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Sub. : Strict compliance of CCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

ICAR Hqrs./Institutes extend support to various Societies for organizing International Conferences / Seminars / Workshops in the field of agricultural research and education in the country. Most of the elective posts of such Societies are held by the officials of ICAR Hqrs./ICAR Institutes. It has been observed that in few cases necessary permissions are not sought under Rule 15(1)(c) of CCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964 which is quoted below:

"Rule 15 (1) (c): Subject to the provisions of sub-rule (2), no Government servant shall, except with the previous sanction of the Government....hold an elective office, or canvass for a candidate or candidates for an elective office, in any body, whether incorporated or not."

It has also been observed that some of the ICAR employees are not giving intimation to ICAR/DARE within a period of one month for registration, promotion or management of scientific society under Rule 15(2)(d) of CCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964 which is quoted below:

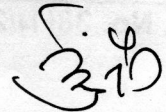
"Rule 15 (2) (d):- A Government servant may, without the previous sanction of the Government.... can take part in the registration, promotion or management (not involving the holding of an elective office) of a literary, scientific or charitable society or of a club or similar organisation, the aims or objects of which relate to promotion of sports, cultural or recreational activities, registered under the Societies Registration Act, 1860 (21 of 1860), or any other law for the time being in force:

Provided that –

- (i) he shall discontinue taking part in such activities, if so directed by the Government; and
- (ii) his official duties shall not suffer thereby and he shall, within a period of one month of his taking part in such activity, report to the Government giving details of the nature of his participation."

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These issues have been viewed seriously by Hon'ble Minister of Agriculture & Farmers' Welfare and President, ICAR. Accordingly, all the officials of ICAR should ensure that strict compliance of Rule 15(1)(c) and Rule 15(2)(d) of CCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964 shall be adhered to in both letter and spirit, failing which strict departmental/disciplinary action shall be initiated against the violators as per rules.



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