

Notice inviting application for participation in the performance trial of hybrid paddy and hybrid maize during kharif' 2018

Applications are hereby invited from the interested seed producing companies /authorized dealers for participation in the performance trial of hybrid paddy and hybrid maize to be conducted at State Agriculture Research Station during kharif ' 2018.

The Format for submission of technical information along with terms & conditions in details can be had from the office of the undersigned on all working days and also can be downloaded from the website- www. agri.tripura.gov.in

Terms & Conditions

Applications along with duly filled in format (A&B) and related copies of technical information of the Research & Development (R & D) Division of the participating companies about the suitability of new hybrid Paddy and hybrid Maize under acidic soil and agro-climatic condition of North Eastern Region of India will be received on 31st March, 2018 upto 5.00 P.M.

 $\hat{\boldsymbol{x}}$, $\hat{\boldsymbol{x}}$. Yield performance trial of maximum 10 samples of hybrid Paddy and 5(Five) samples of hybrid Maize will be conducted during every Kharif season.

3. Performance of each new hybrid would be tested by conducting trials at least for 3 consecutive seasons.

4. A Trial Committee shall scrutinize the applications, duly filled in formats and copies of related technical information in support of Hybrid Paddy and Hybrid Maize and also prepare a list of prospective hybrids for inclusion in the trial programme based on the morphological characters claimed by the concerned company's Research & Development (R & D) Division.



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- **5.** The shortlisted companies/ their authorized local dealers shall have to pay trial fees in advance by Cash/Cheque/Draft/ RTGS @ Rs. 3000/ only per entry separately for each season in favour of the Joint Director of Agriculture (Research), Agartala, Tripura along with seed sample of 1(one) Kilogram.
- **6.** The Trial committee will thoroughly scrutinize the results of trial and identify the best performing hybrids from among the tested hybrids based on the following norms:
- i) The candidate hybrid should be uniform for important characters like plant height, maturity etc.
- ii) The candidate hybrid must be stable for the key traits such as resistance to a specific insect pests & diseases.

iii)The candidate hybrids should possess some distinct diagnostic features including grain yield making them different/identifiable from extant hybrid.

7. The Trial committee may exclude any hybrid from the subsequent trial programme if the yield of tested hybrid fails to give 10 % yield advantage over the yield of popular check variety of first season trial.

Joint Director of Agriculture (Res.) State Agriculture Research Station A.D. Nagar, Agartala

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1. The Director, Information & Cultural Affairs Department, Govt. of Tripura, Agartala for favour of arranging publication in news papers in single insertion

2/The Nodal Officer, Deptt. of Agriculture, Agartala with a request for hoisting the Notice Inviting application for participation in the performance trial of hybrid paddy and hybrid maize during kharif'2018 webpage-www. agri.tripura.gov.in,for which a soft copy is also being sent for taking necessary action

3. The Deputy Director of Agriculture, North / Unakoti / Dhalai / Khowai /West / Sepahijala /Gomati/South District for arranging display in the Notice Board 4. Notice Board, office of the undersigned

Copy also to:-

The Director of Agriculture, Govt. of Tripura, Agartala for favour of kind information

Joint Director of Agriculture (Res.) State Agriculture Research Station A.D. Nagar, Agartala