HON'BLE GOVERNOR OF TAMIL NADU PARTICIPATED IN 22ND CONVOCATION FUNCTION OF TAMIL NADU VETERINARY AND ANIMAL SCIENCES UNIVERSITY AT ANNA AUDITORIUM, MADRAS VETERINARY COLLEGE, CHENNAI ON 30/03/2022

Date: 30.03.2022

Hon'ble Governor of Tamil Nadu, Thiru. R.N. Ravi participated in 22nd Convocation function of Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, Chennai today (30.3.2022).

Hon'ble Governor conferred graduation certificates to 204 young graduates and 101 awards to exemplary students for their outstanding performance and congratulated the students, faculty members and parents. While delivering his presidential address, Hon'ble Governor said that the young graduates to come forward and to take responsibility with pride of serving the people and building a great India.

India is marching ahead with confidence to its glorious future. Hon'ble Governor explained how the paradigm of developing India as fundamentally changed with Hon'ble Prime Minister Modi's all inclusive development. Earlier model of development had created huge regional and sub-regional imbalances and social tensions. He stated that how in a progressive state like Tamil Nadu there are development, differentials and sub-regional imbalances.

He called the earlier model of development Darwinian as some relatively smarter people cornered the benefits leaving the rest behind. As a result even after our some six and half decades of Independence India was home to largest number of poor, sick and illiterate. Prime Minister Modi's all inclusive development model is ensuring food, shelter, health, education, electricity, cooking gas etc which are basic ingredients of a healthy

citizenship to reach every citizen of India in all parts of the country without discrimination. Hon'ble Governor urged the young graduates to go for entrepreneurship and innovation, seize the opportunities and build India the world leader in the next 25 years.

Thiru.Anitha R. Radhakrishnan, Pro-Chancellor of Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University and Hon'ble Minister of Fisheries-Fishermen Welfare and Animal Husbandry, announced that 12 Medals and Endowments will be conferred annually for meritorious Under Graduates, Post Graduates and Ph.D Students of the University to the tune of Rs. 32,00,000/- (Rupees thirty two lacs only) from the next academic year. The awards will be distributed during annual convocation function.

On this occasion, Dr. P.K. Joshi, Secretary, National Academy of Agricultural Sciences, New Delhi, Chief Guest who delivered convocation address, Dr. K.N. Selvakumar, Vice Chancellor, Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, Members of the Board of Management and Academic Council, distinguished invitees and other officials were in presence.

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