The Vigilance Awareness Week was celebrated in the Institute with great enthusiasm. The week commenced with the taking of Pledge by the Employees of the Institute, administered by Dr. R.S.C. Jayaraj, IFS, Director, RFRI on 31<sup>st</sup> October 2016. On 2<sup>nd</sup> November, 2016 an Essay writing Competition was held on the topic, "Role of Media in eradication of corruption" / "Different ways to reduce corruption" for the officers, Staff and Research Scholars. The competition was conducted by Dr. Vipin Parkash, Sc-E. & Shri Satyam Bardoloi, Sc-C.

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There was a lecture on 03<sup>rd</sup> Nov. 2016, by Dr. R.K. Borah, Sc-F, Group Coordinator (R) on the topic "Public participation in promoting integrity and eradicating corruption". After the lecture, Director RFRI highlighted about measure of corruption by Transparency International and position of different countries and states in Corruption Perception Index. He also correlated the position in Corruption Perception Index and the Human Development Index, stating that these are inversely correlated, thus emphasizing the need to eliminate corruption for better human development.

A Quiz Competition was organized on 04<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2016. Shri R.K. Kalita, Sc-E., conducted the Quiz programme, supported by Shri Kalyan Hazarika- RA-I, Shri Bibhuti Deka, RA-I and Mr. Gyan Protim Gogoi, JRF. An overwhelming response was received from the competitors and audience.

In the closing ceremony organized on 04<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2016, Shri R.K. Kalita, Sc- E, addressed the RFRI employees and advised to work in integrity to eradicate corruption. Dr. T.N. Manohara, Sc-D, Vigilance Officer presented a brief report on the celebration of Vigilance Awareness Week. After this, the winners of various competitions were awarded with prizes and certificates. Dr. T.N. Manohara, Sc-D, Vigilance Officer proposed the vote of thanks.

Name of winners of different competitions are given below:

Name of the	1 <sup>st</sup> Prize	2 <sup>nd</sup> Prize	3 <sup>rd</sup> Prize	<b>Consolation Prize</b>
Competition				
Essay writing	Ms. Sumita Duara	Shri Ashim Chetia	Smt. Nibedita	Shri Abhinab
			Baruah Dutta	Borah
Quiz Competition	Team:	Team:	Team:	Best audience
	Shri Ashim	Dr. Dhruba Jyoti	Shri Nibedita B.	Smt. Ellora D
	Chetia	Das	Dutta	Borah
	Shri Angshuman	Mrs. Mazda	Mr. Hrishikesh	Shri Ranjan
	Borah	Sultana	Sarmah	Hazarika

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