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Regional Stakeholders' Consultation:
"Role of Agribusiness in Poverty Reduction"

Dear Sir/ Madam,

We are pleased to inform you that **Indian Society of Agribusiness Professionals** and **Oxfam International's "Make Trade Fair"** Campaign in India are jointly organizing Regional Stakeholders' Consultation on **"Role of Agribusiness in Poverty Reduction"**.

These Workshops are planned to be organised at four different venues across the country. The States/UTs have been grouped into four regions, and each Regional Workshop would cover the stakeholders' of the States/UTs of the region. The Regional Workshop for stakeholders of Punjab, Haryana, Chandigarh, Delhi, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu and Kashmir, Uttrakhand and Uttar Pradesh is scheduled to be held in Amritsar, Punjab on **18th April 2007**.

The Workshop will focus on the above theme and an analytical session with paper presentation by stakeholders' based in Northern part of India in above-mentioned states and UTs on four different heads will be the agenda in a full day session.

The agenda will cover following broad areas and their impact on poverty reduction

Fruits and Vegetables

Dairy Farming

Contract Farming

Agril. Clinic and Agril. Business Centres

We plan to bring together representatives of State/UT governments, civil society, farmer's organizations, Industry representatives, academic experts and policy makers involved with this field from the relevant states covered in the Workshop. The Workshop would provide an opportunity to stakeholders to articulate their concerns on the role of Agribusiness in Agriculture and Rural development and consequent upon the reduction in poverty, particularly in rural areas.

The venue of the consultation will be at:

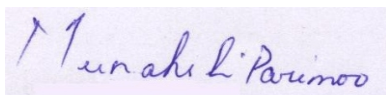
**M.K. Hotel,
District Shopping Centre, Ranjit Avenue,
Amritsar - 148001, Punjab**

Delegates who have got rich experience in the broad areas of the agenda will be eligible for participation. Kindly let us have your confirmation for participation in the Workshop along with other details (such as Name, Designation, Organisation, E-mail Address, Postal Address, Phone Number, and Fax Number) to Indian Society of Agribusiness Professionals by return e-mail (manoj@isapindia.org), fax (011-41731674) or telephone (011 - 41630967/ 41730573 / 41730574/ 09810931908).

Travel reimbursements will be given to selected participants by the organizers. (Lowest economy fare/ 2nd AC by train / Rs. 4 per Km if by Car or own vehicle) against original and photocopied tickets).

We earnestly solicit your participation, which would definitely enrich the deliberations.

With kind regards,



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REGISTRATION FORM

NAME OF THE PARTICIPANT:	
ORGANISATION NAME:	
DESIGNATION:	
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<p>* <u>Note</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Delegates who have got rich experience in the broad areas of the agenda will be eligible for participation.2. Travel reimbursements to the outstation participants will be directly paid by the organizers. (Lowest economy fare/ 2nd AC by train / Rs. 4 per Km if by Car or own vehicle) against original and photocopied tickets	
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