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**Subject: Constitution of the Steering Committee on “Agriculture & Allied Sectors”
for the Twelfth Five Year Plan (2012-17)-regarding**

It has been decided with the approval of competent authority to set up a Steering Committee on Agriculture & Allied Sectors in the context of formulation of Twelfth Five Year Plan (2012-17), with the following Composition and Terms of Reference.

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19	Adviser (Agriculture) Planning Commission , New Delhi Tele Fax 011- 23327703	Member Convener

II. The Terms of Reference – Specific

1. To review the performance of Agriculture and Allied sectors in the country and consider the reports of the Working Groups set up by Planning Commission for the purpose
2. To review the policies and programmes / schemes of DAC, DHAD&F & DARE in the context of (i) schematic architecture/efficacy and State discipline – extent of decentralization, (ii) growth in productivity and (iii) conservation/ sustainability issues along with linkages with Rural Development and Water Resources.
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5. Any further query/ correspondence in this regard may be made with (i) Dr Ramanand, Sr. Research Officer (Agriculture), Planning Commission, Room No. 439, Yojana Bhawan, New Delhi -110001, Tel No. 011-23042455, M- 9868240815 E-mail: ramanand@nic.in and Fax No. 011-23327703 or (ii) Shri Surinder Singh, Advisor (Agriculture), Room No. 226, Planning Commission, New Delhi -110001, Telfax. 23096758, E-mail surinder-pc@nic.in.

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Subject: Constitution of the Working Group on “Agricultural Extension in Agriculture & Allied Sector” for the Twelfth Five Year Plan (2012-17)

It has been decided with the approval of the competent to set up a Working Group as cited above in the context of formulation of XII Plan with following Composition and Term of Reference.

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II. The Terms of Reference (Specific)

To review the effectiveness of the on-going extension services including the recent innovations in it, and to recommend a more responsive and accountable extension mechanism to the farmers.

General

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5. Dr. (Smt) Vandana Dwivedi, Joint Adviser (Agriculture), Planning Commission, Room No. 230 Yojana Bhawan , New Delhi 110001, Tel No. 011-23096730 E-mail: dwivediv@nic.in and Fax No. 011-23327703 will be the nodal officer of this group and any further query / correspondence in this regards be made with her.

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