Common guidelines for the PJTSAU - Best Teacher / Extension Scientist / Research Scientist

The Teachers / Research Scientists / Extension Scientists for the award will be selected based on the excellence and innovations of their teaching / research / extension practices during the period from June, 2015 to May 2020 and their ability to achieve outstanding results. The teachers / researcher / extension scientist should have exceptional records, commitment to high standards of professional life and contribution to the University / Institute. Besides this the other guidelines include:

- 1. Teachers in the cadre of Assistant Professors / Associate Professors will be eligible for the award.
- 2. Minimum of 5 years class room / laboratory teaching / research / extension experience is necessary to become eligible for the award.
- 3. Such of those who are working presently in research or extension or teaching but have put in 5 years of experience during the preceding seven years also be made eligible for particular award.
- 4. The total number of awards may be SIX (Teaching -2, Research -2, Extension -2).
- 5. If suitable candidates are not available for consideration for any award in any faculty then those awards shall not be awarded that year.
- 6. Each award consists of Rs. 10,000/- in cash and a certificate
- 7. Procedure for selection:
 - Application may be submitted by teachers / scientist / extension scientist in quadruplicate through proper channel. A committee of Associate Dean / ADR and two senior Professors may be constituted to screen the applications received for consideration for the award. The Committee shall prepare a panel of **two names** and send them to the University along with their bio-data. The Associate Dean / ADR has to forward the bio-data of other applicants also to the University.
- 8. While short listing the candidates, the Associate Dean / Associate Director of Research shall critically examine the credentials of the teachers / scientist by making special efforts, both directly and discretely to find out how best the teacher, research scientist and extension scientist really is. They should also take into account the honesty and integrity of the candidates into account.
- 9. The Vice-Chancellor may appoint a committee of Deans and Directors to select the teachers from the panels received from the respective Associate Deans / ADRs.
- 10. The Deans and Directors may suggest evaluation of the nominations by experts from outside the University.
- 11. The Committee of judges may, if considered necessary, require any of the prospective candidates to appear before it.
- 12. There should be at least 5 years of gap for the same award by the teacher / Research Scientist / Extension Scientist
- 13. This award shall not be conferred on the same teacher for the next five years.
- 14. The University reserves the right to select or not any applicant. There will be no appeal against it.