

Vigilance Awareness Week -2024 concluded at ICAR - DCR, Puttur

ICAR-Directorate of Cashew Research, Puttur concluded the Vigilance Awareness Week programme on 04-11-2024. The Directorate observed the week-long program from 30th October to 3rd November 2024. This program began with an Integrity pledge to the staff and the general public. Posters on this year's theme, "Culture of Integrity for Nation's Prosperity" were displayed to sensitize people. The activities during the period were intended to create awareness about transparency, accountability, and corruption-free governance among the staff members and the civil society.

In the valedictory function, Shri Shyam Bhat, Advocate, Shantigodu, Puttur participated as the Chief Guest in the presence of Dr. J.D. Adiga, Director of the



Institute, and Dr. Mohana, G.S., Vigilance Officer and Principal Scientist. He said that science and technology play an important role in eradicating corruption. Due to technological development, most of the office activities are computerized. Instead of using hard cash for making payments, people decided to go for digital transactions. This digital transaction will bring transparency in the administrative and technological field. He informed about many resolutions passed by the parliament to bring transparency in the activities of the civil society to eradicate corruption.

Dr. Dinakara Adiga said that the corruption issue needs to be tackled with the utmost attention. Earlier Dr. Mohana G.S. welcomed the guests and the gathering. The program came to an end with a vote of thanks by Shri Prakash G. Bhat, CTO, DCR, Puttur.

