

## SKUAST-Jammu Convenes Research Evaluation Committee (REC) Meeting



**Two days Research Evaluation Committee (REC) Meeting of SKUAST-Jammu** was held under the chairmanship of Dr. Jag Paul Sharma, Director Research to review the progress of Ongoing University Funded Projects and also discussed new research proposals submitted by Faculty/ Scientists of the university. In this meeting 55 ongoing and new research proposal were discussed under faculty of agriculture, 26 under Faculty of Veterinary Sciences, 12 projects under Faculty of Basic Sciences, 58 projects under different Research Stations, Sub-Stations and other Units of the university. The projects proposals pertained to the applied research in agriculture and allied sciences having direct bearing for the benefit of the farming community. The funding for operating these projects is managed from the Research fund/institutional resources of the university. Prof. Jag Pal Sharma outlined the research priorities/ mandates of the university and enjoined upon the Principal Investigators of the projects to conduct need based research for giving recommendations to the farmers and line departments. All the projects were discussed threadbare and critical comments of the REC members were recorded and incorporated for improving the project proposals. The REC members who attended the meeting included Dr. S.K. Gupta, Director Education, Dr. Bikram Singh, Dean Faculty of Agriculture, Dr. S.E.H. Rizvi, Dean Faculty of Basic Sciences, Dr. M. S. Bhadwal, Dean, F.V.Sc. & A.H., Dr. Pardeep Wali, Associate Director Research, Dr. Shahid Ahmad, Chief Scientist, Directorate of Research and Dr. Mahital Jamwal, Deputy Director Research. The meeting was also attended by Heads of Divisions of all the faculties and Principal Investigators of the projects. The proceedings of the meeting were recorded by Dr. Manmohan Sharma, Associate Professor, Dr. Satish Sharma, Junior Scientist and Dr. Narinder Panotra, Junior Scientist.