## **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 01<sup>st</sup> OCT 2016 TO 31<sup>st</sup> DEC 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.	<ul> <li>Chairperson participated in the Foundation day function at IARI Regional Station, Indore as Chief Guest and delivered a lecture on "Indian seed Industry and Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers' Act-2001".</li> <li>Visited DUS centre on soybean at IISR, Indore and attended meeting with Director and staff.</li> </ul>	Indore & Back	3 <sup>rd</sup> Oct, 2016	-	₹ 8,326/-
2.	Chairperson attended as Chief Guest, in the Workshop on Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) & Patents at Vivekananda Global University, Jaipur and delivered a talk on "International Treaties-Preparedness for National IPR-Policy".	Jaipur & Back	8 <sup>th</sup> Oct, 2016	-	Expenses met by organizer
3.	Chairperson attended 8 <sup>th</sup> Foundation Day of UAS, Raichur as Chief Guest and delivered Foundation Day lecture and also interacted with scientists for registration of varieties for protection of plant varieties as per the Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers' Rights Act, 2001.	Raichur & Back	22 <sup>nd</sup> Nov, 2016	-	₹ 38,995/-
4.	Chairperson and Registrar General along with Germen delegates visited to CPRIC, Modipuram to show the DUS test plots and maintenance breeding program to the delegates and also to interact with the Scientists working on the DUS testing of Potato.	Lucknow & Back	1 <sup>st</sup> Dec, 2016	One+3	₹ 15,878/-
5.	Chairperson participated as Guest of Honour: ISNS-WNRF-Noni Search 2016-Eleventh National Symposium on "Noni and medicinal plants for health and livelihood Security" organized in collaboration with ICAR-IISR and ICAR-CISH, Lucknow.	Lucknow & Back	2 <sup>nd</sup> -3 <sup>rd</sup> Dec, 2016	-	₹ 9,173/-

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6.	Chairperson and Registrar General attended Conference on Climate Change Adaptation and Biodiversity Ecological Sustainability and Resource Management for Livelihood Security on 8 <sup>th</sup> to 10 <sup>th</sup> December, 2016 at ICAR-Central Island Agricultural Research Institute, Port Blair. And chaired the session on biodiversity and delivered lecture as Special Guest during the inauguration. Chairperson was the guest of honour in the inaugural session and chief guest in the valedictory function.	Port Blair & Back	8 <sup>th</sup> -10 <sup>th</sup> Dec, 2016	One	₹ 35,307/-
7.	Chairperson visited Cotton DUS test centre at Dharwad and delivered a lecture on "PPV&FR Act & Registration of Essentially Derived Varieties". Also addressed the winter school participants.	Dharwad & Back	13 <sup>th</sup> – 14 <sup>th</sup> Dec, 2016	-	₹ 33,367/-
8.	Chairperson attended "Silver Jubliee Celebration" of College of Agriculture, Vijayapur.	Vijayapur & Back	22 <sup>nd</sup> Dec, 2016	-	₹ 31,301/-
9.	Chairperson attended Board meeting of National Innovation Project-IIM Ahmadabad and also attended interviews of teachers/scientists/SMS as an expert at Junagadh Agricultural University, Gujarat.	Gujarat & Back	29 <sup>th</sup> -30 <sup>th</sup> Dec, 2016	-	Expenses met by organizer

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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.	Along with Germen delegates visited to CPRI-Campus, Modipuram to show the DUS test plots and maintenance breeding program to the delegates and also to interact with the Scientists working on the DUS testing of Potato.		1 <sup>st</sup> Dec, 2016	-	Vehicle arranged by office
2.	Attended Conference on Climate Change Adaptation and Biodiversity Ecological Sustainability and Resource Management for Livelihood Security on 8 <sup>th</sup> to 10 <sup>th</sup> December, 2016 at ICAR-Central Island Agricultural Research Institute, Port Blair. And chaired the session on biodiversity and delivered lecture as Special Guest during the inauguration. Chairperson was the guest of honour in the inaugural session and chief guest in the valedictory function.	Port Blair & Back	8 <sup>th</sup> -10 <sup>th</sup> Dec, 2016	-	₹65,019/-