

Capt. Vikas Gupta, Veteran

Chairman, U.P. Council of Agricultural Research, Lucknow



Capt. Vikas Gupta, Veteran has been appointed as Chairman, U.P. Council of Agricultural Research on 11 March, 2019. He was Born in Bharthna, Distt. Etawah (U.P.) on 11th June, 1970. He belongs to family of freedom fighters and both the Grand father as well as maternal Grand father were great freedom fighters of Uttar Pradesh. Capt. Vikas has done his B.Tech. in Mechanical Engineering from Institute of Engineering and Technology, Lucknow in 1993.

Capt. Vikas has vast experience of both Central Government , Corporate World, Social as well as Political field. He began his career with Lohia Machines Limited, Kanpur then joined Indian Army as a commissioned officer in 1994 and served a tenure with elite Bomb Disposal Company, New Delhi Cantt. He is a acclaimed Bomb disposal and detection expert and carried out post blast investigations of various incidents. He has done Commando course, Bomb Disposal and detection course, IEDs course of Indian Army. He has given extensive training to IB/CBI/RAW/NSG and other Paramilitary forces. He also had stint in Prime Minister Security during 1997 to 1999.

Capt. Vikas joined Revenue Services after clearing Union Public Service Commission Exam in 2001. He served there in Central Board of Excise and Customs, New Delhi. He resigned in 2007.

Capt. Vikas joined social and political field in 2008 and exposed various scams in the country like NRHM Scam, Yadav Singh Scam, DND Toll Scam, Andhra Pradesh Power scam etc. He was also member of Manifesto Draft committee of BJP for Loksabha poll 2019.

Capt. Vikas is married to Ekta Gupta and has two children, His family stays in Noida, U.P.