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Dear *Amarjeet ji,*

Kindly refer to your D.O. letter No. RD/Secy/07/2018 dated the 26th March, 2018 and the discussion held with you by Secretary DARE and DG, ICAR, Secretary, Animal Husbandry Dairy & Fisheries and Joint Secretary (Extension), DACFW on 27th March, 2018. It has been decided to take up the following activities to celebrate Gram Swaraj Abhiyan on 2nd May, 2018 by Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare:

1. On 2nd May, 2018 Kisan Sammelans will be organised in all the rural development blocks in the country;
2. The main theme for the said Kisan Sammelan will be 'Doubling of Farmers Income by 2022';
3. Training and awareness programmes will be organised for farmers at the block level on that day. Apart from that, successful and progressive farmers of the block will be invited and honoured in the said Sammelan. The said farmers will be invited to share their success stories during the sammelan;
4. Officers of Agriculture, Veterinary, Fisheries, Cooperation, Horticulture, Sericulture etc. will be invited to participate and interact with the farmers. They will highlight the schemes of Central Government as well as State Governments in the Sammelan;
5. Scientists from ICAR institutions/KVKs in the district will participate in each of the block and share their experience and tell farmers about the latest appropriate technologies available in the agriculture sector;
6. Information brochure containing information regarding strategies considered by the Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare for doubling of farmers income and other related information will be distributed amongst the farmers;
7. The concerned State Governments/UTs will be requested to coordinate and organise the programme at the block level as per ATMA scheme supported by Government of India;

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8. The State Government may decide to supplement the efforts taken under ATMA for organising the Kisan Sammelan through other schemes as may be feasible in that particular block;
9. Animal Health check up camps will be arranged wherever possible;
10. The inspirational song (Scheme Song) of Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare on the theme of doubling of farmers income in Hindi will be made available to all blocks to be played on the occasion.

With *kind regards* .

Yours sincerely,

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