Shri GR. Chintala, Chairman, NABARD visits ICAR-NAARM

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Shri Govinda Rajulu Chintala, Chairman, NABARD visited ICAR-NAARM on 27th Aug, 2020 on the occasion of NAARM-TBI (a-IDEA) and NABARD partnership initiation for the scaling up of NAARM business incubator operations across the country. Shri GR Chintala, Chairman, NABARD has unveiled the plaque in the incubation centre in presence of Dr Ch Srinivasa Rao, Director, NAARM, Sri YK Rao, CGM, TSRO, Shri SK Jannawar. CGM, APRO. NABARD supports the programme for next five years for scaling up ABI operations.

On the occasion of this, Shri G R Chintala expressed his happiness for this partnership with NAARM a-IDEA and wished successful expansion of agribusiness incubation in India. Expected that the team of a-IDEA of NAARM and NABARD association bring more laurels to the Agriculture Academy with a distinct impact on Start-up/entrepreneurship development ecosystem in India. He congratulated the Business Incubator of ICAR NAARM a-IDEA for their outstanding work and success in promoting the agri-entrepreneurship ecosystem in India. He also emphasized the need of entrepreneurship in changing the face of agriculture and the various entrepreneurship promotion activities of NABARD to power growth through start-ups.

Dr. Ch Srinivasa Rao, Director, ICAR NAARM earlier welcomed the dignitaries and felicitated the Chairman from Business Incubator of ICAR NAARM a-IDEA and NAAS Chapter of Hyderabad side presented the various activities of ABIs in ICAR systems and strengthening technology innovations in India.

The event also saw the gracious physical presence of small gathering with COVID precautions and larger viewers through online streaming. Staff of ICAR-NAARM, Directors of ICAR Institutes, NAAS Fellowship and Associates of Hyderabad Chapter, Former Directors of NAAM, Students of Post Graduate Diploma-Agri Business Management, Senior Offices of State Agriculture Universities located in AP and Telangana, Press and Media attended this program.
The programme was compered by Dr K Srinivas, Pr Scientist, ICAR NAARM and CEO, NAARM incubator a-IDEA.