

## **Mormugao Base of Fishery Survey of India participated in Aqua Goa Mega Fish Festival 2023 at SAG ground, Campal, Panaji, Goa**

Directorate of fisheries, Govt. Of Goa, has organized Aqua Goa Mega Fish Festival 2023 during 10th - 12th February 2023, at SAG ground, Campal, Panaji, Goa. Fishery Survey of India, Mormugao Base participated in the said event and installed FSI stall and displayed various charts of activities of FSI/methods of fishing, models of fishing vessels /fishing gears/ marine mammals, crafts and gears, samples of rare fish specimens. Hon'ble Fisheries Minister Shri Nilkanth Halarnkar and Dr. Smt. Shamila Montero, Director of Fisheries, Govt of Goa visited the stall. Dr. Pradeep H. D. Fisheries Scientist explained about the activities of FSI and about presently running project on marine mammals survey program. Hon'ble Minister has appreciated the activities of FSI, and their contribution to fishermen of Goa, School/college/fishing industries and Nation. Dignitaries also visited the FSI stall.

Dr. Pradeep H.D. Fisheries Scientist given interview Goa News Hub a local news channel, where he explained about the activities of FSI and it's contribution to fisheries in Goa and the entire Nation. Shri Raju R Nagpure, Shri Nashad were also participated and briefed about FSI activities to the visitors including school, college students and general public.



