



**Interactive workshop on
*Food Security in India: The Interactions of Climate Change,
Economics, Politics & Trade***

**Organised by BASIX Krishi Samruddhi Limited
Venue: Hotel Chanakya, Patna, Bihar
Tuesday, 27th September, 2016**

AGENDA

9:30 am – 9:45 am	Registration & Tea/Coffee
9:45 am – 10:15 am	Inaugural Session
9:45 am – 10:00 am	Welcome Remarks & Introduction of Participants: <i>Mihir Sahana, Managing Director, BASIX Krishi Samruddhi Ltd. (BKSL)</i>
	Opening Address: <i>Shambhu Kumar, Head, Central Potato Research Station</i>
10:00 am – 10:15 am	Introduction to the project and objective of workshop Presentation: <i>Veena Vidyadharan, Policy Analyst & Deputy Head (CITEE), CUTS International</i>
10:15 am- 11:15 am	Session 1
10:15 am - 10:30 am	Impact of Climate Change on Food Security of Bihar Opening Remarks: <i>Pawan Kumar, Joint Director (Horticulture), Government of Bihar</i>
10:30 am – 10:50 am	Discussants: <ol style="list-style-type: none"><i>Pawan Ojha , Digital Green</i><i>Manoj Kumar, State Program Manager, Jeevika</i><i>Mohit Kumar, Access Development Services</i><i>Raman Shyam, Director, Sahyog Development Trust</i>
10:50 am – 11:15 am	Floor open for discussion
11:15 am – 11:30 am	Tea Break

11:30 am – 12:30 pm	Session 2
11:30 am – 11:45 am	Analysis of market reforms and agricultural value chains for potato and rice in Bihar Opening Remarks: <i>Vijoy Prakash, Agriculture Production Commissioner, Government of Bihar</i>
11:45 am – 12:05 pm	Discussants 1. <i>Mohit Kumar, Director, Semina Agro</i> 2. <i>Avinash Kumar, Senior Consultant, PwC</i> 3. <i>Amit Gaurav, Manager, BASIX</i> 4. <i>Akhoury Prabhas, Consultant, Jeevika</i>
12:05 pm – 12:30 pm	Floor open for discussion
12:30pm – 1:30 pm	Session 3
12:30 pm – 12:45 pm	Role of institutional mechanisms in assuring food security in Bihar Presentation: <i>Susan Mathew, Senior Programme Officer (CITEE), CUTS International</i>
12:45 pm – 1:05 pm	Discussants 1. <i>Rupesh Kumar, Right to Food Campaign, State Convener, Bihar</i> 2. <i>Sanjeev Jain, Theme Expert, Project Concern International</i> 3. <i>Archana Tiwari, State Project manager, Bihar Rural Livelihood Promotion Society (BRLPS)</i> 4. <i>Faiyaz Iqbal, Programme Officer, Centre for Environment and Energy Development (CEED)</i>
1:05 pm – 1:30 pm	Floor open for discussion
1:30 pm – 1:45 pm	Summing up and Vote of Thanks <i>Mihir Sahana, Managing Director, BASIX Krishi Samruddhi Ltd. (BKSL)</i> <i>Veena Vidyadharan, Policy Analyst & Deputy Head (CITEE), CUTS International</i>
1:45 pm	Lunch