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InnovationAssessment

CaseBriefIncubationApproval

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Reviewers

Note: This document is primarily aimed at building a strong case for any Innovative Solution to be considered worthy as a Candidate for Product Innovation Grants offered by UTU I-HUB. It is expected that this document shall be iteratively Compiled with within from the Innovator /Startup, opinions and commentary received from domain/technology experts, and others as may be relevant.

1. ProblemScenario

1. Describe the problem scenarios, use-cases, along with proper profiling of the primary beneficiaries/users.
2. Describe briefly the various constraints related to adoption, usability, deployment, integration, costs, resources, etc.
3. Description of current solutions available and/or methods adopted along with a rigorous analysis of the

ProblemSignificance(Necessity,Severity&Incidence)

1. Highlight using data/insights the nature of problem significance with a consolidated rating as being Low- Medium-High-Critical.
2. Summarise briefly the key facts, insights, expert opinion, etc. relating to necessity, severity, and incidence of the problem.

2. SolutionRequirements

Describe clearly the most critical requirements to be mandatorily considered in the rigorous validation of the overall viability of the solution and as may be relevant in the context of the specific problem scenario, relating to:

- a. The minimum set of features and scope of product functionality.
- b. Pilot Production - minimum volumes for end-user validation and trials.
- c. Manufacturability & Assembly constraints
- d. Deliverables required for completion of procedures relating to end user testing, field / clinical trials, deployment, integration, etc.
- e. Standards, as may be relevant and applicable.
- f. Scaling up distribution, logistics, product lifecycle support, service & spares.
- g. Others specific to the given problem scenario and its respective desired solution.

3. Concept&Design

1. Explain the concept of the solution highlighting the most critical features and functionalities to be developed.
2. Highlight the unique design considerations to make the solution:
 - a. Usable or deployable, easy to adopt, integrate or deploy
 - b. Ready to be scaled up in a cost-effective manner without any compromise on quality
3. Briefly describe the core technology developed or applied in the solution, and highlight

its inherent advantages in the specific context of solving this problem when compared to existing solutions. Highlight how the unique capabilities of the technology can translate into tangible benefits, measurable gains and also positively impact the cost, time-to-market, usability, performance, and scalability aspects of the solution.

4. Value Proposition

- a. Innovation Advantages
- b. Product Advantages
- c. Commercial Advantages

5. Summary Assessment of the Case for Innovation Grant & Product Acceleration

- a) (Each of these questions to be responded to with answer Yes/No, along with a brief summary of the rationale behind the decision.)
- b) Is this problem arising out of shortage of supply of existing solutions, which are proven to be unviable for scaling up manufacturing, service, distribution, etc.?
- c) Is there a clear case for undertaking the design, development, and trials of an innovative technology based solution?
- d) Is the nature of the innovative solution a minor/incremental variant of the existing solutions?
- e) Is this proposed innovative solution likely to pass trials, certification in a timely manner after an accelerated phase of development, testing and pilot production?
- f) Is the development schedule and milestones pointing to acceptable Time-To-Market projections?
- g) Is the design suitable for scaling up manufacturing, distribution, and lifecycle product support?
- h) Is there responsibility of core technology or a new product category emerging from this innovative solution with huge potential for applications?

6. MVP(Pilot)DevelopmentPlan&Budget

ProductDevelopmentPlan

Milestones#	Deliverables	Outcomes	Time Period (Weeks)	Funds required (INR)	Source of Funds
Milestone#1					
Milestone#2					
Milestone#3					

TotalDuration (in weeks):

ProductDevelopmentBudgetTemplate

#	CostCategory	CostHeads	ProductDevelopmentBudget
1	Direct Costs (PrimeCosts)	PrototypingResources/Materials	
2		Design/ManufacturingCosts(PilotScale)	
3		Testing/CertificationCosts	
4		Professional Services Fees (Technical Experts/Specialists)	
5		Miscellaneous (DesignandDevelopment)	
6	PrimaryOverhead s	FieldVisits(Travel+Others)	
7		IPRFees&Costs	
8		Contingencies&Overruns	
9		BusinessDevelopment (Travel+Registration/BoothCharges)	
	TotalProductDevelopmentBudget		

7. Dependencies

Describe in detail the various critical dependencies in terms of human resources, access to resources or

capacity, facilities, and infrastructure, etc. except financial support, which is very crucial to avoid any significant adverse effect on the realization of the proposed MVP.

8. Risks&Challenges

Describe the most critical risks related to any or all of the following aspects, as may be relevant and applicable to the selection of this proposal for Innovation Grant / Admission in UTU I-Hub:

- a. Technical feasibility-Product pilots states the feasibility of product technically and medically
- b. Capability of Team/Partners-Multidisciplinary team with right experience in the relevant field
- c. Viability of product development plan and budget-
- d. Competitive threats and market barriers
- e. Commercial execution

Name and Signature of Applicant(s) with Date