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No. CICTAB/IC/UPCDIVC/

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To

All Heads of the CICTAB Member Institutions in SAARC Countries

International Conference on
"Unleashing Prosperity through Cooperatives: Digital Innovation and Value Chain"
(13th - 15th February, 2025)

Sir / Madam,

Centre for International Cooperation and Training in Agricultural Banking (CICTAB), Pune is organizing an International Conference on "Unleashing Prosperity through Cooperatives Digital Innovation and Value Chains" during 13th to 15th February, 2025 at Vaikunth Mehta National Institute of Cooperative Management (VAMNICOM) campus, Pune, India.

This conference is organized for the CICTAB member institutions in collaboration with the Ministry of Cooperation, Government of India. The conference aims to bring together experts from CICTAB member institutions to share knowledge, insights, and best practices on leveraging digital innovation and value chains for cooperative prosperity. The design of conference includes plenary sessions, showcasing best practices, case studies, exhibition, networking session and exposure visit to cooperatives. The conference design, target group, venue and contact details for registration is given in **Annexure - A**.

Since the International Conference has been sponsored and supported by the Ministry of Cooperation, Govt. of India, CICTAB will be organizing without charging any conference participation fees.


The nominated participants are expected to prepare and submit a Best Practices relating to the theme of the Conference as per the template given in **Annexure - B**.

As a part of Networking session, Exhibition stalls will be arranged in the VAMNICOM campus to all the CICTAB member institutions without any charges. The exhibition stall details and its registration is enclosed in **Annexure - C**.

You are requested to attend / nominate at the level of **CEO / MD / Sr. Officers / Secretary of relevant Ministry** (to the maximum of three participants) to the Director, CICTAB, by **31st December, 2024** through email Id: cictab@hotmail.com / cictab1983@gmail.com. The nomination form is given in **Annexure - D**.

We look forward to welcoming you and your team at VAMNICOM campus, Pune, Maharashtra, India for the International Conference on "Unleashing Prosperity through Cooperatives: Digital Innovation and Value Chain".

Best regards,


(Hema Yadav)
Director

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Template for Best Practices

1. About the organization (3 pages)

- Mission
- Management/Board of Directors
- Membership
- Activities
- Performance Indicators

2. Areas of Interventions

- Objective/Motivation
- Funded by (own source/external funding)
- Year of initiation
- Duration of project/scheme
- Status of project(completed/ongoing)
- Geographic spread
- Community involvement
- Training & Capacity building
- Activities of community before the project/scheme
- Activities of community after the project/scheme
- Opportunity/challenges facing community
- Major outcomes
- Way forward/Replicability

Note :

- (i) The nominated participant is expected to prepare and submit a Best Practices followed in your organization / country relating to the theme of the Conference.
- (ii) The Write-up may be sent in advance in MS Word format along with few action photographs in high resolutions to cictab@hotmail.com / cictab1983@gmail.com by **20th January, 2025** for enabling to prepare workshop material for its circulation during conference.



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Annexure - C

Exhibition stall in VAMNICOM campus – 13th and 14th February, 2025

As a part of Networking session, Exhibition stalls in the size 10 x 6.5 ft. will be arranged in the VAMNICOM campus to all the CICTAB member institutions without any charges. The CICTAB member institutions will be required to set up their display of their posters/ products / services. The cost towards the display will be borne by the concerned member institutions. **The member institutions are requested to send the details of Nodal Officer for setting up of exhibition by 31st December, 2024.**

*** EXHIBITION REGISTRATION FORM ***

Name of the Programme		International Conference on "Unleashing Prosperity through Cooperatives: Digital Innovation and Value Chain"	
Date		13 th - 15 th February, 2025	
Venue		Vaikunth Mehta National Institute of Cooperative Management, Pune (VAMNICOM)	
Name of the Member Institution			
Postal Address			
Phone No.		E-Mail ID	
		Website	
Details of Nodal Officer for facilitating in setting up of Exhibition Stall			
Name and designation			
Mob. No.		E-Mail ID	
Date:		Place:	

**Seal and Signature of the
Head of the Organization**



Annexure – D

✳ NOMINATION FORM ✳



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Date	13th - 15th February, 2025		
Venue	Vaikunth Mehta National Institute of Cooperative Management, Pune (VAMNICOM)		
Name of the Participant	Mr./Ms./Mrs.		
Designation			
Participant's personal Information			
Date of Birth / Age:		/ Age:	Yrs.
Nationality			
Educational Qualifications			
Aadhar Card Number (for Indians only)			
Are you a Trainer/ Potential Trainer? (If yes, please provide details)			
Residential Address			
Mobile No. (WhatsApp)		E-Mail id Personal	
Passport No.			
Date of Issue			
Date of Validity			



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Sponsoring Organisation Details:			
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Details of Nominating Organisation (Participant parent organisation)			
Name of the Nominating Organisation			
Mailing Address			
Phone			
E-Mail ID		Website	
Date:		Place:	
Signature of the Participant			

**SIGNATURE AND SEAL OF THE
SPONSORING AUTHORITY**