

REPORT ON VIGILANCE AWARENESS WEEK 2017

As per the directive of the Central Vigilance Commission and in pursuance of the said directive issued by the Indian Council of Agricultural Research, New Delhi vide letter no. 51 - 9/2017-Vig. dated 13th October 2017, to observe Vigilance Awareness Week with the theme on **"My Vision - Corruption Free India"**, ICAR-IISS, Bhopal under the overall guidance of Dr. Ashok K Patra, Director, and Dr. AK Biswas, vigilance officer observed the Vigilance Awareness Week during Oct. 30 – Nov. 4, 2017. The week started with the vigilance pledge taken by all the employees of ICAR-IISS, Bhopal which was administered by Dr. A.K. Patra Director at 11.00 hrs on 30th October, 2017 in reception area of the Institute.

Like every year a series of programmes and activities was organized this year, namely, Essay Writing Competition, Debate Competition GK on Vigilance Awareness, Publicity among the masses, etc. On 31st October, 2017, an essay competition was organized where staff of the Institute participated. The topic of the Essay was **'My Vision - Corruption free India'** (ejk nfVldsk & HZVlqj eDr Hkjr), the theme of Vigilance Awareness Week 2017. On 1st November, 2017, a debate competition was organized where staff of the Institute participated. The topic of the competition was **'Will India ever become a corruption free country'?** (D;k Hkjr dHh Hh HZVlqj eDr gk l drk gS). On 2nd November, 2017 another competition was held to create awareness amongst all sections of employee through a General Knowledge Competition in which questions were put on various aspects of vigilance, namely, Indian Constitution, legislature, security, judiciary and executives like CBI, Lokpal, RTI, etc. including UN bodies.

The concluding function of the Vigilance Awareness Week was held on 3rd Nov., 2015. The Chief Guest of the function was Mr. D.C. Sagar, Additional Director General (P) Bhopal and Director, IISS, Bhopal presided over the function. The winners of various competitions were felicitated by the Chief Guest and the Director with small mementos. The judges of various competitions were also felicitated. The meeting was concluded by vote of thanks.

