

# Financial Assistance to Mussel Culture and Oyster Farming in Goa

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## Benefits (Financial Assistance to Mussel Culture and Oyster Farming in Goa)

- Setting Up of Unit in Estuarine Waters 50% subsidy limited to ■ 25,000 per unit, maximum for 2 units.
- Each unit in the estuarine water will be of size 4 meters x 4 meters.
- Setting Up of Unit in Open Sea 50% limited to ■ 40,000 per unit, maximum for 2 units.
- Each unit in the Open sea will be of size 6 meters x 6 meters.

## Eligibility (Financial Assistance to Mussel Culture and Oyster Farming in Goa)

- The applicant should be a Fish Farmer/ Individual/ Registered Self Help Groups/ Societies/ Associations, interested in setting up the Mussel Culture/ Oyster Farming Unit in Goa.
- The applicant should be a resident of Goa for the last fifteen years.
- The applicant should have undergone a training programme on Mussel Culture/ Oyster Farming organized by the Fisheries Department/ MPEDA/ ICAR/ any other institute.

## Application Process (Financial Assistance to Mussel Culture and Oyster Farming in Goa)

- Step 1: The interested applicant should take print of the prescribed format of the application form.
- Step 2: In the application form, fill in all the mandatory fields, paste the passport-sized photograph (signed across, if required), and attach copies of all the mandatory documents (self-attest, if required).
- Step 3: Submit the duly filled and signed application form along with the documents to the concerned authority at the Department of Fisheries, Dayanand Bandodkar Marg, Patto Colony, Panaji Goa - 403 521, or to the official posted at BDO Office/ Sub-Offices of the Department of Fisheries.
- ■ Grievance Redressal Any dissatisfaction or complaint about any service or its standards can be registered with the Department's Grievance Redressal Officer .
- The grievance can also be lodged on the link [dir-fish.goa@nic.in](mailto:dir-fish.goa@nic.in) .
- All complaints will be acknowledged by us and final action taken will be communicated within 30 days.

## **Documents Required (Financial Assistance to Mussel Culture and Oyster Farming in Goa)**

- 1. Proof of Identity. 2. Photographs (2 nos.). 3. Documents for the Proof of Availability of Land (if applicable). A. For Owners (i) Copy of the Land Deed. (ii) Form 1 & Form 14. B. For Lessee (i) NOC from the Land Owner. (ii) Registered Lease Agreement. 4. Proof of Availability of Finance. 5. Detailed Project Report. 6. Estuarine Unit in River/Open Sea: NOC from Concerned Authority. 7. Certificate of Experience. 8. Expenditure Details. 9. Design/Layout of Unit. 10. Mandate Form.

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