I am glad that CSIR-CLRI is observing the Vigilance Awareness Week this year from 26.10.2021 to 01.11.2021. This year’s Vigilance Awareness Week theme is “Independent India at 75; self-reliance with integrity”. The theme captures our commitment to work towards a self-reliant India by promoting transparency and probity in public life – an aspect that requires full citizen participation.

The institution needs to sensitize its staff and the public who interact with us against the menace of corruption. We need to drive the message that fighting corruption is a collective fight involving every single individual associated with CSIR-CLRI. The institute will take all efforts to educate our staff, contractual workforce, students, our stakeholders, and our customers on the various aspects of probity and transparency in public life. We will, through the participation of all, also strengthen our Preventive Vigilance Measures.

Friends, let us all work together to make our Institute, our Nation, a Global Leader. Let us Resolve that through our mandated activities, we will strive for Global Technology Leadership of India – the first step for which is our integrity and our resolve to promote transparency and probity in all our endeavors.

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