Α one-day training on 'Hygienic abattoir practices' was conducted by ICAR-IVRI, Izatnagar at Marya Frozen Agro foods Pvt. Ltd., (only oriented export abattoir in Bareilly) under the aegis of an ICAR-NIAP network project 'Policy imperatives for developing value chain in agricultural commodities in India' on 26th March, 2018. The project is being run under the supervision of Dr. D. Bardhan, Principal Scientist, Division of Livestock Economics, Statistics and IT. Scientists from Division of Production Livestock Technology, viz. Dr. S.K. Mendiratta, Pr. Scientist & Head, Dr. Suman Talukdar, Scientist and CC-COPI in the project, Dr. Rajeev Ranjan, Scientist and Dr. Sagar Chand, Scientist, imparted the training programmes. The topics covered in the training were on general meat scenario in India, hygienic standards, Food







safety and affluent treatment. Twenty six participants, mainly Veterinary Officers, Quality Managers and Microbiologists, employed in the abattoir participated in the training programme. The lectures delivered by the Scientists were well appreciated. All the participants, including the General Manager, expressed keen interest in organizing further training on similar topics. It was decided that future training programmes will be organized, favourably, in the month of June, 2018 on the topics desired by the participants and staff of the organization.