PROTECTION OF PLANT VARIETIES & FARMERS RIGHTS AUTHORITY

Ministry of Agriculture AND Farmers Welfare, Govt. of India, S-2, A Block, NASC Complex, DPS Marg, New Delhi 110012

DISCLOSURE OF ALL FOREIGN & DOMESTIC OFFICIAL TOURS

FROM 01st APR 2016 TO 30th JUN 2016

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Dr R R Hanchinal, Chairperson, PPV&FR Authority (Rank equivalent to Secretary to Govt. of India)

Ser No	Nature of official Tour	Places Visited	Period	No. of people Included in the Official delegation	Total cost of each Travel undertaken (INR)
1.	Attended DPC meeting at Bhabha Atomic Research Centre Mumbai as an Expert	Mumbai & Back	16 th Apr, 2016		Expenses met by the organizer
2.	Participated along with Registrar in the awareness program on 'Take to Breeders and Researchers-The Plant Breeder's and Researcher's Rights through Awareness program at SHIATS, Allahabad.	Allahabad & Back	18 th Apr, 2016	One	₹14,431/-
3.	Participated as a Chief Guest in the National Seminar organized by Directorate of Areca nut and Spices Development, West Hill, Kozhicode on 'Planting Material Production in Spices' at Calicut, Kerala.	Calicut & Back	21 st Apr, 2016	-	₹18,589/-
4.	Chairperson participated as expert in the selection of officers/Directors/Deans posts at SKUAS&T, Srinagar (Jammu & Kashmir).	Srinagar & Back	12 th - 13 th May, 2016	-	Expenses met by the organizer
5.	Chairperson and Registrar General accompanied the German Delegation to visit field gene bank at Mashobra, Himachal Pradesh Vice-Chancellor of Dr. Y.S. Parmar University Solan also took the delegation to KVK, Kandaghat, Dr. S.K. Chakraborti, Director and other Scientists discussed the research and development in potato and vegetables, DUS testing and other related activities at Central Potato Research Institute (CPRI), Shimla. A visit to CPRI station, Kufri was also organized to see the DUS testing of Potato.	Shimla & Back	25 th - 26 th May, 2016	Three	₹ 13,548/- Journey performed by road
6.	Visited IIHR, Bangalore along with German Delegation and discussed about the DUS testing in Horticultural Crops. A discussion with private Seed Industries was also organized during the visit.	Bangalore & Back	27 th - 28 th May, 2016	Three	₹ 17,216/-
7.	Attended a meeting to finalize QRT Report at Central Tobacco Research Institute, Rajhmundry (Andhra Pradesh)	Rajhmundry (Andhra Pradesh) & Back	7 th -9th Jun, 2016	-	Expenses met by the organizer
8.	Visited DUS centers at Pune & Kolhapur along with Vice Chancellor MPKV, Rahuri to review the progress. Visited Kannerimath and participated in the kisan mela and spoke on Provisions of Farmers' Rights in PPV & FR Act'.	Rahuri & Back	11 th Jun, 2016	-	₹6,640/-

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9.	Attended a Tasks Force Meeting 'Validation of DUS Guidelines for Mulberry' at Central Seri cultural Research and Training Institute, Mysore.	Mysore & Back	14 th Jun, 2016	-	₹6,371/-
10.	Delivered a Special Lecture on 'Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers' Rights' at Alumni Association, University of Agricultural Sciences, Bangalore and facilitation to distinguished UAS, Alumni.	Bangalore & Back	18 th Jun, 2016	-	₹12,055/-

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Dr .R.C. Agrawal, Registrar General, PPV&FR Authority (Rank equivalent to Additional Secretary to Govt. of India)

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1.	Attended a interactive session (Strategies for Seed Security and Researchable issues for enhancing seed yield in pulses and oil seed crops and SESSION-IV Centre wise presentation of progress Report (Seed Technology Research at XXXI Annual Group Meeting of AICRP – National Seed Project (Crops) at Kerala Agriculture University	KAU, TRISSUR & BACK	18 th -20 th Apr, 2016	-	₹19,617/-
2.	Attended 46 th Annual Group Meeting at All India Coordinate Project and review of DUS guide lines on Sorghum at Udaipur.	UDAIPUR & BACK	26th-27 th Apr, 2016	-	₹7,399 /-
3.	Attended on spot verification of the activities of applicants for Plant Genome Savior Committee Award 2013-14 at Shar-e-Kashmir University of Agricultural Sciences & Technology, Srinagar.	SKUAS&T, SRINAGAR & BACK	30 th Apr-1 st May, 2016	-	₹24,323/-
4.	Visited Field Gene Bank at Mashobra, Himachal Pradesh along with German Delegation. Vice Chancellor of Dr Y. S. Parmar UHF, Solon also took the Delegation to KVK Kandaghat. Dr S.K. Chakraborti, Director and other Scientists discussed the Research and Development in Potato and Vegetables, DUS testing and other related activities at Central Potato Research Institute (CPRI), Shimla. A visit to CPRI station, Kufri was also organized to see the DUS testing of Potato.	CPRI, SHIMLA & BACK	25 th -26 th May, 2016	Three	₹13,548/-

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5.	Attended one day workshop on `Exp[loring institutional settings and economic impact of increased commercials registration of varieties and certification of seed potatoes in India' organized by Embassy of Netherland at Chandigarh.	Chandigarh & BACK	8 th Jun, 2016	-	Expenses met by organizer
6.	Attended a meeting regarding issues related to technical matters and other financial issues of DUS with Vice Chancellor, Punjab Agriculture University, Ludhiana.	PAU, Ludhiana & BACK	10 th -11 th JUN, 2016	-	₹ 1,297/- Vehicle arranged by office