

ICAR- Directorate of Cashew Research, Puttur, Karnataka

Call for Innovative Cashew Farmer and Innovative Cashew Entrepreneur recognition

An 'Innovative Cashew Farmer' and 'Innovative Cashew Entrepreneur' (Cashew processing, Value addition to Cashew apple, Marketing) will be felicitated on the occasion of Cashew Day 2025 at the ICAR- Directorate of Cashew Research, Puttur. The application form for the same has been enclosed here. The hardcopy of the duly filled application form and supporting documents should reach this Directorate on or before 5th March 2025, The T.A. for the selected farmer and entrepreneur will be provided by the Directorate.

Address:

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Application form for award of Innovative Farmer

1.	Name of the farmer:	Affix Passport size photo
2.	Address:	
3.	Contact no.:	
4.	Significant contribution to cashew cultivation (explain in not more than 500 words):	
4a.	Area under cashew and other crops if any	

4b.	Management practices followed in your farm			
5.	Age of the plantation/cashew orchard			
6.	Yield (previous 3 years)	2024	2023	2022
7.	Media coverage /documentation by officials of your activities. Mention if any. (Enclose proof)			
8.	Innovative technology adopted (Drip irrigation/ultra high density planting, any other) and its effect in terms of yield			
9.	Any award/recognition for cashew cultivation received from Horticulture Department/DCCD/SAUs/other agencies in last 5 years (Enclose proof)			
10.	No. and name of trainings/Krishi melas/exhibition attended in cashew in last 5 years (Enclose proof)			
11.	Whom do you contact for receiving information on cashew cultivation?			
12.	Any position held in FPO/SHG/co-operative society/NGO/any other organization for cashew promotion			

Signature of Applicant

Application form for award of Innovative Entrepreneur

1.	Name:	Affix Passport size photo		
2.	Address of the company:			
3.	Contact no. :			
4.	Significant contribution in cashew processing, value addition and marketing (explain in not more than 500 words)			
4a.	Area cultivated under cashew			
4b.	Innovative product developed and its impact in the market and sale volume			
5.	Employment generation through your enterprise			
6.	Turnover for last 3 years	2024	2023	2022
7.	Media coverage /documentation by officials of your activities. Mention if any. (Enclose proof)			
8.	Innovative product developed and its impact in the market and sale volume			

9.	Any award/recognition for cashew cultivation received from the Horticulture Department/DCCD/SAUs/other agencies in last 5 years(Enclose proof)
10.	No. and name of trainings/krishimelas/exhibition attended in cashew in last 5 years (Enclose proof)
11.	Whom do you contact for receiving information on entrepreneurial development?
12.	Any technical consultancy given on processing/value addition/ marketing (Enclose proof)

Signature of Applicant