

Minutes of 34th meeting of the One Health Consortium

Venue: Videoconferencing

Topic: Interactive meet with ICAR-NEH, CAU-Aizawl

Date and time: 7th May 2022, 2.00pm onwards

Dr Rawat welcomed Prof. T.K.Dutta, CAU, Aizawl and Dr Arnab Sen, Dr Sandeep Ghatak and Dr Milton of ICAR-NEHR, Umiam. He briefed about purpose of short interactive meetings. This was followed by discussion.

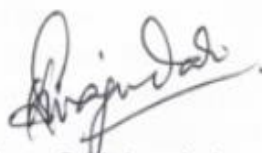
A brief of discussions on various issues is as follows:

Issue	ICAR-NEHR, Umiam	CAU, Aizawl
MoA	Submitted	Submitted
Progress Report	Progress report has not been submitted so far. Dr Sen assured to submit by Monday i.e. 9 th May, 2022.	Submitted to NIAB today.
Sample collection	So far a total 217 samples have been received and 56 samples from two districts of Meghalaya have been collected. Institute was asked to speedup collection of samples as per sampling plan from identified districts/states.	So far, samples have been collected from 3 districts of W.B. and 2 districts of Mizoram. A total 579 and 152 samples have been collected from West Bengal and Mizoram respectively. A plan is in place to collect samples from other districts of both the states.
Manpower hiring	Manpower is in place as per approval.	Manpower is in place as per approval.
Status of Equipment	No equipment has been procured so far. However, purchase process has been initiated and Institute has assured to complete the process by May end. A total 21 equipment have been sanctioned for the centre and therefore centre was asked to procure equipment before completion of first year.	Purchase order for 14 equipment has been issued. Re-tendering of one equipment has also been completed.
Procurement of	At present, diagnostic kits	Since little progress has been

Consumables/ diagnostic kits	available with the institute are being used for the project work. Process has been initiated for the purchase of diagnostic kits. Institute was requested to contact IVRI and TANUVAS for the availability of kits to be supplied by them and give order in advance.	made towards procurement of diagnostics. CAU was asked to speed up the process.
Financial documents of FY 2021-22	Documents are being prepared as per formats provided and will be submitted to NIAB soon.	Documents are being prepared as per formats provided and will be submitted to NIAB soon.

- Both institutes were suggested to focus on sample collection as per sampling plan and procurement of diagnostic kits too.
- CAU, Aizawl requested for budget enhancement under travel head which is mainly required for collection of samples from fields of W.B.. After discussion it was decided that this issue will be flagged in review meeting for recommendation.

Meeting ended with a vote of thanks to all.



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