

জাতীয় বীজ বোর্ডের কারিগরি কমিটির সপ্তম/৭ম সভার কার্যবিবরণী

Proceedings of the 7th meeting of the Technical Committee held on 3.1.83 at 5 pm under the Chairmanship of Dr. Kazi M. Badruddoza, Executive Vice-Chairman, Bangladesh Agricultural Research Council and Chairman of the Technical Committee, National Seed Board in his chamber.

Members Present :

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| 1. Dr. M. Kashem Ali
Director, Jute Seed Division
Bangladesh Jute Research Institute | Member |
| 2. Mr. A.K.M Anwarul Kibria
Joint Director
Field Services Division
Department of Agricultural Extension | Representative |
| 3. Dr. A.J.M. Azizul Islam
Head, Agronomy Division
Bangladesh Rice Research Institute | Representative |
| 4. Mr. M.A. Quddus
Principal Seed Certification Officer
Seed Certification Agency | Member-Secretary |

Agendum- I : Confirmation of the minutes of the last (6th) meeting of the Technical Committee held on 21-8-82.

In opening the discussion, it was confirmed that all the actions on the decisions of the last (6th) meeting of the Technical Committee have been taken.

Agendum- II : Reconstitution of the Evaluation Team.

With the permission of the chair, the Member-Secretary initiated the discussion on this agendum. In doing so, he apprised and explained to the Committee members that the existing Evaluation Team leader, Mr. Alauddin Siddique had not been working satisfactorily, as a result of which a number of crop varieties of different research organizations could not be released. The Committee members were further apprised that the Team members were also not working well on time. Hearing the prevailing situation with the existing Evaluation Team, the house unanimously felt that the present Team should be reconstituted and reorganized. As such all the Committee members agreed that Mr. Anwarul Kibria, Joint Director, Field Services Division, Department of Agricultural Extension should act as new Team leader, Evaluation Team of the Technical Committee as already suggested by the Director, Field Services Division, Department of Agricultural Extension, vide his memo no. Ext 5-6-79/8091 (3) dt. 4.10.82.

In respect of reorganizing the Team members, the Chairman suggested that a panel, consisting as many as ten members from each of the disciplines like (i) Plant Breeding, (ii) Agronomy, (iii) Plant Pathology, (iv) Entomology, (v) Agricultural Extension and (vi) Field wing of BADC and Field Wing of SCA be formed with his approval. All the Committee members accepted this suggestion of the Chairman. It was felt that this broad list of the Team membership will ensure drawing services of the enlisted members to join the Evaluation Team as and when necessary if the notice is given by the Member-Secretary quite in advance.

Decisions : i) Mr. A.K.M Anwarul Kibria will henceforth act as leader, Evaluation Team.

ii) A panel from each of the disciplines as mentioned above with 10 (ten) members in each panel will be formed with the approval of the Chairman, Technical Committee.

Agendum III : Development of seed programme (Vegetable Seeds).

While initiation the discussion on this agendum, the Member Secretary informed the house that 33 persons procured the proforma (already developed and approved by the Committee) from the office of Seed Certification Agency out of which 15 (fifteen) persons submitted these duly filled in. Under this situation,

Member-Secretary desired to know what steps he could take on this issue. The Chairman suggested that the officer of Seed Certification Agency under the guidance of the Member-Secretary should make an analysis of the information contained in the proforma given by each of the Seed Producers/Seed Producer cum Traders etc. and put up in the next meeting. Seed Certification Agency should also make on the spot inquiry of each respondent to verify the genuineness to the facts and figures furnished in the proforma. All the Committee-members supported the views of the Chairman.

Decisions :

- i) Member-Secretary will prepare an analytical report on the basis of the information furnished in the proforma submitted by 15 (fifteen) Seed Growers/Seed Growers-cum-Trader etc.
- ii) Member-Secretary with the assistance and cooperation of the officers of seed Certification Agency will make on the spot inquiry and verification on the facts and figures given in the proforma submitted.

Approval :

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(Dr. Kazi M. Badruddoza)

Chairman

Technical Committee

and

Executive Vice- Chairman

Bangladesh Agricultural Research Council.

(M.A Quddus)

Member-Secretary

Technical Committee and

Principal Seed Certification Officer

Seed Certification Agency