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रेलविहार के सामने, चंद्रशेखरपुर, भुवनेश्वर-751023, ओडिशा
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Subject: Report of Day-1 (16.12.2025) on celebration “Swachhta Pakhwada” by ICAR-IIWM, Bhubaneswar - reg

As per the directives of the Cabinet Secretariat, Govt of India and letter F. No. 7(I)12025-Cdn (Tech) dated 5th December 2025, *Swachhta Pakhwada* (16-31 December, 2025) was inaugurated at ICAR-IIWM on 16th December, 2025. The Director of the Institute Dr. Arjamadutta Sarangi administered *Swachhta Pledge (Shapath)* to all staff and scholars of the Institute. In his opening remarks, the Director highlighted the different milestones achieved under *Swachhta Bharat Mission* since its launching on 2nd October, 2014 by our Honourable Prime Minister Sri Narendra Modi. He mentioned about various initiatives such as tapping solar energy, harvesting of rooftop rainwater, plantation of trees taken by the Institute in making it a ‘Clean and Green Campus’. He called upon the staff to inculcate *swachhta* in every aspect of life and contribute proactively to maintain clean and healthy environment at home, office and public places. After the meeting the Director and staff of the institute took their photographs at the selfie point.

For spreading the message of *Swachhta Bharat Mission* and create awareness among general public, banners were displayed at prominent places of the Institute including main entrance gate and reception lounge. At the outset of programme, Dr. H.K. Dash, Chairman of the *Swachh Bharat Abhiyan* Committee and Nodal Officer of the *Swachhta Pakhwada* welcomed the participants and briefed about the activities and events to be undertaken during the *Pakhwada*. Some of the action and activity photographs of Day-1 (16.12.2025) are presented below.



Director administering *Swachhta Shapath* to all staff and scholars of the Institute



Director addressing the staff during the opening ceremony

Banner displayed at the main entrance