## Field Visit at Integrated Farm of Sh. Rishipal singh

Date: 11<sup>th</sup> March, 2025

Venue: Village Dhandardu, Raipurani, District Panchkula.

In a significant move towards promoting sustainable farming practices, the CEO of HKKP Dr. R. S. Chauhan, visited the farm of Sh. Rishipal Singh, of Village Dhandardu, Raipurani, District Panchkula, a practitioner of integrated farming, on 11<sup>th</sup> March, 2025. The visit, aimed at showcasing innovative agricultural methods, highlighted the effectiveness of integrated farming systems (IFS) in enhancing farm productivity while ensuring environmental sustainability.



Sh. Rishipal Singh, known for his implementation of integrated farming, welcomed the CEO to his farm. His farm has been a model of sustainable agricultural practices for several years, incorporating a mix of crop cultivation, livestock rearing, agroforestry, and water conservation techniques. The diversified approach not only ensures a higher yield but also minimizes dependency on external resources making farming more resilient and eco-friendly.



During the visit, Sh. Singh took the CEO through various sections of his farm, demonstrating techniques such as crop rotation, intercropping, organic fertilization and the use of renewable resources. Dr. Chauhan expressed his admiration for Sh. Singh's integrated farming model and its potential to serve as a blueprint for other farmers in the region. "What Sh. Singh is doing here is not just about producing food, it's about creating a sustainable ecosystem that benefits both the environment and the farmer. This is the way forward for modern agriculture," he said. The visit

also included discussions on how the Haryana Kisan Kalyan Pradhikaran could support farmers in adopting integrated farming practices including providing access to better resources, training and technology. The CEO emphasized HKKP's commitment to promoting sustainable agriculture and

improving the livelihoods of farmers across the region. Sh. Singh shared his insights and experiences on managing an integrated farm and discussed practical steps for other farmers looking to implement similar practices. Dr. Chauhan was of the view that other farmers must also be encouraged to adopt such models to achieve both economic stability and environmental sustainability. This visit marks a significant step in fostering collaboration between farmers and agricultural organizations, with the goal of making farming more sustainable and prosperous for the future.

