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INSTITUTE OF COOPERATIVE MANAGEMENT, MADURAI

An Institution of National Council for Cooperative Training (NCCT), New Delhi

Ministry of Cooperation, Government of India



Seminar on

RECENT REFORMS IN COOPERATIVE SECTOR

Commemorating 5 Years of Dedicated Ministry for Cooperative Sector

Date: 6th July 2026

Time: 10.00 AM – 1.00 PM

Venue: Institute of Cooperative Management, Madurai



About the Institute

The Institute of Cooperative Management (ICM), Madurai is one of the 19 institutes functioning under the National Council for Cooperative Training (NCCT), New Delhi, under the Ministry of Cooperation, Government of India. ICM Madurai is committed to strengthening the cooperative movement by providing quality training, capacity building, research support and professional development programmes for cooperative organizations, stakeholders and officials associated with the cooperative sector. The institute plays a significant role in enhancing managerial capabilities, promoting efficient cooperative governance and facilitating the adoption of innovative practices in the cooperative ecosystem.

About the Seminar

The cooperative sector in India is witnessing a significant transformation with the introduction of various reforms and initiatives aimed at strengthening cooperatives, improving governance, enhancing competitiveness and creating new opportunities for sustainable growth. To commemorate the completion of five years of the dedicated Ministry for the cooperative sector, ICM Madurai proposes to organize a seminar on “Recent Reforms in Cooperative Sector”. The seminar is designed as a platform for cooperative professionals, practitioners, officials, academicians and stakeholders to understand the recent developments, policy initiatives and emerging opportunities in the cooperative sector. The programme will feature expert presentations, interactive discussions and deliberations with participation from domain experts and experienced practitioners.

Objectives of the Seminar

The seminar aims to disseminate knowledge on the impact of Ministry of Cooperation initiatives on the cooperative sector, create awareness about recent reforms and policy developments in cooperatives, share best practices and successful models adopted by cooperative organizations, discuss emerging opportunities and challenges in the cooperative sector, provide insights into the New Cooperation Policy 2025 and its implications, explore innovative cooperative business models for future growth and sustainability, and facilitate meaningful interaction among experts, practitioners and cooperative stakeholders.

Key Areas of Discussion:

1. Impact of Ministry of Cooperation Initiatives
2. New Cooperation Policy 2025
3. Emerging Cooperative Business Models
4. Best Practices in Cooperative Sector

Programme Execution

The seminar will be conducted through:

- Expert presentations by eminent speakers and domain specialists
- Interactive discussions and knowledge-sharing sessions
- Deliberations on current issues and future opportunities
- Participation of cooperative professionals and stakeholders

The programme will conclude with networking and lunch.

Expected Benefits to the Participants

The seminar is expected to benefit the academic community, including faculty members, research scholars and postgraduate students, by providing valuable insights into recent reforms, policy developments, emerging trends, innovative business models and best practices in the cooperative sector, thereby enhancing their knowledge, research perspectives and understanding of contemporary cooperative development.

Programme Schedule

10.00 AM – 10.15 AM

Registration and Welcome

10.15 AM – 1.00 PM

Expert Presentations

Discussion and Deliberations

1.00 PM onwards

Lunch

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Invitation

ICM Madurai cordially invites members of the academic community, including faculty members, research scholars and postgraduate students, to participate in this knowledge-sharing programme and engage in meaningful discussions on recent reforms, emerging opportunities and future directions of the cooperative sector, contributing towards strengthening research, learning and sustainable cooperative development.

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