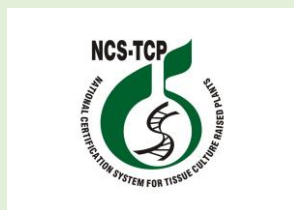




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**STAKEHOLDERS MEET ON NATIONAL
CERTIFICATION SYSTEM FOR TISSUE CULTURE
RAISED PLANTS (NCS-TCP)**

Organized by:



Biotech Consortium India Limited (BCIL)

New Delhi

Venue

**Auditorium, SCOPE Convention Centre,
SCOPE Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi**

Date: November 14, 2017

PROGRAMME

Registration	8.30 AM – 10.00 AM
Inauguration	10.00AM -11.00AM
Welcome address	Dr. Purnima Sharma Managing Director, Biotech Consortium India Limited
Address: About NCS-TCP	Dr. Renu Swarup Sr. Adviser/Scientist H Department of Biotechnology Government of India
Special Remarks	Prof. Anupam Varma Chairman, Project Monitoring and Evaluation Committee of NCS-TCP Dr. A. K. Singh Deputy Director General (Horticultural Science), Indian Council of Agricultural Research, New Delhi
Special Address	Shri. S. K. Pattanayak, IAS Secretary Department of Agriculture, Cooperation and Farmers Welfare Ministry of Agriculture Cooperation and Farmers Welfare Government of India
Key note address	Prof. K. VijayRaghavan Secretary Department of Biotechnology Government of India
Inaugural address	Shri Y. S. Chowdary Hon'ble Minister of State for Ministry of Science & Technology & Earth Sciences, Government of India
Vote of thanks	Dr. Shiv Kant Shukla Dy. General Manager Biotech Consortium India Limited

High Tea (11.00 AM –11.30 AM)

Session I:

11.30 AM – 1.30 PM

The Impact of NCS-TCP: Industry Interaction and Feedback

*Objective of this session is to get feedback from tissue culture production companies on
NCS-TCP*

Chairpersons

Prof. Anupam Varma

Chairman, Project Monitoring
and Evaluation Committee of NCS-TCP

Dr. Renu Swarup

Sr. Adviser/Scientist H
Department of Biotechnology (DBT)
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Remarks by Chairpersons: 11.30 am – 11.40 am

Special Address:

(11.40 am -11.55 am)

Shri Dinesh Kumar

Joint Secretary (MIDH)
Govt. of India
Department of Agriculture, Cooperation &
Farmers Welfare
Ministry of Agriculture Cooperation and
Farmers Welfare,

**Briefing on current status of NCS-TCP
(11.55 am – 12.00 pm)**

Dr. Shiv Kant Shukla

Dy. General Manager, BCIL, New Delhi

**Feedback of recognized companies
regarding impact of recognition under NCS-
TCP (90 minutes) and users**

12.00 PM – 1.30 PM

Networking/Interactive Lunch

1.30 PM- 2.30 PM

Session II:**2.30 PM – 4.00 PM****The Impact of NCS-TCP: Stakeholder's feedback**

Objective of this session is to get feedback/suggestions from Progressive Farmers, State Governments, ATLS and Referral Centers

Chairperson:

Dr. K. Gurumurthy
Former Director,
Institute of Forest Genetics and Tree
Breeding
R.S. Puram P.O. Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu,
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Co-chairs

Dr. S.K. Malhotra
Agriculture Commissioner
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Farmers Welfare

Dr. B.N.S. Murthy
Horticulture Commissioner
Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare,
Govt. of India
Department of Agriculture, Cooperation &
Farmers Welfare

Perspective & potential role of State Governments in ensuring quality tissue culture planting material through NCS-TCP

2.40 PM – 3. 20 PM

Experience sharing of Accredited Test Laboratories (ATLs) and Referral Centers (RCs)

3.20 PM – 3.40 PM

Open forum for suggestions and discussion

3.40 PM – 4.00 PM

Concluding remarks and way forward

4:00 PM– 4:15 PM

High Tea