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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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### FLOOD PROBLEMS OF NORTH BIHAR

A two-day seminar on the Flood Problems of North Bihar has been sponsored by the L. N. Mithila University, Darbhanga and will be held in the University Department of Physics on the 6th and 7th of August 1988. Experts in the field of meteorology, oceanography, hydrography, water resources management, flood control, geography, forest denudation in the himalayan belt, and voluntary bodies associated with protection and preservation of healthy environment in the country

and persons interested in this topic are invited to participate and exchange views on this vital problem which recurs almost every year in the monsoon season and takes heavy toll of plant, animal and human lives in the vastly populated North-eastern India.

Interested persons may contact Prof. Dharendra Kumar Jha, Head of the University Department of Physics, L. N. Mithila University, Darbhanga 846 004 latest by 20th July 1988.

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### ILZIC SILVER JUBILEE CONFERENCE

Indian Lead Zinc Information Centre (ILZIC) — the Indian branch offices of the Lead and Zinc Development Associations of London — has completed (in 1987) 25 years of service to the lead, zinc and cadmium using industries in India and adjoining countries.

In commemoration of the Silver Jubilee of ILZIC, an International Conference with the theme "Lead, Zinc and Cadmium into the 90's" is being organised at the Taj Palace Hotel, Sardar Patel Marg, New

Delhi 110 021 during 1-3 November 1988.

Comprehensive presentations on various aspects of the three metals by reputed experts both from India and overseas will be presented and discussed during the three-day deliberations. For more details please contact: The Secretariat, Silver Jubilee Conference, Indian Lead Zinc Information Centre, No. 7, Shopping Centre, Block B-6, Safdarjung Enclave, New Delhi 110 029.

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