## CODE OF ETHICS

- 1. Rendering service in line with the vision and mission of the International Agricultural Research and Training Center (UTAEM) by considering the national interests and welfare of society.
- 2. Complying with the service standards and processes; the ones who get service from UTAEM is informed appropriately.
- 3. Legal procedures and justice are superior facts.
- 4. Non-discrimination (gender, language, religion, race, sect etc.) principle is pursued.
- 5. No room for gossip.
- 6. Humanity, courtesy and mutual respect are prerequisite for the relations.
- 7. Duties and authorities as well as terms of references and distribution of works are indicated clearly, comprehensively and consistently without need to any interpretation.
- 8. Impartiality and fairness principles are pursued in the administrative processes.
- 9. Decisions are taken impartially and independently.
- 10. Participatory approach is followed in activities and decisions.
- 11. In case of conflicts, personal interests do not supersede public interest.
- 12. The owner of knowledge and the person who perform any specific activity are respected and get her/his rights.
- 13. It is not allowed any conflict between the professions and disciplines.
- 14. Constructive approach is adopted to increase the capacity of the personnel.
- 15. Open-door policy is followed by the top managers for all personnel.
- 16. Personnel is encouraged and their role within the Institution is appreciated.
- 17. Personnel is benefited from the advantages of the institution in fair and equitable way.
- 18. All personnel behave in building trust for public service by considering the respect of the duty.
- 19. Corporate involvement is adopted and the institution is represented appropriately in every place and time.
- 20. Personnel serves as a model with their behavior and attitudes.
- 21. Personnel is aware of their responsibilities and perform their duties on time and properly.
- 22. Personnel uses the resources and facilities of the institution impartially for the intended purposes without causing any loss and wasting.
- 23. Personnel tries to be creative for their efforts and perform their tasks wholeheartedly.
- 24. Managers and staff listen each other thoroughly.
- 25. Managers and staff trust each other.
- 26. Staff are open to cooperate and share experiences between each other.
- 27. No-biased approach for the staff and they have a chance to show their potential.
- 28. The mental and physiological health of the staff are of importance and due care and diligence are exercised for that purpose.
- 29. Suitable working environment is formed for ensuring the smooth communication among the staff.
- 30. Social events are organized so as to ensure close relations among the staff.

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