## MEETING OF PRE-EVALUATION COMMITTEE TO SHORTLIST THE OVERSEAS SUPPLIERS OF SPF *L. VANNAMEI/SPF/SPR P. MONODON*

In response to the Public Notice issued on 6<sup>th</sup> March, 2018 and subsequent addendum dated 1<sup>st</sup> May, 2018, overall 16 firms sent their proposals for obtaining CAA approval to supply SPF *L.vannamei / SPF / SPR P.monodon* to CAA approved Indian hatcheries. In this regard, a committee comprising experts from Central Institute of Brackishwater Aquaculture (CIBA), Chennai, Marine Products Export Development Authority (MPEDA), Kochi, National Fisheries Development Board, Hyderabad and CAA was constituted for pre-evaluation of the proposals received and the committee met on 30<sup>th</sup> July, 2018 at the CAA, Chennai in this regard.

The committee evolved a check-list of essential criteria for compliance by the global shrimp brood stock suppliers. The check-list will be communicated to them which will constitute the basis for evaluation of their proposals. They will be called for the meeting of the Technical Evaluation Committee for the Import of shrimp brood stock constituted by the Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries, Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Government of India, New Delhi tentatively on 6th September, 2018 at the CAA, Chennai. Each supplier invited to the meeting shall make a power point presentation on his proposal to supply SPF/SPR shrimp brood stock to CAA approved hatcheries in the country.



