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**Press Note**

**Inauguration of ICT Training Lab at Directorate of Agriculture**

The ICT Training Lab established by the Department of Agriculture in the premises of Directorate of Agriculture under centrally sponsored scheme "NeGP-A" was inaugurated by Shri. G. S. Pandey, Director of Agriculture (i/c), A & N Administration on 14<sup>th</sup> September 2018 at 3.00 p.m in presence of Shri Utpal Sar, Director of Fisheries; Shri Pankaj Biswas, Director of AH&VS (i/c); Shri B. Nyogi, EO (SOVTECH) and officers & staffs of Agriculture, AH&VS & Fisheries. Training Centre is adequately equipped for imparting hands on training to a batch of 20 trainees. The training centre will be used for imparting training to:

1. Top officials at the State level and resources from their field level attached offices.
2. The Officers at the District level, who are primarily responsible for implementing the project at the District level.
3. Officials who will be involved in day-to-day activities at the ground level.

The thrust of the ICT initiatives is to make improved services accessible to farmers and other allied groups/stakeholders, using Information and Communication Technology as the facilitator media.

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Dr. G. S. Pandey  
Director of Agriculture

Copy to: The Secretary (Agriculture), Andaman and Nicobar Administration for kind information.

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