



**National summit on
Small Business financing through MUDRA Bank- The way forward
Nurturing the start-ups for building economy
3rd July 2015 at Hotel Le-Meridien, New Delhi**

**Chief Guest: Shri Kalraj Mishra, Hon'ble Minister of MSME,
Government of India**

ASSOCHAM with support of **Finance Industry Development Council (FIDC)** with all key stakeholders is **organizing National Summit on Small Business financing through MUDRA Bank- The way forward**” to strengthen the confidence in financing small business entities and building road map for MUDRA Bank .

It is our pleasure to share with you that **Shri Kalraj Mishra, Hon'ble Minister of MSME Government of India** has kindly confirmed to inaugurate the summit as “Chief Guest and

Shri Jiji Mammen, CEO, MUDRA Bank confirmed for key note address in Inaugural session.

We have also invited **Shri Kshatrapati Shivaji, CMD SIDBI, Shri Alok Tandon, Joint Secretary Ministry of Finance** and many more experts from Banking, Ministry of Finance and Industry leaders to address the summit.

Also SMERA is preparing the exclusive report on the theme of summit.

Small Business Sector has emerged as a highly vibrant and dynamic sector of the Indian economy over the last five decades. Small Sectors not only play crucial role in providing large employment opportunities at comparatively lower capital cost than large industries but also help in industrialization of rural & backward areas. Small Business Sector contributes around 8% of GDP and there are some 5.77 crore small business units, mostly individual proprietorship, which run small manufacturing, trading or services business generating employment for 460 million people of which 262 million people are self employed.

In the view of significant development in the Small Business sector with the vision of our Hon'ble Prime Minister for Make in India, *Sabka Saath, Sabka Vikas*, ease of doing business, achieving zero defects and zero effect in manufacturing sectors. These measures will greatly increase the confidence of young, educated or skilled workers who would now be able to aspire to become first generation entrepreneurs; existing small business, too, will be able to expand their activities.

Key Area of Discussion

- Building small business sector towards make in India
- Regulatory requirements: coping with compliance
- Role of MUDRA Bank
- SHG bank linkage: optimizing the potential
- Human resource management in Small Business sector: the state of practice
- SHG schematic: applying the responsible finance lens
- Transforming the lives of the poor: a small business sector journey
- Fund flow to the sector – unclogging the channels etc.
- To incentivizing existing mainstream of financial services provider
- To encouraging new small business sector with a supportive policy and financial resources to enlarge and expand their services
- To building from grassroots up, a network of community based development financial institution.

The summit would create a platform for brainstorming discussions around the issues which are important for nurturing the start-ups with all key stakeholders to chalk out a feasible and effective agenda to build model framework and suggest measures that can be taken to strengthening the confidence of entrepreneurs in financing small business units.

We look forward to receive your kind confirmation at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

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