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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

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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 19-06-2017. This is for your kind information.

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To

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

**WEEKLY REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
FOR THE WEEK ENDING 16-06-2017**

1. Name of the Officer : Director of Agriculture,
Department of Agriculture,
Puducherry
2. Departments under the Charge of the Officer : Department of Agriculture
3. Field Visits undertaken

Date of visit	Place of Visit	Time Spent & Highlights of the visit
12.06.2017	Field inspection to ATMA group, Thirunallar, Karaikal.	The field inspection was conducted by the DDA (T&V), AO (U.U.), Thirunallar in connection with the machineries purchased by CIGs of ATMA under the scheme RKVY for the promotion of Mechanization @ 50% subsidy. The team inspected the machineries purchased by the Bharathiyar ATMA Group, Thirunallar (i.e.) 5 Nos. of Oil Engines and 2 Nos. of Battery Operated Hand Sprayer. (One Hour)
16.06.2017	Inspection by ADA (T&V) to Madagadipet Seed Processing Unit and SARF, Kariyamanickam.	Inspection was made by ADA (T&V) along with PWD Special Building Officials for Identification and measuring of proposed Threshing Floor to be constructed near Seed Processing Unit and the Junior Engineer, Electricity Department also visited the farm for Electrical Connection to the processing unit. The ADA(T&V) also inspected the processing unit at Madagadipet. (Two Hours)

4. Review Meetings held

Date	Department	Subject Matter
12-06-2017	Review meeting in the Department of science and Technology	The meeting to review the desilting of ponds and lakhs in the Department of Science and Technology under the National Programme for Climate Change was conducted. The Director of Agriculture participated in the meeting.

13.06.2017	Conduct of Farm School on Cotton crop for the Thirunallar Cotton Farmers.	<p>25 Nos. of Farmers participated.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ For the fifth week Farm School a exposure visit to the KVK, Sikkal was programmed and conducted. ✓ Dr. Kamaraj, Prog. Coordinator (KVK-Sikkal) enlightened the farmers about the Mechanization in Cotton crops. ✓ Dr. Azhagar, SMS (Ento.), KVK-Sikkal imparted knowledge on IPM techniques in Cotton crop and detailed the success stories of Nagapattinam Farmers in Pest Management of Cotton crop.
13.06.2017	Conduct of Farm School on Fodder crop cultivation to Thiyagi Thiru. TKMS Kalyanasundaram ATMA Group and other Cattle rearing Farmers of Neravy, Karaikal.	<p>25 Nos. of Farmers took active participation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ This programme was inaugurated by the ADA, Karaikal and he detailed the concepts of Farm School. ✓ The P. Md. Dasir, JDA, enlightened the Farmers, the types of Fodder crop and its cultivation techniques.
14.06.2017	Review Meeting in the Chamber of Secretary (Agri.) regarding the activities of SARF, Kariamanickam	The Addl. Director of Agriculture (T&V) and the Agricultural Officer (Farm Manager), SARF participated to discuss about the status of the farm
15.06.2017	Meeting related to PMKSY organised in the chamber of the Hon'ble Chief Minister, Puducherry.	The meeting was conducted in connection with the preparation of State/District Irrigation Plan and finalisation of date for onward submission to Government of India for approval under PMKSY Scheme. Also discussed about the Drought relief for Puducherry Union Territory. The Hon'ble Minister for PWD, the Hon'ble Agriculture Minister, the Chief Secretary, and all the Secretaries were present in the meeting.

16-06-2017	Workshop on GST	A special workshop on GST for HODs was conducted in the conference hall of the Chief Secretariat. The Director of Agriculture participated.
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