

MoU signed and Technology Transfer at ICAR-NRC on Equines

A Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) was signed on 11 Novemebrr 2025 between the Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR)- National Research Centre on Equines and the Equine Breeding India (EBI), Bangalore at the Regional Station, ICAR-National Research Centre on Equines, Equine Production Campus, Bikaner, Rajasthan. The MoU aims to foster collaboration in the areas of Embryo Transfer Technology in Equines, with a focus on mutual benefit, equality, and reciprocity.



MoU being signed between ICAR-NRCE and Equine Breeding India, Bangalore

Scientists at Regional Station, ICAR-National Research Centre on Equines, Equine Production Campus, Bikaner, Rajasthan have standardised the various protocols for embryo transfer and embryo vitrification in equines. Team led by Dr TR Talluri has successfully produced four foals using embryo transfer by using fresh and frozen embryo transfers in to surrogates. This technology and package of practices for this technology was ready for transfer and commercialization. A Bangalore based firm namely M/S Equine Breeding India (EBI) has expressed its interest to purchase this technology to be used for their farm mares. During this meeting Dr TK Bhattacharya, Director CAR-NRCE has highlighted the institute activities and achievements of the institute. For this meeting and technology transfer Hon'ble member QRT Dr BK Joshi, , former Director of NBAGR have also attended as chief guest and applauded the achievements of the centre. The MoU took place amidst, Dr TK Bhattachrya, Director, ICAR-NRCE, Dr SC Mehta, Head, RS, ICAR-NRCE, EPC, Bikaner, Dr Rajender Kumar, Incharge, ITMU, ICAR-NRCE, Dr TR Talluri, Pri Scientist, and PI of the Project. For this meeting all the scientific, technical and other staff members of ICAR-NRCE were present.

(Source: Regional Station, ICAR-NRCE, EPC, Bikaner, Rajasthan)