

(বিদেশী সংস্থা জড়িত বিধায় ইংরেজিতে প্রণীত)
The Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh
Department of Fisheries
Matshya Bhaban, Ramna, Dhaka.
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Date: 10/02/2026

Subject: Import permission for Live Shrimp Fry (Fresh Water Prawn PPL (*Macrobrachium rosenbergii*)) and Live Shrimp Broodstock (freshwater prawn *Macrobrachium rosenbergii*) from Thailand for Brood-stock Development and PL production.

Reference: Application from LST Aqua (BD), Ltd. Dacope, Khulna; dated: 12.01.26 and dated: 18/01/2026.

In accordance with the subject and reference mentioned above, and under the power delegated in sub-section 3(a) of the Fish Quarantine Rules, 2024 and Section 8 of the Fish Hatchery Act, 2010, the undersigned hereby grants permission to import live shrimp fry (freshwater prawn PL *Macrobrachium rosenbergii*) and live shrimp broodstock (freshwater prawn *Macrobrachium rosenbergii*) from Malaysia for broodstock development and PPL production for LST Aqua (BD), Ltd. Dacope, Khulna.
The details of the fish species to be imported are mentioned below:

Sl	Product Name	Proforma invoice date and H.S code	Supplier name and Country of Origin	Quantity (pieces)
1	Live shrimp fry (freshwater prawn PPL <i>Macrobrachium rosenbergii</i>)	PL No. LST-LABL-001 Date- December 25, 2025 HS Code: 0306.36.10	Thailand Lukkunsetthi Farm	0.2 million
2	live shrimp broodstock (freshwater prawn <i>Macrobrachium rosenbergii</i>)	PL No. LST-LABL-002 Date- December 26, 2025 HS Code: 0306.36.90	Thailand Lukkunsetthi Farm	0.03 million

The importer must follow relevant rules, regulations, terms and conditions stated below:

1. After importation, the “**Quarantine and Disease-Free Certificate**” must be confirmed by an authorized lab/institution in Bangladesh in accordance with the **Fish Quarantine Act, 2018**, the **Fish Quarantine Rules, 2024**, and the **Fish Hatchery Rules, 2011**. After the quarantine period, the importer must submit the aforementioned certificate to the Department of Fisheries, Bangladesh.
2. During shipment, a **Health Certificate** issued by the competent authority of Malaysia must be provided at the port of entry. A copy of the Health Certificate must also be submitted by the importer to the Department of Fisheries, Bangladesh.
3. The imported live freshwater prawn PPL will be quarantined at LST Aqua (BD), Ltd. Dacope, Khulna.
4. The imported live shrimp fry and live shrimp broodstock must be used for broodstock development in LST Aqua (BD), Ltd. Dacope, Khulna.
5. The imported live freshwater prawn PPL must be reared separately from the native broodstock. After breeding, the second-generation all-male PPL must not be cultured with the native freshwater prawn population.
6. This import permission is valid for a maximum period of **180 days** from the date of issue.
7. The undersigned reserves the right to revoke this import permission in case of violation of the above-mentioned terms, conditions, and relevant Acts, Rules, and Regulations.

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Copy forwarded for kind information and necessary action to (Not according to seniority):

1. Senior Secretary, Ministry of Commerce, Bangladesh Secretariat, Dhaka,
2. Secretary, Ministry of Fisheries and Livestock, Bangladesh Secretariat, Dhaka
3. Principal Scientific Officer (Fish Inspection and Quality Control) Department of Fisheries, Matshya Bhaban, Ramna, Dhaka.
4. Commissioner (Customs), Customs House, Hazrat Shahjalal International Airport, Dhaka.
5. Director, Department of Fisheries, Khulna Division, Khulna.
6. Quality Assurance Manager, Fish Inspection and Quality Control Laboratory, Dhaka/Khulna (with request to perform disease test for the quarantine of imported Live Fresh Water Prawn PL)
7. District Fisheries Officer, Department of Fisheries, Khulna.
8. Fisheries Quarantine Officer, Department of Fisheries, Hazrat Shahjalal International Airport, Dhaka (With request to make necessary arrangements for the quarantine activities).
9. Senior Upazilla Fisheries Officer, Dacope, Khulna.
10. Programmer, ICT Section, Department of Fisheries, Dhaka (with request to publish in Dof website).
11. Managing Director, Red Star Hatchery & Nursery, 0342, Chalna Bazar, Dacope, Khulna 15.12.24

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