

**GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY  
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

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Sub: Agriculture – Weekly Report on disposal of important cases as envisaged under Rules of Business – Report Submitted – Reg.

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With reference to the letter cited on the subject mentioned above, I am to furnish herewith the Weekly Report for the period ending 29-07-2018. This is for your kind information.

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To

The Secretary to Govt. (Agriculture),  
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**WEEKLY REPORT FORMAT  
(PERIOD STARTING FROM 23-07-2018 to 29-07-2018)**

**i. Training programmes arrangements/Service matters attended to**

- Training on “Latest technologies on Banana cultivation, Value addition and marketing of banana” was conducted on 26-7-2018 and 27-06-2018 at Thattanchavady in association with National Banana Research Centre, Trichy and APEDA, Bangalore in which 80 nos. of farmers from Puducherry and Karaikal participated.
- Training on “Capacity Building on Dairy Farmers on Profitable Milk Production by Understanding Farm to Table Concept” was conducted on 24-07-2018 to 26-07-2018 by ATMA, Karaikal at the Veterinary College and Research Institute, Orathanadu, Tanjore in which 38 nos. of farmers participated.

ii. Regularization in the grade of \_\_\_\_\_, issued vide Memorandum No. \_\_\_\_\_ dt. \_\_\_\_\_, in which \_\_\_\_\_ employees benefitted.

NIL

iii. Financial upgradation in grade of Deputy Director of Agriculture issued vide order no. 5573/Ag/Estt/A7/MACP/2018, dt. 16-07-2018 in which 1 no. of Deputy Director of Agriculture benefitted.

iv. Offer of (new) appointment in the grade of \_\_\_\_\_, issued vide Memorandum No. \_\_\_\_\_, dt. \_\_\_\_\_ in which \_\_\_\_\_ persons benefitted.

NIL

**2. New initiatives undertaken by the Department : NIL**

**3. Financial sanctions accorded : NIL**

**4. Policy decisions taken : NIL**

**5. Others :**

**Meeting regarding the implementation of the action points arisen out of the Budget Speech 2018-19 by the Hon'ble Chief Minister**

The meeting regarding the implementation of the action points arisen out of the Budget Speech 2018-19 of the Hon'ble Chief Minister was held on 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2018 in the chamber of the Director of Agriculture. All the scheme implementing officers

were instructed to initiate necessary actions for implementation of the announcements and assurances given in the Legislative Assembly.

### **Review meeting by the Director of Agriculture, Puducherry**

A review meeting was conducted by the Director of Agriculture, Puducherry on 25.07.2018 at the Office of the Additional Director of Agriculture, Karaikal.

The Director of Agriculture reviewed the activities of the Department for the ensuing Samba & Thalady seasons and discussed about the arrangements made for issue of agricultural inputs to the farmers. During the meeting, the Additional Director of Agriculture (Agronomy), Puducherry, The Additional Director of Agriculture, Karaikal, The Joint Director of Agriculture (T&V), Karaikal, The Programme Coordinator, KVK, Madur, The Deputy Director (Agri. Engg.), Karaikal, The Deputy Director of Agriculture (Chemistry), Karaikal, The Deputy General Manager (PASIC Ltd.), Karaikal, The Office Superintendent, Office of the ADA, Karaikal, All the Agricultural Officers, Karaikal were present.

### **State Level Sanctioning Committee Meeting of ATMA**

The State Level Sanctioning Committee Meeting of ATMA was convened on 26-07-2018 for obtaining approval for the State Extension Work Plan (SEWP) for the year 2018-19 under the Chairmanship of Chief Secretary, Puducherry.

### **General Body / State Level Executive Committee meeting of U.T. of Puducherry Horticulture Development Society**

The 10<sup>th</sup> General Body / State Level Executive Committee meeting of U.T. of Puducherry Horticulture Development Society (UTPHDS) was conducted on 27-07-2018 for implementation of National Horticulture Mission programmes in the Conference Hall, Chief Secretariat, Puducherry.

### **Inauguration of Farmers Rest House at Karaikal**

The Farmers Rest House was inaugurated at Karaikal Market Committee campus on 28-07-2018 at Karaikal by the Hon'ble Chief Minister in the presence of Hon'ble Agriculture Minister and Development Commissioner-cum-Secretary (Agriculture). The District Collector, Karaikal, Director of Agriculture, Department Officials and 150 nos. of farmers participated. The Farmers Rest House was constructed at a cost of Rs.50.00 lakhs from the Grant-in-aid to the Karaikal Market Committee from the Department of Agriculture.

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