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To

All CICTAB Member Institutions
In SAARC countries

**International Programme on
"Role of Cooperative Institutions in achieving Financial Inclusion"
17th -21st February 2025
(CICTAB-NIRD&PR)**

Dear Sir / Madam,

We are glad to state that CICTAB is organizing an International Programme on **"Role of Cooperative Institutions in achieving Financial Inclusion"** in association with "National Institute of Rural Development and Panchyati Raj" Hyderabad, India at NIRD & PR campus. The programme is scheduled to be organized from **17th -21st February 2025**. The design and content of the programme is sent herewith for your perusal.

The programme topics will be covered by subject matter experts and recourse persons from National Institute of Rural Development and Panchyati Raj (NIRDPR) with use of suitable teaching techniques and with intensive involvement of participants, it is aimed at orienting and developing officials, Trainers, Potential trainers on sustainable livelihood and development of rural areas through financial inclusion.


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In view of the contemporary relevance of the subject area of the programme and its significance, you may kindly consider to depute one or two officer / trainer from your institutions for the programme and send his / her details in the proforma enclosed before 25th January, 2025 so as to reach Director, CICTAB, VM National Institute of Cooperative Management Campus, University Road, Pune - 7, (India).

On receiving nomination, CICTAB will communicate confirmation regarding admission of participant to the training programme.

Encl. : As above

Yours faithfully,


9/12/2024
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Consultant
For Director

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AND
NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND PANCHAYATI RAJ

**International Programme on
"Role of Cooperative Institutions in achieving Financial Inclusion"
(CICTAB-NIRD&PR)**

Organization:

The programme will be organized by Centre for International Co-operation and Training in Agricultural Banking (CICTAB), Pune in collaboration with National Institute of Rural Development and Panchayati Raj (NIRDPR), Hyderabad, India

Objectives of the programme:

The overall objectives of the programme are:

- To understand various dimensions and financial inclusion;
- To discuss the formal financial institutions and their current status and role towards financial inclusion;
- To appraise the role and potential of cooperative institutions towards achieving financial inclusion;
- To understand various pathways towards strengthening cooperative institutions and their role in achieving financial inclusion;
- To discuss the role of financial literacy, fintech solutions, training and capacity development for accelerating financial inclusion;
- To appraise the various Govt. of policies, schemes and good practices towards integrating cooperative institutions in rural financial system;

Participants:

- (a) Trainers/potential trainers of Agricultural and rural financing institutions.
- (b) Executives of agricultural credit, marketing and processing institutions; and
- (c) Executives of agricultural financing institutions.

Venue:

National Institute of Rural Development and Panchayati Raj (NIRDPR), Hyderabad, Telengana, (India).

Duration and intake Capacity :

Duration of the programme will be five days of 6 hours/day with the intake capacity of 30 participants from member countries of CICTAB and other countries of SAARC Region.

Methodology :

- a) Training methods will comprise lectures, group discussions and presentations.
- b) Presentations on good practices/ successful models will be imparted with case studies.
- c) The programme topics will be covered by interactive participation during class discussions and use of other relevant training tools and techniques.
- d) Participants will also be exposed to field visit.

Programme Content:

- Various dimensions, opportunities and emerging challenges in financial inclusion;
- Institutional architecture of rural financial systems;
- Role and potential of cooperative institutions towards advancing financial inclusion;
- Strengthening cooperative financial institutions towards promoting rural entrepreneurship;
- Gender dimensions of cooperative financial inclusion;
- Integrating cooperative institutions in rural financial systems
- Progress on various SDGs; linking financial inclusion towards achieving various SDGs;
- Schemes and programmes towards accelerating financial inclusion;
- Role of extension machineries, training and capacity development towards financial inclusion;
- Discussion on good cases/best practices of financial inclusion from developing countries;



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*** NOMINATION FORM ***



Name of the Programme	International Programme on "Role of Cooperative Institutions in achieving Financial Inclusion" 17th -21st February 2025 (CICTAB-NIRD&PR)		
Date	17th -21st February 2025		
Venue of the Programme	NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND PANCHAYATI RAI, Hyderabad, India		
Name of the Participant	Mr./Ms./Mrs.		
Designation			
Participant's personal Information			
Date of Birth / Age:	Yrs.		/Age:
Nationality			
Educational Qualifications			
Aadhar Card Number (for Indians only)			
Are you a Trainer/ Potential Trainer? (If yes, please provide details)			
Residential Address			
Mobile No.		E-Mail id Personal	

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Passport Details of Participant			
Passport Number			
Date of Issue			
Date of Expiry			
Sponsoring Organisation Details			
Name of the Sponsoring Organisation			
Postal Address			
Phone		Fax No	
E-Mail ID		Website	
Details of Nominating Organisation (Participant parent organisation)			
Name of the Nominating Organisation			
Mailing Address			
Phone		Fax No	
E-Mail ID		Website	
Date:		Place:	
Signature of the Participant			

**SIGNATURE AND SEAL
OF THE SPONSORING AUTHORITY**