

Visit of
JENNIFER ANKOROMN KHAN, Country Director ACF
(Action Against Hunger-Action Contre La Faim)
at PARC-AZRI, Umerkot on 09th January, 2020

Jennifer Ankrom Khan Country Director ACF (Action Against Hunger-Action Contre La Faim) thoroughly visited along other members of ACF Mr. Moiz Ali (Senior Manager Food Security and Livelihood), Mr. Rao Ayub (Senior Technical Manager Agriculture) Mr. Zahoor Palijo (Program Manager Food Security and Livelihood) and some progressive farmers of Mirpur Sakro of Thatta District, Mr. Boola Khan Lashari, Mr. Sikandar A. Pitafi, Mr. Jamal-u-din Bukero and Ghulam Nabi Mallah.

Jennifer Ankrom Khan along with the members of visiting team reached at the institute near about 10:30, Director General PARC-SARC, Karachi and the scientists of PARC-AZRI, Umerkot welcomed the guests. After recitation from Holy Quran, Dr. Attaullah Khan Director General PARC-SARC, Karachi briefly presented the ongoing activities and future plannings of the institute (PARC-AZRI, Umerkot). Director General PARC-SARC, Karachi answered for every question regarding activities and future plannings of the institute and coordination regarding ACF.

After brief presentation all the guests visited whole the field of PARC-AZRI by gait and observed going on activities of institute with interest. Dr. Attaullah Khan, DG SARC, Karachi, briefed about all the ongoing research activities i.e. Seed Bank of different plants and crops, Publications (research publications. Books and Booklets on different crops and plants, Water Desalinization unit, Nurseries, Kitchen Gardening Models, Organic fertilizer, Alternative Energy Sources (Biogas, Wind and Solar Energy sources), Moringa processing technology, Experimental Trials, Different Models prepared by PARC-AZRI for the communities of area which are ready for multiplication, Different exotic and indigenous grass blocks, fruit plant and combined (plants and grasses) models/blocks, Backyard poultry combined with Ber fruit plants, Different chilli varieties and drying, Fish pond combined with Ber and Date palm fruit plants, etc. All the visitors appreciated and showed keen interest in initiatives taken by PARC-AZRI, Umerkot.

These all initiatives were also appreciated by Jennifer Ankrom Khan Country Director ACF (Action Against Hunger-Action Contre La Faim) verbally and in his note written in visitor's book. Visitors enjoyed the lunch arranged by Director General PARC-SARC, Karachi and the scientists of PARC-AZRI, Umerkot, Jennifer Ankrom Khan Country Director ACF, planted a plant of Moringa and reverted back from the institute after a final group phot near about 15:00 pm with regard and esteem.

Dr. Attaullah Khan
Director General
PARC-SARC, Karachi

