

THE JUTE RESEARCH INSTITUTE ACT, 1974
(Act No. XIII of 1974)

An Act to establish a Jute Research Institute.

8. Functions of the Institute.- The functions of the Institute shall be

- (a) to promote agricultural, technological and economic research on Jute and allied fibres and their manufactures and dissemination of results thereof;
- (b) to organise production, testing and supply of improved pedigree jute seeds and multiplication procurement and their distribution through recognised organisations, selected growers and such other agencies as may be approved by the Board;

- (c) to set-up research centres, sub-stations, pilot projects and farms in different regions of the country for carrying out research on different problems of jute and allied fibre crops, jute products and allied materials;
- (d) to establish project areas for demonstration of new varieties of jute developed by the Institute and to train the farmers for cultivation of those varieties of jute;
- (g) to do and perform such other activities as may be necessary for the purposes of this Act.