IARI Farmers Award 2020

To promote the talents behind grass-root level technologies, IARI has planned to recognize the deserving progressive farmers with "IARI Innovative Farmer" and "IARI Fellow" awards during the forthcoming Pusa Krishi Vigyan Mela likely to be organized in the first fortnight of March, 2020. Every year IARI Innovative Farmer award is bestowed upon 20-25 farmers, whereas around five outstanding farmers from amongst the selected farmers for the "IARI Innovative Farmer" award are considered for "IARI Fellow" award. The selected farmers for the awards will be provided with free lodging and boarding facilities at the Institute during the mela. The travel expenses (limited to II Class AC train / bus fare) of the farmers, who will be short-listed for the awards, will be met by IARI.

Application as per prescribed proforma, duly forwarded by nominating authority may kindly be sent to following address latest by **25th January, 2020**.

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Important Instructions:

- Application must be recommended and forwarded through any of the following authority, failing which, the application will be thoroughly rejected: "Director of ICAR Institutes/ VCs or Directors of Extension / Research, SAUs / Director, ATARI / Agriculture Production Commissioners or Secretaries / Director of Agriculture or Horticulture or Animal Husbandry or Fisheries of Sericulture of State Department / Head KVKs / Managing Directors of Pvt. Companies / Head of NGOs."
- Farmer sending their application on their own, must send a hard copy of duly recommended and filled in application, along with supporting documents, either by hand or by post on the above mentioned address.
- Application recommended and sent via e-mail by nominating authority will also be accepted.

IARI-Fellow / IARI –Innovative Farmer Award 2020 Application Form

- 1. Award applied for : IARI Fellow 2020 / IARI- Innovative Farmer-2020
- 2. Name of the Farmer / Entrepreneur
- 3. Marital Status & Gender
- 4. Date and place of birth
- 5. Postal address:
- 6. Educational Qualification
- 7. Resources owned or leased in by Farmer
 - i. Land (ha)

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- ii. Irrigated area (ha.)
- iii. Water bodies with irrigation capacity
- iv. Animal Resources including fish and Poultry
- v. Farm Machinery
- 8. Information about agriculture and allied activities (area / nos. along with variety / breed)
 - i. Field Crops
 - ii. Horticultural Crops
 - iii. Agro-forestry
 - iv. Dairy / Poultry / Fisheries / Duckaries / Piggeries (specify unit)
 - v. Any Other
- 9. Innovative Technologies/ Scientific Practices (Brief Information)
 - i. Adopted
 - ii. Modified
 - iii. Developed (if any)
- 10. Activity wise income, cost-benefit ratio, gross and net income
 - i. Field crops (per ha.)
 - ii. Horticulture crops (per ha.)
 - iii. Enterprises like Livestock, Fisheries, Piggery, Sericulture etc.
 - iv. Any other
- 11. Spread of the innovation among fellow farmers (brief information).
- 12. The contribution of the farmers in terms of
 - i. New package of practices / management strategies
 - ii. Saving or resources / inputs
 - iii. Any other
- 13. Any other relevant information
 - i. Media coverage like Success stories / feature articles /documentary / CDs etc.
 - ii. Recognition received as certificates, medals and awards, etc. at Block/ State / National Level)

(Signature of the farmer)

Recommendations by Director of ICAR Institutes/ VCs or Directors of Extension / Research, SAUs / Director, ATARI / Agriculture Production Commissioners or Secretaries / Director of Agriculture or Horticulture or Animal Husbandry or Fisheries of Sericulture of State Department / Head KVKs / Managing Directors of Pvt. Companies / Head of NGOs.

(Signature of Recommending Officer / full Designation)