DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

ANNOUNCES AN

INTERACTION MEETING ON POLLINATION AND DISPERSAL ECOLOGY

The Department of Science and Technology, Government of India, proposes to convene an Interaction Meeting for discussion and to generate good research proposals for possible funding, in the area of Pollination and Dispersal Ecology. The meeting is scheduled to be held from 14 to 16 August 1993, immediately following the International Symposium of Pollination in Tropics (from 8 to 13 August 1993) at Bangalore.

The meeting is aimed at initiating discussion and generating projects in the areas such as breeding and dispersal strategies of plants, evolution of floral and fruit features, evolution of sexual systems, gene flow through pollen grains and seeds, conceptual issues such as sexual selection, co-evolution of plants with their pollinators and dispersal agents, plant sociobiology, post-dispersal seed and seedling ecology, foraging ecology in relation to pollination and dispersal, and such other related topics.

Those interested in attending this meeting and submitting proposals in these areas are requested to send 10 copies of their preliminary proposals* to

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ON OR BEFORE 20 JUNE 1993.

Applicants should have a permanent position in an academic institution in India. The selected applicants will be invited to make oral presentation of their proposals at the meeting at University of Agricultural Sciences, Bangalore. For further details you may contact Dr (Miss) Usha Sharma, DST, New Delhi.

*Format for the preparation of preliminary proposals

1. Title of the project:
2. Name and address of the investigator:
3. Summary of the proposal(half page);
4. Objectives (half page);
5. Methodology (2-3 pages);
6. Personnel required
7. Equipment required
8. Biodata (Including research experience, research publications and research

grants handled in the past, if any).