

Shri Giriraj Singh, Hon'ble Minister for Rural Development & Panchayat Raj

Visits ICAR-NAARM

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Shri Giriraj Singh, Hon'ble Minister for Rural Development and Panchayat Raj visited ICAR-NAARM on 01-07-2022 and addressed the Faculty of the Academy.

Hon'ble Minister expressed happiness to know about the Academy activities in various dimensions. During his address, he emphasized the importance of agribusiness management and value addition for the Self Help Groups / Farmer Producer Organizations. He opined that there is a strong need of developing protocols for complementing MGNAREGA activities in promoting Agroforestry technologies in the rural areas which would not only build the green cover in the country but also help in carbon sequestration. Farmers can enhance their scope for carbon trading through this in the years to come.

He released Green Campus @ ICAR-NAARM - a dossier on this occasion.

Dr Ch. Srinivasa Rao while welcoming the Hon'ble Minister gave an overview of the Academy activities in capacity building and Think Tank role in ICAR and also highlighted various strategies for enhancing the security in food, fodder and timber sectors.

Dr Narendra Kumar, Director General, National Institute for Rural Development and Panchayat Raj expressed to have Memorandum of Understanding with the Academy in the areas of training different stakeholders especially Self Help Groups through a-IDEA incubation centre. Dr G. Venkateswarlu, Joint Director, ICAR-NAARM welcomed the Guests during the programme.



Releasing the book “Green Campus @ ICAR-NAARM - a Dossier”

