



सीएसआईआर-राष्ट्रीय अंतर्विषयी विज्ञान तथा प्रौद्योगिकी संस्थान
CSIR - NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR INTERDISCIPLINARY SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
तिरुवनन्तपुरम/THIRUVANANTHAPURAM

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दिनांक/ Date: 2nd February, 2026

कार्यालय ज्ञापन/OFFICE MEMORANDUM

विषय/Sub: Establishment of CSIR-NIIST Innovation, Technology and Entrepreneurship Hub, Thiruvananthapuram.

Foundation Stone for CSIR-NIIST Innovation, Technology and Entrepreneurship Hub, Thiruvananthapuram was laid by the Hon'ble Prime Minister on 23rd January, 2026. In view of the above and as per the recommendations of the 173rd IMAC meeting held on 27.01.2026, Director, CSIR-NIIST has been pleased to nominate Dr.C.Kesavachandran, Chief Scientist as Head of the said CSIR-NIIST Innovation, Technology and Entrepreneurship Hub.

The responsibilities of the Head will include:

- Implementation of the action point outlined in the Detailed Project Report (DPR) submitted to the Department of Expenditure (DoE), in accordance with the prescribed timelines.
- Coordination and communication with DoE, CSIR and the Government of Kerala regarding the activities of the Hub.
- Implementation of R&D activities, including those related to AYUSH, BioNEST, Spices, Rubber, Coir, Coconut, Hydrogen and Sustainability.
- Execution and monitoring of civil and electrical works for the construction of various R&D buildings, in coordination with the Engineering Services Unit (ESU), CSIR-NIIST.

प्रशासन नियंत्रक/ Controller of Administration

सेवा में /To : Dr.C.Kesavachandran, Chief Scientist

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