Dear Colleague

It is a great privilege for the College of Home Science, CCSHAU, Hisar, Haryana to host National Seminar on Scenario of Women in Agriculture and Future Projections at Hisar, on February 16-17, 2012

About the Seminar

Women are responsible for half of the world's food production and have a prominent role in agriculture at all levels including the main crop production, livestock production, horticulture, post harvest operations, agro/ social forestry, fisheries, etc. In spite of her major contribution in agriculture and allied activities, women are being discriminated in all fields of agriculture and family life. The empowerment of the women was implicit in the preamble of the Indian constitution with the promise to secure justice, social, economic and political equality of status and opportunity; and assuring dignity of the individual. Empowerment of women and gender equality has been recognized globally as a key element to achieve progress in all areas. India envisions a future in which Indian women are independent and self reliant. In various national policies and developmental programmes, emphasis has shifted from developmental issues for welfare of women to adopting a holistic approach for empowerment of women in 11th Five Year Plan.In spite of all these efforts the status of women has not

improved, so there is need to empower women for making them self reliant and confident. The strategies based on these findings would be immensely helpful to the development planners, policy makers, practitioners, researchers, scholars in general and those involved in women oriented programmes in particular to plan the policy and programmes accordingly.

Sub Themes of the Seminar

- Gender Discrimination: Causes, Solutions and Strategies
- Capacity Building & Entrepreneurship
- Women's role in changing Society
- Women Empowerment

Welcome to Haryana

Harvana is a landlocked state in northern India, surrounded by Punjab and Himachal Pradesh to the north and Rajasthan to the west and south. It is one of the most agrarian states in India covered with greenery all around. The state is famous for wheat and milk production. It is also the first state in India to have electrified all its towns and villages. Hisar is an important district of Harvana, situated at a distance 166 km west of Delhi on the NH - 10 (National Highway- 10). The city of Hisar was founded by a Muslim ruler, Firozshah Tughlag in 1354 A.D. 'Hisar' is an Arabic word which means 'Fort'. A fort by the name of Hisar-e-Firoza was constructed by Firozsah Tughlag in the year 1354. Hisar is

famous for its steel industry, therefore sometimes called as the "Steel City of Haryana".

Venue

The seminar is organized at I.C. College of Home Science, CCSHAU, Hisar, Haryana. The local transport from your stay place to the seminar venue will be made available.

Registration Date and Fee

On or before 15th December

Faculty/Scientist □1000/-Member

On the spot

Faculty/Scientist □1200/-Member

Student/Scholar \quad \quad 600 \rangle -

The registration form should reach the Organizing Secretary on or before January 15, 2012 along with registration fee.

Accommodation

Accommodation facilities will be made available in the Faculty House and Farmers Hostel at the University Campus as per University rates.

Guidelines for submission of papers

Faculty, students and professionals from related disciplines are invited to submit abstracts for oral and poster presentations. The abstract must be of 250 words typed in Times New Roman, font size 12. It should include the title of the paper, authors, affiliation and contact details. All papers

are subject to approval of the technical committee. Authors of accepted papers will be required to submit three hard copies, along with a soft copy of their full paper. The presenting author must register for the seminar.

Dates for submission of abstract/papers

December 15th 2011-Submission of abstract January 5th 2012 - Acceptance of abstract January 15th 2012- Submission of paper

Organizing Secretary

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Registration Form

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Personal Details

Full Name Designation Organization: Department : Address:

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Accommodation Details

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Mode of travel: Flight/Train/Bus

Flight/Train No.

Date & time of arrival:

Date & time for departure: Flight/ Train No./Bus

Signature of Participant

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