

CSIR-National Institute of Data Science and AI
Bengaluru-560 037

No.CSIR-NIDSA/02(166)/2026

August 25, 2026

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Reconstitution of the Management Council of CSIR-National Institute of Data Science and AI, Bengaluru

In pursuance of CSIR letter No. 8(37)2025-PD, dated 12.08.2026 and in terms of Rule-65 of CSIR Rules & Regulations and Bye-Laws, the Competent Authority has been pleased to constitute the Management Council of CSIR- National Institute of Data Science and AI, Bengaluru, consisting of the following:

Sl. No.	Nominated Officer	Position
1	Director, CSIR-NIDSA	Chairperson
2	Dr V Anil Kumar, Scientist `G`	Member
3	Dr Krushna Chandra Gouda, Scientist `F`	Member
4	Dr Ashapura Marndi, Scientist `E`	Member
5	Dr Gayathri R, Scientist `D`	Member
6	Mr Prabhu, Principal Technical Officer	Member
7	Dr K J Sreeram, Outstanding Scientist, CSIR-CLRI	Member
8	Dr Imtiyaz Ahmed Parvez, Scientist `G`	Member
9	Sr.CoFA/COFA/FAO	Member
10	Sr.COA/COA/AO	Member-Secretary

The term of the Management Council shall be for a period of 2 years from 30.07.2026 to 29.07.2028. The functions of the Management Council as per Rule-66 of the CSIR Rules & Regulations and Bye-Laws are as under:

1. To administer and manage the affairs and environs of the Institute.
2. To write off irrecoverable monetary losses and stores within the limits prescribed by CSIR.
3. To recommend the resource allocation for R&D activities/facilities of the Institute.
4. To monitor the progress of R&D and other activities of the Institute.
5. To recommend devolution of powers to the Project Leaders for the proper implementation of the projects/activities.
6. To approve contract R & D, consultancy projects and licensing of IPR beyond the powers of Director.
7. To consider the annual report of the Institute.
8. To constitute Selection Committees and Assessment Committees for all Technical Staff.
9. Any other matter, as may be referred by the Director.

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Pankaj Kumar
Date: 27-08-2026
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Controller of Administration

To:

All the above

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