



REGIONAL CENTRE FOR BIOTECHNOLOGY

Faridabad 121001

INVITATION FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FROM LEADING BIOTECH COMPANIES

Innovative, complementary and synergistic partnerships are becoming increasingly important to move a step closer to exploiting the benefits of modern biotechnology. Regional Centre for Biotechnology (RCB) is an Institution of National Importance established by the Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Govt. of India, under the aegis of UNESCO. The Centre is located in the 200-acre NCR Biotech Science Cluster in Faridabad at the Faridabad-Gurgaon Expressway. The Cluster has state-of-the-art laboratories of several other leading biotech research institutions established by the DBT.

The mission of RCB is to impart education and training, and conduct research in the frontier areas of biotech sciences. To this end, RCB runs several Master's and PhD level academic programs. To encourage the culture of entrepreneurship on the campus, RCB also runs a BIRAC-supported Bioincubator housing several biotech start-up companies. To further promote the industry presence on the campus, RCB invites Expression of Interest (EOI) from leading Biotech companies to set up their R&D activities at RCB, aiming to provide solutions for human and animal health, and agriculture & environmental challenges.

Interested companies may submit the following details in the proposal document:

- Name and the background of the Company
- Business interest and expertise of the Company
- Details of R&D activities proposed to be set up at RCB
- Details of the space & infrastructure requirement at RCB
- Industry contribution to RCB in cash and/or kind
- Any other expectations from RCB
- The minimum lock-in period of association desired
- Any other relevant point

The document should be sent by email to registar@rcb.res.in by 05 June, 2020. The shortlisted applicants will be consulted further to understand the feasibility to take their proposal forward.

Registrar