



**NORTH EASTERN REGIONAL INSTITUTE OF WATER
AND LAND MANAGEMENT (NERIWALM)**

An Institute under the Ministry of Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation,
Govt. of India

(Registered under Society Registration Act, 1860)

No. NRWM/TRG/Collaboration/352/2015-16/

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Date: 16.05.2016

To,

The Director,
ICAR Research Complex for NEH Region,
Umroi Road, Barapani,
Shillong- 793 103, (Meghalaya)

(Kind attention to **Dr. Samar Hazarika, Head of the Department, NRM Division**)

Sub: Signed copy of MoU for Collaborative programme-reg.

Sir,

In inviting reference to the above subject, it is to be informed that the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) to initiate collaboration with ICAR, NEH centre by NERIWALM has also been signed by the Director, NERIWALM. The copy of the same is enclosed herewith for favour of your information and record.

Based on the MoU signed by both ICAR Research Complex for NEH Region, Barapani and NERIWALM, Tezpur necessary follow up actions for organizing collaborative activities to promote rainwater harvesting etc. will be taken up shortly. Dr. B C Nath, Associate Professor (Agri) & in-charge, Training and Dr. U M Hazarika, Assistant Professor have been nominated by the Director, NERIWALM to initiate collaborative activities.

It issues with approval of the Director, NERIWALM.

Encl: As stated above

Yours faithfully,


(A K Sharma)
Deputy Director, i/c

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MoU) BETWEEN NORTH EASTERN REGIONAL INSTITUTE OF WATER AND LAND MANAGEMENT (NERIWALM), TEZPUR AND INDIAN COUNCIL OF AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH (ICAR) COMPLEX OF NEH REGION, BARAPANI, SHILLONG

This Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) entered into the Twenty Seven April five thousand nine teen (date in words) between North Eastern Regional Institute of Water and Land Management (NERIWALM), Tezpur, an Institute registered under the Society Registration Act XXI, 1860 under Ministry of Water Resources, RD & GR, Govt. of India having its establishment at Tezpur (hereinafter referred to NERIWALM which expression shall include its representative, successors and assigns) of the first part;

AND

Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) of NEH region, Barapani, Shillong, a premier research organization on agriculture and allied subjects of the North Eastern Region (NER) of India having its headquarter at Barapani, Meghalaya (hereinafter referred to ICAR-NEH which expression shall include its representative, successors and assigns) of the other part.

PREAMBLE

WHEREAS, NERIWALM is engaged in conducting capacity building activities and R&D works in the field of water and land resources management of NER.

WHEREAS, ICAR-NEH is promoting and conducting research, extension and human resource development activities in agriculture and allied sectors for hilly and mountain ecosystem of NE Hill Region.

AND

WHEREAS, both NERIWALM and ICAR-NEH, now

1. Recognize the importance of capacity building activity and research & development works in the areas of water and land management in agriculture in NE region of India,
2. Appreciating the need of promotion of different water harvesting technologies and methodologies developed and promoted by ICAR-NEH through demonstration, action research in participatory mode with farmers,
3. Desiring to collaborate their efforts by pooling their expertise and resources.

INTEND to conduct programme in collaborative mode for enhance the capacity of farmers in adoption of suitable water harvesting technologies with focus on imparting training and field demonstration in NEH region of India.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of mutual promises made herein and of good and valuable consideration, receipt and sufficiency of which both NERIWALM and ICAR-NEH hereby acknowledge.

NERIWALM and ICAR-NEH hereby agree as under:

SCOPE of MoU:

1. SHARING OF EXPERTISES

The two institutions will share their expertise for the proposed programmes.

2. JOINT TRAINING/CONFERENCES/WORKSHOPS

Training programme will be organized jointly by both the organizations from time to time for the selected farmers for enhance their capacity for adoption of technologies. Conferences and workshops may also be organized involving all other stakeholders for sharing and reviewing the experiences. Exposure visit to trainees of different programmes of NERIWALM may also be organized to the locations having demonstration of suitable rain water harvesting methodologies.

3. LOCATION OF ACTIVITIES

Hilly areas of different locations of NE region of India and involving the different fields stations under ICAR-NEH wherever felt necessary.

4. SHARING OF INFORMATION

Both Institutions agree to share information on water harvesting technologies and other relevant technologies on water and land management.

5. PUBLICATION OF DATA, INFORMATION/RESULTS OF THE JOINT PROGRAMME

Both the institutions will enjoy right to disseminate and publish the information and data of the activities conducted jointly.

6. FINANCIAL LIABILITY

Training programme will be the part of NERIWALM Annual Training programme and shall be conducted within its budgetary provision. Expenditures related to tour in connection with visit to project site, taking part in training, workshop, conferences etc. will be responsibility of the scientists/staff of concerned organizations.

7. COMMITTEE FOR FINALIZATION AND IMPLEMENTATION OF ACTIVITIES

Heads of both the organizations will nominate from time to time suitable scientists and other staff for implementation of the collaborative programmes and intimate the same to all concerned.

8. VALIDITY

The MoU shall be valid initially for a period of three years from the date of signatures and can be extended for further period by mutual consultations and reviews by both NERIWALM and ICAR-NEH authorities.

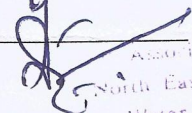
The MoU is signed subject to approval by appropriate authorities of both sides.

Director, 
NERIWALM, Tezpur

Director
North Eastern Regional Institute of
Water and Land Management
Tezpur

Witness :

Date:

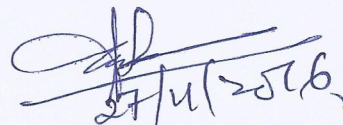

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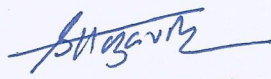
Director

ICAR, NEH complex, Barapani

Witness:

Date:


निदेशक / Director
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Umiam, Meghalaya


28/4/2016
Hd, NRM Division