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ICAR-CIARI Director & Scientists visit Farmers' Field Farming community exhorted to adopt advanced methods of farming practices with special emphasis on 'organic farming'



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The Director, ICAR-CIARI, Port Blair, Dr. Eaknath B. Chakurkar along with Scientists of ICAR-KVK, Port Blair visited farmers field and interacted with the farming community. On Aug. 18, the team visited farmers under Beodanabad Panchayat. Today, the team visited and interacted with the farming community of Guptapara village and witnessed rice production with application of Nano Urea at Shri Gopal Bairagi's field; organic rice production at Shri

Krishana Bairagi's field. They also witnessed climate resilient pond based integrated farming system in the field of Shri Ashok Roy, Gopal Nagar and Dairy Farming at Chouldari; integrated farming system model of Shri. D.N. Madhu, Creekabad; raised bed system of vegetable cultivation at Shri. M.M. Jaydhar, BBF system of cultivation of Shri. D.N. Mistry, Lal Pahar.

During the field visit, the Director planted sapling in the farmers' field and appealed to the farming community to adopt advanced

methods of farming practices with special emphasis on organic farming, ensuring availability of feed ingredients and fodders by promoting cultivation locally and maintaining parent stocks of broilers for reducing transporting cost on feeds and chicks, value addition and packaging of spices and coconut. He assured the farming community that, ICAR-CIARI and its KVKs are always ready to render the farmers with technical support for their socio-economic upliftment, a press release from KVK-ICAR said.