PRESS RELEASE

Department of Science and Technology (DST) National Resources Data Management System (NRDMS) has chosen JNTUH to conduct Review Meeting of the Expert Committee for the SC/ST R&D Scheme under "Natural Resources Data Management System (NRDMS) programme scheduled for 9-11th November, 2017 at Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University Hyderabad, Hyderabad – 85, under the supervision of its Directorate of Research and Development.



Dr. Bhoop Singh, Head, National Resources Data Management System (NRDMS), Department of Science & Technology, Government of India briefed that subject experts from various parts of the country along with fifty Principal Investigators are participating in the said meeting.

The basic aim of this programme is to develop R&D projects addressing the issues related to drinking water, sanitation, health and documentation of traditional knowledge and provide solutions and products to improve the living conditions and income of SC/ST community. One of the projects relate to recycling of agri-waste to vermi compost in the Jayapur village of Varanasi district. This village has been adopted by Hon'ble Prime Minister Narendra Modi for Development as Pilot Village. The committee is headed by Prof. B K Dass of Delhi University.

Prof. A. Venugopal Reddy, Vice Chancellor of JNTUH has expressed his happiness for considering JNTUH as a platform for research projects review meetings by NRDMS-DST, Govt. of India and interacted with the experts of the DST committee members. Dr. Reddy narrated about JNTUH, its facilities and the expertise available in the University to take up any kind of research activities which will be useful to the society in general and the state of Telangana in particular.