## **COMMITTEES**

To bring out an effective co-ordination/co-operation between the DES and other Departments, Co-ordination Committees have been constituted.

- A High Level Co-ordination Committee for Improvement of Crop Statistics has been formed with Development Commissioner as Chairman and Director, DES as Member Secretary. The Committee has to meet at least once in a year.
- 2. State Level Co-ordination Committee on ASI was constituted in 1998 with Director, DES as the Chairman. Meeting of the Committee is convened once in two years. The Committee was reconstituted in 2009 with Secretary to Government (Economics and Statistics) as its Chairman / Chairperson.
- 3. High Powered Price Monitoring Cell for the U.T of Puducherry was constituted in 2000 with the Development Commissioner as the Chairman. Director, DES is a member of the Cell and the meeting of the Cell is conducted every year.
- 4. A Steering Committee has been formed as directed by the Economic Census Division, Central Statistical Organisation, New Delhi with the Development Commissioner as Chairman and Census Commissioner and the Director, DES as Additional Census Commissioner for the conduct of Economic Census.
- 5. State Co-ordination Committee for Monitoring and Co-ordinating the work related to Agricultural Census 2000-01 in the Union Territory of Puducherry was constituted as directed by the Ministry of Agriculture, Government of India, New Delhi with Development Commissioner-cum-Secretary (Finance) as Chairman in March 2002.
- A State Level Task Force Committee for updation and uploading of State
  Gazetteer has been constituted vide G.O.Ms. No. 40/F2/2010 dated 22.09.2010
- 7. A State High-level Steering Committee has been constituted to monitor the Project ISSP in the U.T. of Puducherry with the Chief Secretary as Chairman and the Principal Secretary (Eco & Stat), as Co-Chairman, Director (Statistics), Representatives from the Pondicherry University and Representative of the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation, Representative of the National Sample survey Organisation as members for the purposes of ISSP vide G.O.Ms. No. 52/F2/2010 dated 01.11.2010.

8. Apart from the above, Development Commissioner is the State Agricultural Census Commissioner for the conduct of the Agricultural Census, a Centrally Sponsored Scheme implemented by the Department of Agriculture and Co-operation, Ministry of Agriculture, Government of India.

## **ADMINISTRATION**

- Thiru. D . Balu, Deputy Director was promoted as Joint Director
- 20 Field Supervisors of this Directorate were promoted as Statistical Inspectors w.e.f 02.02.2010
- MACP was granted to two Deputy Directors
- Post Based Rosters for the statistical cadres Statistical Officer, Statistical Inspector and Field Supervisor were finalized and approved by the Enforcement Cell Chief Secretariat.