#### FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT

The Department of Livestock Products Technology (Meat Science), Madras Veterinary College, Chennai-7 is organising the second convention of the Association of Meat Scientists and Technologists (AMST) and National Seminar on "Food: Safety, Health and Environment" on 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> December, 2015.

#### **INVITATION FOR PAPERS**

Academics from universities, scientists, experts from industry and postgraduate research scholars are invited to submit research papers / abstracts to be presented in the National Seminar on the themes detailed below.

The full length papers / abstracts are to be submitted to the Organising Secretary on or before 18<sup>th</sup> November 2015 to be included in the compendium to be brought out on the occasion. Full length papers limited to ten pages and abstracts limited to 300 words typed in 12 font size (Arial, MS word) in 1.5 line spacing may be sent via email as an attachment by 18.11.2015. These should contain the objectives of the study, brief methodology, results and conclusion. Selected papers will be considered for oral



presentation and the remaining will be allotted for poster presentation. Posters should be 850 mm (breadth) x 1200 mm (length).



#### **THEME OF THE SEMINAR**

Theme of the seminar is drawn from the need to have a holistic view of the emerging trends in the food industry from the standpoint of safety, and its impact on health and environment. The focus of the seminar will be to deliberate and exchange ideas, address issues faced by the industry in these facets and possibly evolve suitable strategies to ameliorate them. The seminar will be conveniently classified into the following thematic areas:

- Trends in food production
- Food quality and safety
- Food processing and preservation
- Food, nutrition and health
- Food bio-technology
- Food and environment

#### VENUE

Madras Veterinary College established in the year 1903 is a constituent unit of Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, the first of its kind to be established in 1989 in Southeast Asia. The mandate of the college embraces education, research and extension in the areas of Veterinary and Animal Sciences. The Department of Livestock Products Technology (Meat Science), {the erstwhile Department of Meat Science and Technology}, of Madras Veterinary College is the oldest in the country and maintains its pre-eminent position and identity till date and has produced 136 post graduates (M.V.Sc) and 19 Doctorates (Ph. D.).



#### REGISTRATION

Delegates are invited to register early to enable us to plan adequately and make the best possible arrangements. Payments for registration may be sent by post through demand draft drawn in favour of "Organising Secretary, National Seminar on "Food: Safety, Health and Environment" payable at Chennai along with duly filled in registration form.

#### **REGISTRATION FORM**

(Proforma can be reproduced / photo copies for multiple use)

Name in Block letters :
Age :
Sex:
Designation :
Address
Official :
Residence :
Email :
Mobile :
Accommodation required : Yes No No If yes please provide details

# **Details of Demand draft**

Rs	DD No
Date:	Branch : payable at Chennai
Travel plan :	

### Signature

- Please register in advance to ensure comfortable stay
- Students must submit bonafide certificate from the parent institute

# **REGISTRATION FEE**

<b>Registration on or before</b>	25.11.15
Members of AMST	Rs.3,000/-
Non members	Rs.3,500/-
Registration after 25.11.15	/ Spot registration

# Members of AMSTRs.3,500/-Non membersRs.4,000/-Students and Retired OfficialsRs.1,500/-

# TRAVEL AND ACCOMMODATION

Chennai is well connected by road, rail and air. Both Chennai Egmore and Chennai Central Railway Stations are within 5 minutes drive from the venue. The weather conditions during the period in Chennai are cool and pleasant with temperature around 22 to 28°C. Limited accommodation is available in the University Guest houses. However, accommodation can be arranged in other guest houses and nearby hotels on request. Following are the approximate tariff rates.

- 1. University Guest Houses : Rs.500 to 1000 per day
- 2. Hostel Dormitory: Rs. 150 to 200 per day
- 3. Hotels: Rs.1000 to 2000 per day

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