

## **RFRI CONDUCTS MONTHLY SEMINAR ON GeM**

**Rain Forest Research Institute, Jorhat (Assam)** has conducted Monthly Seminar on 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2019 on Government e-Marketplace (GeM). Shri Angshuman Borah and Shri Jayanta Das of RFRI, Jorhat were the speakers of the Seminar. Scientists, Officers, Technical and Ministerial Staff, Research Fellows and Students participated in the Seminar.

In his opening remark, Dr. R. S. C. Jayaraj, Director, RFRI, Jorhat spoke about the initiatives of Government of India in the areas of public procurement system. He told that full implementation of GeM would reduce corruption and it would save public money.

Shri Angshuman Borah and Shri Jayanta Das firstly sensitized the participants through a short film on GeM. They delivered detailed presentation on GeM. They explained various issues related to the subject. The procedure of registration, operation, uploading of products details, GeM pool account, approval, making comparative statement etc. were explained to the participants.

There was in-depth discussion on advantages and disadvantages of GeM. The Speakers gave an account of purchase made by RFRI till date.

In his concluding remarks, Dr. Jayaraj wished that purchasing of goods and services at RFRI would be made through GeM and appealed to all to maintain the financial discipline in public procurement system.

Shri R. K. Kalita, Training Coordinator, RFRI, Jorhat expressed the vote of thanks.

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