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setting up of a MSP panel and ZBNF can transform Indian agri. in various ways. Explain.

The recent announcement of MSP panel has been welcomed by the stakeholders and the government.

### MSP Panel

To clear the doubts, the MSP panel's visit must realize the fears of abandoning the MSP. The panel must include central and state governments, farmers, agri-scientist, experts.

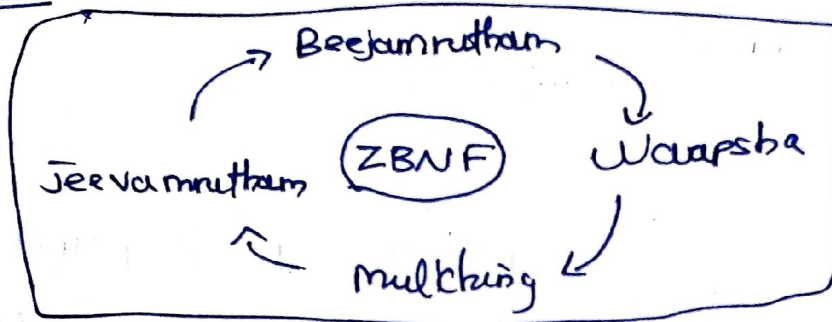
### Benefits of MSP panel

It can improve the bargaining of farmers to implement the MSP formula of  $12+FL+C2$  which is recommended by M.S. Swaminathan committee.

It can act as a forum to kickstart the inclusion of reforms such as

introduction of private whole scale market,  
remove stockholding limits and  
contract farming which resulted in deadlock

zero Budget natural farming (ZBNF)



With ZBNF, the total organic production could reach to 2% of the land area from current 1%.

6% of GDP is lost due to water crisis and 18% is the emission from agriculture. ZBNF can greatly reduce this and can prevent salinisation.

It also supports integrated nutrition management and post management holistically.

It can accelerate the circular economy part of agriculture.

way forward

To double farmers income by 2022, a rampant push on innovation and combining with ARYA scheme is the need of the hour.