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**Number of Awards:** One award each year

**Terms and conditions:**

1. The award is open to all the members of the Society.
2. The award is for team research between departments/ disciplines /institutes.
3. The work submitted should not have been published in partial or in full in any journal.
4. First author gets the medal and the certificate.
5. The team members, i.e., the other authors get the certificate only.
6. There is no age limit.
7. The selection committee shall restrict the number of awardees
8. If no papers are eligible the committee can defer the award.
9. Work should have been done in India.
10. The first author should be a life member of ISVIB.
11. The first author should not receive any other ISVIB award and/or medal in the same event by presenting the work that included for this award.

A bonafide certificate from the Head of the Institute confirming that the research has been carried out by the team in India.

**Hard copy application shall be sent to**

**The Secretary, ISVIB**

**Department of Veterinary Microbiology,**

**Madras Veterinary College, Vepery, Chennai 600007, TN**

**Soft copy of the same shall be sent to**

**Secretary.isvib@gmail.com**

**APPLICATION FORM**

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| Full Name of Candidate  (Capital Letters) | (*first author of the team research*) |
| Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | Gender: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
|  |  |
| Nationality |  |
| Contact Address |  |
| Email ID |  |
| Mobile Number |  |
| Institutional Affiliation |  |
| Enclose a copy of ISVIB Life membership certificate of first author |  |
| Whether the first author has applied for any other award in the present convention? | YES / NO  If yes provide details\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| Title of research work | (*Enclose abstract of research work; word limit: 300*) |
| Name of the team members |  |
| Whether the research work is published in any journal/ presented in other conferences? | YES / NO |
|  | **Signature of candidate** |

**ENDORSEMENT BY THE HEAD OF INSTITUTION**

I confirm that the above research work (as above) has been carried out by the team members as above at this institution \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (***name of the institution***) and that this application fully meets the eligibility criteria for ISVIB Dr. F.M. Burnett Memorial Award for Team Research.

Date:

Place:

Signature

Name:

Designation:

Office seal: