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RURAL BUSINESS SUMMIT & TRADE FAIR 2019









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## Prime Minister

## MESSAGE

I am glad to learn that the MSME Export Promotion Council, Ministry of Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises (MSME) is organizing "India back to Gandhi – Rural Business Summit & Trade Fair 2019 – Crafting Livelihood for Rural India" to mark the 150<sup>th</sup> birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi.

Our Government is committed to realizing Mahatma Gandhi's vision of empowerment of villages and rural areas. Bapu firmly believed that ours is a nation that lives in its villages. Gramoday Se Bharat Uday, Rashtriya Gram Swaraj Abhiyan, Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana – NRLM, PM Awas Yojana-Gramin, Swachh Bharat Mission-Gramin and many other initiatives taken by our Government are aimed at all-round development of villages and empowerment of rural people that is sustainable. From strengthening our Panchayati Raj Institutions to doubling of farmers' income by 2022, we are striving in our commitment to equip villages with amenities ranging from digital and road connectivity to livelihood in neighborhood.

The Business Summit & Trade Fair will help spur the growth of villagebased industries and encourage the people living in our villages to showcase environment-friendly products and promote a more sustainable lifestyle. The involvement of Panchayats is critical to the success of such endeavours.

Let us all collectively work with dedication and commitment to ensure that our villages become equal partners in the march towards progress.

May the "India Back to Gandhi - Rural Business Summit & Trade Fair – 2019 – Crafting Livelihood for Rural India" succeed in its endeavours and be a huge success.

(Narendra Modi)

New Delhi भाद्रपद 28, शक संवत् 1941 19<sup>th</sup> September, 2019

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## MESSAGE

The Hon'ble Vice President of India is happy to know that the MSME Export Promotion Council is organizing 'Rural Business Summit & Trade Fair 2019' from October 2 - 6, 2019 at Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts, Janpath, New Delhi.

The Hon'ble Vice President extends his greetings and congratulations to the organizers and the participants and wishes the event all success.

(D. Prasanth Kumar Reddy)

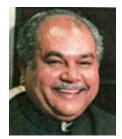
New Delhi 16<sup>th</sup> September, 2019.

## नरेन्द्र सिंह तोमर NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR



कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण, ग्रामीण विकास तथा पंचायती राज मंत्री भारत सरकार कृषि भवन, नई दिल्ली

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE & FARMER WELFARE, RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND PANCHAYATI RAJ GOVERNMENT OF INDIA KRISHI BHAWAN, NEW DELHI



### MESSAGE

I am happy to know that MSME Export Promotion Council alongwith Confederation of the Organic Industry of India, Foundation for Millenium Sustainable Development Goals, The Jute Foundation and WBF International Centre Services is going to organize **Rural Business Summit & Trade Fair** during 2<sup>nd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> October, 2019 at Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts, New Delhi to commemorate the completion of 150<sup>th</sup> Birth Anniversary of The Father of the Nation Mahatma Gandhi.

I have been told that the Rural Business Summit will focus on various topics of discussion, relevant for the rural artisans. As per the Council, Business Delegations from several countries and nearly 250-300 exhibits from rural artisans from various States of India are expected to participate in the Summit. The Exhibtion will showcase the best products of Rural India and the other activities besides B2B Meetings, Cultural Programmes and Food Festival etc.

I have also been told that the Rural Artisans, doing exemplary work in their respective fields, shall be awarded during the Summit.

I congratulate the MSME Export Promotion Council and all other participants for organising the event and wish the Rural Business Summit & Trade Fare 2019 all success.

(Narendra Singh Tomar)



## MESSAGE

MSME sector is the backbone of our economy and is considered the engine of economic growth. The sector is playing pivotal role through its contribution in manufacturing, exports, employment generation at low capital cost.

It is in this context that the MSME Export Promotion Council had decided to organize a five –day mega event on **"India Bank to Gandhi: Rural Business Trade Fair from 2-6 October 2019"** at the most prestigious venue near India Gate "Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts", Janpath.

More than 235 units from 22 States and 10 Central Ministries had participated in the Trade Fair, apart from many prominent organizations. The response was exceedingly overwhelming and counter-sale was unprecedented. The exhibitors were highly satisfied and each one of them are eager to participate in the forthcoming similar events.

The credit goes to all the participants and specially to the Ministry of MSME and Partner State Uttar Pradesh.

The MSME secretariat had done their best to extend and facilitate all yet the best could be improved further. We assure that our efforts will continue to play a role of '**facilitator**' to the MSME sector.

Dr. D S Rawat Chairman MSME EPC





Date : 2-6 October 2019

Venue : India Gandhi National Centre For the Arts, Janpath, New Delhi-110001

## Exhibitors : 235

## Footfall : Over 30,000 people

To commemorate the completion of 150<sup>th</sup> Birth Anniversary of the Father of the Nation Mahatma Gandhi, the MSME Export Promotion Council (Supported by the Ministry of MSME, Government of India) had organized a mega Rural Business Summit & Trade Fair 2019 from 2-6 October 2019. This mega event was supported by various Central Ministries such as MSME, Drinking water & Sanitation, Ayush, Animal Husbandry and Dairying, Skill Development & Entrepreneurship, Agriculture & farmers Welfare, Social Justice and Empowerment etc.

While, the Uttar Pradesh Government was the "State Partner", other notable States who participated include Telengana, J&K, Rajasthan, North Eastern Region: ASSAM, Tripura, Meghalaya, Sikkim, Arunachal Pradesh, Nagaland, Mizoram and Manipur, Tamil Nadu, Maharashtra, Gujarat, West Bengal, Chhattisgarh, Uttarakhand etc. Over 235 stalls were exhibited and during the 5-day event more than 30,000 visitors had visited the Trade Fair. It is a matter of great satisfaction that the exhibitors went back with huge satisfaction by registering good counter-sale and booking orders for future, establishing contacts with buying agents for foreign companies.

The noted exhibitors were representing ODOP (UP), Rajasthan, J&K, NABARD, NSIC, NERCORMP, Khadi & Village Industries, Coir Board, Andhra Bank, Garvi Gurjari, Amul, Tihar Jail, LIC, MANAGE, NAFED, SMC Global, NIXI etc.

The Summit was addressed by various prominent dignitaries from Embassies, Ministries, State Governments and Parliamentarians; **Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal**, Hon'ble Minister of State (HI&PA), **Shri Harinarayan Rajbhar**, Former MP & Minister (UP), Dr. Lorho S. Pfoze, Member of Parliament, **Shri Bhubaneswar Kalita**, Former Minister, and Chairman of the North East MPs Forum, **Shri Ram Mohan Mishra**, Additional Secretary & DC, MSME & Chairman NSIC, **Shri Udayee Ram**, Additional Director, Meerut Mandal, **Ms. Juliana Somba-Banda**, First Secretary (Trade), Malawi, **Mr. Ismail Alatise**, Deputy



Head of Embassy, Nigeria, **Ernest RWAMUCYO**, High Commission, Republic of Rawanda, **HE Ms. Fatoumata Balde**, Ambassador, Republic of Guinea, **H.E Grace Akello**, High Commissioner, Republic of Uganda, **Mr. Andrei MISYURA**, Trade/Investment Secretary, Embassy of the Republic of Belarus etc.

Speakers expressed the view that despite being the face of Indian Freedom movement, Gandhi Ji is a figure revered by the whole world. He is so respected that his birth anniversary is celebrated every year as the International Day of Non-Violence by the United Nations. Not only in India even globally his way of life and life lessons are something that everyone can benefit from. This year's Day puts the focus on sustainability and environment.

Appreciating the initiative taken by the MSME Export Promotion Council, Particularly for connecting Rural India, the Summit focused that everyone wants to live in better world and, therefore, each one of us should work / contribute towards changing the world to make it a better place for our children.

Gandhi Ji always said there can be no change in the world if we are not ready to change ourselves. He firmly believed that the change starts at home and for a world less corrupt, more affable for the future generations; we need to embrace total integrity in ourselves. No change is too small and by and by we can change the world taking small step at a time.

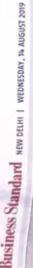
It was further stated that while Bapu insisted on education, he also said that teaching children only for the sake of literacy is worthless if it does not focus on a all-round education. He emphasized on the development of children in body, mind and spirit and not just education as a tool to earn money. He believed well rounded people can contribute to the development of a better society and stronger Nation. He believed in accepting our flaws and turning them into strengths. He believed in the power of forgiveness and acceptance.

Children across all regions, borders, cultures should be able to benefit from this wealth of knowledge.

The Trade Fair received overwhelming response as there are many artisans who live in India's little towns and villages and churn out masterpieces with their hands but fail to find the visibility they deserve. This couple with the lack of monetary returns, forces them to leave behind their ancestral legacy and head to other cities and towns for better employment prospects. These crafts people or artisans are the backbone of the nonfarm rural economy. Around 41.89 million rural populations are employed in non agricultural activity. Despite some instances of well known design houses using handmade products and successful crafts based business such as Fab India and Anokhi, the majority of craft production remains unorganized and informal with its full market potential untapped, especially by the artisan who more often than not struggles for sustenance.

Harnessing the potential of this sector requires different types of investments and promotional support to preserve and promote traditional crafts, strengthen the sector and improve the incomes of artisans.

Each exhibitor was contacted by the Union Minister of State for Heavy Industry and Parliamentary Affairs Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal about the response they received during the 5-day event.



# Realising Gandhiji's vision

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BS Marketing Initiative

# On Gandhiji's footsteps towards sustainable future: MSDGs

No matter how fast paced and technologically advanced our lives have become since Mahatma Gandhi's times, the essence of Gandhiji's teachings are as relevant today as they were then, because the basic human nature itself

Despite being the face of Indian addressed as "Bapu" by all Indians, For Indians he is the "Father of Our freedom movement, Gandhiji is a figure revered by the whole world International Day of Non-Violence He is so respected that his birth everyone can benefit from. This by the United Nations. Lovingly his teachings are timeless and Nation". Not only in India even globally his way of life and life relevant even in today's time. celebrated every year as the year's Day puts the focus on lessons are something that anniversary, 2" October, is

sustainability and the environment Gandhi honored humanitarian obligation to all living things. He reminded us that "Earth provides enough to satisfy everyone's needs but not everyone's greed. We know that a culture of non-violence begins with respect for others, but it does not end there. To nurture peace, we must respect nature.

Mahatma Gandhi not only led the freedom movement in India, but worked throughout his life for social change and the development of society. At the heart of Mahatma Gandhi's philosophy of nonviolence was his belief that strength comes throm righteousness, not force; power comes from truth, not might

and that victory comes from moral courage not imposed submission. He said in all the activities, the youth must be involved as an agent of social-political change in society. Be the change von ward to see in

# Be the change you want to see in the world

Everyone wants to live in a better world. We all hope and pray that the world would change and become a better place for our children, but not many of us want to be an instrument to that change Gandhiji always said there can be no change in the world if we are not ready to change ourselves, He firmly believed that the change starts at home and for a world less corrupt, more affable for the future

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houses clean but also working towards keeping our streets and cities clean is the path to attaining godiness.

## Education which does not mould character is absolutely worthless While Bapu insisted on

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The teachings of Mahatma Gandhi will always be enlightenin for our children and all the generations to come. Children across all religions, borders, across all religions, borders, cuttures should be able to benefit from this wealth of knowledge. Understanding the imperative

It all begins with education, cleanliness, water and environment. It's time to act and react to save, spread and steer them. Let's join hands with 1,50,000 children from across different parts of the nation to celebrate Bapu's vision of India. 23

## Dr. D. S. Rawat Vice Chairman, Foundation for MSDGs

need of the hour to sensitize the future citizens – the children of the Nation, Institute of Applied Systems & Rural Development has been

organizing awareness programs in various schools on impact of Climate Change & their role to mitigate it since 2010.

To commemorate the 150<sup>th</sup> birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi, the MSME Export Promotion Council, Institute of Applied Systems & Rural Development and the Foun-dation for Millennium Sustainable Development Goals are pleased to join the nation by involving 1,50,000 school children to help build a new india by participating in the followin campaigns.

 National Campaign on Eradication of Manual Scavenging - Campaign for Swachh Bharat - Water Conservation and Restoration of Water Resources
Tree Plantation by Involving Corporate India - Campaign Against Drug Addiction

MSDGs gives wings to Gandhiji's dreams and is all set to organise Rural Business Summit & Trade Fair between 2nd and 6th October, 2019 at Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts (IGNCA), New Delhi. This will give boost to livelihood opportunities for rural India The event will focus on opportunities in rural marketing. strengthening existing rural schemes, future of rural marketing.

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and cultural programs. For details, get in touch at:

Business Standard, Wednesday, 14<sup>th</sup> August 2019, New Delhi







## 60 Metro Stations and 2 International Airports





## Business Standard, Tuesday, 1<sup>st</sup> October 2019, New Delhi



## Indian Express, Tuesday, 1<sup>st</sup> October 2019, New Delhi





## Times of India, Wednesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2019, New Delhi





## Hindustan Times, Saturday, 5<sup>th</sup> October 2019, New Delhi





## **GLIMPSES OF THE EXHIBITION**



































































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