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Press-Release

Parliamentary Standing Committee on Chemical & Fertilizers Visited NIPER, S.A.S. Nagar



The Parliamentary Standing Committee on Chemical and Fertilizers visited NIPER, S.A.S. Nagar on 15.06.2017. The committee comprising of 11 MP's and official from Parliament are on study tour from 09.06.2017 to 15.06.2017 to Kullu Manali, Mandi, Shimla, Baddi and Chandigarh. The chairperson of the committee is Sh. Anandrao Vithoba Adsul, Member of Parliament. He is the member of 16th Lok Sabha of India and represented Amravati constituency of Maharashtra and has been honoured with Sansad Ratna Award in 2011,2012 and 2013.



The Parliamentary Standing Committee visited National Institute of Pharmaceutical Education and Research today at 4.00 pm and visited various departments/ facilities of the Institute and appreciated the educational and research activities being carried out at NIPER. Prof. Raghuram Rao Akkinapally, Director, NIPER presented a brief overview of the activities being done by NIPER in the field of education, research and industrial linkages. Before arriving at NIPER. S.A.S Nagar, the Parliamentary Standing Committee visited Panacea Biotech Ltd., a Pharmaceutical unit in Baddi and had an discussion with various representatives of pharmaceutical units in and around Baddi on “Promotion and Co-ordination of basic applied research in areas related to Pharmaceutical Sector”.

On 14th June 2017, the team of NIPER, S.A.S. Nagar comprising of Director, senior faculties and Registrar also visited Shimla and had a discussion with Parliamentary Standing Committee on “Promotion and Co-ordination of basic applied research in areas related to Pharmaceutical Sector.

Before visiting NIPER, the committee visited Kullu Manali and discussed with the representatives of Rashtriya Chemicals & Fertilizers (RCF), National Fertilizers Limited (NFL) and Fertilizers and Chemicals Travancore Limited (FACT) regarding “Implementation of New Urea Policy 2015”. Then committee had an Interaction with the farmers in villages in Mandi regarding availability of fertilizers in the region and visited Shimla on 13.06.2017 where they have a detailed discussion with the representatives of Department of Fertilizers, GOI, Govt. of Himachal Pradesh and NFL regarding Policy for uniform freight subsidy on all Fertilizers under the fertilizer subsidy regime with special reference to Himachal Pradesh.

The programme was coordinated by the Registrar, NIPER Wg. Cdr. PJP Singh Waraich (Retd.) as Chief Liasion Officer.
