

## **SEMINAR NOTICE**

- Topic:** *Evaluation of Market Intervention Scheme (MIS)*
- Speaker:** **Prof. Brajesh Jha, Institute of Economic Growth**
- Date & time:** Friday, March 17, 2017 at 3.30 p.m.
- Venue:** A.M. Khusro Room, Institute of Economic Growth,  
University of Delhi Enclave, North Campus, Delhi - 110 007
- Chair:** Prof. N. Chandrasekhara Rao, Institute of Economic Growth

All are welcome.

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**Seminar Convenor**

### **Abstract:**

In India price support remains important, even in an open economy. However for commodities other than the privileged - 24, there is no fixed or stated measure of intervening agriculture market. If price of a commodity goes down significantly, the state government approaches the union government to procure a specific commodity at a mutually agreed price, which is referred as the Market Intervention Scheme (MIS). The extent of involvement of central government however varies across regions (states) and commodities. In this backdrop the present study assesses effectiveness of MIS for farmers and other stakeholders in the selected states for diverse set of agricultural commodities.