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Reference: De Datta, S. K., A. C. Tauro, and S. N. Balawing. 1968. Agron. J. 60: 643-647.

It was an advanced breeding line called IR8-288-3 that was released by the seed committee of IRRI as IR8 in 1966 as the first modern semi-dwarf indica variety. Dr. De Datta was a member of that committee which was chaired by Dr. Chandler.