No. 8-14/PBD/SGPM-1/2019-20

विषय/Sub: Inviting nominations for training programme on 'Stored Grain Pest Detection, Identification & Management' from 27.01.20 to 31.01.20 (5-days) - reg.

Madam/Sir,

As you are aware, food grains are damaged due to various biotic and abiotic factors during storage. Among different factors, stored grains pests cause both qualitative and quantitative loss in stored grains and at times may render the food grains unfit for further storage and human consumption. Improper spraying, fumigation and other technical quality control aspects at storage godowns always results in increased pest population and development of resistance in insects and further damages to food grains. Hence, in order to mitigate these huge losses during storage, proper scientific storage is the need of the hour which can be achieved by practicing scientific stored grain pest management through trained technical personnel.

In view of the above, National Institute of Plant Health Management (NIPHM), Hyderabad is organizing training on “Stored Grain Pest Detection, Identification & Management” for technical cadre officers and staff of CWC & SWCs and also for State agriculture department officers from 27.01.20 to 31.01.20. Hence, you may please send 3 to 5 nominations from your department / organization.

There is no course fee for officers nominated by your organization and NIPHM provides:
1. Free lodging (on twin sharing basis) and boarding for the entire duration of training.
2. Reimbursement of travel cost by the shortest route from the place of posting to NIPHM, Hyderabad as per entitled class, but restricted to II/III-tier AC rail fare on submission of original tickets (Officials with prolonged illness and under medication may not be deputed for the training).
3. The local transportation from railway/bus station has to be arranged on their own, by the candidates either by prepaid auto/taxi according to their eligibility. The bills should be produced for reimbursement.
4. No family members will be allowed to stay at NIPHM hostel and the rooms are reserved only for trainees.

The nominations may be sent to our e-mail: dirpqniphm-ap@nic.in, pylajyothi.agri@gmail.com or by post to Plant Biosecurity Division, NIPHM, Rajendranagar, Hyderabad –500 030. For further information please contact Dr. Pyla Jyothi, mobile 7022408393.

भवदीय/Yours faithfully,

(Dr. J. Alice R.P. Sujeetha)

निदेशक/Director(PBD)
Copy communicated to all Principal Agricultural Offices. You are requested to send the name and contact details of officers for attending the training at the e-mail id of ideasing@gmail.com. Last date for receipt of nomination is 10/11/2020.

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IT Cell: For uploading in website.

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