

## ***Digitalisation of old Statistical Publications / Handbooks / Reports generated by DES***

This sub activity is included in the activity-

**Advocacy Issues viz. Publicity and IEC (Information, Education and Communication) to improve usage of Statistical Products & services-**

The regular annual publications of DES are - Statistical Diary since 1968, Statistical Abstract since 1961 etc. These publications are in constant use by researchers, planners, administrators in policy making decisions. Hence the publications need to be preserved, for the sake, digitalization of the publications is essential.

Digitalization of Statistical Diary from 1972 to 2008 has been undertaken as an activity of the scheme and from the year 2000 to 2008 the digitalized form of the publication is uploaded in DES website, but due to dearth of space the digitalized publications of the initial years i.e. from 1972 to 1999 is preserved in Data Bank Section of DES Hqr. It is noteworthy that subsequent to 2008 the publication is already online available in DES website.

The above activity is undertaken with DES own resources i.e. scheme funds not utilized.