



RAMAKRISHNA MISSION VIVEKANANDA UNIVERSITY

(Declared by Government of India as Deemed University under Section 3 of UGC Act, 1956)

PO Belur Math, Dist Howrah, West Bengal 711 202, India

Ref.No.RKMVU/NDP/KVK/MoU/2013

Dated: 13 March 2013

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Sub: Establishment of a Krishi Vigyan Kendra (KVK) in South 24-Parganas District of West Bengal under the aegis of Ramakrishna Mission Vivekananda University – Two copies of the duly signed MoU enclosed herewith

Dear Dr Singh

We thank the Hon'ble DG, DDG (Extn) and other officers concerned including yourself for arranging, on 28 February 2013 at the ICAR campus in New Delhi on the occasion of the *Vichar Manch* talk organized by ICAR that I had the honour to deliver to the agricultural scientists across the country, the ceremonial signing of the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) for the establishment of a KVK under the aegis of our University at our Narendrapur Campus in West Bengal.

Of the three copies of the MoU complete with the signatures of both the parties, ICAR and our University, we are retaining one copy for our records, and are herewith enclosing TWO COPIES for your further processing at your end.

With kind regards

Yours sincerely

Swami Atmapriyananda
Vice Chancellor

Enclosed: Two copies of the MoU for KVK at Narendrapur duly signed as stated above

Received
14/3/13

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

INDIAN COUNCIL OF AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH (ICAR), KRISHI ANUSANDHAN BHAVAN,
NEW DELHI 110012

AND

RAMAKRISHNA MISSION VIVEKANANDA UNIVERSITY (INTEGRATED RURAL DEVELOPMENT
FACULTY CENTRE UNDER RAMAKRISHNA MISSION VIVEKANANDA UNIVERSITY AT
RAMAKRISHNA MISSION ASHRAMA, NARENDRAPUR, KOLKATA 700 103) (NAME OF THE
GRANTEE)

FOR SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL COOPERATION IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE
PROJECT OF

KRISHI VIGYAN KENDRA

This agreement made this TWENTY-EIGHT day of FEBRUARY (Month), TWO THOUSAND THIRTEEN (Year) between the ICAR, a Society registered under "Society Registration Act", 1860, hereinafter called "Council", as the First party and the RAMAKRISHNA MISSION VIVEKANANDA UNIVERSITY (RKMVU), under Ramakrishna Mission, Belur Math, Howrah, West Bengal 711202 (registered under Society Registration Act XXI of 1860), an institution declared by Government of India, Ministry of Human Resource Development, as a Deemed-to-be-University under Section 3 of University Grants Commission (UGC) Act, 1956, headquartered at Belur Math, Howrah 711202, situated in the State of West Bengal (with approved 'off-campus' Centre at Ramakrishna Mission Ashrama, Narendrapur, Kolkata 700103), hereinafter called the "Grantee" (Second party)

1. Whereas the Indian Council of Agricultural Research have the following mandate:
 - (i) To plan, undertake, aid, promote and co-ordinate education, research and its application in agriculture, agroforestry, animal husbandry, fisheries, home science and allied sciences.

- (ii) To act as a clearing house of research and general information relating to agriculture, animal husbandry, home science, allied sciences and fisheries through its publications and information system and by instituting and promoting transfer of technology programmes.
- (iii) To provide, undertake and promote consultancy services in the fields of education, research, training and dissemination of information in agriculture, agroforestry, animal husbandry, fisheries, home science and allied sciences.
- (iv) To look into the problems relating to broader areas of rural development concerning agriculture, including post-harvest technology by developing cooperative programmes with other organizations such as the Indian Council of Social Science Research, Council of Scientific and Industrial Research, Bhabha Atomic Research Centre and the Universities.
- (v) To do other things considered necessary to attain the objectives of the Society.

2. And the project of Krishi Vigyan Kendra (KVK) of ICAR has the mandate as under:

- i) Conducting "on-farm testing" for identifying agricultural technologies for location specific sustainable land use systems.
- ii) Organise training to update the extension personnel with the advances in agricultural technology on regular basis.
- iii) Organise vocational training courses in agriculture and allied vocations for the farmers with emphasis on "learning by doing"
- iv) Organise front-line demonstrations to generate production data and feedback information.

3. And whereas the RAMAKRISHNA MISSION VIVEKANANDA UNIVERSITY'S FACULTY CENTRE FOR 'INTEGRATED RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND MANAGEMENT' UNDER SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT, LOCATED AT THE APPROVED 'OFF-CAMPUS' CENTRE AT RAMAKRISHNA MISSION ASHRAMA, NARENDRAPUR, KOLKATA 700103 has the following mandate / objectives :

(The mandate/objectives of the grantee institution should be indicated here)

