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UNEP – GEF – MoEF&CC- ABS Project

“Strengthening the Implementation of the Biological Diversity Act and Rules with focus on its Access and Benefit Sharing Provisions”

One Day State Level Media Awareness Workshop on ACCESS AND BENEFIT SHARING (ABS)

Date: 16.June.2015

Venue: The Golkonda Hotel, 1st Floor,
Mayfair Hall, Masab Tank, Hyderabad

TENTATIVE - PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

10:00	-	10:30	Registration	
10:30	-	10:40	Welcome address	Dr. C. Suvarna, I.F.S., Member Secretary, TSBDB.
10:40	-	11:30	Project briefing and Access and Benefit Sharing (ABS) mechanism	Dr. Ishwar C. Poojar, Project Manager, UNEP-GEF-MoEF-ABS Project, PMU, National Biodiversity Authority, Chennai.
11:30	-	11:50	Access and Benefit Sharing (ABS) - Experience sharing	Dr. K.S. Varaprasad, Director, Indian Institute of Oilseeds Research, Hyderabad
11:50	-	12:10	Policy & experience with reference to Biodiversity & Access and Benefit Sharing (ABS)	Dr. R. Kalpana Sastry, Joint Director, National Academy of Agricultural Research Management (NAARM), Hyderabad
12:10	-	12:20	Views on the subject	Shri. Rajeshwar Tiwari, I.A.S., Principal Secretary to Government, EFS&T Department, Telangana State.
12:20	-	12:40	Chief Guest's address	Shri. Jogu Ramanna, Hon'ble Minister for EFS&T and B.C.Welfare Govt of Telangana
12:40	-	1:00	Interaction on the subject	Dr. Ishwar C. Poojar, Dr. K.S. Varaprasad, Dr. R. Kalpana Sastry
1:00	-	1:05	Vote of Thanks	Mr. V. Linga Rao, Regional Biodiversity Coordinator, TSBDB.
1:05			Followed by Lunch	