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## Message

It is heartening to learn that FRIGE's Institute of Human Genetics and the Gujarat Biotechnology Research Centre are jointly organising the 48<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting and International Conference of the Indian Society of Human Genetics between 21<sup>st</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> January, 2024 at Ahmedabad.

With rapid advancements being made in human genetics over the past decade, the conference will provide a critical platform to understand and disseminate these findings over a 4-day period with a broad audience of clinical, academic, biomedical and pharmaceutical domains. The conference is timely considering that India is celebrating 20 years of the completion of the Human Genome Project through development of several national and international programs for rare diseases, cancer and novel treatment modalities. I am certain that the outcomes of the ponderings and of the scientific and technological advancements in this field will be enlightening and will guide affordable precision healthcare delivery for India and the rest of the world.

I hereby extend my best wishes to the organisers, distinguished scientists, clinicians and all the delegates of the conference.

(N. Kalaiselvi)

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