

PROGRAM			
INDIA RUBBER MEET 2020 (IRM 2020)			
27.02.2020			
04:00 – 06:30 pm: Registration			
06.30 – 8:30 pm : Networking Reception			
Inaugural	28.02.2020 (Day One)		
	08:00 – 09:25 am	Registration/Assembly	
	09:30 - 10:30 am	60 Mins	Inaugural Session
			Invocation & Lighting of Lamp
			Welcome: <b>Dr. K.N. Raghavan</b> , Executive Director, Rubber Board of India
			Keynote address by Guest of Honour: <b>Dr. Sawar Dhanania</b> , Chairman, Rubber Board of India
			Inaugural Address by the Chief Guest: <b>Mr. K.M. Mammen</b> , Chairman ATMA
			Flavours of Mamallapuram - A short dance
		Vote of Thanks : <b>Mr. Vinod Simon</b> , Vice Chairman, IRM 2020 Organizing Committee	
		<b>National Anthem</b>	
	10:30 - 11:00 am	Tea / Coffee / Networking	
Thematic Session	11:00 - 11:30 am	30 Mins	Theme Address: Rubber Resurgence Through Innovation <b>Mr. Tom K. Thomas</b> , Executive Director (Technology & Projects), CEAT Ltd., Mumbai
Session-I	11:30 - 01:30 pm	120 Mins	<b>Session-I: OUTLOOK FOR RUBBER INDUSTRY</b>
		25 Mins	Outlook for the Global NR Plantation Industry - <b>Mr. R.B. Premadasa</b> , Secretary General, ANRPC, Kuala Lumpur
		25 Mins	Outlook for the Indian NR Plantation Industry - <b>Dr. K.N. Raghavan</b> , Executive Director, Rubber Board of India
		25 Mins	Outlook for the SR Industry - <b>Mr. Salvatore Pinizzotto</b> , Secretary General, IRSG, Singapore
		25 Mins	Outlook for the Indian Economy and Commodity Prices with Special Reference to Natural and Synthetic Rubbers - <b>Mr. Sanjit Prasad</b> , Managing Director, Indian Commodity Exchange, Mumbai
	20 Mins	Q&A Session	
	01:30 - 02:30 pm	Lunch	
Session-II	02:30 - 04:10 pm	100 Mins	<b>Session II: SHARING OF SUCCESS STORIES</b> Sharing of innovation experiences (Growers, Processors, RB companies, MSME sector etc.)
		Session Chair	<b>Dr. A. K. Krishnakumar</b> , Former Rubber Production Commissioner & Adviser, IL&FS
			<b>Mr. Prasada Rao Vaddarapu</b> IFS, Managing Director, Tripura Rehabilitation Plantation Corporation Ltd., Agartala, Tripura
			<b>Mr. Dilip Sinha</b> President, Jalabasa RPS, Dharmanagar
			<b>Mr. B. Sreekumar</b> Field Officer, Pallikkathode Field Office Rubber Board Regional Office, Changanacherry

	<b>Mr. V.A. Sakeer</b> Managing Director ThunchathEzhuthachan Rubbers, Nilambur		
	<b>Mr.Suji Kuriakose</b> RPS, Kakkombu, Thodupuzha		
	<b>Mr. Mathew Joseph</b> Kavanar Latex Ltd., Pala		
	<b>Dr. P.R. Biju</b> Associate Professor School of Pure and Applied Physics M.G. University, Kottayam		
	<b>Mr. Sunil Cyriac</b> CEO Kothamangalam Agriculture Producer Company, Nellimattom, Kothamangalam		
	<b>Ms.Chandralekha K</b> Field Officer Rubber Board Regional Office, Kasaragod		
	<b>Mr.Damodar Avanoor</b> Lohashilpi Anamangad Perinthalmanna		
	<b>Dr. James Jacob</b> Director, Rubber Research Institute of India Rubber Board of India		
Q&A Session			
<b>04:10 - 04:30 pm</b>		<b>Tea / Coffee / Networking</b>	
<b>Session-III</b>	<b>04:30 - 06:30 pm</b>	<b>120 Mins</b>	<b>Session III: RUBBER PRODUCTS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY</b>
		25 Mins	Outlook for the Circular Economy and Sustainability in Indian Rubber Industry: <b>Dr. R. Mukhopadhyay</b> , Chairman Indian Rubber Institute, West Bengal
		25 Mins	Outlook for the Future of the Auto Tyre Industry (Global & Indian): <b>Mr. Rajiv Budhraj</b> , Director General, ATMA, New Delhi
		25 Mins	Outlook for the Future of the Non-tyre Industry (Global & Indian): <b>Mr. V.T Chandrasekharan</b> , President, AIRIA, Mumbai
		25 Mins	Outlook for the Future of Reclaimed Rubber Industry: <b>Mr. Rajendra Gandhi</b> , Managing Director, GRP Ltd., Mumbai
		20Mins	Q&A Session
<b>06:30 - 07:30 pm</b>		<b>Networking</b>	
<b>07:30- 09:30 pm</b>		<b>Cultural Program and Gala Dinner</b>	

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<b>Session-IV</b>	<b>09:15 – 10:45 am</b>	<b>90 Mins</b>	<b>Session IV: ECONOMIC OUTLOOK</b>
		25 Mins	Global Economy and Commodity Prices – <b>Mr. Patrick Yeo</b> , Director (Global Sales), Singapore
		25 Mins	Challenges Facing NR Plantations for Realizing Remunerative Price and Sustainable Production - <b>Mr. Picheat Prommoon</b> , CEO, International Rubber Consortium Ltd., Bangkok
		25 Mins	Agriculture - Place in Indian Economy - NABARD's initiatives - <b>Smt. Padma Raghunathan</b> , Chief General Manager, NABARD, Chennai
		15 Mins	Q&A Session
	<b>10:45- 11:15 am</b>	<b>Tea / Coffee / Networking</b>	
<b>Session-V</b>	<b>11:15- 12:15 pm</b>	<b>60 Mins</b>	<b>Session V: Panel Discussion I (International Stakeholders)</b>
		<b>Session Chair</b>	<b>Mr. Salvatore Pinizzotto</b> , Secretary General, IRSG
		<b>Panelists</b>	<b>Dr. Abdul Aziz</b> , Secretary General, IRRDB, Malaysia
			<b>Mr. Picheat Prommoon</b> , CEO, International Rubber Consortium Ltd., Bangkok
			<b>Mr. Jom Jacob</b> , Sr. Economist, ANRPC, Malaysia
			<b>Dr. Lakshmi Nair</b> , IRSG, Singapore
		<b>Dr. Tran ThiThuyHoa</b> , Standing Member, Vietnam Rubber Group, Vietnam	
<b>Session-VI</b>	<b>12:15 - 01:45 pm</b>	<b>90 Mins</b>	<b>Session VI: Panel Discussion II (Indian Stakeholders)</b>
		<b>Session Chair</b>	<b>Dr. K.N. Raghavan</b> , Executive Director, Rubber Board of India
		<b>Panelists</b>	<b>Mr. Vinod Simon</b> , Chairman, Rubber Skill Development Council
			<b>Mr. Rajiv Budhreja</b> , Director General, ATMA, New Delhi
			<b>Mr. V.T Chandrasekharan</b> , President, AIRIA, Mumbai
			<b>Mr. Ronny Joseph Thomas</b> , Indian Block Rubber Processors Association of India
			<b>Mr. Satish Abraham</b> , Association of Latex Producers of India
			<b>Mr. M.P. Cheriyan</b> , Chairman, UPASI Rubber Committee
			<b>Mr. P.R. Muraleedharan</b> , Bharathiya Rubber KarshakaMorcha
			<b>Mr. Tomy Abraham</b> , Indian Rubber Dealers Federation
			<b>Mr. Chandrakesh Singh</b> , Bureau of Indian Standards
	<b>Mr. C.P. Ratra</b> , C.P.R Enterprises Private Ltd., New Delhi		
<b>Closing session</b>	<b>01:45 - 02:00 pm</b>	<b>15 Mins</b>	Vote of Thanks : <b>Mr. Vinod Simon</b> , Vice Chairman, IRM 2020 Organizing Committee
			Declaration of venue and dates of IRM 2022 and declaring IRM 2020 closed by <b>Dr. K.N. Raghavan</b> , Executive Director, Rubber Board of India
	<b>02:00 pm</b>	<b>Lunch/ Networking/Disperse</b>	

