

## Minutes of the 6<sup>th</sup> Research Council Meeting, Agriculture University, Jodhpur

The 6<sup>th</sup> Meeting of Research Council of Agriculture University Jodhpur was held on 24.12.2021 at 11.00 AM in the Meeting Hall of VC Secretariat, Agriculture University, Jodhpur under the Chairmanship of Prof. B.R. Choudhary, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, Agriculture University, Jodhpur.

The following members were present in this meeting:

| S.No. | Name & Designation  | Present as                     |
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| 1.    | Prof. B.R. Choudhary, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, Agriculture University, Jodhpur  | Ex-officio Chairman            |
| 2.    | Dr. Ishwar Singh, Director Extension Education, Agriculture University, Jodhpur   | Member                         |
| 3.    | Dr. Sita Ram Kumhar, Dean & Faculty Chairman, College of Agriculture, Jodhpur, Director Education, & Head, Department of Genetics and Plant Breeding, Agriculture University, Jodhpur | Member                         |
| 4.    | Dr. V.S. Jaitawat, Director, Human Resource and Development, Director Student Welfare and Head, Department of Extension Education, Agriculture University, Jodhpur                    | Member                         |
| 5.    | Dr. M.M. Sundria, Zonal Director Research, Agricultural Research Station, Mandor  | Member                         |
| 6.    | Dr. Raju Lal Bhardwaj, Zonal Director Research, Agricultural Research Station, Keshwana, Jalore   | Member                         |
| 7.    | Dr. J.R. Verma, Head, Department of Plant Pathology, Agriculture University, Jodhpur  | Member                         |
| 8.    | Dr. S.K. Moond, Head, Department of Horticulture, College of Agriculture, Mandor, Jodhpur   | Member                         |
| 9.    | Dr. M.L. Mehriya, Head, Department of Agronomy, Agricultural Research Station, Mandor   | Member                         |
| 10.   | Dr. S.K. Singh, Director, ATARI - Agricultural Technology Application Research Institute, (CAZRI Campus), Jodhpur   | Member, Scientists of eminence |
| 11.   | Dr. A.K. Patel, Principal Scientist, Livestock Production & Management, CAZRI, Jodhpur  |                                |
| 12.   | Sh. V.K. Pandey, Joint Director, Agriculture, Krishi Bhawan, Jodhpur  |                                |
| 13.   | Dr. T.S. Rajpurohit, Retd. Professor (Plant Pathology), Agriculture University, Jodhpur   | Member (Co-opted)              |
| 14.   | Dr. B.K. Dwivedi, Regional Manager, RSSC, Jodhpur   |                                |
| 15.   | Dr. J.R. Bhakar, Dy. Director (Ag.Ext.), Krishi Bhawan 24-Paota, Jodhpur  |                                |
| 16.   | Sh. Ram Lal Bisnoi, Chairman, Dairy, Jodhpur  |                                |
| 17.   | Dr. S.D. Ratnoo, Director Research and Head, Department of Entomology, Agriculture University, Jodhpur  | Secretary                      |

At the outset, Dr. S.D. Ratnoo, Director Research and Secretary of the Council welcomed Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, Prof. B.R. Choudhary and all other members of the council. The meeting began with welcome remark to all the members of Research Council by Prof. B.R. Choudhary, Hon'ble



Vice-Chancellor and the Chairman of the meeting. He appraised the house about major developmental activities carried out in the University including running infrastructure development work & opening of new faculties' courses, production of seeds and other research related developments of the University including pipeline genotypes of various crops. Thereafter, the research highlights and major development in research and seed production was presented by Dr. Rahul Bhardwaj, Asstt. Prof. (GPB) & Asstt. Director Research, Agriculture University, Jodhpur.

In the meeting, following agenda items were taken up after thorough discussions for consideration and decision thereon:

### **AGENDA**

| <b>Agenda Item No.</b>  | <b>Subject</b>   |
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| <b>AUJ/RC-6/2021/01</b> | Confirmation of the minutes of 5 <sup>th</sup> Research Council Meeting held on 17.03.2021.<br>Confirmed by House.   |
| <b>AUJ/RC-6/2021/02</b> | Action Taken Report of the minutes of 5 <sup>th</sup> Research Council Meeting held on 17.03.2021.<br>Approved by House.   |
| <b>AUJ/RC-6/2021/03</b> | <b>Research Recommendations for <i>Kharif</i> 2021 and <i>Rabi</i> 2021-22</b><br>(Submitted by: ZDR, ARS, Mandor, Jodhpur and Keshwana, Jalore)<br>The Progress report of <i>Kharif</i> 2020 and <i>Rabi</i> 2020-21 have presented. During presentation the house was also appraised in details about ongoing and newly submitted project(s) under RKVY along with financial sanction for year 2021-22 and the fund received through testing of the products.<br>Achievements Appreciated by House.  |
| <b>AUJ/RC-6/2021/04</b> | <b>Highlights of Seed production programme</b><br>(Submitted by: All Unit Incharge, Agriculture University, Jodhpur)<br>Seed production report was presented in details. This was suggested by the house that emphasis should be given for the seed production of short duration and suitable varieties for the region. It was also suggested that maximum available area should be undertaken in seed production programme including KVK's, to generate the income and make available quality seed to the farmers.<br><b>Action:</b> Addl. Director Research (Seed) |
| <b>AUJ/RC-6/2021/05</b> | <b>To consider and Approval of Research Programme of <i>Rabi</i> 2021-22 and <i>Kharif</i> 2022</b><br>The house discussed in length about research programme of current <i>Rabi</i> 2021-22 and to be taken during <i>Kharif</i> 2022 and approved the same. During discussion following issues were came out for further research: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ To test varieties for mechanical harvesting in mungbean and</li></ul>   |



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- To include bio-fortified varieties of different crops in PoP
- To include short duration varieties for the region in PoP
- To initiate research work on Nano urea and other biofertilizers
- To standardize concentration of insecticides and other liquid bio-formulations for spray through drone
- Technology for crop production under brackish water
- Research work in fennel and henna
- Frame out experiments for plastic culture
- Experiments on storage pest should be initiated

**Action:** Director Research

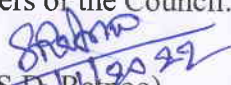
**AUJ/RC-6/2021/06** To consider and Approval of Non-exclusive MoUs between University and Seed Company, Sri Laxmi Venkateswara Seeds, Kurnool, A. P. for Pearl millet hybrid MPMH 17 seed.

(Submitted by: Director Research)


Approved.

**Action:** Addl. Director Research (Seed)

The meeting was ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair and all the members of the Council.

  
(S.D. Ratnoo)  
Director Research  
Secretary Research Council and  
Agriculture University  
Jodhpur

Submitted to the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor for approval.

  
(B.R. Choudhary)  
Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor & Chairman

**Vice Chancellor**  
**Agriculture University**  
**Jodhpur**