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*Stand up against  
corrupt practices...*

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**Observation of Vigilance Awareness Week**  
29 October-3 November, 2012

*Theme:*  
**Transparency in Public Procurement**

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*“Let's fight corruption Together  
Let's contribute to Nation Building”*



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As per directions of Central Vigilance Commission, New Delhi, Central Institute of Freshwater Aquaculture, Bhubaneswar is observing vigilance awareness week from 29 October to 3 November, 2012. This year, the theme of the awareness is "Transparency in Public Procurement".

### Objective of the Vigilance Awareness Week

The observance of the week creates awareness among Government Departments, Institutions and people to check corruption at every level. It inspires the system to implement preventive measures effectively, so that transparency and accountability can be maintained in the governance. The basic motto of this week to create a corruption free society

### Corruption and Its Impact

Corruption is found to be one of the most damaging consequences of poor governance system. It is characterized by lack of both transparency and accountability. Corruption lowers investment and hinders economic growth also human development. It also limits access to basic social services as well as increases the cost of their delivery. It is one of the

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**CORRUPTION**



factors responsible for poverty. Corruption negatively subverts the financial system, and undermines the legitimacy of the state. Thus, corruption is anti-poor, antidevelopment, anti-growth, anti-investment and inequitable. The cost of corruption to a nation is very high. Adverse effects of corruption on growth have been statistically corroborated from cross-country data. Based on the corruption rankings data assembled from the business and international communities in seventy countries finds a significant negative association between the corruption Index and the rates of investment and economic growth. (<http://www.orissa.gov.in>)

### Vigilance Awareness Week 2011

The observance of the Vigilance Awareness Week commences **with the Pledge Taking Ceremony** by Dr P. Jayasankar, Director, CIFA on the first day of the Vigilance Awareness Week.

### Pledge

We, the Public Servants of India, do hereby solemnly pledge that we shall continuously strive to bring about integrity and transparency in all spheres of our activities. We also pledge that we shall work unstintingly for eradication of corruption in all spheres of life. We shall remain vigilant and work towards the growth and reputation of our organisation. Through our collective efforts, we shall bring pride to our organization shall provide value based service to our countrymen. We shall do our duty conscientiously and act without fear or favour

### प्रतिज्ञा

हम, भारत के लोक सेवक, सत्यानिष्ठा से प्रतिज्ञा करते हैं कि हम अपने कार्यकलापों के प्रत्येक क्षेत्र में ईमानदारी और पारदर्शिता बनाए रखने के लिए निरंतर प्रयत्नशील रहेंगे। हम यह प्रतिज्ञा भी करते हैं कि हम जीवन के प्रत्येक क्षेत्र से भ्रष्टाचार अन्मुलन करने के लिए निर्बाध रूप से कार्य करेंगे। हम अपने संगठन के विकास और क्रतिष्ठा के प्रति सचेत रहते हुए कार्य करेंगे। हम अपने सामुहिक प्रयासों द्वारा अपने संगठनों की गौरवशाली बनाएंगे तथा अपने दशवासियों को सिद्धांतों पर आधारित सेवा प्रदान करेंगे। हम अपने कर्तव्य का पालन पूर्ण ईमानदारी स करेंगे और भय अथवा पक्षपात के बिना कार्य करेंगे।

### Activities

As a part of the preventive vigilance mechanism, the institute believes in creating awareness among the employees. The institute has also organized successfully the Vigilance Awareness Week religiously from 31 October- 5th November 2011 in compliance to the instruction of Central vigilance Commission, New Delhi. Several activities were undertaken to create awareness among the employees by way of putting posters/ banners at different important places including main gate, main entrance, arranging debate competition among the staff, school and college students A meeting was convened at Institute Conference hall, where Sri S.K.Upadhaya, DIG Vigilance, Government of Odisha addressed the staff about



Honesty, Sincerity, Ethics, Righteousness and other virtues that make the life ultimately happier in comparison to dishonesty which brings false comforts for the time being leading to misery at last. Dr P. Jayasankar, Director CIFA addressed the gathering to remain away from corruption practices and to maintain sincerity, honesty in all sphere of life. He also suggested improvement in systems, transparency in procurement. The Vigilance officer, Dr S. K. Swain deliberated the importance and objective of Vigilance awareness week and to remain in spiritual mind to avoid mistakes in our day to day life. Administrative officer Mr K.C Das, while giving vote of thanks also emphasized on ethics and morality.