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No. Jain-INCID Award/2011/398-462

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To,

(As per the List),

Subject: Call for Nominations for Jain-INCID Krishi Sinchai Vikas Puraskar, 2010.

Dear Sir.

I write this in connection with the Jain-INCID Krishi Sinchai Vikas Puraskar (KSVP), 2010. Indian National Committee on Irrigation and Drainage (INCID) has entered into an MoU with Jain Charities and constituted two awards since 2000-01 viz. Jain-INCID Sookshma Sinchai Puraskar (SSP) and Jain-INCID Krishi Sinchai Vikas Puraskar (KSVP) to honour and encourage persons/organizations making outstanding contribution in practicing modern/micro irrigation and drainage techniques and for improvement of water management in irrigated agriculture. Each of the Award is being conferred in alternate years and carries a cash prize of Rs.51,000/- a plaque and a citation. This year's Award would be Krishi Sinchai Vikas Puraskar, 2010 (KSVP).

To imbibe the spirit of competition and ensure more and more people to participate in the Award, thereby contributing in development of better irrigation and water management techniques and adaptability of the solution to actual field problems. With this in view, I would request and urge you to identify suitable persons, who have done pioneering work in the field and encourage them to send their nominations for the Award. In this regard, I am enclosing a copy of the details of the Award and a prescribed proforma for submission of the nominations.

The last date of submission of nomination is 10th March 2011.

Yours Sincerely,

Encl: As above

(Yogesh Paithankar) Member-Secretary, INCID

JAIN – INCID KRISHI SINCHAI VIKAS PURASKAR – 2010

The Indian National Committee on Irrigation and Drainage in association with M/s Jain Charities, Jalgaon, (Maharashtra) has Instituted awards to honour individuals or group or organizations making significant contribution towards development of modern technology in the field of irrigation, drainage and water management and related subjects. For the year 2010, nominations are invited from interested individual farmers/group of farmers/organisations for the JAIN-INCID Krishi Sinchai Vikas Puraskar. The award carries a cash payment, a plaque and a citation. The nominees to be considered for this award should have relevance and significance of the work for the last five years from the regional and/or national perspective. The work should be original or an addition or innovation or improvement in existing practices and prevalent techniques. Emphasis would be on the work, which has been conducted or proved under field conditions.

The Jain-INCID Award, 2007 have been conferred to "Sookshma Sinchai Puraskar" for the year 2007 to Mrs. Jaya Murlidharan, Member, Sinchan Sahayog, Aurangabad in recognition of her contribution on sustainable agricultural farming. She developed the 80 ha fallow, uncultivated barren wasteland, into a productive multi-functionality agriculture farm. The water management, integrated with rainwater harvesting, is accomplished through systematic planning and design of surface drainage network. Drip irrigation technique is also being used in the farm, which has helped in maximizing yield and income. Number of farmers in the area and people visiting the farm are benefited from the success story of sustainable agriculture farming.

SCOPE OF THE AWARD

JAIN-INCID Krishi Sinchai Vikas Puraskar - 2010 will be conferred for excellence in practicing modern micro irrigation and drainage techniques. The particular thrust areas which inter-alia, could be considered would include the following.

- (i) Control of "Waterlogging and Salinity".
- (ii) Prevention of losses in water conveyance for agricultural irrigation and drainage
- (iii) Improvement and innovation in the design of various components of Modern/Micro Irrigation Systems e.g. emitting devices, dripper line, drip tape, filtration systems, nozzles, etc.
- (iv) Use of brackish water and effluent treated water for agriculture and agro forestry with the help of Modern/Micro Irrigation technologies.
- (v) Wasteland development through use of modern irrigation methods.
- (vi) Automation of irrigation systems including mechanical irrigation distribution systems.
- (vii) Agronomic and/or engineering practices which enhance effectiveness of Modern/Micro Irrigation and Drainage technologies for farm applications.

Those interested farmers/group of farmers may send nominations as per proforma enclosed to the Member-Secretary, INCID. The last date for receipt of nominations in INCID Secretariat is 10th March, 2011.

For more details please contact:

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JAIN -INCID AWARDS FORMAT OF NOMINATION FORM

1.	Nomination for
2.	Name of the Individual/Farmers/Group of Farmers/Institutions
3.	Position and Organization
4.	Addressi) Phone No. : ii) Fax No . : iii) E-mail :
5.	Academic & Technical Qualifications(In case of individual)
6.	Membership of Professional Organisations
7.	Papers published (if any) (In case of individual) (An abstract of titles and copies of some of the most important papers to be appended)
8.	Name of the proposer Position Address Signature
9.	Name of the Seconder Position Address Signature
10.	Confirmation by the proposer that the Individual/Farmer/Group of farmers has agreed for this award.
11.	A statement by the Proposer/Individual in about 1000-1500 words explaining why the nominee should be considered for this award. This should highlight aspects like i) relevance and significance of the work done by the nominee in the last five years from the regional and/or national perspective ii) originality of contribution for design and/or development of irrigation techniques of its acceptance by farming community iv) economic viability of solution and v) additional ecological advantages of the solution/innovation.
12.	Whether the achievements have already been recognized for award by any other institution/organization. If so, name of the institution/organization, award and year.
Note :	The deadline for receipt of pomination for award is 10 th March 2011