

### ***Appeal of FIMARC on World Food Day 2010***

FIMARC observe October 16th as World Food Day every year. This year we would like to organize our actions in connection with World Food Day in a much more participatory and meaningful way

Safe Food is the fundamental right of not only human beings but also all living organisms. But in reality access to Safe Food is a dream to the most vulnerable communities across the world. According to the UN report in each 7 seconds a child is dying in the world due to hunger and malnutrition. Number of hungry people surpassed 1.1 billion marks at the peak of food and financial crisis and most of them are living in rural world. As a movement of rural people, it is our responsibility to sensitize and initiate concrete actions to reduce this hunger crisis at different levels. At this context FIMARC urge all member movements to participate in the World Food Day 2010 in a more pragmatic way.

**Hence we call upon all members of our movement across the world to observe a half day fasting on October 16<sup>th</sup> in solidarity with the poor and marginalized who face hunger every day in their in life. We also would like to launch a special fund from those who save some money through their fasting to facilitate actions eradicating hunger as well as to support the most needy people. So please send the saving fund to the FIMARC with a special message of “WFD FUND”**

In other way member movements also can organize local actions in this regard with the savings you are collecting through fasting. Our member movement in South Korea (CCFM) had positively taken this call already and collecting rice from their members in order to send 125 tons of rice to North Korea to help the people who are in need and to show the solidarity.

We are looking forward to hear about the various initiatives taken up by our members in all continents around the world. Please send us the reports and visuals of your actions

During this world food day FIMARC appeal to all the member movements to reflect and practice DECREASE to save the next generation from hunger death.

In Solidarity,

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If you want to send your contribution for the WFD FUND: here are the bank data's:

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