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## Dr. M.S. Swaminathan Award for Leadership in **Agriculture for 2022**

## Announcement

On behalf of the Trust for Advancement of Agricultural Sciences (TAAS), I have the pleasure of announcing the name of awardee for the prestigious Dr. M.S. Swaminathan Award for Leadership in Agriculture for 2022. This time, the award goes to Dr Surinder (Suri) Sehgal, Founder of S M Sehgal Foundation (India) and Sehgal Foundation (USA).

His contributions towards strengthening the seed sector, both in India and abroad, are well recognised. Also, the rural development work of S M Sehgal Foundation established in Gurugram in 1999 for rural development in arid areas of India has helped immensely the rural community to improve their living conditions and overall economy.

Dr. Suri Sehgal is the 13th recipient of this prestigious Award. The brief details of previous awardees are given in attached Compendium entitled: "Dr. M.S. Swaminathan Award for Leadership in Agriculture" for your kind information.

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