is an impactful representative of the Indian industry. These Councils are led by well-known industry leaders, academicians, economists and independent professionals. The Chamber focuses on aligning critical needs and interests of the industry with the growth aspirations of the nation.

ASSOCHAM is driving four strategic priorities - Sustainability, Empowerment, Entrepreneurship and Digitisation. The Chamber believes that affirmative action in these areas would help drive an inclusive and sustainable socio-economic growth for the country.

ASSOCHAM is working hand in hand with the government, regulators, and national and international think tanks to contribute to the policy making process and share vital feedback on implementation of decisions of far-reaching consequences. In line with its focus on being future-ready, the Chamber is building a strong network of knowledge architects. Thus, ASSOCHAM is all set to redefine the dynamics of growth and development in the technology driven 'Knowledge-Based Economy. The Chamber aims to empower stakeholders in the Indian economy by inculcating knowledge that will be the catalyst of growth in the dynamic global environment.

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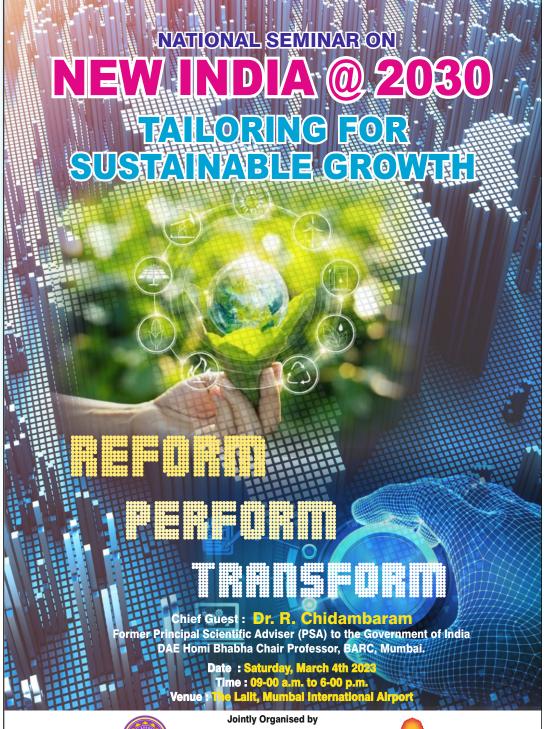
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The Associated Chambers of Commerce & Industry of India The Alumni Association (Mumbai Branch) of Jadavpur University jointly with Assocham is organising a national seminar on the theme

NEW INDIA @ 2030: TAILORING FOR SUSTAINABLE GROWTH Reform, Perform, Transform

on Saturday, March 4, 2023 at Hotel THE LALIT, Mumbai.

BACKGROUND

Jadavpur University Alumni Association (Mumbai Branch) has been actively contributing to the society at large through various initiatives. As part of the on-going knowledge related initiatives, it is proposed to organise a National Seminar on the theme

PREAMBLE

By the year 2030, India is projected to become the third largest economy in the world. With 37% CAGR in digital payment transactions during the period 2019-21, India has the highest Fintech adoption rate of 87%, which is significantly higher than the global average of 64%. Globally, India is the second largest producer of steel. Worldwide, India ranks third by volume in producing Pharmaceuticals. India has the world's largest rail network in terms of passenger traffic. India has the largest renewable energy expansion plan globally. Therefore, it is quite logical that India attracted the highest ever FDI inflow of \$83.57 bn during the FY 2021-22.

ECONOMY AND NEW TECHNOLOGIES

Historically, the three sectors - agriculture, manufacturing and services - have been contributing to India's economic growth. India's definition of services sector includes construction, retail, software, IT, communications, hospitality, infrastructure operations, education, healthcare, banking, insurance, and many other economic activities. This sector is estimated to contribute around 60% to the economic growth. Pandemic has pressed the fast-forward button globally and leading organisations all over the world are recognising that technology leadership is essential to retain their position. With the advent of computing power revolution driving cloud and quantum computing, organizations are fast becoming data-driven businesses. With 5G getting ready to push industry convergence, with blockchain and metaverse together making it possible to run a parallel digital universe, every business today is a technology business. India, therefore, needs to absorb the emerging technologies and exploit the new opportunities to realise its vision of \$5 trillion economy by the year 2030.

Your Support and Our Thoughts

You can become our partner in this endeavor and extend your support in

promoting our mission by sponsoring the Seminar through advertisements in our annual publication AANCEB 2023 which will be brought out during the Seminar. This publication will mainly contain articles on the Seminar theme by eminent persons and incidentally highlight the contribution of our association to society along with future commitments and action plan. The sponsorship contract form is attached with this appeal. Kindly return the form, duly signed along with your contribution.

About Alumni Association NCE Bengal & Jadavpur University (Mumbai)

The Mumbai Branch of the Alumni Association, N.C.E Bengal and Jadavpur University was established in the year 1956 with the short-term objective of providing an umbrella under which Alumni could meet, interact and socialize. Soon after, the objective was enlarged to include contribution to society at large through knowledge sharing and charitable activities. The Association Organized Seminars with the active participation and support of Corporates, on topical themes of national interest and organized cultural events to raise funds for the charitable activities. The Mumbai branch has over 500 active members, who are connected with various core and knowledge based industries, professional organizations and Government agencies in and around Mumbai.

Along with the firm belief in integration and solidarity, our Alumni Association is focused on the spirit of Indian heritage and culture and is committed to the overall welfare of the people of the nation. Professionally, the organization maintains close relationship with eminent academic institutions, reputed industrial houses and organizes workshops, conferences and technical debates on topical themes.

About ASSOCHAM

The Associated Chambers of Commerce & Industry of India (ASSOCHAM) is the country's oldest apex chamber. It brings in actionable insights to strengthen the Indian ecosystem, leveraging its network of more than 4,50,000 members, of which MSMEs represent a large segment. With a strong presence in states, and key cities globally, ASSOCHAM also has more than 400 associations, federations, and regional chambers in its fold.

Aligned with the vision of creating a New India, ASSOCHAM works as a conduit between the industry and the Government. The Chamber is an agile and forward-looking institution, leading various initiatives to enhance the global competitiveness of the Indian industry, while strengthening the domestic ecosystem.

With more than 100 national and regional sector councils, ASSOCHAM