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EDITOR'S NOTE

The twenty third volume of the Bangladesh Journal of Sugarcane is now ready for publication. The volume contains problem oriented research results and recommendations to overcome constraints of sugarcane cultivation in the country as well as elsewhere in the world. The contributors of this volume are mostly from this institute; however, this volume also includes five foreign articles received from India, Pakistan, Nigeria and Canada.

On behalf of the editorial board, I thank the contributors of 23rd volume of the Bangladesh Journal of Sugarcane for their interest and continued support to the Journal. I strongly believe Bangladesh Journal of Sugarcane is an ideal journal for the young scientists working on sugarcane and auxiliary sugar crops. It is our expectation that in the future submission of articles will go up and help bring out next volumes in time.

It may be noted that we are interested in bringing out some changes to accommodate quality review papers' and research results on allied sugar crops. I wish to extend my sincere thanks to Dr M Sharifur Rahman who is retiring from the editorial board.

I believe that the articles of this volume would help minimize farmers' field problems and sugar yields and will enhance productivity in achieving self-sufficiency in sugar and gur production in Bangladesh

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