## Two Days Hands-on Training Programme on "Artemia Cyst Processing & Packaging"

10th & 11th December 2024, Ramanathapuram, Tamilnadu.



## MPEDA – RGCA, ARTEMIA DEMONSTRATION FARM



Rajiv Gandhi Centre for Aquaculture (MPEDA, Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Govt. of India)

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Rajiv Gandhi Centre for Aquaculture (RGCA), an Aquaculture Technology Incubation Centre of Marine Products Export Development Authority (MPEDA), Govt. of India is organizing a 2-days hands-on training Programme on "Artemia Cyst Processing & Packaging" at Uppoor, Ramanathapuram, Tamil Nadu from 10<sup>th</sup> &11<sup>th</sup> December 2024

MPEDA-RGCA has developed and standardized Artemia cyst processing technology for improving high hatching rate without affecting its nutritional quality. The Artemia cyst are naturally available from the salt pans & salt lagoons of Kanyakumari, Tuticorin, Ramanathapuram & Nagapattinam district and also from the states like Odissa, Gujarat, Rajasthan & Maharashtra. The high valued natural cyst resources are unutilized or underutilized due to lack of awareness, scientific knowledge, sophisticated equipment's for processing and preserving the cyst, **The main objectives** of this short-term training programme is to impart hands-on training on Artemia cyst processing and packaging to develop trained man power who could start Artemia cyst processing units.

Some of the important concepts and components that will be covered in the programme are as follows:

- Occurrence of Artemia Cyst in India & World
- · Artemia Cyst Biology & its morphology
- Physiology of the Cyst Hatching process
- Artemia Cyst Incubation & Hatching
- · Estimation of Essential parameters

- Use of Artemia cyst and nauplii
- · Nutritional profile of Artemia nauplii
- · Artemia Wet cyst collection & Segregation
- · Artemia Cyst Cleaning & Curing
- Artemia Cyst Processing & Packaging

The registration fee is Rs. 2000/- (Rupees Two thousand only). This is inclusive of course material (protocol handouts), Training Certificate, tea & snacks for the entire training period. The fee does not include travel, boarding, lodging and other personal expenses. Hostel Facility is not available. Local conveyance will be arranged from the nearest bus stop to that training venue.

We encourage College/University students, research scholars, salt farmers and entrepreneurs to participate this basic hands-on training. The registration form is attached for kind perusal and circulation.

\*On-line transfer to RGCA Current Bank A/c: State Bank of India, Ramanathapuram (A/c No.: 33676555347, IFSC code: SBIN0000908).

Please feel free to contact the address and numbers given above for further information. Best wishes from Dr. S. Kandan, Director, MPEDA-RGCA.

