## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

## **Unauthorised Use of NABARD's Name by Organisations**

- 1. It has been brought to the notice of NABARD that some institutions/organisations, operating from Delhi and Odisha, are misusing the name and logo of National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) in order to deceive the institutions/members of general public by claiming that they are Channel Partner, appointed by NABARD, for <u>Swarojgar Credit Card Mitra</u> Scheme. In this connection, we would like to inform the public at large that we have no association with such entity under Swarojgar Credit Card Scheme.
- 2. In order to save the institutions/members of public from cheating and financial loss etc., NABARD has urged the public to remain alert, not to fall prey to such frauds perpetrated by individuals/institutions/organisations who impersonate as channel partner/agents/project implementing agency of NABARD and not to rely on the information pertaining to NABARD except, available on authentic website of NABARD i.e. <a href="https://www.nabard.org">www.nabard.org</a>.
- 3. Institutions and members of public are also advised to be cautious of such individuals/institutions/ organisations in their own interest and desist from entering into any dealings with such individuals/institutions/organisations by considering them as a channel partner /part of NABARD.
- 4. Institutions/members of public dealing with such institutions/organisations/persons would be doing so at their own cost and consequences and NABARD shall not be responsible for anything in this regard.