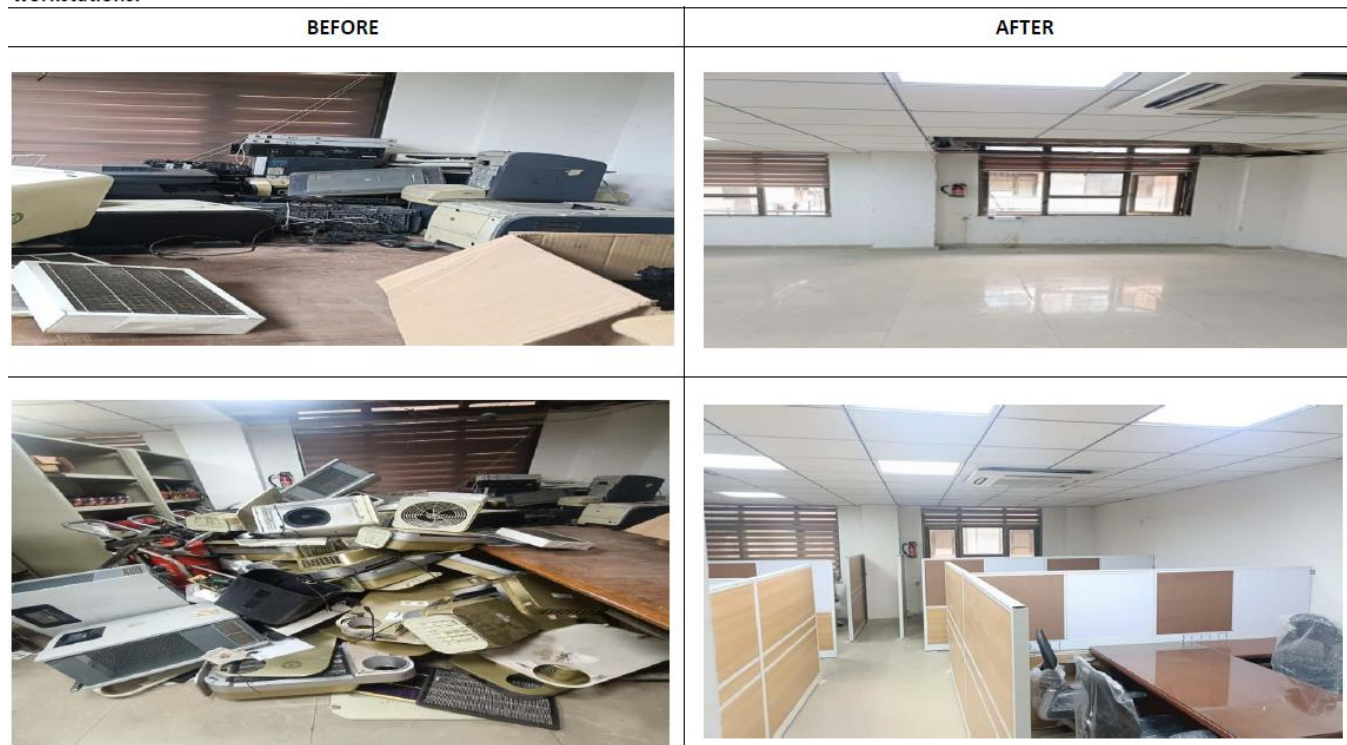


A. DBT Secretariat:

- (i) A store room was renovated and converted into Ladies Common Room. A conference room, which was in a dilapidated condition, was duly renovated.
- (ii) The department's common passages were upgraded with enhanced lighting and the addition of potted plants.
- (iii) The age-old storeroom has been repurposed as an officers' room.
- (iv) Optimized the unused library for a functional officers' room.
- (v) Waste to art completion was organized to promote creativity while also encouraging sustainable practices
- (vi) **The departmental canteen and cafeteria have been revamped**, ensuring improved cleanliness, better hygiene standards, and enhanced facilities for employees and visitors.

During the SCDPM 5.0, the Department of Biotechnology undertook the meticulous conversion of a previously cluttered storage area of around 500 sq.ft., once inundated with scrap materials and e-waste, into a fully functional office environment, complete with state-of-the-art workstations.

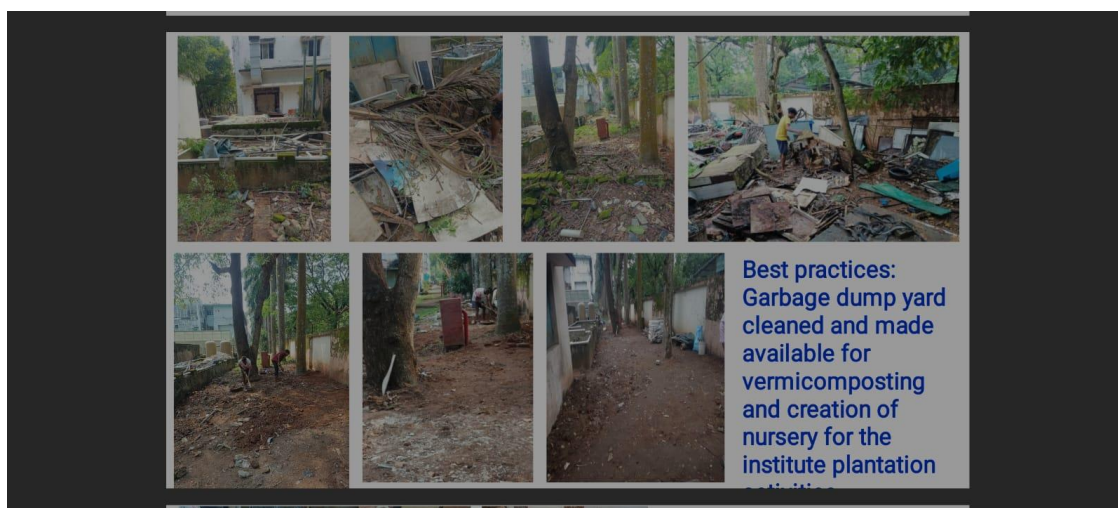


B. At DBT's Als :

Best Practice of Special Campaign 5.0					
S.No	Name of the Department	Features	Name of the Institute	Picture of the Best Practice Before & After	Month, Year of Implementation
1	Department of Biotechnology	Area Road towards Green House	National Institute of Plant Genome research	 	October 2025
2	Department of Biotechnology	Road toward ETP (Effluent Treatment Plant)	National Institute of Plant Genome research	 	October 2025
3.	Department of Biotechnology	Area Road towards Green House	National Institute of Immunology	 	October 2025

4.	Department of Biotechnology	Utilization of Space Freed	National Institute of Animal Biotechnology			October 2025
5.	Department of Biotechnology	Waste space was converted to nature parks / garden by tree plantation	National Institute of Animal Biotechnology			October 2025

(a) Cleaning of garbage dump yard for vermi-composting in Institute of Life Sciences (ILS), Bhubneshwar.



(b) Waste to Art Competition conducted and Best Artworks awarded by JS(Admn), DBT under Special Campaign 5.0

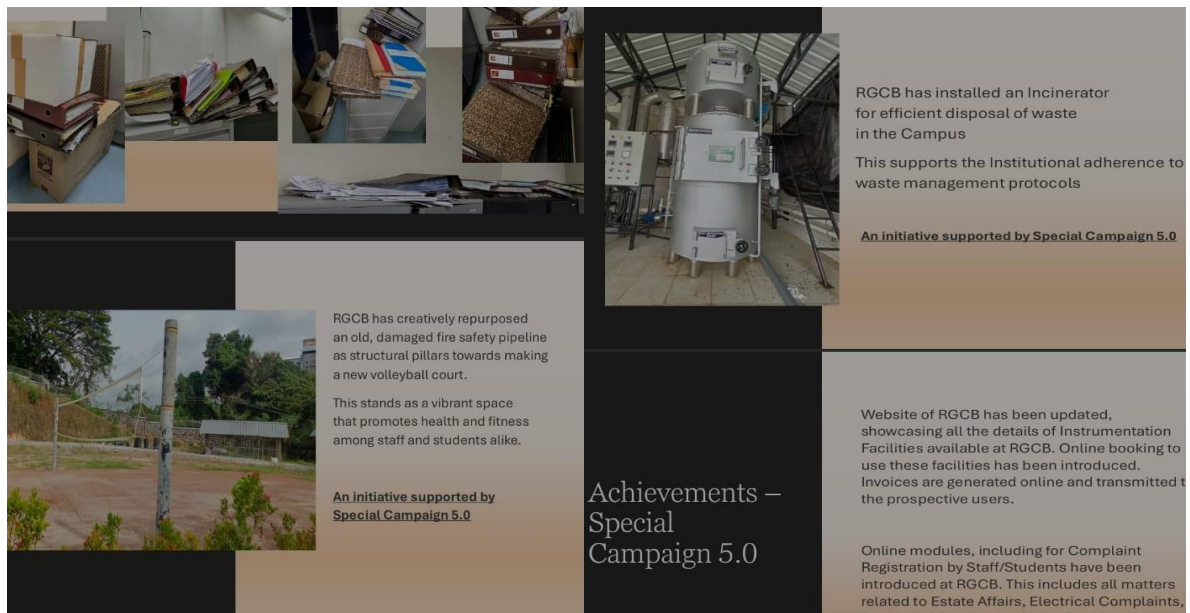


(c) Conversion of discarded rice experimentation tanks to Lily in Centre for DNA Fingerprinting and Diagnostics, Hyderabad.



Best practices: Discarded rice plantation experimental tanks converted to lily ponds plastic for beatification of the campus.

(d) Installation of Incinerator for efficient disposal of waste and repurposing damaged fire safety pipeline as structural pillars in making a new volleyball court at Rajiv Gandhi Centre for Biotechnology (RGCB) at Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala.



(e) Best and Environment-Friendly Practices: creating furniture using waste wood and Plantation of 2000 trees by Translational Health Science and Technology Institute (THSTI)

