work must be completed within the **current fiscal year 2080/81**. The research report needs to be submitted **before 07 Asadh, 2081**.
- Supervisors are not given any extra remuneration thus budget under such a heading is not acceptable.
- The **deadline for submission** of the research proposal is **January 03, 2024** during office hours.

**Specific Guidelines for Proposal Preparation**

- Title of the proposal including name and contact detail of candidate (e-mail; telephone) on the title page
- Introduction (400 words)
- Rational/Justification of the study
- Objectives (may be included at the end of the introduction)
- Materials and methods (500 words maximum)
- Literature reviews (500 words maximum)
- Expected outputs
- Time frame
- Budget
- Limitation of the study
- References
- Annex information including log frame (if relevant)
- Work plans

**Two hard copies** with its **e-copy** should be submitted to the following address:

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