

My cordial compliments to all members of DAD-Net,
particularly Dr .D.K.Sadana

Breed conservation awards given in India is an excellent action for conserving the indigenous animal genetic resources in each country, but in developing countries it is more excellent, because they are more faced different social, economic, climatic, cultural and.....difficulties.

Indigenous animal genetic resources are un-renewable resources which retaining them should be given priority in each national or international plan of agricultural development program. In this connection, I cordially, believe that FAO must have more effective and organized role to persuade and oblige governments. Unfortunately figures show growing trend of urbanization and negative or slow trend of rural development, mainly in developing countries. In such condition, certainly, native animal breeds population doubtless will be damaged significantly. Therefore, I suggest competent authorities who are involved in DAD-Net look at the animal genetic resources CONSERVATION as a basic tool for rural development with the following axis:

1-More profit-making of native animal breeding

2-To avoid un-deliberately cross-breeding

3-Developing countries must be cordially persuaded to conserve their native animal genetic diversity

4-To use the residues and by-products in the way of feeding their animals

Important Note:

In all four above-mentioned areas THE CONSERVATION OF ENVIRONMENT for future generation must be taken into consideration. Otherwise, each development program which damages or destroys the environmental wont be sustainable, and our next generation will be very very suffered.

I personally, while thanking the honorable scientists who works in DAD-Net, announce my readiness for compiling the international or continental (mainly in Asia and Africa) plan on the rural development with emphasis on the conservation of indigenous animal genetic resources in the rural areas of developing countries.

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Implementing the Global Plan of Action for Animal Genetic Resources -

<http://www.fao.org/Ag/AGAInfo/programmes/en/A5.html>

Domestic Animal Diversity Information System - DAD-IS - <http://www.fao.org/dad-is/>

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