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Summary:

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Speaking at the occasion, Mr. Shankarlal Guru, Chairman-International Society for Agricultural

The APMC Act in each state of India requires all agricultural products to be sold only in gove

Also addressing the audience was Mr. Sivakumar, Chairman Agri Business Sub-Committee, CII-Sout

Making a presentation on "Aligning State Policies with emerging new marketing models", Prof. S

Centre asks states to amend APMC Act

In a move to allow farmers to directly sell their produce to industry, contract farming and se

Under the present Act, the processing industry cannot buy directly from farmers. The farmer is

The government has recently approved a central sector scheme titled ^Development/strengthening

Under the scheme, credit linked investment subsidy shall be provided on the capital cost of ge

The scheme is linked to reforms in state law dealing with agricultural markets (APMC Act). Ass

The Centre has asked the state governments to inform as to whether necessary amendments to the

Along with the Centre, the industry is also interested in the amendment to the APMC Act as it

^The policy regime pertaining to internal trade is particularly restrictive. The agricultural

Meanwhile, a decentralised system of procuring wheat and rice would make the Public Distributi

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