REPORT ON 'Swachhta Hi Seva- 2025' 'swachhotsav' (स्वच्छोत्सव) on 23.09.2025

The ICAR-Indian Institute of Oilseeds Research (IIOR), Hyderabad, organized the "Swachhta Hi Seva – 2025" campaign on 23rd September 2025, in line with the directions received from the Council. This year, the campaign was observed under the theme "Swachhotsav" (स्वच्छोत्सव), symbolizing cleanliness as a festival of responsibility and commitment. As part of the today's program, the Clean Green Utsav was organized with the aim of promoting ecofriendly and zero-waste celebrations, while ensuring active IIOR staff participation to collectively address general Swachhata challenges across IIOR research farms. The program emphasized sustainable practices and community responsibility towards cleanliness. As part of the initiative, a series of cleaning activities were carried out at IIOR office and institutional **buildings**. The activities focused on: 1. Ensuring proper segregation and disposal of waste. 2. Removal of unused materials, broken furniture, and outdated files to create clutter-free spaces. 3. Dusting, sweeping, and mopping of office premises including corridors, staircases, and common areas. 4. Beautification of surroundings through plantation drives and setting up of waste bins for systematic waste collection. Awareness sessions for staff members to adopt ecofriendly practices, such as reducing single-use plastics and promoting the use of reusable alternatives.

The collective participation of employees, students and workers played a crucial role in making the program impactful. The event not only improved the **cleanliness and hygiene standards** of institutional premises but also encouraged a sense of responsibility among participants towards maintaining clean and green surroundings. The **Clean Green Utsav** successfully demonstrated that sustainable and zero-waste celebrations are achievable through collaborative action.

Date of activity	Name of the nodal officer	No of staff members participated	No of dignitarie s	Farmers	Member s of civil society	School children	Total
23.09.20	Dr. P. Lakshmamma	60	-	-	-	-	60
25	Dr .P.S. Srinivas						
	Dr. Duraimurugan P						
	Dr. Suresh Madugula						
	Mrs Swaroopa						
	Mr G. Rakesh						
	Mrs Maheshwari						
	Shri Vasanth						
	Shri. D. Naidu						
	Shri. Shivam Singh						

