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A view of participants along with USSEC Chairman Doug Winter and the Speakers in the two days Aqua Tech Talks, Nutrition Workshop held in Hyderabad, India on February 21 & 22, 2023.

Objectives of USSEC are centered around three main pillars of their strategic plan:

- 1) To differentiate the quality and value of U.S. Soy from other nutrition and energy products.
- 2) To elevate preference for U.S. Soy in existing and developing global markets.
- 3) To attain market access for U.S. Soy through cooperation with a variety of global stakeholders.

We, USSEC, strive to do this by delivering world-class performance, acting responsibly, fostering our diversity and trusting in our team. One of our guiding principles is listening to our customers and advocating their needs to the industry, said Mr Doug Winter, Chairman, USSEC Board in an interview to M.A. Nazeer, Editor, Poultry Fortune.

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New Leadership Team at CLFMA OF INDIA 2022-2024



Suresh Deora, Chairman, CLFMA Office, Sumit Sureka, Divya Kumar Gulati, Naveen Pasuparthy, Sandeep Kumar Singh, Abhay Shah and Nissar F. Mohammed

Mumbai: CLFMA OF INDIA is a Non-Profit Organization and an Apex Chamber, nurturing "One Voice" of the Livestock Industry.

It was formed in the year 1967 with the objective of helping the promotion of overall animal husbandry, including the promotion of the concept of balanced feeding of animals in accordance with their nutritional requirements for deriving from them maximum output through productivity improvement. It was broad-based to include members from all sectors of livestock production during 2002.

CLFMA has a membership base of around 250 numbers representing Dairy, Aqua, Poultry and other sectors related to the Indian Livestock Industry viz. manufacturers and suppliers of feed additives, raw materials, feed plant and machinery, Laboratory equipment and also breeders, integrators, meat processors and exporters, vaccine manufacturers, animal health, etc.

On 16 February 2023, CLFMA's Election was held in the Extra-Ordinary General Meeting (EGM) and the new leadership team took charge for the period 2022-2024. The outgoing Chairman Mr Neeraj Kumar Srivastava, Managing Director, South Asia and South – East Asia, Novus International, expressed his appreciation and conveyed his best wishes to the new team led by Mr Suresh Deora, Director – S.A. Pharmachem Pvt Ltd, who got elected as the new Chairman of CLFMA OF INDIA for the period 2022 – 2024.

Mr Neeraj Kumar Srivastava outgoing Chairman said that, it was indeed a great pleasure to work with CLFMA as a Chairman and after two years CLFMA has decided to appoint Mr Suresh Deora, who is an accomplished, talented business leader having a vast experience in managing the businesses of Livestock Sector as a whole and is actively involved into Human and Animal Nutritional business.

Mr Suresh Deora, is also the Chairman of Indian Red Cross Society – Mumbai, President and Trustee of KARM, Honorable General Secretary of India – China Chamber of Commerce and Industry. He presides over many education institutes. He is a well-seasoned and networked businessman



CLFMA Managing Committee 2022-2024

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connected with many industry stake holders including government authorities, BIS, FSSAI, etc and under his Stewardship, we anticipate CLFMA would continue to grow to greater heights.

He thanked Mr Neerai Kumar Srivastava and CLFMA and said that, it was a great honour to be appointed as Chairman in a renowned association like CLFMA, as it is the single leading voice of the Animal Husbandry Industry. He promised to do his level best to help CLFMA work for the benefit of its members and the industry at large. He added that he was truly honoured and thrilled to carry the great legacy of many distinguished leaders, which has served the livestock industry for more than 5 decades. He promised to do his level best towards building the visibility of CLFMA, its image & reputation and working towards betterment of the livestock industry. He also said that Mr Neeraj Kumar Srivastava's team has done a great job especially with regard to government engagements and conducting relevant seminars during his tenure.

Following Office Bearers were elected for the period 2022 – 2024

- Chairman: Mr Suresh Deora, S. A. Pharmachem Pvt Ltd
- Deputy Chairman: Mr Sumit Sureka, Shivshakti Agro (India) Pvt Ltd
- Deputy Chairman: Mr Divya Kumar Gulati, Nurture Aqua Technology Pvt Ltd
- 4. Deputy Chairman: Mr

Naveen Pasuparthy, Nanda Feeds Pvt Ltd

- 5. Deputy Chairman: Mr Sandeep Kumar Singh, Godrej Agrovet Ltd
- 6. Honorable Secretary: Mr Abhay Shah, Spectoms Engineering Pvt Ltd
- 7. Treasurer: Mr Nissar F. Mohammed, Coastal Exports Corporation
- 8. Immediate Past Chairman: Mr Neeraj Kumar Srivastava, Novus Animal Nutrition (India) Pvt Ltd
- 9. Executive Director: Ms Chandrika Venkatesh

The other members of the Managing Committee 2022 - 2024 comprises of:

- 10. Dr Prashant Shinde: Cargill India Pvt Ltd
- 11. Mr Anil M: KSE Limited
- Dr Devender Hooda: Huvepharma SEA (Pune) Pvt Ltd
- 13. Mr R. Ramkutty: Niswin Enterprises
- 14. Dr Saikat Saha: Evonik India Pvt Ltd
- 15. Mr Ramakanth V. Akula: The Waterbase Limited
- 16. Mr Vijay Bhandare: Bhavani Agrovet Pvt Ltd
- 17. Mr Abhay Parnerkar: Godrej Tyson Foods Ltd
- 18. Mr R. Lakshmanan: Shanthi Feeds Pvt Ltd
- 19. Mr Balaram Bhattacharya: Indian Herbs Specialities Pvt Ltd
- 20. Mr K. Narender Reddy: Natural Remedies Pvt Ltd
- 21. Dr Anup Kalra: Ayurvet Limited
- 22. Dr Vijay Makhija: Intervet India Pvt Ltd
- 23. Mr Jaison John: U. S. Soybean Export Council, Inc

Aviagen India's Venkatesh Gunasekaran Strengthens Global Nutrition Team with Expertise, Passion and Commitment

Udumalpet: Aviagen India is pleased to announce that Venkatesh Gunasekaran, Technical Manager for Aviagen India since 2020, has been appointed to Aviagen's Global Nutrition Team. This team is dedicated to promoting bird welfare, sustainability and performance through optimal nutrition. In this new role, he will share the latest nutrition advice with customers across India. as well as with his colleagues at Aviagen India.

"Good nourishment from the start of a bird's life is vital. I am excited to join the Global Nutrition team, as this role will allow me to make a difference by helping to continually improve the health and robustness of both our internal flocks and the birds we provide to poultry producers," commented Venkatesh.

Marc Scott, Business Manager for Aviagen India, added that this appointment is a recognition of the considerable talent within the India team. "Aviagen India realizes that to breed the best, we need the best and we therefore seek to expand our operations



Venkatesh Gunasekaran

with the industry's most insightful, bright and passionate poultry professionals. With his background and insight, Venkatesh will greatly benefit our customers, as well as our internal teams in their efforts to strengthen the poultry industry throughout the country." Venkatesh will report directly to Marcelo Silva, Aviagen's Global Head of Nutrition Services.

"We welcome Venkatesh to the Global Nutrition team. He will be a valuable asset to our team as we work to enhance bird health, welfare and sustainability through good nutrition. Through this mission, we promote the economic sustainability of our customers and their ability to feed the world," concluded Marcelo.