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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
Ministry of Agriculture and Forests
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15 July 2019

The Dasho Dzongda,
Dzongkhag Administration,
Dagana, Paro & Thimphu,

Program Director,
ARDC Yusipang and NPPC Semtokha
Thimphu

Subject: Development of Agriculture Extension Strategy 2019-2028

Dear Sir(s) and Madam (s),

Following the deliberations and extensive discussions involving separate group work as part of the workshop organized in early June 2019 to work on the Agriculture Extension Strategy, the task force members recommended another sitting to address a series of issues and put together a first draft edition of the paper ready for presentation to department.

To this effect, the Agriculture Research & Extension Division (ARED) is planning to organize a 4-day write-shop (23rd to 26th July 2019) in Thimphu comprising the same senior members (List attached) from various agencies within the Department.

Therefore, the department would like to request Dasho Dzongdas and Program Directors to kindly allow the participations of the taskforce members under your Dzongkhag and Centres.

We look forward to your kind support, please.

Sincerely yours

Wangda Dukpa
Offtg. **DIRECTOR**

Copy to:

1. Hon'ble Secretary for kind information, please
2. Chief, APD and AED for kind information
3. Chief ARED for necessary follow up
4. DAO, Paro, Thimphu & Dagana for follow up.



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List of the Task force

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3. Dr. Dorjee, Principal Plant Protection Officer, NPPC, DoA
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5. Jigme Tenzin, Dy. Chief Agriculture Officer, APD
6. Tshering Tobgay, Dy. Chief Agriculture Officer, DoA
7. Rinzin Wangchuk, Dy. Chief DAO, Paro
8. Passang Tshering, Dy. Chief DAO, Dagana
9. Sonam Zangpo, Dy. chief DAO, Thimphu
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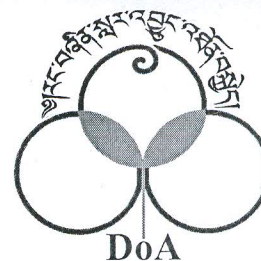
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Write-shop on Extension Strategy 2019-2028

26 July 2019 23- 26 July 2019

Venue: Thimphu

Days	Draft Program	Remarks
Day-1	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Presentation on Background, Current agriculture extension system, Rationale for agriculture extension strategy 2. Presentation on Strategic objectives; <i>Vision, Mission, Objectives, Guiding principles and core values.</i> 3. Presentation on key agriculture extension strategic areas: <i>Extension services</i> 4. Presentation on key agriculture extension strategic areas: <i>Extension approaches</i> 5. Presentation on key agriculture extension strategic areas: <i>Extension methods</i> 	<p>Dr. Dorjee, Principal Plant Protection Officer, NPPC</p> <p>Lakey, Principal Agriculture Officer, ARED, DoA</p> <p>Rinzin Wangchuk, Dy. Chief DAO, Paro</p> <p>Sonam Zangpo, Dy. Chief DAO, Thimphu</p> <p>Pasang Tshering, Dy. Chief DAO, Dagana</p>
Day-2 (Before noon)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 6. Presentation on Governance and institutional arrangement; <i>Institutions and mandate, Extension management and coordination</i> 7. Presentation on Program planning budgeting and implementation 8. Presentation on Extension HRD 9. Presentation Monitoring, evaluation and reporting 10. Legal and policy frame work 	<p>Kailash Pradhan, Specialist, ARDC-Yusipang</p> <p>Jigme Tenzin, Dy. Chief Agri. Officer, APD, DoA</p> <p>Tshering Tobgay, PAO & Ngawang AO, ARED, DoA</p> <p>Jigme Tenzin, Dy. Chief Agri. Officer, APD, DoA</p>
Day-2 (After noon)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Incorporation of comments and feed backs 	Individual assignments
Day-3 (Before noon)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Incorporation of comments and feed backs continues 	Individual assignments
Day-3 (After noon)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Consolidation and development of first draft strategy 	TF members
Day-4	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Consolidation and development of first draft strategy continue... 	TF member