Setting Up of Aquatic Animal Health Laboratory at College of Fisheries, Dholi

NFDB has accorded sanction to the proposal of RPCAU for setting up of Aquatic Animal Health Laboratory at College of Fisheries, Dholi at total cost of Rs.120 lakh and released first instalment of Rs.60 lakh.

The project aims to focus on service to the fishers/ aquapreneurs /hatchery owners /fish farmers/other stakeholders with water quality test, seed quality test, definitive diagnosis in case of any disease outbreak, training of manpower, advance research etc. Also to use the developed facilities for generating skilled human resources in the field of Aquatic Animal Health. Purchase of selected equipment is under progress.

Establishment of Medium size Recirculatory Aquaculture System (RAS) at College of Fisheries, CAU, Lembucherra

NFDB has accorded sanction to theCollege of Fisheries, CAU, Lembucherra project titled "Establishment of Medium size Recirculatory Aquaculture System (RAS)" at a total project cost of Rs. 50 lakhs for one year (2020-21) with 100% central assistance. An amount of Rs.25 lakh has been released as first instalment.

The project aims to establish a Re-Circulatory Aquaculture System (RAS) and to start Commercial scale fish production through Experimental Learning Programme (ELP) to sustain the system. Also for technology development/refinement for high value indigenous species such as Pabda and Pengba for diversification of cultured species for RAS.

Construction of 8 nos of PVC coated Nylon Tarpaulin lined circular tanks of 10m dia each (1 lakh litre capacity) is under process.