



**Lal Bahadur Shastri National Academy of Administration,
Mussoorie
Center for Cooperatives & Livelihoods (CCL)**

Minutes of the meeting on "India @ 75" at National Agricultural Cooperative Marketing Federation of India Ltd. (NAFED) HQ New Delhi under the chairmanship of Director, Lal Bahadur Shastri National Academy of Administration (LBSNAA), Mussoorie on 18th February 2021, 10.00 am

Names of the Dignitaries and Officials present:-

1. Dr Sanjeev Chopra Director LBSNAA, Mussoorie
2. Shri Sanjeev Chadha MD NAFED
3. Shri Balasubramanian Iyer , Regional Director Asia Pacific, International Cooperative Alliance (ICA) New Delhi
4. Shri C. Sridhar , Independent Consultant Agri-business
5. Shri Sunil Kumar Singh Addl Director NAFED
6. Shri A. K Rath Executive Director NAFED
7. Dr Milind Ramteke Dy Director LBSNAA and Coordinator CCL

The Minutes are as follows:

1. Director LBSNAA initiated the discussion & shortly briefed about the Government of India's directives to LBSNAA to organise international conference on Cooperatives at LBSNAA Mussoorie on the occasion of India @ 75.
2. Managing Director, National Agricultural Cooperative Marketing Federation of India Ltd. (NAFED) ensured all the support and cooperation for this International Conference on Cooperatives from NAFED.
3. Shri Balasubramanian Iyer Regional Director Asia Pacific, International Cooperative Alliance (ICA) New Delhi suggested to focus on the need of Professional Management and Professional Leadership for Cooperatives in India on the occasion of the International Conference on Cooperatives. Also he assured all the necessary cooperation from ICA for this event.

4. Shri C. Sridhar Ex-Professor IRMA and Independent Consultant Agri Business ensured his active participation for the said event.
5. It was decided to convene a National Consultation Conference on Cooperatives at LBSNAA Mussoorie on **8th March 2021** so as to roll out a roadmap for the future International Conference on Cooperatives on the occasion of India@75. It was also discussed to invite various renowned experts in the sector of Cooperatives for this National Conference in March 2021.
6. On this occasion, NAFED and LBSNAA signed an Agreement of Partnership (MoU) for Research, Knowledge Dissemination and Capacity Building in the sector of Cooperatives & Livelihoods. Shri Bijender Singh, Hon'ble Chairman NAFED and Shri Dileep Singhani Hon'ble Chairman, National Cooperative Union of India (NCUI), Director LBSNAA, MD NAFED, Regional Director Asia Pacific, ICA and various high ranking officials of NAFED were present. On behalf of NAFED Shri A. K Rath Executive Director and on behalf of LBSNAA, Dr Milind Ramteke Dy Director & Coordinator CCL signed the MoU.

The meeting ended with thanks to all.



Dr Milind Ramteke

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To,

- All concerned.