Institution of Agricultural Technologists

No.15, Queen's Road, Bengaluru – 560 052

Dr.M.PUTTARUDRAIAH MEMORIAL ENDOWMENT NATIONAL AWARD -2023

Late.Dr.M.Puttarudraiah (1909-1983) was a renowned Entomologist in the erstwhile State of Mysore, now Karnataka. He served as the State Entomologist; Professor and Head, Department of Entomology and Principal/Director of Instruction (Agri) Agricultural College, University of Agricultural Sciences, Hebbal, Bengaluru. He had lot of concern for farmers and students. He was known for encouraging simple environment friendly and economically feasible methods of plant protection.

The students and admirers of Late.Dr.Puttarudraiah have created an Endowment to perpetuate the memory of the great teacher and to emulate the principles followed by him in plant protection. A Gold Medal has been instituted in the UAS, Bengaluru to the best Post-Graduate student in Agricultural Entomology during the Annual Convocation of the University. Endowment Lectures by eminent scientists are being organized periodically.

In order to encourage the scientists/ field extension workers in the field of plant protection, it has been decided to award a cash prize of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten thousand only) and a citation to any teacher/ scientist/ field extension worker based on the outstanding work done by him in India during the preceding 10 years in solving the plant protection problem in the country.

Rules for the Cash Award

- 1. The Award is open to any Indian working in any Research organization/ Agricultural University/ ICAR Institute / Development Departments of the State and other Non-Governmental Organizations in the country.
- 2. The Award is given for outstanding contributions in the field of Integrated Insect Pest/ disease management (Teaching / Research / Extension) in solving field problem of any crop leading to a substantial increase in yield/ income based on the work done during the preceding 10 years. (2013-2023).
- 3. A proposal in not more that 500 words, certified by a competent authority like the Head of the Institution/ Organization/ Director of Agriculture or Horticulture of the State, stating the competence / authenticity of the work done during the preceding 10 years (2013-2023) in solving Regional / State/ National Insect Pest or disease problem and the extent of adoption by farmers and spread of such technology or benefits accruing out of it.
- 4. The person who is selected for the Award has to deliver a lecture in his field of specialization on the day of Award function at the IAT, Bengaluru.
- 5. The bio-data along with all relevant published research papers/ bulletins should be submitted in **quadruplicate** to the undersigned **on or before 12-10-2023.**
- 6. The Award shall be decided by an Expert Committee nominated by the Programme Committee, whose decision shall be final.
- 7. Past awardees and Former/Present members of the expert/screening committee are not eligible for applying for to the award.

Bengaluru 12-09-2023

M.Mahantheshappa Chairman, Programme sub-committee & Vice President, IAT, Bengaluru V.K.Kamatar Secretary

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Note: 1.If additional copies are required, the nomination form and the certificate may be got photocopied.

2.Last date to receive nominations at the above address is 12-10-2023

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NOMINATION FORMAT

1.	Name:		
2.	Address a) Office:		
	b) Residence:		
	Phone	Office:	Residence:
		Mobile: e-mail :	Fax:
3.	Educational qualifications :		
4.	Date of Birth & Age:		
5.	Experience : (Give details)		
6.	Work done in the area of plant protection (research as well as field extension work) for which the award is claimed (not more than 500 words)		
7.	Proof of the contributions (Work carried out on Integrated insect pest/disease management) during the preceding 10 years (To be certified by the Head of the Institution/Organization/Director of Agriculture / Horticulture/Principal Chief Conservator of Forests etc.)		
	Note: The Award will be based on the authenticity of the work done and competence of the candidate as certified by the certifying authority.		
8.	Copies of relevant publications pertaining to the work carried out during last 10 years (2013-2023).		
9.	Any other additional information if the candidate wishes to furnish.		
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Name, Designation of the Certifying Authority with Seal Date:

(Controlling officer)