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**Circular to Professional Institutes / Associations**

Dear Sir / Madam,

**EXTENSION OF DEADLINE FOR GRANT CALL 6 OF CITIES OF TOMORROW R&D PROGRAMME UNDER RESEARCH, INNOVATION AND ENTERPRISE 2025**

**Background**

1. The Building and Construction Authority (BCA) and Housing & Development Board (HDB) jointly launched the sixth series of grant calls under the Cities of Tomorrow (CoT) R&D Programme on 26 February 2025. The grant call topics launched are:

<b>Research Thrust</b>	<b>Project Topic</b>
Vertical 1: Advanced Construction	Automation for Efficient Precast Production for Complex 2D Components
	Advanced Structural Systems of High Strength Materials for Land Intensification
Vertical 3: New Spaces	Novel Fill Material for Carbon Sequestration
	Effective Remediation of Chloride-contaminated Concrete in Underground Infrastructures
Vertical 4: Greater Sustainability	Evaluation of Landscape Performance for Residential Precincts

2. The full details of the grant call and all related documents can be accessed from the Integrated Grant Management System (IGMS) at <https://www.researchgrant.gov.sg/>.

## **Extension of Deadline**

3. Due to requests for extension, the proposal submission deadline of the Grant Call has been extended for 3 weeks. The new Grant Call Period, inclusive of the extension, is 26 February 2025 to 29 April 2025.

4. All proposals must be submitted through the IGMS. Separate submissions outside of IGMS will not be considered. Late submissions or submissions from individual applicants without endorsement from the Host Institution will not be entertained.

## **Enquiries**

5. Please direct any enquiries relating to the grant call or project topics to **both** [BCA\\_COT@bca.gov.sg](mailto:BCA_COT@bca.gov.sg) and [HDB\\_COT\\_Verticals@hdb.gov.sg](mailto:HDB_COT_Verticals@hdb.gov.sg).

Thank you.

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