## National Convention on Biopharma Jul 12, 2010, New Delhi

India is gaining momentum in positioning itself as significant player in the global Biopharmaceutical Industry. To achieve a leadership position in the global market Indian Biopharmaceutical Industry and Government need to join hands to identify and address key issues and challenges.

India is among the top 12 global biotech hot spots and the third largest in Asia Pacific (in terms of number of biotech companies). However the industry continues to struggle with issues like inadequate infrastructure and shortage of critical manpower.

Department of Pharmaceuticals (DOP), recognizes the potential of Biopharma's role in Healthcare of the future. The Department is therefore organizing one day "National Convention on Biopharma" with participation from Department of Biotechnology (DBT) in partnership with Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI) with the support of Association of Biotechnology Led Enterprises (ABLE) on 12 July 2010, at Federation House, New Delhi.

The objective of the Convention is to bring stakeholders and the Government together to discuss where Industry needs facilitation and the support of the Government to bridge the gaps for making the Indian Biopharmaceutical Industry live upto it's identified and acknowledged potential of a leader.

The convention will have speakers from Academia, Industry and Government to share their experience and highlight issues.

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