

ADMISSION PROCEDURE

The application for admission to the NPIC-CIF is to be made to the Director, CSIR-CFTRI in the form of a Pre- Application Questionnaire (PAQ). The application will be scrutinized and if found suitable, the applicants would be asked to submit a formal application with a detailed proposal comprising the following:

- a.** Business Plan/Executive Summary including company structure, legal documentation and all relevant documents
- b.** Schedule of plan i.e. entry to the NPIC-CIF and projected duration of incubation. The companies will be permitted to stay in the NPIC-CIF for 18 months with a provision to extend the same for maximum another six months. Only with justification and review by the committee further extension would be considered but not to exceed a total of 36 months
- c.** Intellectual Property Declaration
- d.** Details of infrastructure requirements. This should include number of computers (depending on requirement), Internet Connectivity, instrumentation, any special laboratory facility or R&D support needed from the host institutions, CSIR-CFTRI, Mysore
- e.** The Business Plan will be scrutinized by a team of experts having relevant technical expertise. Upon review, the candidate company will be asked to give a presentation highlighting the critical aspects of the business plan to the Selection cum Project Reviewing & Monitoring Committee of NPIC-CIF