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## **LETTER OF COLLABORATION**

I am pleased to provide this Letter of Collaboration to **Dr. B. Sadasivaiah**, Assistant Professor, Department of Botany, **Dr. BRR Government Degree College, Jadcherla**, Mahabubnagar District, Telangana. The National Institute of Nutrition is one of premier institutes of the Indian Council of Medical Research and I am heading the Department of Biochemistry at this institute. The Institute's research activities are broad-based, encompassing the whole area of food and nutrition vis-à-vis health and disease. The Institute maintains a close integration in its research activities between the laboratory, the clinic and the community. Major research interests of the Department of Biochemistry include nutritional biochemistry of macro and micronutrients, phytochemicals/bioactive compounds in relation to health and disease.

The scope of this collaboration includes exchange knowledge expertise and facilities if required to the students of Dr. BRR Government Degree College on any of our domain expertise particularly on nutritional and medicinal values of natural/wild edible plants. We are also happy to serve as resource person for Seminars/Conferences/Workshops. We may also host a few students from Dr. BRR Government Degree College in our respective labs if they plan to work with us on any specific academic/research projects.

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