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ICCC India Mission 2013 delegation at the Canada-Gujarat Business & Trade Opportunities seminar



ICCC Delegates at Canadian Consulate - Mumbai



ICCC President speaking at the roundtable



With Vayalar Ravi



ICCC President with other participants at the roundtable



ICCC-PDPU MoU signing



With Oomen Chandy



ICCC President Naval Bajaj speaking at the Canada-Gujarat Business & Trade Opportunities seminar



Mayor of Brampton Susan Fennell speaking at the ICBC-CII-WTC seminar on Canada-India partnership. ICCC's Naval Bajaj & Consulate General of Canada (Bengaluru) Kyle Nunas are also in the photograph



Naval Bajaj, President, ICCC, greets Narendra Modi, Chief Minister of Gujarat. Stewart Beck High Commissioner of Canada and Satish Thakkar, Immediate Past President, ICCC, along with other India Mission 2013 delegates are also in the photograph





## **Indo-Canada Chamber of Commerce**

## **India Mission 2014**

January 4-21, 2014 Lucknow, New Delhi, Chandigarh, Jalandhar, Mumbai, Pune, Ahmedabad, Gandhinagar, Hyderabad & Chennai



Hon. Bal Gosal, R.O., M. R. Minister of State (Sport)



December 30, 2013

Bramalea Gore Malton

Dear Indo Canada Chamber of Commerce delegates,

I would like to extend my best wishes to all of you participating in the Trade Mission to India.

The Indo- Canada Chamber of Commerce's Trade Mission to India presents you with the opportunity to connect and network with business leaders from both Canada and India. By working together you will have the opportunity to develop ideas, learn from different experiences, and gain valuable understanding about the Indian economy.

A trade agreement with India is a key part of the Government of Canada job-creating protrade plan. This has been highlighted by our free trade agreement talks with India. During a bilateral meeting on November 2009, Prime Minister Harper and India's Prime Minister Manmohan Singh committed to increasing the annual bilateral merchandise trade to \$15 billion by 2015.

I would like to commend the Indo- Canada Chamber of Commerce for organizing this important Trade mission every year. This work is significant to brining business and community leaders from Canada and India together and increasing bilateral trade between the two countries.

Canada- India relations have a long and proud history and our Government is committed to building on our already strong tied with India to create a partnership that will lead to new opportunities and stronger economies in both countries.

I wish you all the best on a successful Trade Mission to India.

Happy New Year!

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## Greetings from the Honourable Tim Uppal, P.C., M.P. Minister of State for Multiculturalism

I would like to extend my warmest greetings to all the delegates taking part in the Indo-Canadian Chamber of Commerce's India Mission 2014. Your efforts and participation on this mission to promote trade and business between Canada and India is of the utmost importance to our country's economy and I applaud you on your contribution.

As Prime Minister Harper has noted, "There is still vast unrealized potential for trade between India and Canada. Canada has many things that India needs to fuel her rapid expansion: energy, agricultural products, infrastructure, and higher education, among just a few. And developing that trade will create jobs and growth in Canada."

Canada's diversity is one of our greatest strengths and that is reflected in this mission. With over one million Canadians of Indian descent, there exists a unique and strong relationship between our two countries, and it is due to these strong ties that we are able to encourage greater trade.

I would like to express a special thank you to the Indo-Canadian Chamber of Commerce and President Naval Bajaj, for all your work to organize this trade mission and for your constant efforts to increase economic and social cooperation between Canada and India.

I look forward to meeting up with you in India.

Sincerely,

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20 December 2013

#### MESSAGE

I am delighted to learn that the Indo-Canadian Chamber of Commerce (ICCC) is taking a delegation of prominent Indian-origin entrepreneurs to participate in the Pravasi Bharatiya Divas celebrations in January 2014 in New Delhi and also a number of business promotion activities in other provinces of India.

Over the years, the Indo-Canadian Chamber of Commerce has played an important role in bringing together the relevant parties interested in further deepening and expanding trade and economic ties between India and Canada. I compliment ICCC and its President, Mr. Naval Bajaj, and his dynamic and tireless team of office bearers and volunteers for their hard work in coordinating the participation of the Indo-Canadian business leaders in the trade mission to India and wish the visit great success. I and my colleagues in the Consulate look forward to working together with ICCC in following up on specific proposals/initiatives to be discussed during the forthcoming visit.

I also take the opportunity to wish all members of the ICCC Mission as well as the entire Indian-Canadian community a very happy, peaceful, prosperous, successful and memorable New Year 2014.

(Akhilesh Mishra) Consul General





I am delighted to extend my personal greetings to the honourable Akhilesh Yadav, Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh and all delegates participating in the first trade mission hosted by the Indo-Canada Chamber of Commerce in Lucknow, U.P., India.

During my first official visit to Uttar Pradesh in November 2012 I made a promise to Chief Minister Yadav that I would bring the first Canadian trade delegation to explore academic and commercial relations in Uttar Pradesh. I am proud to fulfill this promise today.

Uttar Pradesh is a perfect partner for Canada thanks to its healthy population, strong academic institutions, diverse economy ripe for expansion, and stable democracy. The government of Canada is committed to promoting development and economic expansion in India by building trade connections with U.P.

The officials, key stakeholders and prominent academics represented in our delegation are part of a strong Indo-Canadian community that wishes to grow its presence in U.P. and create mutual benefits for our citizens.

The Government of Canada commends the efforts of the Government of Uttar Pradesh and the Indo-Canada Chamber of Commerce for their continued commitment to strengthening the economic, cultural and academic relations between India and Canada.

On behalf of the Senate of Canada, I offer my best wishes for a series of productive events, and look forward to contributing to the conversation in Delhi and Lucknow.

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Honourable Asha Seth

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Dear Delegates:

A warm welcome to India! I am delighted that the Indo-Canada Chamber of Commerce (ICCC) is once again organizing this business mission and would like to take this opportunity to underscore ICCC's leadership in promoting and strengthening the Canada-India bilateral relationship.

Canada and India enjoy a longstanding and multi-faceted relationship, and our economic ties continue to expand. There is collaboration across a broad range of sectors, with a focus on priority areas identified by both sides for partnership, where there is complementarity between India's economic growth and Canada's globallyrecognised strengths in resources and innovation expertise.

In the area of education, India is working to address its great demographic and knowledge potential through increased education opportunities for its youth. Canadian universities and colleges are among the best in the world and are working with Indian partners to deliver high quality education in India. Already, they have entered into more than 300 agreements with their Indian counterparts to share collaborate on joint research programs and student and faculty exchanges. More and more Indian students are seeing Canada as a destination for a world-class, globallyrecognised education, in an open, tolerant, safe and multicultural environment From 2008 to 2012, the number of Indian students going to study in Canada more than quadrupled - from about 3,000 to just over 13,000 per year, enhancing the important people-to-people ties between Canada and India.

Infrastructure, including project financing and investment capital, is a priority sector of collaboration with strong potential for Canadian companies. Some of the opportunities for partnership with Canada lie in: road and bridge construction; railway, port and airport modernisation and construction; and project and construction management as well as getting involved with mega-projects such as the Delhi-Mumbai Industrial Corridor initiative.

With respect to agriculture, Canada is playing an important role in supporting India's efforts to achieve food security by supplying close to 40% of India's imported pulses (peas and lentils), and providing a significant source of potash for use as a fertiliser. Canadian and Indian companies are also already collaborating on projects to increase crop and animal productivity, and improve food storage, distribution and processing.

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In addition, the energy sector has significant opportunities for cooperation. Canada is already an important player in this sector – from renewable energy to nuclear and conventional oil and gas based generation. We are blessed with some of the largest energy resources in the world and have the expertise and technology to exploit these resources. Canada represents a safe, reliable and growing source of energy supply for decades to come, and Canadian companies can contribute meaningfully to India's energy and resource security.

Another exciting initiative that I believe will help strengthen the Canada-India bilateral relationship is in the area of innovation and entrepreneurship. Canada is committed to helping innovators succeed globally. Through the Start-up Visa Program, which was launched earlier this year, we want to help innovative Indian entrepreneurs bring their cutting-edge products, processes, technologies and services to develop and market in Canada. At the same time, we will provide support to Canadian entrepreneurs and high-growth companies to expand and succeed in India through a new structured program to be introduced in early 2014. These programs will benefit both Canada and India by deepening the entrepreneurial ties between our nations, promote jobs, growth and long-term prosperity.

These are but a few examples of how Canada and India are working together to address issues of strategic importance. I am pleased that the ICCC will continue to be there as a tremendous resource for Canadian companies to help drive deeper engagement.

Once again, I would like to congratulate ICCC on this mission and its concrete efforts to strengthen Canada-India trade relationship. I look forward to meeting you while you're in India and wish you a productive visit.

Yours sincerely,

Stewart Beck High Commissioner





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December 30, 2013

#### MESSAGE

I am indeed happy to learn that Indo-Canada Chamber of Commerce (ICCC) is leading its annual India Mission 2014 in January 2014 to India for exploring business opportunities of different dimensions.

India and Canada have witnessed unprecedented close relations during recent years. Ours leaders have visited each other's countries. The visit of The Right Hon'ble Prime Minister Stephen Harper of Canada to India in November 2012 has taken these relations to new heights. Aside from shared values of democracy and multiculturalism, India-Canada relations today are underpinned by growing economic and commercial ties.

The ICCC, with its exemplary track record is certainly well placed to play an important and growing pro-active role to further energise India-Canada economic relations.

I take this opportunity to wish the ICCC and its delegates all the very best in their endeavours.

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India and Canada are entering a new era of cooperation with an unprecedented commitment to increase two-way investment and trade.

Beyond our strong people-to-people relations, it is clear that Canada and India have complementary economic interests. India is projected to experience high growth in demand for natural resources, and Canada has the potential to become a leading global exporter of energy and other resources.

Strengthening our relationship with India is a priority for the Government of Canada. We have made remarkable progress in the last year alone. For instance, the launch of the Canada-Indian Ministerial Energy Dialogue and conclusion of a Nuclear Cooperation Agreement illustrate the strong commitment to expand our ties in the energy sector.

In January, I will make my second official visit to India in an effort to further strengthen our energy relationship with our Indian friends. This will be a robust week of engagement with senior representatives of the Indian government and some of India's largest energy players, investors, as well as with industry leaders in the forestry sector.

I want to congratulate the Indo-Canada Chamber of Commerce for leading a business delegation as part of the India Mission 2014. By exploring and embracing economic opportunities, organizations like yours play a critical role in strengthening our trade relationship and expanding our growing economic partnership. Your initiative shows how government and business continue to open doors, create opportunities and solidify our already strong bonds of friendship.

I wish you a successful mission and commend the efforts you are making to contribute to job creation, economic growth and prosperity of our countries.

The Honourable Joe Oliver, P.C., M.P.

Minister of Natural Resources



ness Mission to India

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he Indo-Canada Chamber of Commerce (ICCC) is cognizant of the importance of growing economic partnership between Canada and India. With trade representing 60 percent of the Canadian economy, deepening commercial partnerships with Indian business is an important factor in Canada's economic growth. The second visit of Prime Minister Harper to India in 2012 has given further impetus to economic relations with India especially in key sectors such as food security, education, energy security, infrastructure etc. The ICCC is, therefore, pleased to lead a business delegation to India from January 4-21, 2014. The organizers have established for members of the delegation a full program, including networking events, policy discussions and participation in the two day Pravasi Bharatiya Divas 2014 in New Delhi. The members of the delegation will be visiting ten cities: Lucknow, New Delhi, Chandigarh, Jalandhar, Mumbai, Pune, Ahmedabad, Gandhinagar, Hyderabad, & Chennai.

#### **Highlights of the Program**

The ICCC has developed a program for the delegation that includes meetings with representatives of some of India's largest and most influential trade bodies, such as the All India Association of Industries (AIAI) Mumbai, Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) Delhi, India-Canada Business Chamber (ICBC) Delhi, Federation of Indian Chamber of Commerce and Industries (FICCI) Delhi, Punjab Hanyana Delhi Chamber of Commerce and Industry (PHDCCI) Chandigarh, Mohali Industries Association (MIA), World Trade Centre (WTC) Mumbai, Mahratta Chamber of Commerce and Industries (MCCI) Pune, the Gujarat Chamber of Commerce & Industry (GCCI) Ahmedabad, Pandit Deendayal Petroleum University (PDPU) Ahmedabad, and important trade organizations in some states. In addition, the President of ICCC and delegates will be meeting the business leaders & decision makers in all the cities. Meetings with these organizations will take various formats – including conferences, seminars, B2B meetings, networking receptions, luncheon, roundtables and briefings – to offer the delegation valuable opportunities for business connections with Indian companies represented by these organizations.

#### **PBD-India**

The members of the delegation will also be attending the annual Pravasi Bharatiya Divas in New Delhi which is an important event for networking and information about Indian economic initiatives. With its theme "Engaging Diaspora: Connecting Across Generations", the PBD2014 will be deliberating on greater opportunities in India for the Diaspora as a result of India's growth. It will highlight safe environment for Overseas Indians for their contribution to economic growth and social development in India. Members of the delegation will get a glimpse of India's plans for future development and emerging business opportunities.

### Pravasi Punjabi Divas

The members of the delegation will also be attending the annual Pravasi Punjabi Divas in Anandpur Sahib which is an important event for networking and information about Punjab's economic initiatives and connecting with the diaspora on January 10th-11th, 2014. It will offer an opportunity for the delegates to have firsthand information for doing business with Punjab. Members of the delegation will thus have a focused meeting with the Chief Minister of Punjab and other high level officials for future development of the state and emerging business opportunities in the food and agro industry in Punjab.





## **Meetings with Decision Makers**

In addition to business meetings, delegates will also have an opportunity to have meetings with Canadian and Indian policy-makers. The ICCC has arranged meetings with senior Indian government representatives, with the representatives of the High Commission of Canada in New Delhi, the Canadian Trade Commissioner's Services in India. The ICCC will also be holding related meetings with business and state-level officials to promote synergistic opportunities in the SMEs and the wider services sector.

The program as well as information on hosting and participating organizations and description of delegates is given in succeeding pages.



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Mr. Naval Bajaj was elected the 25th President of the Indo-Canada Chamber of Commerce (ICCC) in June 2012. He has been associated with the Chamber for the last five years, initially as a director and then as Vice President.

He is the Chair of Greater Toronto Business Alliance (GTBA), and a member of the Advisory Committee of Canada's Chief Negotiator on Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement (CEPA) with India. Naval was invited to attend Prime Minister Stephen Harper's roundtable on economic affairs, held in Toronto January 2011. Naval was also part of the Prime minister's state visit to India in Nov, 2012.

Naval has been actively associated with several Indo-Canadian Diaspora organisations in Canada, and has occupied leadership positions in the Rajasthan Association of North America (Canada) and Panorama India. He is well known in the Indo-Canadian community for his strong conviction in the Canadian values of volunteerism and giving back to the community.

Naval is a dynamic entrepreneur and a Certified Business Consultant at 7-Eleven Canada. He holds a Master of Engineering, Master of Business Administration and Bachelors of Law degrees. Naval is self-motivated and highly talented member of the south Asian Business and professional community. He has immense experience in providing consultancy in engineering, services and retail industry. A firm believer in the process of globalization and global market integration, Naval has continued to remain engaged in his Indian operations in metals, textiles and construction.

Naval has been honored with South Asian Professional of the Year award, RANA President's Award and Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal. Naval was awarded Servant Leader award for 2010 by 7-Eleven, World Class Performance for 2009 by 7-Eleven, Best Performance Award for 2008 by 7-Eleven.

Under his leadership, ICCC has grown to become the largest organization of the Indian businesses and the Diaspora in Canada. Naval has turned the venerable institution into an agile force working for bilateral relations between Canada and India, and enabling Indo-Canadians to integrate better into the Canadian mainstream for better contribution to the fabric of the Canadian society. Naval has taken the ICCC to greater heights by incorporating it with the spirit of collaboration with other similarly placed community-based organizations.





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Bal Gosal was elected to the House of Commons for the first time in May 2011.

Mr. Gosal has worked as a commercial insurance broker with London Life and was actively involved in financial planning. In 2004, he became associated with Goodison Insurance and Financial Services in Brampton.

Mr. Gosal has been a member of the Peel Regional Police Services Board and Peel Children's Aid Society and served as a member of the Brampton Board of Trade Marketing Committee.

Mr. Gosal and his wife, Pawanjit, have three children and live in Brampton.

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Tim Uppal was first elected to the House of Commons in 2008 and re-elected in 2011.

In July 2013, Mr. Uppal was appointed Minister of State (Multiculturalism). Previously, he was appointed Minister of State (Democratic Reform) in May 2011.

Prior to being appointed to the Ministry, Mr. Uppal was a member of the House of Commons Standing Committee on Citizenship and Immigration and served as Acting Chair of the Standing Committee on Health. In December 2010, his private member's bill, An Act to Establish a National Holocaust Monument, was passed through the House of Commons with unanimous all-party support.

Prior to his election, Mr. Uppal was a residential mortgage manager with TD Canada Trust. For over a decade he has mentored youth-at-risk through sport. He has coached soccer and wrestling (kabaddi), and was involved in the World Masters Games held in Edmonton. For many years, Mr. Uppal also hosted a community radio show on CKER FM in Edmonton.



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Dr. Asha Seth was honoured to be named Canada's first Indo-Canadian female Senator. Ever since, Senator Asha Seth has worked tirelessly to bring awareness to the issues affecting the multicultural communities of Canada. Senator Seth has also been a key member of the Senate Standing Committee on Social Affairs, Science and Technology, where her many years of experience as a physician add a unique and important perspective.

Senator Seth is also a member of multiple inter-parliamentary associations and friendship groups, which aim at bridging different cultures in an effort to strengthen Canada's relation with the world.

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Mr. Devinder Shory is (born August 3, 1958 in Barnala, Punjab, India) is a Canadian politician, who represents the electoral district of Calgary Northeast as a federal Member of Parliament. He was elected to the House of Commons in 2008 and 2011. He is serving as a Member of the International Trade Committee, Human Resources, Skills Development Committee and co-chair of the Canada India Parliamentary Friendship Association. He is a recipient of the Alberta Centennial Medal and the Diamond Jubilee medal.

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Joe Daniel was elected to the House of Commons on May 2, 2011 in the federal electoral district of Don Valley East. Joe came to Canada in 1987. In Parliament, Joe is a member of the Standing Committee of Human Resources and Skills Development and the Standing Committee on Transport Infrastructure and Communities. Apart from that, Joe is an active mem-



ber of many different Parliamentary Associations and numerous other friendship groups. He takes pride in being involved in the community, and is enthusiastic about serving your needs in Don Valley East.

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Padmashri Yarlagadda Lakshmi Prasad was appointed as the Founder Director of the Indian Cultural Centre (ICC) at Toronto in Canada. The appointment order was issued by the ICCR Chairman Karan Singh. It may be noted here that he is the first time that a Telugu scholar and non-IFS man was made founder Director of an ICC. Yarlagadda, who is a former Andhra University professor and presently the chairman of the AP Hindi Academy, official language committee of UGC and Lok Nayak foundation and former vice chairman of the Parliamentary Committee on official language, was accorded diplomatic rank of Counsellor.

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Mr. Mike Mehta has been appointed as director of Indo Canada Chamber of Commerce (ICCC) in June 2012. Mr. Mehta has over 35 years of entrepreneurial and business development experience. He has built multiple companies of up to 300 employees. He is the Managing Director of EXIMCAN Canada and CEO of SCR Ltd. Eximcan Canada specializes in distribution, warehousing and International Trade and has been successfully distributing Fiberglass, food products and Chemicals to over 40 countries across the globe. Mike Mehta also established Business Process Outsourcing (BPO) operation in the year 2001. Under his leadership, FEP Search Group placed over 15,000 candidates in fortune 500 companies across the United States and Canada. FEP Search Group is now one of North America's most competent and resource-rich staffing firms. He is a member of the HR Committee of Canadian Manufacturers & Exporters (CME), member of the Canadian Special Crops Association (CSCA), Pulse Canada and Member of ERA India. Mike Mehta acted as a Co-chair and chaired number of fund raisers for Political parties in Canada.



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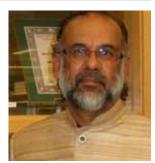
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Lucknow, New Delhi, Chandigarh, Jalandhar, Mumbai, Pune, Ahmedabad, Gandhinagar, Hyderabad, & Chennai

## **Itinerary**

#### **Toronto**

<u>Date of departure from Toronto: Sat 04-01-14</u> Date of return to Toronto: Tue 21-01-14

Time	Day	Date	Location	Event /Travel
6:15 pm	Saturday	04-01-2014	Toronto	Depart for Delhi Jet Airways, 9W 229
11:59 pm	Sunday	05-01-2014	Delhi	Arrive Delhi and Check into Hotel Taj Mahal Delhi 1 Mansingh Road New Delhi - 110 001 Tel: +91 11 23026162 Fax: +91 11 23026070 Email: mahal.delhi@tajhotels.com

#### Lucknow

Monday 06/01/2014 Lucknow

Time	Event/Travel
9:05 am	<b>Depart for Lucknow</b> Jet Airways Flight no. 9W 2244
AM	Arrive in Lucknow
AM	Proposed Meeting with Chief Minister Akhilesh Yadav



Time	
Lima	Event/Travel

11.30 am - 4:30 pm

Canada-Uttar Pradesh Conference on Opportunities in Investment and Trade with specific reference to small businesses

Venue: Taj Vivanta Gomti Nagar, Lucknow

11:00 am - 11:30 am	Registration
11:30 am - 1:30 pm	Networking Lunch
1:30 pm	Introductory Remarks by Naval Bajaj, President, ICCC
1:35 pm	Remarks by Senator Dr. Seth and presenting official greetings from Prime Minister of Canada Stephen Harper
1:40 pm	Remarks by High Commissioner Stewart Beck
1:45 pm	Remarks by CS / IIDC
1:50 am	Presentation by Knowledge Partners - EY
1:55 pm	Remarks by Hon. Bal Gosal, Canadian Minister of State for sports
2:00 pm	Remarks by CM Akhilesh Yadav
2:10 pm -3:10 pm	Session 1: Exploring new avenues - establishing linkages between Canada and Uttar Pradesh trade and investment Session to be chaired by Agriculture Production Commissioner (APC), Uttar Pradesh Co-Chair - From Canadian Delegation Principal Secretary - Food Processing Principal Secretary - Agricultre Mike Mehta, Director, ICCC Industry representative (To be confirmed by CII & ICCC)
3:10 pm -3:25 pm	Tea/Coffee Break



	3:25 pm - 4:15 pm	Session 2: Highlighting agriculture, education, energy sectors - collaboration possibilities in these sectors between Canada and Uttar Pradesh Session 2 to be chaired by Principal Secretary, GoUP Co-Chair - From Canadian Delegation Ray Chan, Government of Saskatchewan Dr. Devendra K. Gupta, Vice-Chancellor of King George's Medical University Lucky Lakshmanan, President, Canada-India Foundation Sohail Saeed, City of Brampton Dr. Shanthi Johnson, Shastri Indo-Canadian Institute Industry representative (To be confirmed by CII & ICCC)
	4:15 pm - 4:30 pm	Q&A
	4:30 pm	Program concludes
5:30pm- 8:30pm	<b>Dinner Recep</b> Venue: Taj Viv	
9:50 pm	<b>Depart for Delhi</b> Spicejet Limited SG 0419	
11:00 pm	Arrive in Delhi	

#### Delhi

<u>Tuesday to Friday 07/01/2014 to 10/01/2014 Delhi</u> <u>Tuesday 07/01/2014</u>

The following options are available for the events in Delhi:

Option 1: Conference on Canada-India collaboration in agriculture and agri-foods sectors

(Partners-PHDCCI-ICBC-CII)

Option 2: PBD India 2014

Option 1: Conference on Canada-India collaboration in agriculture and agri-foods sectors (Partners-PHDCCI-ICBC-CII) 1:

Time Event /Travel



10:30 am

Conference on Canada-India Collaboration in Agri- based Cold Chain & Logistics Development

- 5:30 pm Venue: PHD House

4/2 Siri Institutional Area

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10:30 am - 11:00 am	Registration & networking
11:00 am - 1:00 pm	Inaugural session Canadian & Indian Government's role in promoting Agriculture Trade Welcome Address Mr. Sharad Jaipuria, President, PHD Chamber Address by Mr. Naval Bajaj, President, ICCC Address by H.E. Stewart Beck, High Commissioner of Canada in India Address by Mr. Sanjeev Chopra, IAS, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India Inaugural Address by Prof. K.V. Thomas, Hon'ble Minister of State for Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution (Independent Charge), Government of India Special Address by Mr. Bal Gosal, Canada's Minister of State for Sports Vote of Thanks by Ms. Nadira Hamid, COO, ICBC
1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Lunch
2:00 pm - 3:30pm	Panel Discussion 1: Discussion on Regulatory aspects of agriculture trade To be Moderated by: Mr. Dinesh Rai, IAS (Retd.), Chairman, Warehousing Development and Regulatory Authority, Govt. of India Address by Ms. Asha Seth, Senator, Senate of Canada Mr. Joe Daniel, Member of Parliament Mr. Asit Tripathy, IAS, Jt. Secretary and Chairman, APEDA, Govt. of India Mr. Ray Chan, Government of Saskatchewan Mr. Rajivranjan Mishra
3:30pm - 4:00 pm	Tea/coffee break



4:00pm - 5:30pm	Panel Discussion 2: Discussion on new directions in Cold Chain & Food distribution System
	To be moderated by Mr. Pawanesh Kohli, Chief Advisor, National Centre for
	Cold Chain Development (NCCD), Govt. of India
	Mr. Sohail Saeed, City of Brampton.
	Mr. Lucky Lakshmanan, President, Canada- India Foundation
	Mr. S.K. Sharma, Managing Director, Global Agri Systems
	Mr. Mike Mehta, Eximcan, Director ICCC
	Concluding Remarks by: Mr. Vinod Asthana, MD, CRWC, Govt. of India
5:30pm	Program concludes

6:30 pm - Business reception at High Commissioner's official residence

9:30pm Venue: HC's Residence

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## Option 2: PBD India 2014

#### Time Event/Travel

8:30 am **PBD India 2014** Vigyan Bhawan

Maulana Azad Road, New Delhi-110003, India.

2:00pm - 3:30pm	Panel discussion Regulatory aspects of agriculture trade and discussion on CEPA negotiations Background: Trade in the sector between Canada and India is hampered primarily because of regulatory and market access issues in India such as market access, high tariffs, differential tax system between states. In some categories, tariff rates hover near 30%.
8.30am-10.00am	Registration
10.00am-11.00am	Inaugural Session
11.00am-11.30am	Tea/Coffee Break



Plenary Session	
11.30 am-1.00 pm	Plenary Session of Youth Pravasi Bharatiya Divas: Aspirations of Diaspora Youth
1.00 pm-2.00 pm	Lunch
2.00 pm-4.00 pm	Sharing a Common Heritage: The Emotional Connect Young Achievers
4.00 pm-4.30 pm	Tea-Break
4.30 pm-6.00 pm	Concluding Session
7.00 pm onwards	Cultural Evening and Dinner hosted by Minister of External Affairs, Government of India

## Wednesday 08/01/2014

The following options are available for the events in Delhi:

**Option 1:** Meeting with Decision Makers

Option 2: PBD India 2014

#### **Option 1: Meeting with Decision Makers**

Time Event/Travel

9:00 am **Meeting with Decision Makers** 

## Option 2: PBD India 2014

Time Event/Travel

9.00 am **PBD India 2014** 

Vigyan Bhawan Maulana Azad Road, New Delhi-110003, India.

9.30 am-10.15 am	Inaugural Session
10.15am-10.30am	Tea/Coffee Break
10.30 am-1.00 pm	Plenary Session 1-India's Growth & Development Agenda



1.00 pm-2.00 pm	Lunch
2.00 pm-4.00 pm	Plenary Session 2- India's Soft Power
4.00 pm-4.30 pm	Tea/Coffee Break
4.30 pm-6.30 pm	PBD Oration
7.00 pm onwards	Cultural Evening & Dinner Hosted by Minster of State for Youth Affairs and Sports (Independent Charge) and Minister of State for Defence

## Thursday 09/01/2014

The following options are available for the events in Delhi:

Option 1: B2B Meetings Option 2: PBD India 2014

## Option 1: **B2B Meetings**

Time Event/Travel

9:00 am **B2B Meeetings** 

#### Option 2: PBD India 2014

#### Time Event/Travel

9.00 am **PBD India 2014** 

Vigyan Bhawan Maulana Azad Road, New Delhi-110003, India.

9.30am-11.30am	Investment Opportunities in States
11.30am-12.00pm	Tea/Coffee Break
12.00pm -1.30pm	Separate Parallel State Sessions
1.30 pm-2.30 pm	Lunch



Time	Event/Travel	
	2.30 pm-4.00 pm	Parallel Sessions Innovation and Technology Healthcare opportunities in India Meeting of Diaspora organisations Making India the Hub of Media & Entertainment Industry Issues of NRIs in the Gulf
	4:00pm - 4:30pm	Tea/Coffee Break
	5:00pm - 6:00pm	Valedictory Session and Conferment of Pravasi Bharatiya Samman Awards
	7.00 pm	Cultural evening and Dinner hosted by HMOIA

## Friday 10/01/2014

Time	Event/Travel
7.10 am	Depart for Chandigarh

## Chandigarh

<u>Friday to Sunday 10/01/2014 to 12/01/2014 Chandigarh</u> <u>Friday 10/01/2014</u>

Time	Event/Travel
08.15 am	Arrive Chandigarh Check in at hotel Taj Chandigarh Block No. 9 Sector 17 A Chandigarh 160017
10:00 am -5:00 pm	NRI Sammelan at Anandpur Sahib Venue: Virasat-e-khalsa
	10.00 am Registration



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11.00 am	Welcome address by Hon'ble Minister NRI Affairs, S. Bikram Singh Majithia
11.15 am	Address/Presentation by Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister S. Sukhbir Singh Badal
11.45 am	Speeches and Interactive session with delegates.
1.45 pm	Address by Hon'ble Chief Minister Punjab S. Parkash Singh Badal
2.15 pm	Lunch
3.00 pm	Tour of Virasat-e-Khalsa and Gurudawara.
3:00 pm	Special meetings for ICCC delegates with Punjab CM. Deputy CM and other ministers
4.30 pm	High Tea
5:30 pm	Departure for Chandigarh
7:30 pm	Musical evening followed by dinner

## Saturday 11/01/2014

The following options are available for the events in Delhi:

Option 1: Interactive session with Mohali Industries Association

Option 2: NRI Sammelan at Jalandhar

Option 1:Interactive session with Mohali Industries Association	
Time	Event/Travel
10.00 am	Interactive session with Mohali Industries Association Venue: MIA Bhawan Bay No. 143 Opp: ESI Hospital Industrial Area Phase - VII SAS Nagar Mohali 160055 T: 0172 – 2236576; 0172 – 5091399



## Option 2:NRI Sammelan at Jalandhar

#### Time Event/Travel

10.00 am NRI Sammelan at Jalandhar

Venue: Bath Castle,

G.T. Road, Jalandhar

9:30 am - 3:30 pm	Open House Session Venue: Bath Castle, G.T. Road, Jalandhar
9.30 am	Registration
10.30 am	Cultural Programme
12.00 pm	Welcome address by Hon'ble Minister NRI Affairs, S. Bikram Singh Majithia
12.10 pm	Address by Sh. S.S. Rakhra, President, Shiromani Akali Dal(B) NRI Wing, Punjab.
12.20 pm	Address by Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister S. Sukhbir Singh Badal
1.00 pm	Speeches and Interactive session with delegates.
2.00 pm	Address by Hon'ble Chief Minister Punjab S. Parkash Singh Badal
2.30 pm	Conclusion followed by Lunch

#### 4:30 pm Return to Chandigarh

6:30 pm - Business reception co-hosted by ICCC and PHDCCI

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## Sunday 12/01/2014

Time	Event/Travel	
9.00 am- 10.00 am	Proposed meeting with decision makers of Haryana Government & CM Bhupinder Singh Huda	
12:55 pm	Depart for Delhi from Chandigarh Jet Airways 9W 2658	
4.35 pm	Depart for Pune from Delhi Jet Airways 9W 0367 Check in Hotel -TBD	

## Pune

<u>Sunday to Monday 12/01/2014 to 13/01/2014 Pune</u> <u>Sunday 12/01/2014</u>

Time	Event/Travel
6:40 pm	Arrive Pune Check in at: Vivanta by Taj - Blue Diamond 11, Koregaon Road Pune, Maharashtra - 411 001 +91 20 6602 5555
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## Monday 13/01/2014

Time	Event/Travel
9.30 am - 1.00 pm	General interactive session between representatives of companies from Pune & delegates from ICCC and MCCIA presentation on Pune  Mahratta Chamber of Commerce & Industry  Venue: MCCIA Trade Tower  ICC Complex  403, Senapati Bapat Road  Pune-411 016 INDIA  Tel: +91 020 2570 9000  Fax: +91 020 2570 9021



1:00 pm - 2:30 pm	Visit to Industrial Unit	
3.00 pm - 5.00 pm	Luncheon reception with Kirloskar Brothers Ltd Udyog Bhavan Tilak Road Pune, 411 002	
7.00 pm	Depart for Mumbai	

## Mumbai

<u>Monday to Wednesday 13/01/2014 to 15/01/2014</u> <u>Monday 13/01/2014</u>

Time	Event/Travel	
PM	Arrive Mumbai & check into hotel Hotel Taj Mahal Apollo Bunder, Mumbai	

## Tuesday 14/01/2014

Time	Event/Travel		
7:45am	Meet in hotel lobby to d	Meet in hotel lobby to depart for meetings	
10:30 am - 4:30 pm	Conference on Canada-India Collaboration in education sector  Venue: World Trade Centre, Mumbai  Centre 1 Building 31st Floor  WTC Complex Cuffe Parade  Mumbai 400005  Tel: +91 22 66387272  Fax: +91 22 22188385  Email: wtc@wtcmumbai.org		
	10:30 am - 11:00 am	Registration & Networking	
	11:00 am - 1:00 pm	Twinning Programs between Canadian and Indian educational institutions	
		Background Over 300 bilateral instruments of cooperation exist between institutions	



...higher learning in Canada and India. There are growing opportunities for Canadian education service providers to both attract Indian students to Canada and to explore avenues of entering the Indian market and collaborating with Indian institutions. Opportunities of collaborating through twinning programs (where the students undertake part of the studies in India and complete them in Canada) have also increased in recent years.

Speakers Canadian speakers Asha Seth Shanthi Johnson Mike Mehta Stewart Beck

Indian speakers
Vijay Kalantri
Minister of Education
Other speakers to be invited by AIAI

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Lunch

2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

**Looking beyond student recruitment - Developing non-traditional spheres** for collaboration in education sector

#### Background

With evolving methods in imparting content and innovations in pedagogy, educators in India and abroad are looking at new means of developing content. The industry is moving out of the conventional textbook medium and even CD-ROMs towards an integrated learning environment spanning multiple domains like games, multimedia aids, online sources etc. The concept of virtual integrated learning is also an emerging area where students around the world access teaching resources and material from any part of the world. Additionally, it addresses the physical constraints posed by infrastructure and provides a readily scalable model.

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Indian speakers
To be invited by AIAI



Time	Event/Travel	
	3:30 pm - 4:00 pm	Tea / Coffee break
	4:00 pm - 5:30 pm	Interactive Session: Canadian Institutions & Indian Students, International Student Recruiters
		Background Canada has seen significant growth in the number of Indian student enrolments; increasing almost 140% from 2008 to 2010. Furthermore, the number of Indian students commencing their study in Canada has increased 255% in two years – from 3,250 in 2008 to 11,543 in 2010, and to 23,504 in 2011. India has become the second highest source market at 12% of total entrants, overtaking South Korea (10.9%) and placed behind China at 18.7%
	5:30 pm	Program concludes

## Wednesday 15/01/2014

Time	Event/Travel	
9:00 am - 10:30 am	Breakfast meeting with Minister Joe Oliver Venue: Taj Mahal Palace & Hotel Apollo Bunder, Mumbai	
11:00 am -11:30am	Meeting with Decision makers of Government of Maharashtra	
11:30 am	Depart for Eros International Meeting	
1:30 pm - 4:00 pm	Interactive session with Eros International Venue: Eros International Media Ltd. 9th Floor, Supreme Chambers, Off Veera Desai Road, Mumbai - 400053, Maharashtra, India. Tel: + (91 - 22) 6602 1500 Fax: + (91 - 22) 6602 1540	
4:00 pm	Depart for business reception venue	
6:00 pm - 9:00 pm	Business reception with Minister Oliver and Alberta province Venue: Taj Mahal Palace & Hotel	





## Thursday 16/01/2014

Time	Event/Travel
8:10am	<b>Depart for Ahmedabad</b> Spicejet SG 0106

## Ahmedabad / Gandhinagar

<u>Thursday to Friday 16/01/2014 to 17/01/2014 Ahmedabad</u> Thursday 16/01/2014

Time	Event/Travel		
9.35 am	Arrive in Ahmedabad & check into hotel Hotel Courtyard Marriot Ramdevnagar Cross Raods, Satellite, Near S. G. Highway Ahmedabad		
10:30 am -12:00am	Meeting with a leading Gujarat-based Multisector Business Group Venue: TBD		
1:00 pm	Meeting with decision makers Venue: Government of Gujarat Gandhinagar		
2:00 pm - 5:30 pm	Conference on Canada-India Collaboration in energy sector (Partners - PDPU, GCCI, Gujarat Govt.)  Venue: Pandit Deendayal Petroleum University Pandit Deendayal Petroleum University Knowledge Corridor Raisan, Gandhinagar Gujarat 382007		
2:00 pm - 3:30 pm	Government's role in promoting trade in energy sector, with special focus on clean tech & alternate energy		
3:30 pm - 4:00 pm	Tea / Coffee break		
4:00 pm - 5:30 pm	Private sector's role in fostering linkages in energy sector		



6:30 pm - Business Reception with Gujarat Chamber of Commerce & Industries

9:30 pm Venue: Chokhi Dhani

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## Friday 17/01/2014

Time	Event/Travel	
6.50am	<b>Depart for Hyderabad</b> Air India Ltd. AI 0982	

## Hyderabad

<u>Friday to Saturday 17/01/2014 to 18/01/2014 Hyderabad</u> <u>Friday 17/01/2014</u>

Time	Event/Travel	
8.30am	Arrive in Hyderabad Air India AI 0982 Check in at hotel Hotel Taj Krishna Road Number 1 Mada Manzil Banjara Hills, Hyderabad	
11:00am- 2:00 pm	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
	11:00 am - 11:30 am	Registration and networking
	11:30 am - 11:35 am	Welcome address by CII representative
	11:35 am - 11:45 am	Address by Naval Bajaj, President, ICCC
	11:45 am - 11:50 am	Address by Canadian Trade Commissioner



11:50 am - 12:00 pm	Special address by Hon. Ponnala Lakshmiah Andhra Pradesh's Minister for ITC
12:00 pm - 12:40 pm	Sectoral Perspectives
12:00 pm - 12:10 pm	Agriculture Sector
12:10 pm - 12:20 pm	IT & ITES Sector
12:20 pm – 12:30 pm	Power & Infrastructure
12:30 pm – 12:40 pm	Education
12:40 pm – 12:55 pm	Interaction
12:55 pm – 1:00 pm	Concluding Remarks by CII representative
1:00 pm - 2:30 pm	Networking Lunch & Close

## Saturday 18/01/2014

Time	Event/Travel
9:40 am - 10:00 am	Transit to CM's office
10:00am- 11:00 am	Meeting with Hon. N. Kiran Kumar Reddy CM of Andhra Pradesh Venue: CM's office
11:00am- 12:30 pm	Transit to Ramoji Film City
12:30pm- 1:30 pm	Lunch at Ramoji Film City
1:30 pm - 5:00 pm	Tour of Ramoji Film City
5:00 pm - 6:30 pm	Return to hotel
9.15pm	<b>Depart for Chennai</b> Jet Airways Flight 9W 2408



## Chennai

<u>Saturday to Monday 18/01/2014 to 20/01/2014 Chennai</u> <u>Saturday 18/01/2014</u>

Time	Event/Travel
11.20pm	Arrive in Chennai Jet Airways 9W 2408 Check in Hotel ITC Grand Chola No. 63, Mount Road Guindy, Chennai

## Sunday 19/01/2014

Time	Event/Travel		
9:00 am - 2:00 pm	Canada-Tamil Nadu Inv Venue ITC Grand Chola No. 63, Mount Road Guindy, Chennai	vestment & Trade Summit	
	9:00 am - 10:00 am	Summit inauguration - Lightening of Kuthuvilakku Speeches by ICCC President Dignitaries from Canadian Consulate	
	10:00 am - 1:30 pm <b>Business session</b>		
	10:00 am - 10:30 am	Tamil Nadu Infrastructure & Facilities	
	10:30 am - 11:00 am	Agri Sector	
	11:00 am - 11:15 am	Tea / Coffee break	
	11:15 am - 11:30 am	Power Sector	
	11:30 am - 12:00 pm	Education Sector	
	12:00 pm - 12:30 pm	IT and Tourism Sector	
	12:30 pm - 1:00 pm	Signing of MoUs	



1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Lunch
2:00 pm - 2:15 pm	Transit to Dakshin Chitra
2:15 pm - 3:00 pm	Visit to Dakshin Chitra - showcasing south India's tradition & culture
3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Travel to Mahabalipuram
4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Participate in the Mahabalipuram festival organized by Tamil Nadu Government
5:00 pm - 6:30 pm	Return to hotel
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm	Dinner hosted by TN Governor

## Monday 20/01/2014

Time	Event/Travel
8:00 am - 8:30 am	Travel to SRM University
8:30 am - 9:00 am	Interaction at SRM University
9:00 am - 10:00 am	Travel to Hyundai Factory
10:00 am -10:30am	Visit to Hyundai Factory
10:30 am - 11:00 am	Travel to Nokia Factory
11:00 am - 11:30 am	Visit to Nokia Factory
11:30 am - 12:30 pm	Travel to Thirupathi by road
12:30 pm - 1:00 pm	Darshan at Thirupathi - Lord Venkateshwara
1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Lunch at Thriupathi
2:00 pm	Return to hotel

## Monday 20/01/2014 and Tuesday 21/01/2014

Time	Event/Travel
Monday	Depart for Toronto
Tuesday	Arrive in Toronto



# **List of Hotels for India Mission 2014**

Name of the City	Name of the Hotels	Address	Ph.	Fax	E-mail
New Delhi	Taj Mahal	1 Mansingh Road New Delhi - 110 011 India	+91 11 23026162	+91 11 23026070	mahal.delhi@tajhotels.com
Chandigarh	Taj Hotel	Block No 9, Sector 17 A, Chandigarh, India	+91 172 661 3000	+91-172 6614000	taj.chandigarh@tajhotels. com
Pune	Hyatt Regency	Weikfield IT Park, Nagar Road, Pune, India	+91 20 6645 1234	+91 20 6645 1235	pune.regency@hyatt.com
Mumbai	Taj Mahal Palace	90 Cuffe Parade Mumbai - 400 005 Maharashtra, India	+91 2266650808	+91 2266650303	vivanta.president@ tajhotels.com
Ahmadabad	Hotel Marriott	Ashram Rd, Usman Pura Ahmadabad, Gujarat 380013, India	+91 79 3988 4444	91-79-30014445	contactus@fortunehotels.in
Hyderabad	Taj Krishna	Road no-1, Banjara Hills, Hyderabad, India	+91-40-66293664	+91-40-66625364	tajgvkshares.hyd@ tajhotels.com
Chennai	ITC Grand Chola	63, Mount Road, Guindy, Chennai, India	+91 44 2220 0000	+91 44 22200200	itc.grandchola@itchotels.in





## **Hosting and Participating Organizations**

## **Indo-Canada Chamber of Commerce (ICCC)**

The Indo-Canada Chamber of Commerce was founded in 1977 as a representative organization for the Indo-Canadian community. Since its foundations, the ICCC has adopted a mandate to promote and facilitate economic relations between Canada, India and other countries with a focus on areas of business, trade and investment. ICCC was conferred Pravasi Bharatiya Samman Award by the President of India Pratibha Patil at Jaipur on 9th January, 2012. The incumbent president of ICCC accompanied Prime Minister Harper to India in November 2012. The ICCC was also a partner organization for India's Ministry of Overseas Indian Affairs for Regional PBD Canada 2011 held in Toronto in June 2011. To keep the momentum of initiatives on bilateral ties, ICCC launched a project on "Canada-India Partnership: Unlocking its Full Potential".

## All India Association of Industries (AIAI)

All India Association of Industries (AIAI) was established in 1956, to serve as an organization to represent India's commercial capital in its liaison with government, other businesses and in international trade. Since then, the AIAI has a direct membership of 1400 companies and indirect membership of 30,000 companies through its affiliations with various global trade bodies. In particular, 70 per cent of this membership is in the SME sector.

## **Confederation of Indian Industry (CII)**

The Confederation of Indian Industry is one of India's most influential and representative business organizations. Its membership represents a large-span of the Indian economic sector, including large multinational corporations, national industry and SMEs and it has a close relationship with key government Ministries in an advocacy, policy-development and advisory capacity. Its current mandate focuses on "Business for Livelihood," which looks to marry business ventures with grassroots development and growth.

## Federation of Indian Chamber of Commerce & Industry (FICCI)

Established in 1927, FICCI is the largest and oldest apex business organization in India. Its history is closely interwoven with India's struggle for independence, its industrialization, and its emergence as one of the most rapidly growing global economies. FICCI has contributed to this historical process by encouraging debate, articulating the private sector's views and influencing policy. A non-government, not-for-profit organization, FICCI is the voice of India's business and industry.

## **Gujarat Chamber of Commerce & Industry (GCCI)**

Founded in 1949, the Gujarat Chamber of Commerce & Industry (GCCI) works to create and sustain an environment conducive to the growth of industry and trade in Gujarat. With 2800 direct members, which include over 160 Trade and Industry associations and leading Chambers of Commerce of the State. In its efforts to promote economic growth of the country and the state, Gujarat Chamber of Commerce and Industry has, over the years, initiated several focused and meaningful dialogues covering various micro and macroeconomic aspects of development.

## **Indo-Canadian Business Chamber (ICBC)**

Established in 1994, the Indo-Canadian Business Chamber is an India-based business organization with a mandate to im-



prove trade and bilateral relations between India and Canada. It has chapters in major business cities in India, including Delhi, Ahmedabad, and Mumbai. As an ICCC partner in India, the ICBC has been working tirelessly towards creating an itinerary for this business mission with both logistical and substantive support. President Ritika Modi and ICBC COO Nadira Hamid will be hosting this business delegation on behalf of the Chamber.

## Pandit Deendayal Petroleum University (PDPU)

Pandit Deendayal Petroleum University has been promoted by Gujarat State Petroleum Corporation (GSPC) to create a world class University in energy education and research with special focus on the oil and gas sector. The university has further expanded its programs to address the need for trained human resource in the domains of engineering, management and humanities.

## Punjab Hanyana Delhi Chamber of Commerce and Industry (PHDCCI)

PHD Chamber of Commerce and Industry, established in 1905, is a proactive and dynamic multi-State apex organization working at the grass-root level and with strong national and international linkages. The Chamber acts as a catalyst in the promotion of industry, trade and entrepreneurship. PHD Chamber is more than an organization of the business community, as it lives by the chosen motto 'In Community's Life & Part of It' and contributes significantly to socio-economic development.

## **Mahratta Chamber of Commerce and Industries (MCCI)**

MCCIA has been playing a significant role in accelerating the industrial and economic development of Pune region for more than seven decades now. MCCIA has continuously driven to make Pune a global business destination and has been catalyst for economic development of the region. The Chamber renders services to the industry through its 30 committees consisting of reputed experts, professionals and entrepreneurs through strategic planning, sending memorandum to Government on policies and regulations and organizing educative events and symposiums for members.

## **Mohali Industry Association (MIA)**

Mohali Industries Association – an ISO Certified Association representing large, medium and small scale industrial units located in Mohali. It provides the much needed link between the industry and the Government for a better understanding and maintains a rapport by holding regular dialogues with departments connected with the industry. Large scale industries like Ranbaxy, Punjab Communications Ltd, Philips, Godrej & Boyce, Idea Cellular Ltd., Akzo Nobel India, Sigma Freudenberg NOK Pvt Ltd., Mollins etc. are its active members.



# Brief Information on Indian Cities to be visited by ICCC led India Mission 2014

## Lucknow

Lucknow is the capital city of the state of Uttar Pradesh in India. It has always been known as a multicultural city and flourished as a cultural and artistic capital of North India. It is an important centre of education, commerce, aerospace, finance, pharmaceuticals, technology, design, culture, tourism, music, and poetry. The economy is growing in the fields of IT, Manufacturing and Processing and Medical/Bio-Technology. The major export items from are marble products, textiles, handicrafts, art pieces, gems and jewellery, textiles, electronics, software, computer, hardware and software, apparel, brass work, silk, leather and leather goods, glass items, art metal, chemicals.

## **New Delhi**

New Delhi is the national capital and second most populous city in India with a population of 16.3 million in 2011. The greater NCR urban, which includes the neighbouring cities of Baghpat, Gurgaon, Sonepat, Faridabad, Ghaziabad, Noida, Greater Noida and other nearby towns, has nearly 22.2 million residents. Delhi's Gross domestic product GDP (at 2004-05 prices), on average, grew by 10.7% between 2007 and 2012, making it one of the fastest growing cities in the region. Key service industries in Delhi are information technology, telecommunications, hotels, banking, media and tourism. Construction, power, health and community services, and real estate are also important to the city's economy.

## Chandigarh

The city of Chandigarh was the first planned city in India post-independence in 1947. The important industries are paper manufacturing, basic metals and alloys, machinery, food products, sanitary ware, auto parts, machine tools, pharmaceuticals and electrical appliances. Chandigarh's gross state domestic product for 2010 is estimated at \$15.22 billion in current prices. Chandigarh IT Park is the city's attempt to break into the information technology world. Major Indian firms and multinational corporations to the like of Quark, Infosys, Dell, IBM, TechMahindra have set up base in the city and its suburbs. Chandigarh is ranked ninth in the top 50 cities identified globally as "emerging outsourcing and IT services destinations".

#### Pune

Pune is the eighth largest metropolis, seventh largest metropolitan economy and the sixth highest per capita income in the country. The city's automotive industry represented like Tata Motors, Mahindra & Mahindra, Mercedes Benz, General Motors, Volkswagen, and Fiat have set up greenfield facilities. Kirloskar Group, was the first to bring industry to Pune by setting up Kirloskar Oil Engines Ltd. in 1945. The Hinjawadi IT Park is a project being started by MIDC to house the IT sector in Pune to have an area of about 2,800 acres (11 km2). The estimated investment in the project is US\$9.2 billion. IT sector employs more than 70,000 people. Software giant Microsoft intends to set up a US\$110 million project in Hinjewadi.

#### Mumbai

Mumbai is India's largest city (by population) and is the financial and commercial capital of the country as it generates 6.16% of the total GDP. It serves as an economic hub of India, contributing 10% of factory employment, 25% of industrial output, 33% of income tax collections, 60% of customs duty collections, 20% of central excise tax collections, 40% of In-



dia's foreign trade and 4,000 crore (US\$728 million) in corporate taxes. Mumbai was ranked seventh in the list of "Top Ten Cities for Billionaires" by Forbes magazine, and first in terms of those billionaires' average wealth.

#### Ahmedabad

The gross domestic product of Ahmedabad was estimated at \$59 billion in 2010. The city is the largest supplier of denim, gemstones and jewellery in India. The automobile industry is also important to the city; after Tata's Nano project, Ford and Suzuki are planning to establish plants near Ahmedabad while the ground breaking ceremony for Peugeot has already been performed. A NASSCOM survey in 2002 on the "Super Nine Indian Destinations" for IT-enabled services ranked Ahmedabad fifth among the top nine most competitive cities in the country. The city's educational and industrial institutions have attracted students and young skilled workers from the rest of India.

## Gandhinagar

Gandhinagar, Gujarat's new capital has emerged as one of the fastest growing regions in the country. In addition to housing it is one of the largest manufacturing bases in India, Gujarat also accounts for a disproportionately large share of the investor and entrepreneurial population in the country. Recognizing the potential of the state as a centre for the financial services industry, the government of Gujarat formulated Gujarat International Finance Tec-City Company Limited (GIFT) as a mega project to realize this vision. GIFT is conceptualized as a global financial and IT services hub.

## Hyderabad

Hyderabad is the capital and largest city of the southern Indian state of Andhra Pradesh. Hyderabad is the largest contributor to the gross domestic product (GDP), tax and other revenues, of Andhra Pradesh, and the sixth largest deposit centre and fourth largest credit centre nationwide. Its US\$74 billion GDP makes it the fifth-largest contributor city to India's overall GDP in 2011–12. Its per capita annual income in 2011 was 44300 (US\$680). The service industry remains dominant in the city, and 90% of the employed workforce is engaged in this sector.

## Chennai

Chennai is the capital city of the Indian state of Tamil Nadu. Chennai is rated in the "Forbes-Top 10 Fastest Growing Cities in the World". As of 2012, the city has about 34,260 identified companies in its 15 zones, of which 5,196 companies have a paid-up the capital of over 5 million. A large number of automotive companies including Hyundai, Renault, Robert Bosch, Nissan Motors, Ashok Leyland, Daimler AG, Caterpillar Inc., Komatsu Limited, Ford, BMW and Mitsubishi have manufacturing plants in Chennai. The Heavy Vehicles Factory at Avadi produces military vehicles such as Arjun MBT. The Integral Coach Factory manufactures railway coaches.





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