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Agricultural Sector Support

- Creation of fund for Agriculture Infrastructure Projects at farm gate and aggregation points for post-harvest management
- Technical upgradation support to Micro food enterprises with “Cluster” based approach to integrate retail markets leading to increased incomes
- Transport and storage subsidy under ‘Operation Greens’ extended to all fruits and vegetables
- Better price realization for farmers through various amendments to Essential Commodities Act, 1955
- Central law to be promulgated for free flow of inter-state trade, e-trading of agriculture produce and beneficial price choice options for farmers
- Outlay for increasing area under cultivation for herbal and medicinal plants

Support for Allied Sectors

- Specific schemes for fishermen to increase fish production and generation of employment under “Pradhan Mantri Matsya Sampada Yojana”
- “Animal Husbandry Infrastructure Development Fund” created to support investment in dairy processing, cattle feed infrastructure and establishing plants for export of niche products
- Scheme to be implemented for infrastructure development related to Beekeeping