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NOTICE

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR OPERATING COCONUT SHELL CARBONISATION AND ACTIVATION UNITS

Expression of interest is sought from interested entrepreneurs/coconut farmer organizations/Self Help groups for running the coconut shell charcoal/activated carbon unit installed at CPCRI Kasaragod. The selected firms/entrepreneurs can make use of the facilities including plant and machinery, storage space, facility for housing value addition unit etc. for the commercial production and marketing. Interested parties can visit the Institute and see the facilities in person.

Expression of Interest should be submitted before 03.07.2015. Terms and conditions for submitting the Expression of is available at www.cpcri.gov.in.

Director

Expression of Interest for Operation of Coconut Shell Charcoal and Activated Carbon Plant at
ICAR-Central Plantation Crops Research Institute
Kasaragod, Kerala

ICAR-Central Plantation Crops Research Institute (CPCRI), Kasaragod invites Expression of Interest from eligible individuals, firms/companies, and institutions to operate and maintain the Coconut Shell Charcoal and Activated Carbon Plant located at CPCRI campus, Kasaragod here in after is called the 'unit'. The applicant must be an individual or a company / firm / institution / farmer producer company of Indian Nationality or registered in India.

Terms of Reference

1. ICAR-Central Plantation Crops Research Institute, Kasaragod has setup a Coconut Shell Charcoal making plant with input capacity of 6 t/day and Activated Carbon Plant with input capacity of 2 t/day, which will be hereafter referred as the Unit.
2. The selected firm has to registered as an incubate of BPD Unit, CPCRI, Kasaragod
3. The incubate/entrepreneur has to deposit a sum of Rs.50000/-(Rupees Fifty thousand only) as security amount (Reimbursable) and may operate the unit on trial basis for a period of three months or three cycles of operation whichever is earlier and on satisfaction, can sign the MOU with the institute for continued commercial operations.
4. The period of agreement will be for 1 year to 3 years.
5. CPCRI will not be responsible for any pollution, social or legal nuisance created from daily or intermittent running of the Coconut Shell Charcoal & Activated Carbon Plant. The Operator will be morally and legally responsible for any consequences arising from such circumstances. Any dispute arising out of the administrative or operational aspects of the unit are under the jurisdiction of Director, CPCRI and his decision is final and binding on both the parties concerned.
6. Any certification to make this unit commercially functional is the sole responsibility of the incubatee.
7. The Incubatee will not use any of said premises of the Institute for any unlawful activity, with or without oral, written, explained or perceived understanding with any of permanent or contractual staff of the Institute. The Incubatee will be solely responsible for any such activity and in such case the contract will be terminated.
8. The Incubatee should not have any objection in getting the Coconut Shell Charcoal & Activated Carbon Plant inspected periodically by representatives of The CPCRI with or without any prior oral or written notice.
9. Repair and maintenance of the plant and machinery will be the sole responsibility of the incubate/operator.
10. The Incubatee has to ensure from time to time the proper maintenance of the unit along with surrounding /premises and is supposed to be handed over the premises in the same condition at which was taken over, failing which the security deposit will be forfeited or taken necessary action that deemed fit and contract will be terminated.

11. The manpower engaged for the operation of the unit are required to be paid minimum wages and all other statutory liabilities (as per CLRA 1970) are met. Documentary evidence of statutory compliances are to be kept intact and to be produced to CPCRI as and when required.