



**Congratulations Dr N R Kamini and Team for Runner-up for 10<sup>th</sup> National Awards for Technology Innovation**



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Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers  
Department of Chemicals and Petrochemicals  
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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated, the, 8<sup>th</sup> February, 2021

To,

Dr. N. R. Kamini  
Dr. N. Ayyadurai  
Dr. M. Aarthy  
Mr. George S. Antony  
(CSIR-Central Leather Research Institute, Chennai)

**Subject: 10<sup>th</sup> National Awards for Technology Innovation in the field of Petrochemicals and Downstream Plastics Processing Industry- reg.**

Dear Sir/Madam,

As you are aware, the National Policy on Petrochemicals was announced by the Department of Chemicals & Petrochemicals, Ministry of Chemicals & Fertilizers, Government of India in April, 2007. The policy, inter-alia, seeks to promote research and development in the Plastics Sector. Towards furtherance of this objective, the National Awards for Technology Innovation were institutionalized with a view to incentivize meritorious innovations and inventions in various fields of Petrochemicals and Downstream Plastics Processing Industry. Accordingly, nominations were invited in various fields of polymers for 10<sup>th</sup> National Awards.

2. We are pleased to inform you that your nomination entitled "**Biodegradation of polymeric materials by a non-conventional yeast**" under the category of "**Innovation in Polymer Waste Management**" has been selected as **Runner-up** for 10<sup>th</sup> National Awards for Technology Innovation.

3. **The date and time for Award function ceremony will be intimated shortly.**

Yours faithfully,

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