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ANUTEC - International FoodTec India co-located with PackEx India, Food Logistics India, and ANUTEC - Ingredients India cancelled due to rising cases and venue unavailability.

Government has created a jumbo COVID ICU facility at Bombay Exhibition Centre, Mumbai which is the venue planned for the trade fair, and it is unclear whether the venue will be permitted for the scheduled date in February 2021.

India is witnessing a rapid second wave of the infection cases, and local Government has already issued a warning to re-impose the lockdown in Mumbai. Mumbai requires massive efforts to fight the coronavirus due to the dense population. Multiple jumbo COVID Facilities are created to treat a maximum number of patients possible. Bombay Exhibition Centre is one of them where the event was planned from February 3-5, 2021. Therefore, the organisers have made the difficult decision to cancel the exhibition. By doing so, Koelnmesse is keeping attendees safe, helping to flatten the curve, and affecting positive change. This is disappointing, yet needs to be appreciated that the steps are taken to help keep exhibitors, partners and attendees safe.

"This inevitable decision comes as a consequence of insurgent COVID-19 situation around us. However, with industry's support we are confident to rise, reassemble and present the best B2B trade fair to the Indian food industry in September 2021" says Milind Dixit, Managing Director of Koelnmesse YA Tradefair Pvt Ltd.

The next ANUTEC - International FoodTec India, co-located with PackEx India, Food Logistics India, and ANUTEC Ingredients India will be held from 15-17 September 2021 at Pragati Maidan, New Delhi.

Koelnmesse - Global Competence in Food and FoodTec:

Koelnmesse is an international leader in organising food fairs and events regarding food and beverage processing. Trade fairs such as Anuga, ISM and Anuga FoodTec are established world leaders. Koelnmesse not only organises food and food technology trade fairs in Cologne, Germany, but also in further growth markets around the globe, for example, in Brazil, China, Colombia, India, Italy, Japan, Thailand and the United Arab Emirates, which have different focuses and contents. These global activities enable us to offer our customers a

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network of events, which in turn grant access to different markets and thus create a basis for sustainable and stable international business.

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The upcoming trade fairs are:

ANUTECH - International FoodTec India, New Delhi 15.09.-17.09.2021

Andina Pack, Bogotá 09.11.-12.11.2021

Anuga FoodTec, Cologne 26.04.-29.04.2022

Koelnmesse YA Tradefair Pvt. Ltd. is the Indian subsidiary of Koelnmesse GmbH, Germany which has been established in 2008 to cater the needs of rising Indian market. The hallmark of a successful trade fair is its ability to bring markets and people together in an efficient and highly professional manner. Events “made by Koelnmesse” are a promise of top quality.

Note for editorial offices:

The ANUTECH - International FoodTec India photos are available in our image database on the Internet at <https://www.anutecindia.com/image-database.html> in the News section.

Press information is available at: <https://www.anutecindia.com/press-releases.html>

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WEBSITE FAQs as on 17.12.2020

Cancellation of Annapoorna - ANUFOOD India which was scheduled during February 3-5, 2021 at Bombay Exhibition Centre, Mumbai, India.

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Leading Indian trade fair for the food and drink industry Annapoorna - ANUFOOD India stands to cancel due to the second wave of COVID-19. And the event venue occupied by Government for treating COVID-19 patients.

FAQ on Event Announcement (Updated on 17.12.2020)

GENERAL

Why have you decided to reschedule the trade fairs?

We are witnessing a rapid second wave of the pandemic across Europe and a constant rise in cases in the USA, Brazil, India, and many other countries. Local Government has already issued a warning to re-impose the lockdown in Mumbai. The pandemic meant that it's now vital to limit social contact and avoid gathering.

Furthermore, a city like Mumbai requires massive efforts to fight coronavirus and take care of the large population. Hence, the Government has consciously created multiple jumbo COVID Facilities across the city to treat maximum patients. One of the facilities is at Bombay Exhibition Centre where the event was planned during February 3-5, 2021. Indeed, the treatment of infected citizens is the topmost priority; for that reason, we've made the difficult decision to withdraw the exhibition. While we know this is disappointing, we hope you can understand the steps we're taking to help keep our exhibitors, industry colleagues, partners and attendees safe.

When is the next edition of the trade fair?

Next edition of Annapoorna - ANUFOOD India will be held from 6-8 September 2021 at Bombay Exhibition Centre, Mumbai.

How do I get latest updates on the COVID-19 situation in India?

The Indian Government is taking this very seriously. It has an active surveillance and screening system for disease control, thanks to its experience in dealing with medical conditions such as SARS, MERS, avian flu and others. The latest advisories are available and published by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare - Government of India <https://www.mohfw.gov.in/>

I have more questions. Who can I contact?

For all queries, please write to a.salve@koelnmesse-india.com

EXHIBITOR

We have already paid and confirmed our participation, what happens now?

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We remain hopeful that you will continue to support us and continue your participation for the next edition. We will send you a new application form for the next edition of the show. The payments made by you will be carried forward; however, if you wish to get the refund, please do write to us and we will do the needful. Should you require urgent assistance, please email us at a.salve@koelnmesse-india.com

I have made travel arrangement prior to the event. Will I get reimbursed for my travel/accommodation or any other expenses incurred since Annapoorna - ANUFOOD India is cancelled?

We advise you to contact your travel or booking agent and hotel provider immediately for information and advice corresponding to their specific cancellation and amendment policies. As travel and accommodation are not booked through the organisers nor event, we are unable to facilitate any refund for your accommodation. For peace of mind, we recommend you take out travel insurance if you have not already done so.

VISITOR

I am a visitor. How can I get information about the next event?

You can register on the event website as a visitor, and we will keep posted you with the latest information on the schedule.