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**Press Release**

**The ANUTEK - International FoodTec India co-located with PackEx India, Annapoorna - ANUFOOD India, ANUTEK - Ingredients India and Food Logistics India 2020 has been postponed.**

**The ANUTEK - International FoodTec India that was planned in Mumbai from September 23-25, 2020 has been postponed to a new date i.e. November 26-28, 2020. This is how Koelnmesse India is responding to the increasingly acute global situation around the recent occurrence of the coronavirus.**

In addition to many states in India already hit by the virus, Maharashtra has now become one of the leading Indian state affected by cases of infection. The Ministry of Health are also convening to discuss the current situation and possible measures in response. Moreover, since last weekend, exhibitors from the food industry have reiterated their concerns for the health of their employees and the possibility of their participation in social platforms.

In view of these current developments at “ANUTEK - International FoodTec India” co-located with PackEx India, Annapoorna - ANUFOOD India, ANUTEK - Ingredients India and Food Logistics India 2020, the management team at Koelnmesse India has reassessed the current situation and set the new date in consultation with the venue and the industry.

Over 1000 exhibitors, including around 200 from overseas countries, are expected to attend the ANUTEK - International FoodTec India 2020, India’s leading innovation and business platform for the food industry that is held every two years in Mumbai.

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## **FAQs**

### **GENERAL**

#### **Why have you decided to reschedule IFTI, PackEx 2020?**

In view of the increasing spread and keeping up with the current situation developing around Covid - 19 that's causing all organizers to postpone / cancel their exhibitions in India, Koelnmesse YA Tradefair has decided to postpone the co-located fairs - ANUTEC International FoodTec India, PackEx India, ANUTEC Ingredients India, Annapoorna ANUFOOD India & Food Logistics India.

Very precautionary travel restrictions have announced by the Union Health Ministry, Government of India which have tightened the entry conditions across all states, making it impossible for overseas exhibitors and trade visitors to participate/attend the fairs for business currently.

The well-being of all visitors, exhibitors, buyers and all our stakeholders is our topmost priority. In light of the COVID-19 outbreak and after careful consideration, we have made this decision to reschedule the trade-fairs to November, 2020.

#### **When is the new date?**

ANUTEC - International FoodTec India, PackEx India 2020, Annapoorna ANUFOOD India, Food Logistics India & ANUTEC Ingredients India will now be held from 26 - 28 November 2020.

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

The Indian Government is taking this very seriously and 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 [info@koelnmesse-india.com](mailto:info@koelnmesse-india.com) or [a.salve@koelnmesse-india.com](mailto:a.salve@koelnmesse-india.com)

## **EXHIBITOR**

### **Are we expecting any changes to the existing contractual agreement?**

The signed agreement will remain in effect, as we are simply rescheduling the event. If the exhibitor does not indicate that they are no longer interested in participating in the event, based on the new date, all the arrangements will remain in place. Revised dates / stand confirmation will be sent in due course.

### **I am registered as an exhibitor. Will I be reimbursed if I choose to drop out of the event at any time?**

ANUTEK-International FoodTec India, PackEx India 2020, Food Logistics India, Annapoorna ANUFOOD India, ANUTEK Ingredients India representatives are in contact with all exhibitors to discuss their participation at the rescheduled dates, accordance to the relevant terms and conditions outlined in the legal binding contract. We will work closely with you to provide a strong support network, following the rescheduling of the event. Should you require urgent assistance, please email us at [info@koelnmesse-india.com](mailto:info@koelnmesse-india.com) or [a.salve@koelnmesse-india.com](mailto: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 ANUTEK-International FoodTec India, PackEx India 2020 , Food Logistics India, Annapoorna ANUFOOD India, ANUTEK Ingredients India is postponed?**

We advise you to contact your travel or booking agent and hotel provider immediately for information and advice corresponding to their specific cancellation & 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.

### **I am an exhibitor. Why can't I access the Online Exhibitor Portal?**

The portal will be available from early August 2020.

## **VISITOR**

### **I am a visitor. Why can't I access the Visitor Pre-registration Portal?**

Online Visitor Pre-registration Portal will be available from early August 2020.