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Dr. K.P. Viswanatha
VICE CHANCELLOR

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify the "Centre for Advanced Agricultural Science and Technology (CAAST) on Climate Smart Agriculture and Water Management (CSAWM)" being implemented at Mahatma Phule Krishi Vidyapeeth (MPKV), Rahuri under the National Agricultural Higher Education Project (NAHEP) of the Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR), New Delhi has received the Award for Excellence under "Digital Farming Technology" during "elets Agriculture Innovation Summit 2020" for "IoT based digital farming technology for the precise and real time irrigation scheduling". The award was received by the Vice Chancellor, at Mahatma Phule Krishi Vidyapeeth, Rahuri on 20th August, 2020 on behalf of the team consisting of the following members responsible for the development of the technology.

A) Mahatma Phule Krishi Vidyapeeth (MPKV), Rahuri

- 1) **Dr. Sunil D. Gorantiwar**, Head, Department of Agricultural Engineering & Principal Investigator, CAAST-CSAWM, MPKV, Rahuri
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- 3) **Dr. M. G. Shinde**, Associate Professor of Soil and Water Conservation Engineering, Co-Principal Investigator, CAAST-CSAWM, MPKV, Rahuri
- 4) **Dr. Ashok L. Pharande**, Dean and Director of Instructions, MPKV, Rahuri

B) NAHEP- the Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR), New Delhi

- 1) **Dr. Rakesh Chandra Agrawal**, Deputy Director General (Education) and the National Director, ICAR-NAHEP, New Delhi
- 2) **Dr. Prabhat Kumar**, National Co-ordinator (CAAST), ICAR-NAHEP, New Delhi



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