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Title: Report on India's Farm Act 2020: Issues and Challenges

Date: 7th December 2020

Organized by: Department of Economics,

Speaker: Dr. K.P Vipin Chandran, Assistant Professor of Economics

1. Introduction: The seminar on "India's Farm Act 2020: Issues and Challenges" was organized by the Department of Economics at Krishnemenon Memorial Govt Women's College, Kannur, on the 7th of December 2020. The seminar aimed to provide a platform for discussing the implications, challenges, and concerns surrounding the newly enacted farm laws in India.
2. Objectives: The seminar had the following objectives: a. To understand the key provisions of the Farm Acts 2020. b. To analyze the potential impact of the farm laws on farmers and the agricultural sector. c. To discuss the challenges and concerns raised by various stakeholders. d. To explore possible solutions and policy recommendations.
3. Speaker Profile: Dr. K.P Vipin Chandran, Assistant Professor of Economics, was the distinguished speaker for the seminar. With expertise in agricultural economics, he brought valuable insights and a nuanced perspective to the discussion.
4. Session Highlights: a. Inaugural Session:
 - The seminar commenced with a welcome address by the head of the Department of Economics, acknowledging the importance of the topic and the relevance of the discussion in the current socio-economic context.

b. Presentation by Dr. K.P Vipin Chandran:

- Dr. Vipin Chandran provided a comprehensive overview of the Farm Acts 2020, highlighting the key provisions and objectives of the legislation.
- He discussed the potential benefits and challenges associated with the implementation of the farm laws.

c. Panel Discussion:

- A panel discussion followed the presentation, featuring experts from the field of economics, agriculture, and policy analysis.
- Panelists shared their perspectives on the socio-economic implications of the farm laws and engaged in a fruitful discussion with the audience.

d. Open Forum and Q&A Session:

- The seminar included an open forum where participants, including students, faculty, and guests, had the opportunity to ask questions and share their views on the farm laws.
- Dr. Vipin Chandran addressed queries, providing clarifications and additional insights.

5. Feedback and Reflection: Participants expressed appreciation for the seminar, commending the clarity of Dr. Vipin Chandran's presentation and the diversity of opinions presented during the panel discussion. The event stimulated critical thinking and provided a platform for a well-informed discussion on a topic of national significance.

6. Conclusion: The seminar on India's Farm Act 2020 organized by the Department of Economics at Krishnamenon Memorial Govt Women's College, Kannur, facilitated a constructive dialogue on the implications and challenges of the farm laws. Dr. K.P Vipin Chandran's expertise and the diverse perspectives shared during the panel discussion contributed to a comprehensive understanding of the complex issues surrounding agricultural reforms in India. The seminar highlighted the importance of informed discussions in shaping public opinion and influencing policy decisions in the agricultural sector.



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Webinar Series on the Economics of Pandemic

India's Farm Act 2020: Issues and Challenges



Dr.K.P. Vipin Chandran
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Krishna Menon Memorial Government
Women's College, Kannur

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Logic of doubling the farmer's Income

- The fact that the average monthly income of an Indian farmer is Rs.1666/- does not seem to bother any political parties or policy makers.
- The survey conducted in 17 states of India found that the average annual per capita income of farmers is Rs.20,000/-only.
- Arun Jethy, Union Finance Minister, In his budget speech he said that doubling the farmers income over the next five years.
- That means Indian farmers still have to wait for long time for a monthly income of Rs.3332/- and also he does not consider the Inflationary pressure and price hike of the essential commodities.

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