

CIFT to support fish entrepreneurs

Kochi: The Central Institute of Fisheries Technology (CIFT) will start a fish processing unit at Kadamakkudy Government Vocational Higher Secondary School to boost confidence of youngsters on the possibilities of starting fish-based entrepreneurship. The fish entrepreneurship programme will be launched at Kadamakkudy on Wednesday with the handing over of fish processing machinery to selected entrepreneurs by S. Sharma, MLA. The initiative will focus on the optimal utilisation of locally available fishery resources and converting them into value added byproducts. "CIFT is planning to emulate the project in other areas after its successful implementation at Kadamakkudy," said Dr C.N. Ravishankar, director, CIFT.