

**Proceedings of the 85th Scientific Workers Conference held virtually
on 08.02.2021**

A. Recommendations and Actions to be followed up are

I. General

1. Refresher Training for Officers

- Refresher training programme for the middle level officers is to be organized through online and offline mode during 2021-22 and its syllabus needs to be finalized in consultation with APC.
- The list of participants for the training programme should be finalized before the end of March 2021 to commence training programme during June 2021.
- Evaluation criteria may also be developed and evaluation of the training programme for the participants should be done to identify the specific focused interest group for further career development of the officers.

General

- APC & Principal Secretary has requested department officials also should bestow their personal attention to take all the new technologies and varieties to the farmers' fields.
- Further, APC & PS has instructed that there would be three follow-up reviews in a year instead of convening the discussion once in a year, to have continuous follow-up. He emphasized the role of research and extension wings and insisted that TNAU and department should work in tandem for the upliftment of farmers of Tamil Nadu.

