TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT (TD) PROJECT GUIDELINES

Eligibility Criteria:
1. **Academic Position:** Applicants must hold a regular academic position at the **NIT Rourkela**.
2. **Qualification:** The PI and Co-PIs must hold a Ph.D. degree in Engineering or Science.

Nature and Duration of Support:
1. **Scope of Support:** The FTBI-TEXMiN Mining CPS Centre of Excellence (CoE) will support individual researchers or research groups working exclusively at NIT Rourkela.
2. **Project Duration:** The project duration is strictly two (02) years.
3. **Funding Limit:** The maximum funding provided for the entire project is ₹15 lakhs (Indian Rupees Fifteen Lakhs only).
4. **Proposal Limit:** An applicant may submit only one proposal per call as a PI.

Selection of Application:
Selection will be based on the recommendations of a Program Advisory Committee constituted by the competent authority (NIT Rourkela).

Plagiarism:
1. Submitted proposals must present original ideas and content.
2. Plagiarism in any form will not be tolerated.
3. All proposals will undergo a similarity check, and any found to be plagiarized will be rejected.

How to Apply:

Applicant (PI) should submit all the required documents

To
The office of FTBI-TEXMiN CPS COE,

Documents Required:
1. Complete proposal as per the format provided.
2. Biodata (Both PI and Co-PI).
3. Certificate from principal investigator.
4. If project is approved, the quotations of the approved equipment need to be submitted within a week of the date of the Approval letter.

Last date for submission of the proposal is 31st July 2025.