

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

**Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India,  
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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 participate in the Sensitization workshop for farmers and other stakeholders about PPV& FR Act 2001 in Bangalore and to participate in the inauguration of Multi-crop Breeding Station in Chandippa.	Hyderabad	2 <sup>nd</sup> – 3 <sup>rd</sup> Oct, 2013	One	All expenses borne by the organizers
2.	To attend the Seed Industry Program and participate as Guest Speaker in the Technical Session on Plant Variety Protection intricacies and its impact on trait development and delivery	Hyderabad	8 <sup>th</sup> – 9 <sup>th</sup> Oct, 2013	One	All expenses borne by the organizers
3.	To participate in the Fourth Meeting of the National Advisory Board on Management of Genetic Resources (NABMGR) at NABII.	Bangalore	9 <sup>th</sup> – 10 <sup>th</sup> Oct. 2013	One	44,995.00
4.	Discussion with Project Director and nodal officer of DUS Test Centre at DWR Karnal on Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers Rights	Karnal	16 <sup>th</sup> Oct, 2013	One	1,828.00
5.	To participate in the Awareness program on PPV & FRA at MPKV Rahuri on 19th October, 2013 and to visit Jawahar block (Thane District) to participate in the program of Plant Genome Community Awardee 2011-12 of PPV & FRA and to discuss on Community level seed production of Farmers' Varieties, to participate as Chief Guest in the training-cum-awareness program for farmers' and other stakeholders on 21st October, 2013 at Navsari Agricultural University and to participate in the farmers' training program on PPV & FRA on 22nd October, 2013 at Anand Agricultural University, Anand.	Rahuri, Navsari & Gujarat	19 <sup>th</sup> - 21 <sup>st</sup> Oct, 2013	Three	19,634.00
6.	To participate in the 8th National Conference on KVK-2013 as Chairman and panellist and also to make a lead presentation on "Role of KVKs in Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers Rights" in Technical Session IV on Conservation Agriculture, Farmers Rights and Bio diversification of Small Farmers.	Bangalore	23 <sup>rd</sup> – 24 <sup>th</sup> Oct, 2013	Two	52,935.00
7.	To participate in the 8th National Symposium "Noni for Sustainable Wellness" as Guest of Honour in the inaugural session and Chair the Special Lecture Session on Strength of Ayurveda in Geriatric Health Care.	Bangalore	28 <sup>th</sup> – 29 <sup>th</sup> Oct, 2013	One	49,988.00
8.	To attend training-cum-awareness program and collecting applications for	Manipur, Imphal,	12 <sup>th</sup> -17 <sup>th</sup>	Three	28,616.00

	registration of farmers varieties from farmers at North Eastern States.	Nagaland & Guwahati	Nov, 2013		
9.	To participate in the Foundation Day program as Chief Guest and deliver a speech on Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmer Rights of University of Horticultural Sciences, Bagalkot.	Bagalkot	21 <sup>st</sup> -23 <sup>rd</sup> Nov, 2013	One	31,916.00
10.	To attend a meeting at Directorate of Wheat Research, Karnal.	Karnal	23 <sup>rd</sup> Nov, 2013	One	1,800.00
11.	To participate as speaker in the Seminar on Benefits of Plant Variety Protection Systems in line with UPOV Convention at Kandy, Sri Lanka and make a presentation on the "Situation of Plant Variety in India".	Sri Lanka	24 <sup>th</sup> – 27 <sup>th</sup> Nov, 2013	One	All expenses borne by the organizers
12.	To participate in the Inaugural Function of National Workshop on Tree Seed Science & Silviculture at IFGTB, Coimbatore. Also to make a presentation on "Policy issues on Seeds and PPVFRA". Also to visit to DUS centre on cotton at CICR Coimbatore centre and DUS centre Dept. of Seed Science & Technology, TNAU.	Coimbatore	28 <sup>th</sup> Nov, 2013	One	22,757.00
13.	To participate as key speaker in the training-cum-awareness program on Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers' Rights Act at ZPD Jabalpur, KVK Kanker, KVK Jagdalpur and IGKVV Raipur and discuss with Vice-chancellor of JNKVV Jabalpur and IGKVV-Raipur for Registration of Farmers' Varieties.	Jabalpur, Kanker, Jagdalpur and Raipur	30 <sup>th</sup> Nov – 3 <sup>rd</sup> Dec, 2013	Two	13,955.00
14.	To participate in the training-cum-awareness program on Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers Rights at UAS Campus, Raichur and to have a meeting with the Vice-chancellor of UAS Raichur regarding Registration of Extant and Farmers Varieties.	Raichur, Hyderabad	6 <sup>th</sup> – 7 <sup>th</sup> Dec, 2013	One	22,120.00
15.	To participate as Chief Guest in the training-cum-awareness program of Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers' Rights Authority at CAZRI Regional Research Station, Bhuj, Gujarat and guiding the farmers on registration of farmers' varieties.	Gujarat	12 <sup>th</sup> – 13 <sup>th</sup> Dec, 2013	One	60,638.00
16.	To participate in the training-cum-awareness program on Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers Rights and to participate as Member in the Selection Committee Meeting at UAS Bangalore. To participate in the Monitoring Of Cotton Demonstrations Under High Density Planting Situation conducted under TMOP at Dharwad and Gadag Districts Of Karnataka for DAC on 26th to 28th Dec. 2013. Also to participate as Chief Guest in the Inaugural Function of Training-cum-awareness program of PPV & FR Act, 2001 at KVK Hulkoti, Gadag, Karnataka.	Bangalore, Dharwad, Gadag and Halkoti	21 <sup>st</sup> – 29 <sup>th</sup> Dec, 2013	One	37,624.00
<b>TOTAL</b>					<b>3,88,806.00</b>

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2	To attend the GEF Workshop, for reviewing three GEF funded sub projects.	Sundarban	25 <sup>th</sup> – 28 <sup>th</sup> Oct, 2013	One	All expenses borne by the Organizers
3	To attend training-cum-awareness programs and collecting applications for registration of farmers varieties from farmers at North Eastern States.	Manipur, Imphal, Nagaland & Guwahati	12 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> Nov, 13	Three	28,616.00
4	To chair a session in XVII National Conference of Agriculture Research Statistics at NDRI.	Karnal	27 <sup>th</sup> – 28 <sup>th</sup> Nov, 2013	One	3,792.00
<b>TOTAL</b>					<b>52,042.00</b>