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The Department of Horticulture & Plantation Crops is one of the first Government Departments to have a Video Conferencing facility of its own. A Video Conferencing Hall was put in place with Video Conferencing Infrastructure in June 2012. This facility is highly useful for meetings and interactions with the District Officers frequently in a hassle free manner. This frequent interaction hastens the effectiveness and timeliness of implementation of ongoing welfare programmes of the Government. Moreover, It saves the cost on travel of District Officers. Approximately, *Rs.1.5 to 2.0 lakhs* on the cost of travel is being saved per month. So, annually there will be a savings of *Rs. 18 to 24 lakhs* on the cost of travel of officers to headquarters. The total amount spent on the purchase of Video Conferencing equipment, copper and fiber cabling is *Rs. 13.30 Lakhs*.