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The Advisory Committee comprises of the following members:

- Ashish Bahuguna – Public Interest Director, Board of National Commodity and Derivatives Exchange Ltd.; Former Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture, Govt. of India; Former Chairperson, Food Safety & Standards Authority of India
- Dr Jeet Singh Sandhu – renowned agricultural scientist and Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, Sri Karan Narendra Agriculture University, Jobner Jaipur, Rajasthan
- Dr Narendra Pratap Singh – Director of Indian Institute of Pulses Research (IIPR), Kanpur and President, Indian Society of Pulses Research and Development, IIPR
- Yogesh Thorat – Managing Director, MAHA Farmers Producers Company Ltd. (MAHAFPC).
- Aashish Kasad – Chartered Accountant and Partner with a Big4, Indian Tax and Regulations Expert, Former Lead Partner to Ministry of Food Processing Industries, Govt. of India

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