

**INDIAN INSTITUTE OF SPICES RESEARCH****Experimental Farm. Peruvannamuzhi****Proceedings of the FAC Meeting**

The Farm Advisory Committee meeting was held on 26.05.2010 between 11.00 AM and 12.15 Noon at IISR, Calicut and was chaired by Dr.V.A.Parthasarathy, Director, and IISR. The chairman reviewed the actions taken on the last FAC decisions. He noted that the turnover of ginger and turmeric beds is not up to the expected level and instructed the Farm superintendent to take maximum efforts to improve the turnover of casual workers and improve the utilization of farm inputs. FS should involve all the JTA's in working out the turn out of the work by labourers. He also advised the Farm Superintendent to take head quarters permission to leave the head quarters even though the leave is sanctioned at Farm. The ATR should include all the recommendations given including those pertaining to the above points. The following items were discussed and decisions taken.

<b>NO</b>	<b>ITEM</b>	<b>DECISION</b>	<b>PERSONS IDENTIFIED</b>
1.	Planting of ginger and turmeric	Effective supervision may be ascertained by the concerned technical staffs and scientists along with the Farm superintendent and Technical Officer (farm).	All the Division Heads/Scientists/ FS/Head Farm
2.	Expenditure on ginger and turmeric	The expenditure on ginger and turmeric for the last two years may be reported.	FS/SIC
3.	Fencing of ginger and turmeric plot	The seed committee may verify the matter and report.	Seed committee
4.	Action taken on report on Director's farm visit	This may be submitted along with the FAC action taken report.	SIC Farm/CTO in charge
5.	Poultry and goat manure from KVK	These items may be taken over by farm when ever available and used in the farm after decomposing properly.	FS/ CTO / Tech Officer Farm

Farm Superintendent

This is issued with the approval of the Director.

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