## PRESS NOTE.

Rachakonda Police in coordination with Mahaboobnagar Police have arrested (4) Persons in relation with selling and distribution of Spurious Cotton Seeds and cheating the farmers of Telangana, Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka and Maharastra States. The arrested persons includes one Chinnam Janaki Ram who is owner of Gopi Krishna Seeds Boothpur of Mahaboob Nagar Dist and Srusti Seeds of Thorrur Village, Hayath Nagar R.R.Dist.

## Brief Facts:-

On 26.06.2017 on receipt of credible information with regard to selling of Spurious Cotton Seeds and selling those to unauthorized persons at Srusti Seeds, S.S.R Godowns at Thorrur Village, Hayath Nagar, Special Teams consisting with Sri J. Narender Goud, Inspector of Police Hayath Nagar, Sri Venkateswarlu, Inspector of Police SOT L.B.Nagar along with their Staff and Agricultural Department Officials raided at the said premises, found (1651) packets of Cotton Seeds of Different varieties i.e. 1) Indra BG-II- 960 packets, 2) Bheema 470 Packets, 3) Bheeshma-184 Packets, 4) Balram-37 Packets and found irregularities and illegal business. Stop sale has ordered for remaining stock and samples were drawn to send the Lab for examination to know the genuinity of seeds.

The special Team alerted Madgula Police and Agricultural Officers to where the spurious seeds reached. Based on that K. Goutham, Agricultural Officer, Madugula along with Local Police visited and caught hold the unauthorized (108) cotton seed packets and BT-II Cotton Seeds of certified Companies which are placed at unauthorized premises (Without license) i.e. in the house of Smt. Padam Lakshmi W/o Madhukar. A case in Cr.No. 78/2017 U/s 420, 188 IPC has been registered and later the accused Smt. Padam Lakshmi taken into custody, recorded her confessional statement and produced before the Hon'ble Court for Judicial Custody.

On 27.06.2017 Special Taskforce Team from Agricultural Department in the leadership of Sri N. Kumara Swamy, Dy. Director (Seeds) visited again the Srusti Seeds at Thorrur Village, found the irregularities and confirmed themselves that the Management of Srusti Seeds has doing illegal business by selling to unauthorized persons improper maintenance of records, non-furnishing of records, selling seeds to in bulk quantity to individuals against

the price fixed by the Government of India. Based on the complaint, a criminal case vide Cr.No. 501/2017 U/s 420 IPC & Sec. 13(1)(a), 18(1) Seed Control Orders 1983 has been registered at Hayath Nagar PS against Mr. Janaki Ram who is the owner of Srusti Seeds.

A Special Team consisting of Police and Agricultural Officers move to Boothpur Village of Mahaboob Nagar Dist where the source of Cotton seed business is going on. With the help of Mahaboob Nagar Police under the leadership of Sri Bhaskar Dy. Superintendent of Police, Mahaboob Nagar searched the premises of Gopi Krishna Seeds Company where the team found (1129) of packets different varieties of cotton seeds, 2) 2045 kgs of foundation and Reminent cotton seeds, 3) 1050 kgs of Red gram Reminent seeds all worth of Rs. 46,42,422/- stock seized and handed over to Local Police. A case U/s 6(A) of Seed Act is being registered by the Agricultural Officials and a criminal case U/s 420 IPC 13(1)(a), 18(1) Seed Control Orders 1983 has been registered.

Today i.e. on 28.06.2017 on credible information the Special Team apprehended the (3) accused persons responsible for this offence.

Sl.No.	Name and address accused	Remarks.
1	Chinnam Janakiram S/o Subba Rao aged about 40 yrs, Occ: Proprietor of Srusti Seeds & Director of Gopi Krishna Seeds R/o Flat No. 114, Ameer Estate, S.R Nagar, Hyderabad. N/o Boothpur Village, Mahaboob Nagar Dist.	He has been in the business since 20 yrs, obtained the license in the year 2005. Opened the Branch offices a Boothpur at Mahaboob Nagar, Thorrur of Hayath Nagar, R.R.Dist.
2	Sanghi Mahender S/o Bikshapathi aged about 33 yrs, Caste: SC-Madiga Occ: Supervisor of Srusti Seeds at Thorrur R/o fgLAT No. 407, F Block, May Flowers Park at Mallapur, Nacharam, Hyderabad.	He is working as Sales cum storage Incharge of Sursti Seeds at Thorrur Village.
3	Pachipaala Srinu S/o Ramulu aged about 27 yrs, Caste: Yadav Occ: Agriculture R/o Gatlumallapally Village, Nampally Mandal of Nalgonda Dist.	He is selling the seeds illegally to the Formers who is acting as unauthorized Sub-dealer of Srusti Seeds and Gopi Krishna Seeds.
4	Smt. Padam Lakshmi w/O Madhukar aged about 45 yrs, Caste: Munnur Kapu Occ: Agriculture R/o Madgula Village & Mandal, Mahaboob Nagar. (She was arrested and sent to Judicial Remand)	She is selling the seeds illegally to the Formers who is acting as unauthorized Sub-dealer of Srusti Seeds and Gopi Krishna Seeds.

The special team under the supervision of Sri Venkateswara Rao, Dy. Commissioner of Police, L.B.Nagar Zone & Sri V. Ravinder Reddy, Asst. Commissioner of Police, Vanasthalipuram Division had done commendable Job while arresting the accused who were doing illegal spurious seeds business by cheating the innocent farmers for the years together. Commissioner of Police, Rachakonda & S.P Mahaboobnagar has appreciated efforts of Police teams.

Advice to farmers that in case of any information regarding spurios seeds they should immediately inform to Police at Dial 100 or Whats app Rachakonda 9490617111 to avoid victimization.

Sd/Commissioner of Police,
Rachakonda Commissionerate.







