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To

All Officers of EPFO
Head Office/Zonal Office's/Regional Office's

Subject: Business Leadership Symposium by Economics Times on 6th & 7th August, 2020.

Madam/Sir,

Economic Times is organising ***Global Townhall – A Business Leadership Symposium*** that aims to bring together the world's top business leaders. The virtual conclave will engage the most prominent faces from the business community to help shape the global, regional and local agenda for the post-covid world. It will bring together over 3000 participants from around the world helping define the key attributes of the new world order.

The Key Tracks of the programme are as under:

- Business in The New World Order
- Global Supply Chain in Post Covid-19 World
- Digital Transformation in The Age Of Pandemic
- India Edge in The Post-Covid World
- Covid as A Reminder - Back To Basics
- Infrastructure in The Covid Era And Way Forward
- Funding in Times Of Covid
- Leveraging Green Shoot Businesses

DATE OF ORGANISATION OF VIRTUAL SUMMIT:

6TH & 7TH AUGUST, 2020.

SUMMIT HIGHLIGHTS

08+ **Knowledge Sessions**

The summit will consist of interesting web panel discussions, exclusive live fireside chats and engaging digital industry presentations.

40+ **Thought Leaders**

Industry's thought leaders, decision makers and solution providers will gather virtually to discuss the latest trends, innovations and technologies across sectors.

3000+ **Attendees**

Congregation of industry's top-level executives and senior officials for knowledge sharing.

12+ **Hours of Networking**

Networking opportunity for solution and service providers with industry's top decision makers via digital exhibition, public live chats and private one-on-one video chats.

Speakers:

The following are some of the Key speakers in the event who are renowned industry leaders of various fields:

1. Sir Martin Sorrel, Executive Chairman, S4 Capital Founder, WPP
2. Mr. Borje Ekholm, President and CEO, Ericsson Group
3. Mr. Pawan Munjal, Chairman Hero MotoCorp
4. Dr. Ram Charan, Global Advisor to CEOs & Corporate Boards
5. Ms. Kiran Mazumdar-Shaw, Executive Chairperson, Biocon
6. Mr. Marcos Prado Troyjo, President New Development Bank
7. Prof. Muhammad Yunus, Noble Laureate
8. Mr. Bama Kalyani, Chairman and MD Bharat Forge
9. Mr. David A Aaker, Vice Chair Prophet; and many others

Agenda:

- Day 1 & Day 2
- 02:00 PM – 02:15 PM - **Opening Remarks**
- 02:15 PM – 02:35 PM - **Chief Guest Address**
- +02:35 PM – 04:00 PM - **Business in the New World Order**

As the world grapples with the unprecedented impact of Covid-19 pandemic, economies are setting new norms for conduct of business and geo-politics alike, leading to a fast-emerging new world order. Its key attributes are reverse globalisation, new demand patterns and emergence of new investment destinations. Discussion on these themes -- apart from the changing art of raising capital, technology's impact and trade flow between markets -- will be a part of this session.

- +04:00 PM – 05:30 PM - **Global Supply Chain in Post Covid-19 World**

Shifting manufacturing bases would be a key aspect of the overhaul in the global economy caused by the Covid-19 pandemic. In times of uncertainty businesses would like to secure sourcing from multiple non-traditional geographies. In such a scenario, which are the markets and industries stand to gain? What would be the face of the new supply chains? In this session, business leaders will deliberate upon these key questions.

- +05:30 PM – 06:45 PM - **Digital Transformation in the age of pandemic**

Digital technologies hold enormous potential to boost economic progress and human welfare. These technologies are leading the fourth Industrial Revolution, which is shaping Globalization 4.0. The most visible disruption is being seen in manufacturing an supply chain. In the post-Covid era, how would technology and innovation impact the world economy? This session will explore digital transformation as a tool for businesses to restart their journey.

- +06:45 PM – 08:00 PM - **India Edge in the post-Covid World**

With COVID-19 pandemic, there is a broader consensus that the global manufacturing supply chain would be more spread than concentrated in major economies. If India gets its act together with the right kind of policies and incentives, it can be a manufacturing destination. The Indian edge is about energetic and tech-savvy manpower and also huge domestic consumption. Further, the country has the right demographics, skilling agenda, incentives and political leadership.

HOW TO ATTEND THE EVENT

The experience of an in-person event with the flexibility of location independence!

The virtual event will imitate a traditional in-person event with opportunities to interact with speakers and other attendees in a virtual environment on the web, rather than meeting in a physical location.

1. Register

Sign-up with official email ID

2. Login

Look for update emails and use the provided credential on the virtual event day

3. Attend

Get access to the virtual event: Presentations, Panel Discussions, Networking Areas, and a lot more.

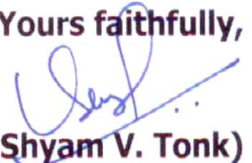
The link to Register and attend the Virtual Conclave is given below:

https://globaltownhall.economictimes.indiatimes.com/global-townhall?ag=ETHRWB&utm_source=ethrworld-comws-ETHR&utm_medium=banner-promotional-bannerWB&utm_campaign=featured-4353-campaign-custom-0GT

Officers of EPFO are encouraged to register and take advantage to upgrade their knowledge and skill. This will enable Officers to up their efficiency and productivity and equip them to face challenges during times of pandemic. CPFC has directed that interested officers can attend the webinar. However, the office work should not suffer.

(This issues with the approval of Competent Authority)

Yours faithfully,



(Shyam V. Tonk)

Regional P.F. Commissioner-I (Training)