

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

**Ministry of Agriculture, 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> July 2013 TO 30<sup>th</sup> Sep 2013**

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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 inaugural session of Zonal workshop-cum-training programme of KVKs of Zone I at PAU and to deliver a lecture on "Provisions for Farmers' in PPV& FR Act" in the Technical Session-I.	Ludhiana	4 <sup>th</sup> July to 5 <sup>th</sup> July, 2013	One	1,854.00
2.	To participate in the inaugural session of Annual Zonal Review Workshop 2012-13 for KVKs of Zone VIII at Pathanmthitta, Kerala. Also to Chair the Technical Session I and invited to deliver lecture in Special Session on "Role of KVKs on the awareness about Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers Rights".	Kerala	8 <sup>th</sup> July to 10 <sup>th</sup> July, 2013	One	24,385.00
3.	To participate in the brain storming session at Directorate of Oilseed Research, Hyderabad and to chair the interactive meeting with the representatives of Seed Industry. Also visit to R&D facilities of selected NSAI member companies.	Hyderabad	20 <sup>th</sup> July to 21 <sup>st</sup> July, 2013	One	24,847.00
4.	To participate as Chairman of the Departmental Promotion Committee meeting for clearance of probationary period of Scientists.	Goa	2.08.2013 to 4.08.2013	One	Paid by ICAR, Research Complex, Goa
5.	To participate as Chief Guest in the Mango Diversity Conservation Awareness Program by Central Institute of Subtropical Horticulture, Lucknow. To review the progress in the development of DUS guidelines of different crops like Mango, Amla, Jamun, Bael and also maintenance breeding work of reference / example varieties.	Lucknow	16.08.2013 to 17.08.2013	One	9,158.00
6.	To participate in the Tea Task Force Meeting at Jorhat. Also to visit DUS centre at Barapani and inspection of Branch Office of PPV& FR Authority at Guwahati.	Jorhat & Guwahati	22.08.2013 to 25.08.2013	Two	29,452.00
7.	To review the progress of DUS projects in different horticultural crops at Indian Institute of Horticulture Research, Bangalore and to discuss on hastening the registration process of notified horticultural crops.	Bangalore	29.08.2013 to 31.08.2013	One	19,887.00
8.	To participate in the 52nd Wheat & Barley Workers Meet at Chandra Shekar Azad University of Agriculture & Technology, Kanpur.	Kanpur	31.08.2013 to 1.09.2013	One	5,113.00
9.	To participate as special guest in the Seminar on "Farmers' Rights in India"	Rajasthan	6.09.2013 to	One	Official Vehicle

	organized at Barsighpura (Khandela), Sikar, Rajasthan.		7.09.2013		
10.	To Chair Technical Session I and IV on Advancement in varietal improvement and seed quality enhancement and on Intellectual Property Rights, Farmers' Rights and Farmers' participation in seed production and Lead Speaker on Innovation by Farmers' and protection of their varieties in the 6th National Seed Congress at Lucknow.	Lucknow	12.09.2013 to 14.09.2013	Two	20,634.00
11.	To Chair the Research Advisory Committee Meeting of Directorate of Seed Research, MAU and to participate in the awareness program on Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers' Rights Act 2001.	MAU, Varanasi	17.09.2013 to 19.09.2013	One	Paid by DSR. MAU
12.	To participate as speaker in the side event / special side event being organized by Bioversity International in collaboration with ITPGRFA Secretariat at the Fifth session of the Governing Body of the ITPGRFA, FAO at Muscat, Oman.	Muscat, Oman	21.09.2013 to 29.09.2013	Two	Paid by Bioversity International
13.	To participate in the sensitization workshop for Farmers and other stakeholders about PPV & FR Act 2001.	Bangalore	30.09.13 to 02.10.13	Three	Paid by the Organiser
<b>TOTAL</b>					<b>1,35,330.00</b>

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1	To visit Deendayal Research Institute, Chitrakoot, M.P. to discuss and develop a programme for organising the state level awareness programmes on PPV&FRA in collaboration with the State Govt of Madhya Pradesh, the Universities, NGOs and Farming communities to cover Bundelkhand and Malwa hot-spot region situated in the state of Madhya Pradesh where we could not organise much activities so far..	Chitrakoot	11.07.13 to 13.07.13	Two	7,714.00
2	To attend Technical Session I and IV on Advancement in varietal improvement and seed quality enhancement and on Intellectual Property Rights, Farmers' Rights and Farmers' participation in seed production and Lead Speaker on Innovation by Farmers' and protection of their varieties in the 6th National Seed Congress at Lucknow.	Lucknow	12.09.13 to 14.09.13	Two	14,571.00
3	To participate in the Fifth session of the Governing Body of the ITPGRFA, FAO at Muscat, Oman.	Muscat, Oman	21.09.2013 to 29.09.2013	Two	31,236.00
4	To participate in the sensitization workshop for Farmers and other stakeholders about PPV & FR Act 2001.	Bangalore	30.09.13 to 02.10.13	Three	22,299.00
<b>TOTAL</b>					<b>75,820.00</b>