

**WEEKLY REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
FOR THE WEEK ENDING 31-03-2017**

1. Name of the Officer : Director of Agriculture,  
Agriculture Department
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
31.03.2017	Karayamputhur	ADA (T&V), JDA & DDA Bahour, DDA (Inputs) and inspected Paddy Combined Harvester @ `23,90,000/- purchased by Nel Sagubadiyalargal Kuzhu, Karaiyamputhur under the scheme "Promotion of Mechanization in Agriculture through Commodity Interest Group- ATMA" under RKVY Project and based on that a subsidy amount of `8,63,000/- will be released.
30.03.2017	Kuruvinatham	ADA (T&V), JDA (Bahour), DDA (Bahour) and DDA(Inputs) inspected the sustainable sugarcane initiative field which was implemented @ 100% subsidy under RKVY at Kuruvinatham.

4. Review Meetings held

Date	Department	Subject Matter	Minutes issued Yes/No
27-03-2017	Seminar on "Seed Day" conducted by PAJANCOA & RI at the seminar hall of PAJANCOA & RI, Karaikal	Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture inaugurated the seminar and exhibition. 160 Nos. of farmers and 50 Nos. of Extension Functionaries took active participations.	-
24-03-2017 to 29-03-2017	Farmers Advisory Committee Meeting conducted at Thirunallar, Vizhidhiyur and Surakudy at Karaikal	Meeting convened by the Agricultural Officer-cum- BTT Convenor, ATMA concerned and BTM (Fisheries) for the preparation of District Action Plan - 2017-18 under ATMA	-
24.03.2017	Farmers Awareness Programme at PAJANCOA & RI, Karaikal	Gramin Krishi Mausam Sewa (GKMS) wing of PAJANCOA & RI convened a Farmers Awareness Programme at Uzhavar Udhaviyagam, Neravy. 31 Nos. of Farmers participated.	--

## OTHERS

27.03.2017 to 30.03.2017	A special drive on collection of Soil Samples for the issue of Soil Health Cards for the financial year 2017-18 was conducted at Karaikal by organizing a team involving Agricultural Officer (Chem.-I) alongwith supporting Staff of Soil Testing Laboratory and concerned Uzhavar Udhaviyagam, Ambagarathur, headed by Deputy Director of Agriculture (Chem.).	A total of 50 Nos. of soil samples collected from the Revenue Village, Ambagarathur and Nallezhundhur upto 30.03.2017. 70 Nos. of Farmers participated	
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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

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**I.D.NOTE**

Sub : Agriculture - Weekly Report on disposal of important cases as envisaged under Rules of Business - Report Submitted for the period ending 31-03-2017.

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With reference to the I.D.Note cited above, I am to submit herewith the Weekly Report for the period ending 31-03-2017.

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To

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