

MEMO

Date: 10th September, 2025
To: Coordinator, NASENI Research Commercialization Grant Program
Ref.: PEDI/AD/PP/11/1/13A
Subject: ENDORSEMENT OF RESEARCH PROJECT
PROPOSAL FOR PAINT PRODUCTION

I am pleased to write this letter to officially endorse the research proposal titled *Production and Commercialization of Paint* which was submitted by the Principal Investigator—Dr. Esther Adedayo OLATUNDUN.

2. The proposal is seeking funding to mass produce and commercialize both oil-based (gloss) and water-based (emulsion) paint at large quantity and competitive quality capable of protecting (by forming a barrier against corrosion, weather, moisture and mechanical damage), decorating (by providing colour and aesthetic appeal to surfaces like walls, furniture and products) and communicating and identifying through features like colour-coding for safety and personalization. It also serves to maintain surfaces by preventing decay, enhancing durability and hide imperfections. The goal is to mass produce and commercialize durable, weatherproof, corrosion control and waterproof paint suitable for applications in housing, vehicles, road markings and interior decoration.
3. Please be assured that the technical knowledge, equipment, personnel and logistics required for the success of the project are available within the Institute (PEDI) and her technical partner collaborators.
4. I confirm that this project is feasible, marketable and profitable and is therefore, recommended to the NASENI Research Commercialization Grant Program for funding.



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