

Reference: FICSI/RPLSPICE/01072024

Expression of Interest (Eoi)

for

Empanelment of Spice Processing Industries

to impart the Upskilling for the existing manpower

Under

Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) mode

Food Industry Capacity & Skill Initiative (FICSI), a sector Skill Council for Food Processing Industry invites proposals from **Spice Processing Industries/ Industry Associations** for empanelment with FICSI for providing up-skilling to the existing manpower under Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) model through Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Vojana (PMKVY 4.0)

The ultimate goal under this RPL initiative is to up-skill the work force to cater the upgradation of job requirements including food safety & hygiene related awareness under Spice Processing industry under the national mission of Skill India. The Industry/Industry Association can directly partner with FICSI and can build skilled work force as per their domain requirement for their consumption as well as for consumption of industries in the Food Processing sector.

The salient features of the RPL program:

- Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) Project has the provision of upskill the existing employees by providing up-skill training in the “Spice Processing” Job Role and certifying them through an assessment post training.
- The course duration of the RPL program will be minimum 30 Hours (around 5 days with 6 hours per day), which will be used to upskill the candidates under the RPL mode, which includes 12-Hours of RPL orientation and 18 hours of bridge course
- To impart the training FICSI will certify the Trainers nominated by the Industries under a Training of Trainers (ToT) program. The ToT certified Trainers will train the candidates (existing employees working at least from last 1 year in the processing unit/company) under RPL mode.
- The candidate enrolment will be as per the capacity of the Training Centre on Skill India Portal (<https://skillindia.nsdcindia.org/>) and E-KYC would be done for the candidates.
- The Up-skill Training program will be conducted within the industry premises.
- Post completion of the RPL training, FICSI will conduct the assessment & certification of the trainees and Skill India certification will be provided to the successful candidates.
- The upskill training cost per candidate will be paid to the industry/industry association as per the program guidelines for the no. of training targets allocated by FICSI.
- The timeline to complete this project March 31,2024.

Interested Spice Processing Industries/Industries may submit their proposals at tarun@ficsi.in **maximum by 18th July,2023** in the prescribed format (**Annexure – I**) on the company letterhead with the interest to get empanelment with FICSI for upskill training for existing employees under RPL model. There is no fee for Food Processing Industries/Industry Associations to submit their Expression of Interests (Eoi).

Annexure – I (To be provided on the Company Letterhead)

To,

CEO,
 Sector Skill Council for Food Processing (FICSI)
 3rd Floor, Shri Ram Bhartiya Kala Kendra,
 1, Copernicus Marg, Mandi House,
 New Delhi – 110 001

Subject: Regarding interest to impart the Upskilling for the existing manpower in the Spice Processing industry under Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) mode with FICSI

Sir,

With reference to the upskill training program under RPL mode, we want to share our interest to upskill our existing manpower engaged in Spice Processing segment. We are sharing the following information for your kind information and necessary action to allocate the existing training targets to our industry.

Sr. No.	Requested information	Comments from the Industry
1	Name of the company	
	Location (District and State)	
2	Authorised Signatory (Name, Designation, Mobile No. and Email)	
3	PAN No. of the Company	
4	GST No. of Company	
5	FSSAI Licence No.	
6	Annual Turnover of the Company (in Rs.)	
7	Total manpower strength of the company	
8	Total no. of candidates proposed to be trained under RPL program within your industry	
9	Company SPOC for the program coordination for the RPL Program	
10	Contact No. of the SPOC	
11	Official Email ID of the SPOC	

Yours Faithfully,

Name:

Designation:

Email ID:

Mobile No.:

Seal and Signature:

