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Lok Sabha & Rajya Sabha
New Delhi

Dt. 28th March, 2005

Respected Members of Parliament,

Sub: Providing additional income to SC / ST Farmers / Agriculture
labour in each village
Providing gainful employment to SC / ST Youth in each village

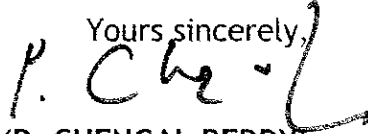
Please find enclosed STRATEGY DOCUMENTS evolved by Parliament Members Farmers Forum (PMFF) in association with Confederation of Indian Farmers Associations (CIFA) & Indian Farmers & Industry Alliance (IFIA) for increasing the income of farmers and providing employment in villages to SC/STs.

These concepts are easy to implement in every village by the Hon'ble MPs. Parliament Constituency wise programmes can be evolved and implemented in association with the local Polytechnics / Engineering Colleges / NGOs in addition to Government Departments.

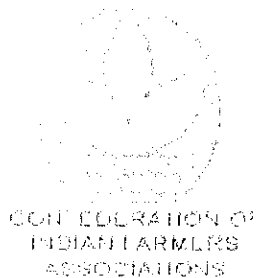
The resources can be mobilized from Central and State Government Departments in addition to providing funds from the Hon'ble MPs allocation.

Should you need additional information or clarifications please write to the undersigned.

With Respectable regards

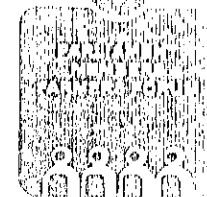
Yours sincerely,

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IFIA

Indian Farmers and Industries Alliance
For Mutual Growth



STRATEGIES AND PROGRAMMES FOR
FARMERS & UNEMPLOYED YOUTH BELONGING TO SC / ST
PROPOSALS SUBMITTED TO HON'BLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT

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1. Physical Drudgery In Agriculture Is Violation of Human Rights
2. Each Tractor provides employment to 2 Drivers (Unemployed Youth), 8 Labour, One Mechanic
3. Ownership of a Tractor gives social equity in the village

Subject	Problem	Suggestions
Providing : ✓ Tractors ✓ Harvesters ✓ Transplanter ✓ Power Tiller ✓ Sprayers / Dusters to SC / ST Farmers & Unemployed Youth	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Physical drudgery is driving away rural youth from Agriculture. * Tractors not affordable by SC & ST farmers - Due to High Cost - Complex Procedures * Lack of tractors is hampering agriculture development for SC & STs * Yearly sale of tractors is 2 lakhs - Only 2500 tractors are provided to SCs & STs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → One tractor to be provided by two unemployed SC/ST youth in each of the 6 lakh villages → 1 lakh subsidy to two unemployed youth → Loans at 4% interest → Tractor provides easy mobility → To provide 1 Sprayer & Duster with a two wheeler moped for 1 unemployed youth in each village in India → To provide 2 power tillers with trolley to unemployed youth in each village of India → To provide modern sickles, crowbars and other agricultural equipment at nominal price to all the women agriculture labour of SC/ST families

- ✧ Low Cattle Breed improvement has reduced additional income to SC/ST Farmers.
- ✧ Animal Rearing is a minimum investment and maximum profit activity for women farmers

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<p>✧ Cross-Breeds: %</p> <p>a) Kerala : 60%</p> <p>b) Bihar : 2%</p> <p>c) Other States : Less than 10%</p> <p>➤ Milk Yields & Daily Income:</p> <p>a) Cross Breed Cow : 6-8 litres : Rs.60-70</p> <p>b) Native Cow : 2 Litres : Rs.20-25</p> <p>c) Cross Breed Buffalo: 8-10 litres Rs.90-100</p> <p>d) Native : 3litres : Rs.30</p>	<p>* 40% BPL are livestock owners</p> <p>* 76% milk is supplied by women and weaker sections</p> <p>* Taxes on Processing Machinery and Veterinary Medicines is high.</p> <p>* Due to low yields, children are not provided sufficient milk leading to mal-nutrition</p>	<p>➔ Breed improvement directly helps 300 million farmers.</p> <p>➔ Artificial insemination Cost per animal : Rs.600/-. It provides increased income of Rs.8,000-10,000 p.a. for 10 years.</p> <p>➔ Training 4 million youth as Field workers in veterinary first aid (artificial insemination - health care)</p> <p>➔ Providing Scooter, freezer and flask to carry the semen.</p>

- Establishing Separate National Development Boards for Goat, Sheep & Pigs
- 30-35% Indians consume Beef
- 50-55% Indians consume Pork (Pig Meat)
- Over 90% Indians consume Fish
- Malnutrition can be overcome by providing Meat In villages

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Neglect of small ruminants caused huge loss to SC/ST farmers ➤ This income goes to the women in the family 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Every SC/ST farmers owns small ruminants (Sheep, Goat, Pigs & Ducks) ✓ Necessary Breed improvement is not provided ✓ Wrong imprecision created that India is a Vegetarian Country 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Small ruminants provide a minimum of Rs.5,000 to 10,000 income to each family including land less. 2. To provide special funds for 100% breed improvement in 5 years 3. To encourage value addition - processing through contract farming 4. North East can export pork to China (China imports 1 million tones of Pork) 5. Indian beef has excellent demand through out the world.

- ⇒ Hybrid Seed increases productivity by 70% to 100%
- ⇒ Paddy Productivity - India : 2.5 MT per ha; China : 7.5 MT per ha. (due to Hybrid Seed)

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Non-supply of Hybrid Quality seed to SC,ST Farmers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * In India, farmers use only 10-15% Hybrid Seed, whereas in China, 50% hybrid seeds are used. * Amongst SC & ST Farmers, less than 2%-3% use hybrid seeds. * Productivity is extremely low in dry land areas due to inferior seeds. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → GOI to provide total grant to States for providing hybrid seeds to all SC & ST farmers.

SUPPLY OF SUBSIDIZED PESTICIDES TO ALL SC/ST FARMERS

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SC/ST Farmers do not use pesticides.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * SC/ST Farmers lose 40%-60% crop due to pests & diseases. * Only 5-10% SC/ST Farmers use pesticides * Quality pesticides are costly because of high taxation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ To provide 50% subsidy on pesticides to all SC/ST Farmers. ➤ To provide subsidy through Banks. ➤ To identify quality pesticide products by Govt. of India

❁ In All 6 Lakh Villages, the following specialized training personnel are required.

Subject	Problem	Suggestions
AUTOMOBILE SECTOR		
2 Tractor Drivers In Every Village	6 LAKHS X 2	1.2 Million
Tractor Mechanics	1 X 6	0.6 Million
Auto (3 Wheeler) Drivers	4 X 6	2.4 Million
Auto (3 Wheeler) Mechanics	1 X 6	0.6 Million
Two Wheeler (Motor Cycle/Scooter) Mechanics	4 X 6	2.4 Million
HOUSEHOLD SECTOR		
Household Electricians	2 X 6	1.2 Million
Carpenters	2 X 6	1.2 Million
Plumbers	2 X 6	1.2 Million
Masons	2 X 6	1.2 Million

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NEW SERVICE SECTOR		
Insurance Agents (Health, Motor, Animal Etc.)	3 X 6	1.8 Million
Small Savings Mobilizer	1 X 6	0.6 Million
Modern Tailors	2 X 6	1.2 Million
Supplier Automobile Parts (Spare Parts Of 2/3 Wheelers)	1 X 6	0.6 Million
Supplier Of Modern Gadgets (TV Fan, Cookers, Mixie Etc.)	1 X 6	0.6 Million
Photographers & Frame Makers	1x 6	0.6 Million
Establishing A Modern Saloon	1 X 6	0.6 Million
AGRICUTLURE SERVICE SECTOR		
Repair & Maintenance Of Sprayers & Dusters	2x6	1.2 Million
Trainer For Vermi-Compost Organic Farming	2 X 6	1.2 Million
Tissue Culture Trainer	1 X 6	0.6 Million
Nursery Men	2 X 6	1.2 Million
Electric Motors Mechanics	4 X 6	2.4 Million
Diesel Engine Mechanics	1 X 6	0.6 Million



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CONSORTIUM OF INDIAN FARMERS ASSOCIATION (CIFA)

Date : 5th April 2017' at 5.00 PM

Venue: Gurajada Conference Hall, Andhra Pradesh Bhawan,1, Ashoka Road, New Delhi

AGENDA

"Farmers Prosperity Through Loan Waiver and Minimum Support Price at Cost of Production + 50%"

- 1- Need for GOI for loan waiver to all farmers due to indebtedness arising out of deficient government policies, Natural calamities, market fluctuation, institutional failure etc.
- 2- To immediately implement NCF (Dr. M.S. Swaminathan Committee Report) specially MSP at cost of production + 50% for the year 2017-18
- 3- Modernization of agriculture through total mechanization , drip irrigation , IT, Information technology and frontier technologies
- 4- To provide insurance to every farmers after 60 years age and compulsory health insurance and education facility to his children
- 5- Encourage Animal Husbandry –Dairy-Poultry-Fisheries-Meat
- 6- Farmers empowerment through Panchayat Raj, Commodity Boards, Water Users, Cooperatives ,Market Yards, linking MGNREGA with farm activities
- 7- Increased investment in agriculture in irrigation, mechanization, processing, research, extension, infrastructure etc.
- 8- A deputy Prime Minister heading by Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare with Separate Union Budget comprising Agriculture, Irrigation, Fertilizer, Commerce, NABARD, Insurance.
- 9- Pragmatic policies for meat exports Tobacco, Opium (Hafeem) and other sector.

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To,

30th March,2017

Hon'ble Member of Parliament,
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Respected Member of Parliament,

On behalf of following farmers associations we request for your participation in the Interactive Session with our representatives on 5th April, 2017 at 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm at Gurajada Conference Hall, Andhra Pradesh Bhawan, No.1, Ashok Road, New Delhi-110001.

The agenda as detailed in the enclosure is intended to provide you seriousness and endless problems confronted by all section of the farmers of the country. The MP's, hailing from farmers background have been taking considerable interests on the issues. However unforeseen problems arising due to demonetization, policy contradictions, and institutional deficiencies are not only causing problems to the producers and also input industries and processing industries as well as exporters and others. We believe that your active participation will enable find to immediate solutions. Please confirm your participation to the following to enable us make necessary arrangements.

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STATUS OF FARMERS-AS OF MARCH 2017

- A- Analyzing reasons for High level of -Indebtness-Suicides-Migration- Malnutrition
- B- Reasons -Non-profitablePrices- Crop Losses/ Insufficient compensation- Increased cost of inputs -Lack of effective Procurement - imports to curtail prices -Institutional ineffectiveness.
- C- Need for Government of India to initiate for one time loan waiver measures
- D- Getting National Commission on Farmers (Dr.M.S.Swaminadhan) report implemented.
- E- Immediate implementation of APMC reforms.
- F- Arranging coordination between farmers and Policy makers.
- G- Adopting modern technologies for crop protection, improvement of productivity, losses evaluation and other related matters.
- H- Mechanization as a means to reduce cost of production, labour charges and complete timely agriculture activity.

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