

**GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY**  
**DIRECTORATE OF ECONOMICS AND STATISTICS**

**IMPORTANT ACTIVITIES / ACHIEVEMENTS DURING JUNE 2017**

- 11<sup>th</sup> National Statistics Day 2017 was celebrated on 29.06.2017 at the Conference Hall of the Directorate. Hon'ble Minister for Statistics released the following publications during the function:
  - Statistical Handbook 2015-16
  - Puducherry at a Glance 2017
  - Annual Report 2016-17, and
  - Price Bulletin May 2017in the presence of the Secretary to Govt. (Statistics).
- Three Savings Bank Accounts were opened in SBI Main Branch, Puducherry for the Centrally Sponsored Schemes, viz. Improvement of Crop Statistics, Timely Reporting Scheme and Support for Statistical Strengthening.
- Director, Joint Directors and Deputy Director along with the staff dealing with National Sample Survey attended the review meeting by Additional Director General, Field Operations Division, National Sample Survey Office, New Delhi on 05.06.2017 at Puducherry.
- The Report on prices of paddy and rice items collected from the Regulated Market Committee (Puducherry & Karaikal) up to April 2017 furnished to the Ministry of Agriculture, GoI, Chennai.
- The Monthly Report on prices of food and non-food clothing items old series up to May 2017 furnished to Labour Bureau, Shimla and new series up to April 2017 furnished to Labour Bureau, Chandigarh.
- The Report on wholesale and retail prices of essential commodities from Puducherry and Karaikal markets up to April 2017 furnished to Reserve Bank of India, Chennai.
- Recruitment Rules for the posts of Field Supervisor and Statistical Inspector have been hosted on the website of the Directorate for comments of stakeholders.
- Proposal seeking approval for extension of revised pay rules from 5<sup>th</sup> CPC to relative posts of Field Supervisors and Statistical Inspectors in line departments submitted to Government.
- Joint Director-II attended State Level Bankers Committee meeting on 12.06.2017 at Hotel Accord.
- Joint Director-I attended the Workshop on Goods and Service Tax (GST) at the Conference Hall, Chief Secretariat on 16.06.2017.
- Joint inspection of District Level Committee for Rabi II 2016-17 was conducted in Karaikal region with the officials of NSSO on 27.06.2017.
- Joint Director-I and officials of NSSO made joint inspection of District Level Committee for Rabi II 2016-17 in Puducherry region on 28.06.2017.