

Balance Crop Nutrition to Address Animal and Human Health



The Fertiliser Association of India-Eastern Region (FAI-ER), Kolkata, organised a Seminar on **Balance Crop Nutrition to Address Animal and Human Health** on 25 July 2025 at Bhubaneswar, Odisha. It was inaugurated by Dr. Suresh Kumar Chaudhari, Director General, FAI, New Delhi.

In his address, DG stated that the theme of the Seminar is very appropriate in the current situation due to imbalance in use of fertiliser nutrients. He then dwelt upon the direct correlation of balance nutrition to crop yields, useful microbiota, soil, animal and human health; site specific nutrient management comprising of balanced use of fertilisers along with organic manures, bio-fertilisers; Government's scheme of PM-PRANAM – program for restoration, awareness, nourishment, amelioration of Mother Eart, etc. He then apprised the participants about FAI, its publications and FAI Seminar to be held during 10-12 December 2025 in New Delhi and provided 5 copies of FCO 1985 to Deputy Director (Fertiliser), Government of Odisha.

Dr. Arjamadutta Sarangi, Director, ICAR-Indian Institute of Water Management, Bhubaneswar; Mr. Sarada Prasanna Kar, Deputy Director (Fertiliser), Government of Odisha; Dr. Ranjan Kumar Mohanta, Senior Scientist & Head, Krishi Vigyan Kendra, ICAR-Central Rice Research Institute, Cuttack; and Mr. Subodh Kumar Singh, RE-ER, FAI also provided information to the participants related to the subject.
