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Dear Madam,

We, the members of ICAR-CTCRI family, deeply mourn the passing away of the legendary agricultural scientist Dr. M.S. Swaminathan Sir.

He will ever be remembered for his contributions in the field of agriculture that guided the nation towards achieving food security. We also remember him with great respect and reverence as the key architect of India's Green Revolution and as an Indian who was more decorated internationally in modern times than anyone else.

We wish the departed soul to REST IN PEACE and also convey our deepest condolences during this most difficult time.

Yours sincerely

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