



# elets Agriculture

## INNOVATION SUMMIT

20<sup>th</sup> August 2020

### PROGRAMME AGENDA

(09:30 AM – 05:30 PM)

TIME	SESSION
09:30 AM – 11:30 AM	<p><b>Inaugural Session : Redefining Agriculture and Allied Sector in Post COVID era: Challenges and Opportunities</b></p> <p><b>Welcome Address:</b> Dr Ravi Gupta, Founder, CEO and Editor-in-Chief, Elets Technomedia</p> <p><b>Devpal Singh</b>, Senior Vice President, Agribusiness, Smart City &amp; ICT Services, Niveshan Technologies</p> <p><b>Dr. Rupinder Singh Sodhi</b>, Managing Director, Gujarat Cooperative Milk Marketing Federation, Ltd., (Amul India)</p> <p><b>International Perspective:</b></p> <p><b>H.E. Andrew Ayre</b>, British Deputy High Commissioner, Chandigarh</p> <p><b>H.E. Michael Aaron</b>, High Commissioner of Ghana, New Delhi</p> <p><b>Keynote Address:</b> Atul Chaturvedi, Secretary, Department of Animal Husbandry &amp; Dairying, Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry &amp; Dairying, Government of India</p> <p><b>Special Address:</b> Ashok Dalwai, Chief Executive Officer, National Rainfed Area Authority (NRAA), Chairman, Empowered Body, Doubling Farmers' Income, Department of Agriculture, Cooperation &amp; Farmers Welfare, Ministry of Agriculture &amp; Farmers' Welfare, Government of India</p> <p><b>Guest of Honour Address:</b> Sanjay Agarwal, Secretary, Department of Agriculture, Cooperation &amp; Farmers Welfare, Ministry of Agriculture &amp; Farmers Welfare, Government of India</p> <p><b>Chief Guest Address:</b> Jai Parkash Dalal, Minister for Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Animal Husbandry, Fisheries, Horticulture, Government of Haryana</p>



11:30 AM – 12:15 PM	BREAK
12:15 PM – 01:30 PM	<p><b>Panel Discussion: Role of Information Technology in Agriculture and Allied Sectors – The Future is Here</b></p> <p><b>Dr Arjun Singh Saini</b>, Director General, Department of Horticulture, Government of Haryana</p> <p><b>Nand Kishore</b>, Director Horticulture, Department of Agriculture, Government of Bihar</p> <p><b>S K Das</b>, Director, Indian Institute of Technology, Ropar, Punjab</p> <p><b>Sumnesh Joshi</b>, Deputy Director General, Unique Identification Authority of India, Government of India</p> <p><b>Dr Mukund Kadursrinivas Rao</b>, Chief Executive, NIAS Centre for Spatial Analytics and Advanced GIS (C-SAG), National Institute of Advanced Studies (NIAS), Bangalore</p> <p><b>Amit Noam</b>, Chief Operating Officer, Agritask</p>
01:30 PM – 02:00 PM	BREAK
02:00 PM – 03:30 PM	<p><b>Panel Discussion: Agriculture Marketing, Food Processing – Innovations in Supply Chain &amp; Inventory Management – the new order in post COVID era</b></p> <p><b>Vikas Garg</b>, Registrar, Department of Cooperative Societies, Government of Punjab</p> <p><b>P Narahari</b>, Managing Director, Madhya Pradesh State Cooperative Marketing Federation, Government of Madhya Pradesh</p> <p><b>Deepak R Taware</b>, Chairman and Managing Director, Maharashtra Warehousing Corporation Limited, Government of Maharashtra</p> <p><b>Dr Heera Lal</b>, Additional Mission Director, National Health Mission, Government of Uttar Pradesh</p> <p><b>Prahalthan Iyer</b>, Chief General Manager, India Exim Bank</p> <p><b>Sutantar Kumar Airi</b>, Director, Agriculture, Government of Punjab</p>



03:30 PM – 04:00 PM

BREAK

04:00 PM – 05:30 PM

### Panel Discussion: Commercial Dairy Farming through Scientific

**Manish Bhardwaj**, Secretary, Cooperation, Animal Husbandry, Cow Breeding and Fisheries, Agriculture and Farmers' Welfare, Government of Gujarat

**Dalci De Jesus Bagolin**, Agricultural Attaché, Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Food Supply, Embassy of Brazil in New Delhi

**Dr Teresa Barres Benlloch**, Counsellor for Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, Embassy of Spain, New Delhi

**Rajnikant Rai**, Chief Executive Officer, Agri Business Division, ITC Limited

**Arvind Gautam**, Managing Director, Genus ABS India

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