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By A Business Reporter

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भारताबरोबरचे व्यापारी संबंध दृढ करण्यासाठी मेक्सिको इच्छुक

मुंबई, बुधवार (वृत्तसंस्था) – भारताबरोबर आम्हाला आमची प्रगती करायची आहे. आम्हाला तुमच्या जवळ यायचे आहे, असे उदगार सॅन ल्युईस पोसेसी, मेक्सिको शिष्टमंडळाचे अध्यक्ष तिओफिलो टेरेस यांनी काढले.

वर्ल्ड ट्रेड सेंटर मुंबई येथे आयोजित केलेल्या एका चर्चासत्रामध्ये ते बोलत होते. वर्ल्ड ट्रेड सेंटर मुंबई, ऑल इंडिया असोसिएशन ऑफ इंडस्ट्रीजने आणि मेक्सिको सरकारच्या ङ्गप्रोमेक्सिकोफ या सरकारी व्यापार आणि गुंतवणूकसंदर्भातच्या संस्थेच्या विद्यामाने हे चर्चासत्र आयोजित केले होते.

सध्या लॅटिन अमेरिकेमधील भारताचा व्यापारी सहकारी म्हणून मेक्सिकोचे नाव घेतले जाते. मेक्सिकोमधील तेल विकत घेणाऱ्या देशांमध्ये भारताचा जगात तिसरा क्रमांक लागतो. भारतामधील औषधनिर्मिती, माहिती आणि तंत्रज्ञान सेवा, मनोरंजन, ऑटोमोबाइल क्षेत्रामध्ये मेक्सिकोला विशेष रस असल्याची माहिती भारतामधील मेक्सिकोच्या मेक्सिकोमध्ये गुंतवणूक करण्यासाठी भारतीय कंपन्यांना आवाहन

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आशिया आणि अमेरिकन खंडामधील दोन अत्यंत प्रभावशाली देश म्हणून अनुक्रमे भारत आणि मेक्सिकोचे नाव घेतले जाते. हे दोन्ही देश आपापल्या अर्थव्यवस्था बळकट करण्यासाठी दोन्ही देशांमधील आर्थिक संबंध आणखी दृढ करणार आहेत. अशी माहिती सिनेटर जोस असेन्शियन ओरिहला यांनी दिली. स

थानिक उद्योगांना दिलेली सूट आणि व्यापारातील अनिष्ट मक्तेदारी मोडून काढली गेल्यामुळे मेक्सिकोमध्ये भारतीय कंपन्यांना व्यापार वाढविण्यासाठी चांगली संधी मिळाली आहे. कृषी, दूरसंचार आणि वाहन क्षेत्रामधील कंपन्यांचे मेक्सिकोमध्ये नवीन उद्योग उभारण्यासाठी स्वागतच केले जाईल, अशीही माहिती सिनेटर जोस यांनी दिली.

मेक्सिकोचे अध्यक्ष एनरीक पेना निएतो यांच्या नेतृत्वाखालील मेक्सिको सरकारने केलेल्या मूलभूत सुधारणांमुळे गेल्या काही वर्षांमध्ये या देशाची आर्थिक वृद्धी मोठ्या गतीने झाली आहे. अवध्या चार वर्षांच्या कालावधीत १४ मूलभूत सुधारणा करण्यात आल्या आहेत. प्रशासनामध्ये पारदर्शकता

आणल्यामुळे मेक्सिकोमध्ये व्यवसाय करणे सोपे झाले आहे, असे मत सिनेटर मॅन्युएल काव्हाझो लेरमा यांनी व्यक्त केले.

ऑल इंडिया असोसिएशन ऑफ इंडस्टीजचे अध्यक्ष श्री. विजय कलंत्री या चर्चासत्राच्या प्रारंभी सर्व मान्यवरांचे स्वागत करताना म्हणाले, भारत आणि मेक्सिकोदरम्यान सध्या ७ बिलीयन डॉलर एवढा व्यवसाय होतो. येत्या काही वर्षांमध्ये हा व्यापार दुपटीहन अधिक वाढण्याची शक्यता आहे. औषधनिर्मिती, कृतीरसायने, तेल, स्टील आणि खाण, माहिती आणि तंत्रज्ञान या क्षेत्रांमध्ये दोन्ही देशांना काम करण्याची संधी आहे... आगामी मे महिन्याच्या अखेरीस भारत आणि लॅटिन अमेरिकेमधील द्विपक्षीय व्यापार वाढविण्यासाठी ऑल मुंबईमध्ये असोसिएशन ऑफ इंडस्ट्रीज आणि वर्ल्ड टेड सेंटर, मुंबईतर्फे भारत-लॅटिन अमेरिका आणि क रैबियन भागादीरी :व्यापार ग्तवण्कीची नवीन संधी या विषयावर चर्चासत्र आयोजिले आहे.

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मेक्सिको भारताबरोबरचे व्यापारी **संबंध दृढ करण्यासाठी इच्छुक**

। मुंबई: 'भारताबरोबर आम्हाला आमची प्रगती करायची आहे. आम्हाला तुमच्या जवळ यायचे आहे,' असे उद्गार सॅन ल्युईस पोसेसी, मेक्सिको या शिष्टमंडळाचे अध्यक्ष तिओफिलो टेरेस यांनी काढले आहेत. वर्ल्ड ट्रेड सेंटर मुंबई येथे आयोजित केलेल्या एका चर्चासत्रामध्ये ते बोलत होते. वर्ल्ड ट्रेड सेंटर मुंबई, ऑल इंडिया असोसिएशन ऑफ इंडस्ट्रीजने आणि मेक्सिको सरकारच्या 'प्रोमेक्सिको' या सरकारी व्यापार आणि गुंतवणूकसंदर्भात संस्थेच्या विद्यमाने हे चर्चासत्र आयोजित केले होते.

सध्या लॅटिन अमेरिकेमधील भारताचा व्यापारी सहकारी म्हणून मेक्सिकोचे नाव घेतले जाते. मेक्सिकोमधील तेल विकत घेणाऱ्या देशांमध्ये भारताचा जगात तिसरा क्रमांक लागतो. भारतामधील औषधनिर्मिती, माहिती आणि तंत्रज्ञान सेवा, मनोरंजन, ऑटोमोबाइल क्षेत्रामध्ये मेक्सिकोला विशेष रस असल्याची माहिती भारतामधील मेक्सिकोच्या राजदूत मेलबा प्रिया यांनी या वेळी दिली. मेक्सिकोचे एक वरिष्ठ शिष्टमंडळ राजदूतांच्या सोबत आले होते. भारतामधील व्यापारवृद्धी तसेच व्यवसाय संबंध दृढ करण्यासाठी हे शिष्टमंडळ भारत दौऱ्यावर आले आहे. या शिष्टमंडळामध्ये तिओफिलो टेरेस, जोस दि जेसस सँटना, जोस असेन्शियन ओरिहला, मॅन्युएल कावाझो लेरमा आणि रॉडिगो ब्लॅंका यांचा समावेश आहे. 'आशिया आणि अमेरिकन खंडामधील दोन अत्यंत प्रभावशाली देश म्हणून अनुक्रमे भारत आणि मेक्सिकोचे नाव घेतले जाते. हे दोन्ही देश आपापल्या अर्थव्यवस्था बळकट करण्यासाठी दोन्ही देशांमधील आर्थिक संबंध आणखी दढ करणार आहेत, ' अशी माहिती सिनेटर जोस असेन्शियन ओरिहला यांनी दिली. स्थानिक उद्योगांना दिलेली सूट आणि व्यापारातील अनिष्ट मक्तेदारी मोडून काढली गेल्यामुळे मेक्सिकोमध्ये भारतीय कंपन्यांना व्यापार वाढविण्यासाठी चांगली संधी मिळाली आहे. कृषी, दूरसंचार आणि वाहन क्षेत्रामधील कंपन्यांचे मेक्सिकोमध्ये नवीन उद्योग उभारण्यासाठी स्वागतच केले जाईल, अशीही माहिती सिनेटर जोस यांनी दिली. मेक्सिकोचे अध्यक्ष एनरिक पेना निएतो यांच्या नेतत्वाखालील मेक्सिको सरकारने केलेल्या मुलभुत सुधारणांमुळे गेल्या काही वर्षांमध्ये या देशाची आर्थिक वृद्धी मोठ्या गतीने झाली आहे. अवघ्या चार वर्षांच्या कालावधीत १४ मूलभूत सुधारणा करण्यात आल्या आहेत. प्रशासनामध्ये पारदर्शकता आणल्यामुळे मेक्सिकोमध्ये व्यवसाय करणे सोपे झाले आहे,' असे मत सिनेटर मॅन्युएल काव्हाझो लेरमा यांनी व्यक्त केले.