

**GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

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Puducherry, dt. 27-08-2018

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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 26-08-2018. This is for your kind information.

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(Dr. B. RAMAKICHENIN @ BALAGANDHI)
DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE**

To

The Secretary to Govt. (Agriculture),
Chief Secretariat,
Puducherry.

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**WEEKLY REPORT FORMAT
(PERIOD STARTING FROM 20-08-2018 to 26-08-2018)**

i. Training programmes arrangements/Service matters attended to

NIL

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

NIL

- iii. Financial upgradation in grade of Agricultural Officer (1 No.), Master Mechnic (2 Nos.) Demonstration Assistant (1 No.), Mazdoor (1 no.) issued vide order no. 6575/Ag/Estt/A7/MACP/2018, dt. 20-08-2018 in which 5 nos. of employees were 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

DATE	SUBJECT
14.08.2018	NO.7210/Ag/B3/2018-19/Dte/96 dated.14.08.2018 Ex-post facto expenditure sanction for an expenditure not exceeding ₹ 27,39,904/-for Distribution of Paddy Seeds @ Subsidy of ₹.10/kg and Daincha, Sunhemp and Enriched Compost @ 75% subsidy for general farmers. Provision for extending assistance for distribution of Neem cake, Bio-fertilizers, Botanical pesticides, Bio-pesticides and Bio-agents and appliances @ 75% subsidy to general farmers and 100% subsidy to SC Farmers through PASIC Ltd

4. Policy decisions taken : NIL

5. Others :
Interactive meeting for seed growers

An Interactive meeting between the Seed Growers, Producers & Officers of the Seed Certification Agency and the Department Officers was held on 24-08-2018 at Directorate of Agriculture. The meeting was headed by the Hon'ble Agricultural Minister. The Director of Agriculture, Department Officers and Officials from PKKVK, PAJANCOA and KVK, Karaikal attended the meeting. The Seed growers, producers attended and issues related to seed production were discussed.

Review Meeting by the Hon'ble Chief Minister at Karaikal

- The Hon'ble Chief Minister of Puducherry visited Karaikal and a review meeting was held at the Collectorate, Karaikal on 21-8-2018.
- The arrangements made for the availability of critical inputs viz., seeds, fertilizers etc., for the ongoing Samba season were reviewed by the Hon'ble Chief Minister, Puducherry.
- The Additional Director of Agriculture informed that 60 MT of paddy seeds and 220 MT of fertilizers are readily available for this season and informed that further arrangements will be made to stock another 40 MT of paddy seeds.
- The Additional Director of Agriculture, Joint Director of Agriculture (T&V) and Deputy Director of Agriculture (T&V) participated.

Meeting on Effective Usage of e-District services

The Meeting on Effective Usage of e-District services was conducted on 20-8-2018 at Directorate of Higher Education. The Deputy Director of Agriculture (Tech II)-cum-Nodal Officer attended the meeting.

Video Conference

The Video Conference with Addl. Resident Commissioner, New Delhi was conducted on 21-8-2018 at Chief Secretariat, Puducherry. The Director of Agriculture, Addl. Director of Agriculture (T&V), the Joint Director of Agriculture (PP) and other Department Officials participated.

Meeting on Livestock Mission Committee

The Meeting on Puducherry District Livestock Mission Committee was conducted on 21-8-2018. The Addl. Director of Agriculture (T&V) attended the meeting.

Meeting of Committee on Public Accounts 2018-19

The Meeting of Committee on Public Accounts 2018-19 was conducted in the Conference Hall, Legislative Assembly (Secretariat) on 23-08-2018. The Director of Agriculture attended the meeting. Issues regarding Blocking of Funds due to excess release of funds, Inadmissible pay and allowances, Details on non-adjustment of temporary advances/OBA pendings etc., were discussed.

Sub-committee Meeting of State Level Bankers Committee

The Sub-committee Meeting of State Level Bankers Committee for Union Territory of Puducherry was conducted on 24-08-2018 in the Conference Hall of Zonal Office, Indian Bank, Puducherry. The Joint Director of Agriculture (PP) attended the meeting.

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