

Four Foreign Senior Research Administrators Visit Japan

The Tropical Agriculture Research Center has been undertaking cooperative research works on agricultural technology in tropical Asia by sending its research staffs to a number of research institute in the region.

To ensure the further promotion of mutual understanding on our cooperative research program (Tropical Agriculture Research Program) and to have the opportunity to discuss problems related to the operation and future direction of the activities of the program, the Center invites senior supervisor or research administrator to short trip to Japan with all the travelling and subsistence expenses paid by the Center.

During the last four years from 1967 to 1970, we have had the honor to invite nineteen guests from Ceylon, India, Indonesia, Malaysia, the Philippines, and Thailand.

The Center invited four foreign senior research administrators to Japan in fiscal year 1971 as follows:

Dr. Phit Panyalakshana

Director-General

Department of Agriculture

Ministry of Agriculture, Thailand

Period: May 26-June 2

Organization visited: National Institute of Agricultural Sciences
National Horticultural Research Station
Yamanashi Prefectural Horticultural Experiment Station

Dr. Yen Tze Shao

Director of Agriculture

Department of Agriculture

Sabah State, Malaysia

Period: October 29-November 7

Organization visited: National Horticultural Research Station and vinyl house grabel culture farmers
National Institute of Agricultural Sciences Kojimabay Reclamation Project
National Shikoku Agricultural Experiment Station and citrus cultivation project

Dr. Dahro

Director

Central Research Institute of Agriculture

Indonesia

Period: November 10-18

Organization visited: National Horticultural Research Station
Research Institute of Agricultural Sciences
Kimura Banana Crocodile Garden

Experiment Station of Takeda Chemical Co. Ltd.
National Tokai-Kinki Agricultural Experiment
Station, Upland Farming Division
Institute of Plant Virus Research

Dr. Udom Charutamra
Director of Vaccine and Serum Division,
Department of Livestock Development,
Ministry of Agriculture, Thailand

Period: November 17-27

Organization visited: National Institute of Animal Health
National Veterinary Assay Laboratory
Nippon Institute for Biological Science
Division of Microbiology Biken Laboratories INC.
Kitawa Livestock Hygiene Service Center
NIAH, Chugoku Branch Laboratory
Kobe Animal Quarantine Station
Goto Hatchery Company
Yokohama Animal Quarantine Station