

ANNOUNCEMENT

The 61st Annual Conference of the Indian Society of Agricultural Statistics will be organised at Department of Agricultural Statistics, Birsa Agricultural University, Kanke, Ranchi – 834 006 (Jharkhand) from November 30 to December 2, 2007. Dr. V.K. Gupta, ICAR National Professor, IASRI, New Delhi will be the Sessional President and deliver the Technical Address. Dr. Pronab Sen, Chief Statistician of India, Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation, Government of India, New Delhi will deliver **Dr. Rajendra Prasad Memorial Lecture** and Dr. A.K. Srivastava, Former Joint Director, IASRI, New Delhi will deliver **Dr. V.G. Panse Memorial Lecture** during the Conference.

Symposia on the following topics will be organised during the Conference :

(a) ROLE OF AGRICULTURE IN CONTAINING ACUTE RURAL DISTRESS – SOME STATISTICAL ISSUES

Convenors: Dr. H.V.L. Bathla, IASRI, New Delhi

Shri G. Mohan Rao, NSSO, Faridabad

(b) STATISTICAL ASPECTS OF RESEARCH IN AGRICULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES: STATUS AND SCOPE

Convenors: Dr. Prajneshu, IASRI, New Delhi

Prof. N.C. Das, BAU, Ranchi

In addition to this, there will be Paper Reading Sessions of the contributed research papers. The abstract and full paper to be presented in paper reading sessions during the Conference must reach the undersigned by September 29, 2007. The abstract and full paper (five copies) to be considered for Dr. G.R. Seth Memorial Award for Young Scientist should also be sent to the Secretary on or before September 15, 2007.

Dr. Kishore Sinha, Professor & Chairman, Department of Agricultural Statistics, Faculty of Agriculture, Birsa Agricultural University, Kanke, Ranchi – 834 006 (Jharkhand) will be the Organising Secretary of the Conference.

Further details of the Conference may be obtained from the Secretary, Indian Society of Agricultural Statistics, IASRI Campus, Library Avenue, Pusa, New Delhi – 110 012. Phone Nos. 091-011-25842861, 091-011-25841479; Fax: 091-011-25841564; E-Mail: isas@iasri.res.in; sdsharma@iasri.res.in; vkbhatia@iasri.res.in; satish_society@yahoo.com; satish_isas@indiatimes.com

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