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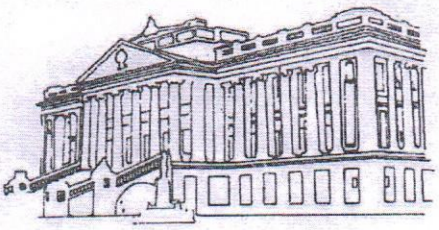

My No: PS/EAD/08/23
August 9 , 2023

To: All VCs & Directors of Institutes

**Chairman**
National Aquatic Resources Research and Development Agency

**Chairman**
University Grants Commission

Dear Sir

**Signing of Agreements/ MoUs on Marine Research, Radar, Satellites and other Related Fields**

This is further to the Circulars No. PS/EAD/Circular/16/2022 dated 09.01.2023 issued by the Secretary to the President, and the Circular No. MF/ERD/2023/01 dated 27.03.2023 issued by the Secretary to the Treasury.

2. It is hereby informed that prior approval from the Ministry of Defence and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs is essential when entering into any Agreement/ MoU on marine research, radar, satellites and other related fields.

3. Please convey the above instructions to all the universities and other institutions under your purview, and ensure their strict compliance to the instructions.

Thank you
Yours sincerely

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