

PTR – “Seminar on Trade Facilitation: Giving Impetus to Trade”

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FICCI, in partnership with the Ministry of Finance, Government of India and with support from SAARC Trade Promotion Network (SAARC-TPN) organized the “Seminar on Trade Facilitation” on January 22, 2015 at Geetanjali Guest House Complex, Agartala, Tripura. The objective of seminar was to come up with suggestions for streamlining of procedures, elimination of the unnecessary bureaucratic and administrative burdens to foster the trade chain in SAARC region.

The elite panel of speakers included Mr. Satish Reddy (IRS), Asian Development Bank; Mr. Pravin Agrawal, Special Secretary and Director, Department of Industries & Commerce, Government of Tripura; Mr. Gobindo Chakraborty, ADGFT, Zonal Office, Kolkata; Mr. P. K. Ghosh, Assistant Director (E), RPQS, Kolkata; Mr. Debashish Nandi, Manager, LPAI, ICP, Agartala; Mr. Shonly Litting, Regional Head, Export Import Bank of India (EXIM Bank), Guwahati and Mr. L. Ralte, Deputy Commissioner of Customs, Shillong.

The seminar had technical presentations of around 8-10 minutes from each regulator followed by an open Q&A session and witnessed an audience of more than 100 people including some major exporters and importers of the city.