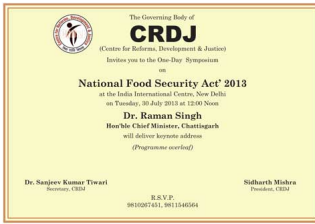


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Dear Friends,

One of the avowed aims of CRDJ is to encourage informed discussions on current issues in public domain. The nation is increasingly being held hostage to the television and virtual world; dialogue on both the forums is very cantankerous in nature. We need to come out and discuss matters equipped with adequate knowledge, dignified language and patience to hear the other person. This cannot happen on a 30 minute television debate or in a 150 word tweet. This can only happen when we meet in an environment learn and hear. Towards this end the CRDJ, in less than two years on its existence, has organised two very meaningful symposiums -- first on the rise of civil society and second on the role of multi-national enterprises and sustainable development.

**The third in series is planned for the coming Tuesday at the India International Centre; this time on National Food Security Act' 2013.**

The attached invitation card would give details. I would be happy to receive you to understand the matter. Please send me a mail confirming participation, which is free of cost.

Otherwise one could also mail their opinion on the matter, informed opinion and not a political diatribe. We could consider it for publication the next issue of our journal -- The Discussant, which is internationally accredited and also registered with the RNI.

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Programme Schedule	
National Symposium on National Food Security Act' 2013	
30 <sup>th</sup> July 2013, Mudi Poojan Hall, Indira International Centre, New Delhi	
12.00 pm	Registration of Delegates/Invitation Exhibitors
12.30 pm	Lunch
<b>1.00 pm: Inauguration</b>	
Background, Meaning & Scope of Food Security and Current Contexts	
Chair	Professor Rajeev Maheshwari, Delhi University
Organiser	Dr. Anand Singh, Principal, Muzoog Agronomy College, Delhi University
Speaker	Dr. Rajendra Kumar Singh, Deputy, Chief, Food Security, Delhi University
Specialist	Dr. Lakshmi Devi, Fellow, Indira International Centre and IARI, New Delhi
Member	Shri. Vikas Kumar, Secretary, Food and Nutritional Security, Govt of Chandigarh
3.30 pm, Tea Break	
<b>2.00 pm: Plenary Session</b>	
3.00 pm	Address of Guests and Delegates in the Hall
3.30 pm	Address of the Minister, Food and Agriculture, Govt of Chandigarh
4.00 pm	Address of the Chief Guest, Dr. P. S. Raju, Secretary, IARI
4.30 pm	Address of the Minister of State, Government of India, New Delhi
4.45 pm	Introduction by the Chair, Professor P. S. Raju, IARI, New Delhi
4.55 pm	Address of the Minister of State, Government of Chandigarh
5.00 pm	Address of the Minister of State, Government of Chandigarh
5.30 pm	Open House - to be conducted by Dr. P. S. Raju, Secretary, Muzoog Agronomy College, University of Delhi & Govt of Delhi
5.45 pm	Prag Tea