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## 2024 Japan International Award for Young Agricultural Researches ( Japan Award) Call for Nominations

This refers to the letter no. JP/JICA/GEN dated 11.03.2024 of the Director General of Department of External Resources on the above subject. (This letter can be downloaded from www.fisheries.gov.lk)

The Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries Research Council (AFFRC) of the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries (MAFF), Japan, with support from the Japan International Research Centre for Agricultural Science (JIRCAS) has invited nominations from eligible candidates for the above programme.

Further Information on the eligible criteria, application process and electronic form of the nomination can be downloaded from the website <a href="http://www.jircas.go.jp/en/youngaward/2024">http://www.jircas.go.jp/en/youngaward/2024</a>

Therefore, we kindly request your cooperation in submitting the relevant applications and all accompanying documents (including those listed below) along with your recommendation by on or before the 5<sup>th</sup> of May 2024.

- 1. Ministry Form (can be downloaded from www.fisheries.gov.lk)
- 2. Nomination Letter of the Institute/Division
- 3. Two Sets of the Duly filled Application form (Printout of the Online Application )
- 4. Two Sets of Duly filled ERD Form (Can be downloaded from www.erd.gov.lk)
- 5. Two Copy of the Passport

Your early response in this regard is highly appreciated.

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For the Secretary

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