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SRI LANKA COUNTRY PAVILION AT GULFOOD - DUBAI, U A E 15th TO 19th March, 2027 - Dubai, U A E

The EDB will be organizing Sri Lanka's participation at the GULFOOD 2027 exhibition scheduled to be held from 15th-19th March 2027 at the Dubai Expo City, Dubai, UAE. GULFOOD is one of the largest Food & Beverage Exhibitions in the world which connect more than 8,500 exhibitors and more than 250,000 visitors from over 195 countries.

Gulfood Exhibition will provide a platform for Sri Lankan exporters to promote their F & B products not only in the Middle East, Africa, and South Asia (MEASA) region but also in the EU & America, and to study new market trends, innovative products, competitor behavior, and new technologies applied in the sector.

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Applications are invited from Food & Beverage processors/exporters in the following product categories, who adhere to international food standards and have the capacity to serve the international market.

- Fresh / processed fruits and vegetables (frozen, dehydrated, canned/ bottled, fruit juices etc.)
- Coconut-based food products (desiccated coconut, coconut milk, cream, powder etc.)
- Confectionery & bakery products, dairy products, specialty & convenient food products
- Spice & spice mixtures, gift packs, essential oils etc.
- Tea (value added – flavoured tea bags, gift packs etc.)
- Cereals & cereal-based products
- Beverages
- Healthy food products, herbal products & organic food products
- Food ingredients and food supplements
- Other relevant food products

COST OF PARTICIPATION

The cost of space & construction, and all related expenses, have to be borne by the participating companies. EDB may consider providing financial assistance towards part of cost of space/construction for selected SME companies, subject to the availability of funds.

APPLICATION & SELECTION

Applications should be made on the prescribed form available at the EDB website: www.srilankabusiness.com (under the section "Announcements"). Duly completed application forms should reach the Director - Export Agriculture, EDB by registered post on or before **17th July 2026** by mentioning **"Gulfood 2027"** on the top left-hand corner of the envelope. Short-listed applicants will be interviewed by a panel appointed by the EDB to select suitable participants for the programme.

For further details, please contact Ms. Madurika Menikpura / Assistant Director on **011-2300732, 0702087273** E-mail: madurika@edb.gov.lk

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