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To The Director of Agriculture Directorate of Agriculture Government of Kerala Vikas Bhawan Trivandrum - 695 001

> Sub: Request for Nomination for the National Workshop on "Orienting Production Agencies towards Marketing Extension" scheduled to be held at MANAGE during 25 - 26 February, 2020 - Reg.

Sir / Madam,

MANAGE is going to conduct a National Workshop on "Orienting Production Agencies towards Marketing Extension" during 25 - 26 February, 2020 at MANAGE. The workshop is meant for middle and senior officials of agriculture and allied departments (Horticulture, Sericulture, Veterinary, Fisheries etc.), KVKs, ICAR institutions and coordinators and faculty members of training institutions and departments. The main objectives of the workshop are as follows:-

To orient the extension functionaries on market driven production strategies and the need for better linkage of the farmers with the market.

To create awareness about alternative marketing systems for better price discovery leading to increase in

To familiarize the participants with the new modes of agricultural marketing for strengthening farmer-

To equip the participants with good marketing practices, so that they can help the farmers in improving their linkage with the market.

The contents of the workshop will go a long way towards enhancing the knowledge of the officials in the area of marketing extension and other aspects for linking farmers to market for market-driven

There is no course fee for the workshop. The cost of lodging, boarding, study material will be met by MANAGE. The accommodation for participants is arranged at MANAGE Campus. However, the State Govt. / Sponsoring Organizations have to bear to and fro travel expenditure of the participants including local transport from railway station / airport to the venue of training programme at MANAGE,

It is, therefore, requested that five to six suitable officers working in your department / organization may kindly be nominated for the workshop. The nominated participants may also be directed to make a power point presentation on any of the above objectives during workshop. The proceedings of the workshop

The nominations may be sent to Dr. K. N. Ravi Kumar, Director (Agricultural Marketing), National Institute of Agricultural Extension Management (MANAGE), Rajendra Nagar, Hyderabad - 500 030, Ph: 040 - 24594509 (O), Fax - 040 - 24015388, email: nirmal.ravi2015@manage.gov.in

Yours sincerely,

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Copy communicated to all Principal Agricultural officers of sending nomination of officers who have not attended the similar havining course previously.

Alternation should include contact number and Nomination should reach e-mail id of the participants. Nomination should reach this after an or holory 19/10/1000 in This office on or before 12/02/2020 in the email id jeating@gmail.com through proper channel.

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