

Visit of Dr. S. K. Pattanayak, Secretary, Department of Agriculture, Cooperation and Farmers Welfare, Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Govt. of India to NSRTC, Varanasi

Dr. S. K. Pattanayak, Secretary, Department of Agriculture, Cooperation and Farmers Welfare, Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Govt. of India visited the National Seed Research and Training Centre, Varanasi during August 12 to 13th, 2017. Dr. Arvind Nath Singh, Director NSRTC briefed the ongoing activities and achievements of the Centre.

Dr. S. K. Pattanayak visited the NSRTC campus and inspected the place for the establishment of International Rice Research Institute (IRRI) - South Asia Regional Centre. He provoked to do work NSRTC and IRRI in collaboration at one platform to make the way for second Green Revolution. The IRRI representatives Dr. U.S. Singh and Dr. T. C. Dhondiyal were also present during this occasion.

He also inspected the Central Seed Testing Laboratory (CSTL) and appreciated the work. He has embarked his visit with the tree plantation in the campus. He instigated NSRTC, ICAR-Indian Institute of Vegetable Research and State Agriculture Deptt. to work in collaboration for doubling the framers income.

