

MEMO

Date: 17th September, 2025

To:

The Coordinator, NASENI Research Commercialization Grant Program

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Subject: Endorsement of Research Project Proposal for Commercialization of Automated Electrodeposition Machine (AEM)

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am pleased to write this letter to officially endorse the proposal titled "Commercialization of Automated Electrodeposition Machine (AEM)", submitted by the Principal Investigator (PI), Engr. Dr. Kunle Joseph AKINLUWADE of the Prototype Engineering Development Institute (PEDI), Ilesa.

The project seeks funding support under the NASENI Research Commercialization Grant Program to further develop, repurpose, and commercialize the Automated Electrodeposition Machine (AEM). This innovation has the potential to significantly transform Nigeria's industrial landscape by modernizing electroplating processes, reducing reliance on imported technologies, empowering SMEs, and creating sustainable employment opportunities.

As the overseeing officer, I fully affirm the technical merit, feasibility, and national relevance of this project. The initiative directly aligns with NASENI's mandate to drive indigenous technology commercialization, promote local manufacturing, and advance Nigeria's industrial diversification agenda.

In view of its strategic importance and anticipated socio-economic benefits, I strongly recommend the proposal for favourable consideration and funding support.

Yours faithfully,

Mr. Ahmed Olaoye HAMZAT

Overseeing Officer Prototype Engineering Development Institute (PEDI), Ilesa

