कयर बोर्ड Coir Board

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विषय/ Sub:- <u>Material for inclusion in the report on the significant events</u> of the Ministry for the month of November 2015 – reg.

The Important Events/discussions/decisions pertaining to Coir Board for the month of November, 2015 are furnished below.

S&T ACTIVITIES

- The Board conducted demonstrations of composting of coir pith for a quantity of 5MT at Puthukkad & Vadakkumuri in Thrissur, 3MT at M/s. Mangad CVCS in Kollam, 20MT at M/s. Coirfed Unit, 10MT at M/s. Pariyaram YCVCS & 10MT at M/s. Payyannur CVCS in Kannur.
- Demonstration on Fibre Magic treatment were conducted at M/s.Coirfed Unit, 10MT at M/s. Pariyaram YCVCS & 10MT at M/s. Payyannur CVCS in Kannur.
- Coir Board participated in the Exhibition on "Coconut-products and byproducts" at M/s. St. Mary's Higher Secondary School, Kidangoor, Kottayam during the period from 20.11.2015 to 22.11.2015. All the coir products developed by CCRI & CICT had been displayed on the occasion. Brochures of the technologies and schemes & services of Coir Board were distributed to the interested entrepreneurs.

• Technical experts from Coir Board had visited the following Coir Societies during the period for commencing the training under MCY:

M/s. Ullala CVCS, M/s. Chembu CVCS, Kattachira CVCS & Coir Project Office in Vycome area, M/s. Thannermukkam CVCS, Cherthala & M/s. Navodaya CVCS, Unit at Adichippuzha Colony, Ranni, Pathanamthitta...

- Technical experts from the Coir Board have taken classes on different technologies developed by the Board as part of the EDP training organized during the period from 16th to 20th November 2015. Demonstrations on the eco-friendly technologies were also carried out to show the entrepreneurs on that occasion.
- A group of 20 coir entrepreneurs from Andhra Pradesh through the Regional Office, Rajahmundry attended a session on the extraction processing of coir & pith and use of coir as a technical textile fibre.
- Imparted training on spinning of thin yarn, weaving of different variety of fabrics, winding of bobbin, cops etc. to the trainees (Advanced & Artisans) of NCT&DC.

COIR UDYAMI YOJANA

During the period under report, the Board has released an amount of Rs 66.24 lakhs towards subsidy for setting up of 25 units under Coir Udyami Yojana.

COIR VIKAS YOJANA

1.Skill Upgradation and Mahila Coir Yojana(MCY)

A total No. of 279 women workers were trained in spinning of coir yarn and manufacture of value added products. Besides, 3 Awareness programmes and one Workshop were organized in major coir producing centres during the month.

2.Export Marketing Promotion (EMP)

Buyer Seller Meet

Coir Board facilitated a Buyer Seller Meet at Guangzhou, China during the China Import & Export Fair (Canton Fair) from 31st October – 4 th November, 2015. The delegation was consisted of 18 entrepreneurs from Indian coir sector. They held interactive meetings with the prospective buyers from China as well as from different countries, on the market situation of coir in

their respective countries. The Buyer Seller Meet was very successful and the participants received a lot of trade leads.

External Market Development Assistance

An amount of Rs. 8,11,178/- (Rupees Eight Lakh Elevan Thousand One Hundred and Seventy Eight Only) has been disbursed to Five Units as External Market Development Assistance for various export promotional activities abroad.

3. Domestic Marketing Promotion(DMP)

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PARTICIPATION OF INDIAN COIR SECTOR IN THE INTERNATIONAL HORTICULTURE TRADE FAIR, HOLLAND

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VISIT OF DIRECTOR & VICE CHANCELLOR, INDIAN INSTITUTE OF FOREIGN TRADE(IIFT)

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EXPORT REGISTRATION

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