

F.No.29-25/20212Estl./RTI
Government of India
Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare
Department of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare
Directorate of Extension

Krishi Vistar Bhavan
IASRI Campus, Pusa
New Delhi -110 012
Dated the 29 July, 2022

To,

Shri Praba Karan
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(Puducherry).
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Subject:- Supply of information under the RTI Act, 2005 - Application from Sh. Praba Karan, Puducherry, seeking information on under RTI Act, 2005. (Reg. No. DOEXT/R/T/22/00052 dated 30.06.2022).

Sir,

I am to refer to your RTI application dated 24.06.2022 seeking information on the subject cited above under the RTI Act, 2005. So far as the Directorate of Extension is concerned, the requisite information is given as under:

S.No	Information asked under RTI Act 2005	Reply
1.	List of various programmes/schemes implemented in the sector of Agriculture and Horticulture development in tribal areas of Tamil Nadu	A Centrally Sponsored Scheme "Support to State Extension programs for Extension Reforms" popularly known as ATMA Scheme is under implementation since 2005. Presently, the scheme is being implemented in 704 districts of 28 states & 5 UTs of the country (including all the 31 districts of Tamil Nadu – including all the tribal Areas of Tamil Nadu). The scheme promotes decentralized farmer-friendly extension system in the country. The objectives of the Scheme is to support State Government efforts and to make available the latest agricultural technologies and good agricultural practices in different thematic areas of agriculture and allied areas to farmers through different extension activities viz. Farmers Training, Demonstrations, Exposure Visits, Kisan Mela, Mobilization of Farmers Groups and organizing Farm Schools etc.
2.	List of various programmes/schemes implemented in the sector of Agricultural development for the particularly vulnerable Tribal Groups of Tamil Nadu	However, implementation of the scheme is in the domain of State Governments, applicant is advised to contact Project Director (ATMA) of the concerned District or Commissioner of Agriculture-cum-SNO (ATMA), Government of Tamil Nadu, Chepauk, Chennai-600005 (Tamil Nadu) to avail the benefits under ATMA Scheme. ATMA Scheme Guidelines, 2018 are available in public domain (vide http://extensionreforms.dacnet.nic.in/PDF/atmaguid23814.pdf).
3.	List of various programmes /schemes implemented in the sector of Horticultural development for the particularly vulnerable Tribal Groups of Tamil Nadu.	Does not pertain to Directorate of Extension.

2. It is to mention that the First Appeal, if any, against the reply of CPIO may be made to the First Appellate Authority within 30 days of receipt of this reply. The particulars of the First Appellate Authority are as follows:-

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Yours faithfully,


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1. Under Secretary (Extension) & CPIO, Department of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Krishi Bhavan, ND for Information.
2. Section Officer (RTI), Deptt. of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi.
3. Dr. Jagdish Prasad Yadav, Joint Director/ IT Incharge, Krishi Vistar Bhavan, New Delhi with request to upload RTI reply on DOE website www.krishivistar.gov.in. Soft copy is being sent on e-mail.

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