


**Job Title:** Assistant Business Manager – Makhana Supply Chain

 **Location:** Bihar

 **Industry:** FMCG / Agricommodity Export / Food & Beverages

 **Experience:** 3-5 Years

**Company Description:** National Co-operative Exports Limited (NCEL) is a distinguished national-level co-operative created with the approval of the Union Government and the Ministry of Cooperation in 2023 and registered under the Multi-State Co-operative Societies Act, 2002. It is promoted by five prominent co-operative institutions – The Gujarat Co-operative Milk Marketing Federation (GCMMF, popularly known as the AMUL), Indian Farmers Fertiliser Cooperative Limited (IFFCO), Krishak Bharati Co-operative Limited (KRIBHCO), National Agricultural Co-operative Marketing Federation of India Limited (NAFED), and National Co-operative Development Corporation (NCDC).

**Job Summary:** We are seeking an **Assistant Business Manager** to oversee and optimise the **supply chain for Makhana (Foxnut)**. This role involves **procurement, production planning, inventory management, logistics, and market execution**, ensuring cost-effective and efficient operations.

Key Responsibilities:

- Source and manage relationships with **farmers, aggregators, and suppliers** while ensuring **ethical procurement**.
- Oversee **processing, quality control, and production schedules** to align with market demand.
- Conduct **market research** to understand consumer preferences, pricing strategies, and competitor trends.
- Optimise the **supply chain** by implementing **cost-saving strategies, automation, and forecasting models**.

Required Qualifications:

- **Bachelor's/Master's Degree in Supply Chain Management, Agriculture, or Operations.**
- **5+ years of experience in agricultural supply chain management.**
- Expertise in **vendor management, logistics, and product lifecycle management.**
- Knowledge of **Makhana processing and storage** is a plus.
- Proficiency in **ERP/SAP systems, inventory management, and data analytics tools.**
- Strong **negotiation, problem-solving, and analytical skills.**

Preferred Qualifications:

- Experience in **export logistics and international supply chain management.**
- Certification in **Lean Six Sigma, APICS, or Supply Chain Management.**

Remuneration:

- **Competitive salary** as per industry standard.
- Career growth in a **sustainable, organic-focused industry.**

**How to apply:** Send your cover letter and resume via email to [career@ncel.coop](mailto:career@ncel.coop) with the subject “Assistant Business Manager Application”