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Subject: Conducting a lecture to research students and PhD student at AIIMS about the animals models used in clinical researches by a Danish Organization Ellegaard Gottingen Minipig.

I am directed to refer to Mr. Sune Kaur-Pedersen, Counsellor, Innovation and Research has informed that a Danish organization named Ellegaard Gottingen Minipigs A/S (EGM) addressed to the Director, AIIMS regarding conducting a lecture to Research Students and PhD Student at AIIMS about the animals models used in clinical researches by a Danish organization Ellegaard Gottingen Minipig.

A brief profile of Minipig and the organization Ellegaard Gottingen Minipigs is as under:

Gottingen Minipig is a breed of miniature swine developed specifically for use in biomedical research. The Gottingen Minipig is a member of the species *Sus scrofa domestica* along with other domesticated swine. The Gottingen Minipig is best known for its exceptionally small size and its very clean and well-characterized health status. Development of this breed began in the late 1960s at the Institute of Animal Breeding and Genetics (Institute für Tierzucht und Haustiergenetik) at the University of Gottingen, Germany, by crossbreeding the Minnesota minipig, the Vietnamese Potbelly Pig and the German Landrace pig. Today the Gottingen Minipigs are used in life-saving biomedical research all over the world.

In the aforesaid context, a lecture is being conducted by the Danish Organization Ellegaard Gottingen Minipig on 30/06/2017 between 04:00 to 05:00 PM in the Dr. Ramalingaswami Board Room, AIIMS, New Delhi. Therefore, all Research Students and PhD Students are requested to kindly attend the same as per schedule date and time.



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