

FUNCTIONS OF THE DIRECTORATE

- ◆ Acting as a Nodal agency and Statistical Authority for the development of statistical system in this Territory
- ◆ Co- ordination of all statistical activities in the U.T
- ◆ Compilation, tabulation and publication of data under Annual Survey of Industries from the factories registered under the Factories Act, 1948.
- ◆ Collection of data on industrial production from selected registered factories and preparation and publication of industrial production indices of the U.T on quarterly basis.

- ◆ Regular collection, compilation, analysis and interpretation of data pertaining to various sectors of the economy and dissemination of the same to user agencies.
- ◆ Estimation of Gross State Domestic Product and Per capita Income on annual basis.
- ◆ Participation in the surveys conducted by the National Sample Survey Organisation (N.S.S.O) on matching sample basis.
- ◆ Conduct of Census of Government Employees of the State Government and Central Government, Local Bodies and Autonomous Bodies.

- ◆ Preparation of Economic –cum- Purpose Classification of the U.T. Annual Budget
- ◆ Collection, compilation and submission of housing and building statistics to the National Buildings Organisation , New Delhi

- ◆ Dissemination of statistical information in regular / ad-hoc publications
- ◆ Collection of weekly wholesale and retail prices of essential commodities

- ◆ Collection of data pertaining to the geographical area of all municipalities
- ◆ Planning and Organising the following Quinquennial census:
 - Agricultural Census
 - Economic Census
- ◆ Supply of statistical data and information to the Central Statistical Organisation,

National Buildings Organisation, Labour Bureau, Central Organisations, State Directorates of Economics and Statistics, State and Central Government Departments, Semi-Government Organisations, Private Agencies and to Research scholars as per their requirements

- ◆ To act as a storehouse of important statistics collected and maintained by the different departments of the State Government.
- ◆ Functionally the DES has been organised into 10 units at the Head Quarters namely

- Agriculture
- Annual Survey of Industries and Index Number of Industrial Production
- Official Statistics
- State Domestic Product and Public Finance
- Publication and Co-ordination
- Training
- National Sample Survey
- Price collection and Census of Government Employees
- Economic Census
- Electronic Data Processing and computer centre

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE DIRECTOR DES

- ❖ Director DES is the Head of Department
- ❖ Direction, Supervision and Overall incharge of the activities of the DES and controlling officer of the Joint Director/Deputy Director/other Statistical Officials of the DES and guides them for better implementation of the statistical schemes/activities
- ❖ Nodal Officer for all Statistical activities in the U.T of Puducherry
- ❖ Statistical authority for collection, compilation and dissemination of statistical information relating to various sectors of the U.T Economy through Regular/Adhoc Publications.

- ❖ Cadre control i.e Recruitment/Appointment and other related service matters of Statistical personnel in the Administration.
- ❖ Co-ordination of all statistical activities in the U.T of Puducherry
- ❖ Provides technical guidance and advice to other statistical cells in the administration, whenever necessary
- ❖ Edits various statistical publications brought out by the Directorate
- ❖ Conduct of Review meeting
- ❖ Responsible for liaison with Central Statistical Organisation
- ❖ District Agricultural Census Officer for conducting Quinquennial Agricultural Census
- ❖ Additional Census Commissioner for Conduct of Economic Census
- ❖ Member Secretary of the high-level co-ordination committee for improvement of Crop Statistics.
- ❖ Member of the High Powered Price Monitoring Cell
- ❖ Officer on Special Duty for Annual Survey of Industries
- ❖ Nodal officer for the Union Territory of Puducherry to correspond with the Tariff Commission
- ❖ Member representing all the U.Ts. in the Technical Advisory Board of the COCSSO (Conference of Central and State Statistical Organisation)