Proceedings of CEC meeting of SAWBAR at ICAR-IIWBR Karnal on February 16, 2018

A meeting of the CEC of the Society for Advancement of Wheat and Barley Research was convened on February 16, 2018 at 11.00 AM in VS Mathur Hall, IIWBR, Karnal to discuss following agenda items:

- 1. Superannuation of President, SAWBAR and his desire to relinquish the office
- 2. New Dates for brain storming session
- 3. Initiating process for holding IGM
- 4. Any other agenda item with the permission of the chair

The meeting was chaired by Dr R K Gupta, President of the society. The meeting was attended by the following office bearer of the Society:

- 1. Dr R K Gupta, President
- 2. Dr G P Singh, Vice President
- 3. Dr. (Mrs.) Sindhu Sareen, General Secretary
- 4. Dr. Pradeep Sharma, Editor- in –chief
- 5. Dr Poonam Jasrotia, Treasurer
- 6. Dr Chunni Lal, Section Editor (CI)
- 7. Dr Satish, Section Editor (CI)
- 8. Dr Dinesh, Section Editor (QBS)
- 9. Dr R S Chhokar, Section Editor (RM)
- 10. Dr R Sendhil, Section Editor (SS)

The committee discussed the agenda items one by one and after detailed deliberations the following recommendations/actions emerged.

- i. In view of Dr R.K Gupta's desire to relinquish the office of President SAWBAR after his superannuation on Feb 28, 2018, Dr S C Bhardwaj through his email dated Feb 13, 2018 proposed the name of Dr GP Singh to fill the vacancy. General Secretary seconded the name as per bye laws of the society. All the members agreed to the proposal and hence CEC decided that Dr GP Singh will be President of the society w.e.f March 1, 2018.
- ii. The brain storming session on Stubble Burning, which was postponed from Feb. 17, 2018, will now be held during wheat workshop. A request to reserve slot for the same along with the general body meeting of the society will be made to organizing committee.
- iii. CEC also decided to initiate process to hold 4th IGM during last week of November, 2018. As decided earlier, IGM will be held at CSKHPKV Palampur.
- iv. CEC also decided that the term of executive council of the society should not be more than 2 years. The matter will be taken up during general body meeting of the society and if approved by majority vote, necessary amendments will be made in the bye-laws and election process will be initiated so that new CEC takes charge on Jan 1, 2019.

The proceeding is issued with the approval of President.

(General Secretary)