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PREFACE

This publication is the outcome of a study on introduction of power pump irrigation in the experimental area of the Pakistan Academy for Village Development, Comilla. It is hoped that the report will prove useful to the policy makers and executives associated with the development of agriculture in Pakistan. To the social research workers the report may provide significant information on the process of adoption of an innovation in a traditional agricultural community. The aspect of group adoption studied may stimulate students of practice adoption research to explore a new dimension of the problems of diffusion and adoption of improved practices.

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