

# Seminar Series

4 March 2013

## Eradication of Peste Des Petits Ruminants Virus in India

Peste Des Petits Ruminants (PPR) is a contagious disease, currently considered as one of the main animal transboundary diseases that constitute a threat to livestock production in many developing countries including India. Differential diagnosis of PPR in field is difficult as it frequently confuses with other diseases. The seminar will deliberate on various issues related to disease pathogenesis, diagnosis and control.

*Inauguration by:*

**Dr. V. Prabhakara Rao**, Vice Chancellor  
S.V.Veterinary University, Tirupati.

### *Seminar Speakers:*

**Dr. Satya Parida**,  
The Pirbright Institute, Pirbright, UK.

“What next after Rinderpest eradication? PPR marker vaccine and DIVA test using Reverse Genetics Technique”

**Dr. G. Dhinakar Raj**, Director,  
TRPVB and Professor,  
Madras Veterinary College, Chennai.

“Genetic resistance to PPRV – receptor expression vs innate immune responses”

**Dr. R.P. Singh**, Principal Scientist,  
IVRI, Bareilly, UP.

“An overview of PPR diagnostics and vaccine developed by IVRI”

**Dr. V. Balamurugan**, Senior Scientist,  
PD\_ADMAS, Hebbal, Bangalore.

“Epidemiology of PPR in India”

**Dr. Parimal Roy**, Professor and Head,  
TANUVAS, Chennai.

“PPR: epidemiology, diagnosis and vaccine”

**Dr. Krishna Jyothi Yadlapati**, Asst. Director,  
VBRI, Hyderabad.

“Report on PPR control programme in AP”

### **Panel Discussion**

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**Venue:** Seminar Hall, College of Veterinary Science, S. V. Veterinary University, Rajendranagar, Hyderabad

**Time:** 10 AM to 5 PM

**No Registration Fees. All are cordially Invited.**