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The Administrator, IEEE Milestone Program

Attention: Prof. Janina Mazierska

Chair IEEE History Committee

June 14, 2021

Subject: IEEE Milestone proposal docket number 2019-05

Title of Milestone: Invention of Semiconductor Crystal Diode Detector 1901

Dear IEEE Milestone Administrator (Attention: Prof Janina Mazierska, Chair),

The IEEE Kharagpur Section accepts the responsibility of monitoring the plaque, and of letting IEEE History Center staff know in case the plaque(s) need(s) to be moved, is no longer secure, or some other reason. The plaque(s) will remain the property of the IEEE Section.

The plaque(s) will be paid for, in, by the Philanthropist Dr. Probir Kumar Bondyopadhyay, 06695225-SM, IEEE Organizational Unit of ONE, Philanthropist to IEEE for Life, and an alumnus (1972) of IIT Kharagpur.

The History Center can and must send the invoice promptly and directly to Philanthropist Dr. Probir Kumar Bondyopadhyay, Senior Member IEEE, 06695225-SM at the electronic mail address: (dr.bondy@gmail.com) on behalf of the IEEE Kharagpur Section.

The dedication ceremony will be arranged by Sir J. C. Bose Trust (at Sir J. C. Bose's Home, Science Heritage Museum). The entire cost for this will be borne, in full, by the said philanthropist Dr. Probir K. Bondyopadhyay on behalf of this Section.

Sincerely,

Prof. Sudip Misra,
Chair, IEEE Kharagpur Section

FROM,

MAY 25, 2021

DR. PROBIR K. BONDYOPADHYAY, SENIOR MEMBER IEEE,

06695225-SM, PHILANTHROPIST^[1]_{SEP}

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HOUSTON, TEXAS 77062, U.S.A. (E-Mail: dr.bondy@gmail.com)

TO^[1]_{SEP}

THE ADMINISTRATOR, IEEE MILESTONE PROGRAM

ATTENTION: PROF. JANINA MAZIERSKA, Chair, IEEE History Committee

Subject: My Commitment of U.S. \$6,000 to IEEE Kharagpur (India) Section

REFERENCE: IEEE History Milestone Proposal 2019-05^[1]_{SEP}

COPY TO: Executive Director & COO, IEEE, Honorable Stephen Welby.

1. I have committed U.S. \$6,000 of my personal funds as a philanthropic donation to the IEEE Kharagpur (IIT) Section in India, on November 30, 2015, to be applied towards expenses of the Section in the application for an IEEE Milestone recognition entitled: SEMICONDUCTOR CRYSTAL DIODE DETECTOR, 1901 (Proposal 2019-05).

2. This fund will be applied towards (i). purchase of the Plaque and its delivery expenses (US \$2,000), (ii). Dedication Ceremony expenses (US \$2,000) and (iii). Monitoring of the Plaque (US \$2,000) jointly with the Sir J. C. Bose Trust. This fund is currently held in escrow in U.S. Dollars in the U.S.A. for the IEEE Kharagpur Section (India) in a registered account.

3. Kindly make formal official note of this declaration immediately.

Thank you.

Dr. Probir K. Bondyopadhyay May 25, 2021
(Dr. Probir K. Bondyopadhyay)



Probir Bondyopadhyay <dr.bondy@gmail.com>

REQUEST TO FORWARD THE LETTER OF COMMITMENT TO IEEE HISTORY CENTER

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Probir Bondyopadhyay <dr.bondy@gmail.com> Tue, May 25, 2021 at 8:29 PM
To: presidents@ieee.org, PROBIR BONDYOPADHYAY <dr.bondy@gmail.com>

May 25, 2021

From: Dr. Probir K. Bondyopadhyay, Senior Member IEEE 06695225-SM (Life)

**TO : The Honorable President , IEEE 2021
Honorable Susan K (Kathy) Land**

**Kindly forward this attached signed letter of commitment for funds for the
Milestone Application 2019-05 to the IEEE History Center Administrator
Immediately.**

Thank you.

Sincerely,

**Dr. Bondy
Houston, Texas**

Probir Bondyopadhyay <dr.bondy@gmail.com> Tue, May 25, 2021 at 8:30 PM
To: presidents@ieee.org, PROBIR BONDYOPADHYAY <dr.bondy@gmail.com>

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Probir Bondyopadhyay <dr.bondy@gmail.com> Tue, May 25, 2021 at 8:31 PM
To: presidents@ieee.org, PROBIR BONDYOPADHYAY <dr.bondy@gmail.com>

Support Letter attached to be forwarded.

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Elizabeth McCarthy <e.mccarthy@ieee.org>

Wed, May 26, 2021 at 10:49 AM

To: dr.bondy@gmail.com, Michael Geselowitz <m.geselowitz@ieee.org>

Dear Dr. Bondy,

I provide communications support for the IEEE Presidents. I am forwarding your email to Michael Geselowitz, who is the Senior Director of the IEEE History Center. Michael oversees the milestone program.

Thank you,
Liz

Liz McCarthy
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Probir Bondyopadhyay <dr.bondy@gmail.com>

Fri, Jun 4, 2021 at
6:37 AM

To: parul.chakrabarti <parul.chakrabarti@gmail.com>, PROBIR BONDYOPADHYAY <dr.bondy@gmail.com>, J C Bose Trust <sirjchase@gmail.com>, ghosh.ankita2009@gmail.com

June 4, 2021

Dear Prof. Chakrabarti,

I am forwarding a prior correspondence with IEEE. Please confirm whether you received it including the acknowledgment from Ms. Elizabeth McCarthy.

Thanks,

Dr. Probir K. Bondyopadhyay
Houston, Texas

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