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To  
The Editor,

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Sir,

I request that the following matter may kindly be published in your esteemed daily:

**Agripreneurship Convention 2018: Transforming Agriculture Value chain to empower FPOs and Agripreneurs**

Tamil Nadu Agricultural University (TNAU – Coimbatore) and National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) organize a National conference on Agripreneurship called “Agripreneurship Convention 2018: Transforming Agriculture Value chain to empower FPOs and Agripreneurs”. The conference is hosted by TNAU on March 16-17, 2018 at the University Convocation Hall of TNAU Coimbatore campus. Transforming the Agri value chain to empower FPOs is the focus of this inaugural year of Agripreneurship Convention 2018.

Bridging the market and technology gaps that are critical to successful agripreneurship, while advancing the agripreneurs and producer companies in the Agriculture value chain is the purpose of the conference. The conference runs for two days with defined objectives through problem-solving discussion forums.

Agripreneurs, agricultural technocrats, investors, policy makers and scientists are the major stakeholders of the conference. Aligning the stakeholder towards a common goal of creating high impact Producer companies is the primary objective of this conference. This event is planned as an action-oriented forum and translates in to follow-up action through respective stakeholders.

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