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Rinac India Limited and Epta Announce Strategic Partnership to Elevate India's Food Retail Refrigeration Landscape

In a bold move set to reshape India's refrigeration industry, Rinac India Limited today formally announced its strategic partnership with Epta, the European leader in commercial refrigeration solutions for retail, Ho.Re.Ca., and the food & beverage sector.

The announcement was made at an exclusive press conference held at Shangri-La Bengaluru, where industry leaders, media, and trade stakeholders gathered to witness the collaboration between two refrigeration powerhouses — one Italian, one Indian — joining forces to serve the country's evolving cold chain needs.



Mr. P. Sukumaran
Co-Founder & Jt. Managing Director
Rinac India Limited

"Presents the convergence of global innovation and local expertise," said Mr. P. Sukumaran, Co-Founder & Jt. Managing Director of Rinac India Limited. "With Epta's world-class refrigeration technology and Rinac's trusted presence across India, we are shaping a smarter, more energy-efficient future for Indian retail — one defined by engaging display aesthetics and operational reliability."

Speaking at the event, Mr. Andrea Cavalet, Managing Director of Epta Refrigeration India Pvt Ltd, remarked: "India is one of the most exciting growth markets today. Our partnership with Rinac enables us to localize advanced European refrigeration systems with unmatched after-sales support — a win for retailers and end-consumers alike."



Mr. Andrea Cavalet
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Managing Director, Epta Refrigeration India Pvt Ltd
Epta Group

Strengthening India's Cold Chain Ecosystem

This collaboration arrives at a crucial time for India's retail and RTE (Ready-to-Eat) segments. With the RTE market projected to grow from USD 5.75 billion (₹49,609 Cr) in 2024 to USD 11.7 billion (₹1,00,912 Cr) by 2033, the demand for reliable, efficient, and visually appealing refrigeration solutions is skyrocketing.

Rinac and Epta are addressing these needs through a range of energy-efficient, high-visibility plug-in coolers already showcased at Rinac's newly inaugurated Experience Centre in Bengaluru.

The lineup includes:

- Epta's premium visibility coolers: Rock, Crystal, Glad, Opera, Armonia, Delight, and Melody Series
- Rinac's own flagship units: Preserva and Sapphire ranges

These are tailored to the demands of modern supermarkets, convenience stores, and Ho.Re.Ca. environments, delivering performance, visual appeal, and sustainability — all backed by Rinac's nationwide service network.

About Rinac India Limited

Rinac India Limited is a market leader in cold chain and temperature-controlled infrastructure solutions, with over three decades of expertise in modular systems for food preservation, healthcare, and industrial applications. Headquartered in Bangalore, with offices in 13 cities, two manufacturing facilities, and projects running across five countries, Rinac offers comprehensive lifecycle support — from import and installation to after-sales service. Its diverse product portfolio includes modular sandwich panels, refrigerated storage and display units, refrigeration systems, and prefabricated structures, serving key industry sectors such as dairy, seafood, meat, agriculture, food processing, and pharmaceuticals.

About Epta

Epta is an independent global player and leader specialising in commercial refrigeration with a global presence in over 100 countries and a strong vocation for innovation and sustainability, in line with the company's Purpose **Preserving our planet with conscious innovation. Together.** The group boasts a very strong and geographically well-balanced global competitive position in the various business areas, thanks to its commercial brands **Costan, Bonnet Névé, Eurocryor, Iarp and Kysor Warren and sub-brands EptaConcept, EptaTechnica and EptaService.**

Its strategy has resulted in its continuous international expansion with the goal of becoming an aggregator within the sector. Headquartered in Milan, Italy, Epta has a headcount of over 8,000 employees and a widespread presence guaranteed by 40 technical-sales facilities in over 100 countries and 11 production units in Limana (Belluno), Solesino (Padua), Casale Monferrato and Pomezia (Rome) in Italy, Hendaye in France, Bradford in the United Kingdom, Columbus in the US, Rosario in Argentina, Corlu in Turkey, Qingdao in China and Cha-Am in Thailand.

The Group stands out for its ability to anticipate global trends, prioritising innovation and sustainability to support the growth of its customers in the Retail, Food&Beverage and Ho.Re.Ca. sectors.

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