

**PROTECTION OF PLANT VARIETIES & FARMERS RIGHTS AUTHORITY**

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

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**FROM 01<sup>st</sup> JUL 2014 TO 30<sup>th</sup> SEP 2014**

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

<b>SL. NO.</b>	<b>NATURE OF THE OFFICIAL TOUR</b>	<b>PLACES VISITED</b>	<b>PERIOD</b>	<b>NO. OF PEOPLE INCLUDED IN THE OFFICIAL DELEGATION</b>	<b>TOTAL COST OF SUCH TRAVEL UNDERTAKEN (INR)</b>
1.	To Chair the QRT Meeting at Central Tobacco Research Institute, Rajahmundry.	Rajahmundry	2 <sup>nd</sup> -4 <sup>th</sup> July, 2014	One	Expenses borne by the Organizers. ICAR
2.	Visit to cotton, sorghum and pearl millet DUS Centres and discuss with Director Research and Scientists. Also Delivered a lecture on PPV&FR Act to scientists and students and discussions on registration of University bred varieties/hybrids. Aailed two days casual leave from 14 <sup>th</sup> -15 <sup>th</sup> July, 2014. To participate in the Navara Utsav 2014 and awareness program on PPV& FR Act at Chittur, Kerala. Also to participate and deliver keynote address and Chair a Session in the National Seminar on "Biodiversity Conservation-Status, Future and Way forward" at Thiruchegoda, Tamil Nadu	Chittur, Kerala and Thiruchegoda, Tamil Nadu	11 <sup>th</sup> -20 <sup>th</sup> July, 2014	Three	32,708.00
3.	Meeting with Vice-chancellors / Officers and Scientists of Dr. Y.S. Parma University to discuss PGR activities of Himachal Pradesh. To visit DUS centres of forestry special popular, vilor and flower crop carnation and visited Regional Research Station Mashobra Field Gene Bank to see apple, peach and cherry research.	Solan & Mashobra	26 <sup>th</sup> -27 <sup>th</sup> July, 2014	One	2025.00
4.	To participate as Chief Guest in the Inaugural Session of the Refresher Course on Biodiversity, PVP and IPR and Related Issues in Agriculture vis-à-vis Seed Industries and also to deliver special lecture on "The threats and prospects of Biodiversity Conservation and Management in India". Also to visit DUS Centres at Pune.	Hyderabad & Pune	1 <sup>st</sup> -4 <sup>th</sup> Aug. 2014	One	16,439.00
5.	Meeting with officers of Dept. of Agriculture and Scientists of ICAR Research Complex Goa on registration of varieties from Goa and attending awareness Programme of PPVFRA on 16.08.2014. To participate as lead speaker on "The Business side of Plant Variety Protection" and as panelist at STEM Annual Summit 2014 at Hyderabad.	Goa & Hyderabad	15 <sup>th</sup> -20 <sup>th</sup> Aug. 2014	One	22,404.00*

6.	To participate in the EVRC Meeting of PPV&FR Authority at Navsari. Also to participate in the International seminar on Enhancing wheat & barley production with special emphasis on nutritional security as Guest of Honour and Chair Session on "Challenges for Enhancing wheat production" at Jabalpur.	Navsari & Jabalpur	22 <sup>nd</sup> -24 <sup>th</sup> Aug. 2014	One	18,556.00
7.	To participate in the Training cum awareness program for KVKs at J&K by ZPD, ZONE I, ICAR, PAU Campus, Ludhiana	Srinagar	26 <sup>th</sup> -27 <sup>th</sup> Aug. 2014	Three	10,891.00
8.	To participate in the 22 <sup>nd</sup> Meeting of ICAR Regional Committee No. IV at Indian Institute of Sugarcane Research, Lucknow	Lucknow	5 <sup>th</sup> Sept. 2014	One	10,084.00
9.	To Chair the Technical Session "Interface of PPV&FRA with KVK" and also to make a presentation on PPV&FRA at the 21 <sup>st</sup> Zonal Workshop of KVKs (Zone VII viz. MP, Chhattisgarh and Odisha) and National Symposium on "Integrated farming system for sustainable livelihood"	Raipur	6 <sup>th</sup> -7 <sup>th</sup> Sept. 2014	Two	13,367.00
10.	To participate in the 1 <sup>st</sup> Meeting of Task Force for finalizing the DUS test guidelines for Noni (Morinda cirifolia) crop and field visit at Chennai.	Chennai	8 <sup>th</sup> -10 <sup>th</sup> Sept. 2014	Three	13,305.00
11.	To participate in the meeting regarding development of DUS Guidelines for Small Millets at GKVK, Bangalore. To visit DUS Trials at DRR, Hyderabad. Also to deliver a Lecture in post 'Annual General Meeting' Session on Commercial Exploitation of Registered Varieties.	Bangalore & Hyderabad	11 <sup>th</sup> -14 <sup>th</sup> Sept. 2014	One	6,987.00*
12.	To participate in the as Chief Guest in the IPNI Corporators Meet at UAS Dharwad and being the Chairman of the Committee has to attend QRT Meeting at Hunsur and Shimoga.	Hunsur, Shimoga and Dharwad	15 <sup>th</sup> -21 <sup>st</sup> Sept. 2014	One	Expenses borne by the Organizers. CTRI
13.	To participate as Lead Speaker in Tech. Session on "Commercial Aspects of PPVFR Act-2001" at the 7 <sup>th</sup> National Seeds Congress (MP Rajya Beej Evam Farm Vikas Nigam, Bhopal). To participate in the 16 <sup>th</sup> Research Advisory Board (RAB) meeting, Noni Biotech and Chair special lecture session Ninth National Symposium 'Noni for everyone'. Also to participate in Krishi Mela 2014 and Foundation Day program at UAS Dharwad.	Bhopal, Goa & Dharwad	25 <sup>th</sup> Sept- 1 <sup>st</sup> Oct, 2014	One	32,677.00
<b>TOTAL</b>					<b>1,79,443.00</b>

\*Partial expenditure has been borne by the Organizers.

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2	To participate in the Training-cum-Awareness Program for KVKs at Jammu & Kashmir by ZPD, Zone-I, ICAR, PAU Campus, Ludhiana.	Srinagar, Kashmir	26 <sup>th</sup> – 27 <sup>nd</sup> Aug, 2014	Three	8,570.00
3	To participate in the Technical session interface of PPV&FRA with KVK in the XXI Zonal Workshop of KVKs ICAR, Zone-VII, Jabalpur at IGKV.	Raipur	06 <sup>th</sup> – 07 <sup>th</sup> Sep, 2014	Two	13,648.00
4	To participate in the first meeting of the Task force for finalizing the DUS Test guidelines for Noni (Morinda cirifolia) crop and field visit at Chennai.	Chennai	08 <sup>th</sup> – 10 <sup>th</sup> Sep,2014	Three	18,222.00
5	To deliver lecture on "Preservation of Farmers' and Traditional Varieties under PPV&FR Act – 2001" in the National Seed Congress.	Bhopal	26 <sup>th</sup> – 27 <sup>th</sup> Sep, 2014	One	9427.00
<b>TOTAL</b>					<b>70,661.00</b>