## Field Visits on the Farm of Sh. Rajesh Kumar and Sh. Kuldeep Singh

Date: 5<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> September, 2024

Venue: Village Kheri Sikandar, District Kaithal and Village Thamber, District Ambala.

Dr. R. S. Chauhan, Chief Executive Officer, Haryana Kisan Kalyan Pradhikaran visited the farm of Sh. Rajesh Kumar, a progressive farmer of Kheri Sikandar village in Kaithal district on 5th September, 2024. Sh. Rajesh Kumar is the Chairman of Amrit Javik, Farmer Producer Organization having more than 700 members, mainly focusing on organic produce.

Sh. Rajesh Kumar, shared his experiences about agri-processing activities undertaken by him.



Telling his success story, he said that he started with organic cultivation and has now ventured into agriprocessing with a number of products. He has been cultivating organic vegetables since 2016 and participated in various training programmes conducted by KVK, ICAR institutes, agriculture department, horticulture department and ATMA. He adopted a model of mixed farming. Haryana State Cooperative Supply and Marketing Federation Limited (HAFED) has certified organic farming of Rajesh Kumar as per ICS-194. He was been awarded Haldar Organic Award-2015 by ICAR. He has been motivating the farmers to adopt such model and fetch profits like him.

Dr. R. S. Chauhan applauded his efforts of motivating the farmers and encouraging them to think beyond just growing the produce.



Another visit was organised on the farm of Sh. Kuldeep Singh, a progressive farmer of Village Thamber, Ambala on 13th September, 2024.

Chief Executive Officer with his team visited the farm of Sh. Kuldeep Singh. He shared his experience with Chief Executive Officer about Net House, Cultivation of Vegetables such as cucumber, capsicum, tomato, etc. He also informed that a dairy unit was also setup during 2021 and is giving good returns. He has successfully setup a model of integrated farming.

Dr. R. S. Chauhan appreciated Sh. Kuldeep Singh for the efforts made by him in the field of intergrated farming. HKKP is always committed in promoting such progressive farmers.