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MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
Directorate of Economics & Statistics
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Date: 10th February, 2016

Subject: Price Policy for Copra for 2016 season – Announcement of Minimum Support Price of Copra (MSP) for 2016 season reg.

The Government of India has announced the Price Policy for Copra for 2016 season. Following decisions have been taken with respect to MSP of Copra :

- I. The Minimum Support Price (MSP) for Fair Average Quality (FAQ) of "Milling Copra" has been increased to Rs.5950/- per quintal for 2016 season from Rs. 5550/- per quintal in 2015 season.
 - II. The MSP for FAQ of "Ball Copra" has been increased to Rs.6240/- per quintal for 2016 season from Rs. 5830/- per quintal in 2015 season.
 - III. The National Agricultural Cooperative Marketing Federation of India Limited (NAFED) and the National Cooperative Consumer Federation of India Limited (NCCF) would continue to act as Central Agencies to undertake price support operations at the Minimum Support Prices in the Coconut growing states.
 - IV. Appropriate action may be taken by the concerned Ministries / Departments, State Governments and other Agencies on the non-price recommendations of the CACP (enclosed) in a time-bound manner.
2. In this connection, I am directed to request you to take appropriate action on the above decisions under intimation to this Office.

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