

VISIT OF DDG (RESEARCH), ICFRE TO ICFRE-LIVELIHOOD EXTENSION CENTRE, AGARTALA

Dr. Ratnaker Jauhari, IFS, Deputy Director General (Research), Indian Council of Forestry Research and Education, Dehradun visited ICFRE-Livelihood Extension Centre, Hatipara Forest Complex, Gandhigram, Agartala, Tripura (West) on 5th October, 2023. During his visit, Dr. Jauhari reviewed various research projects and extension activities of the Centre. Shri Ajoy Debbarma, Scientist-B briefed him about the Centre and presented various research and extension activities in the presence of Shri Niren Das, ACTO and other staff members of the Centre.

Dr. Jauhari had interaction with Scientists and Officers and keenly learnt about the developments in the Agar (*Aquilaria malaccensis*) sector in the state of Tripura and enquired about the contributions of ICFRE-LEC, Agartala, to it. He was briefed about the Non-Detrimental Findings (NDF) study conducted in the state of Tripura by ICFRE-RFRI, Jorhat and ICFRE-LEC, Agartala.

He visited the State Forest Department's Agar plantation at Hatipara, Gandhigram and examined the inoculated Agar. During the visit, he also interacted with the employees of ICFRE-LEC, Agartala and research staffs working under various projects and listened to their grievances.

Glimpses of the Visit of DDG (Research), ICFRE, Dehradun



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