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Text of the D.O. letter dated 3.6.2019 of **Thiru Edappadi K. Palaniswami**, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu addressed to **Shri Narendra Modi**, Hon'ble Prime Minister of India

On behalf of the farmers of Tamil Nadu, I thank you for having generously **expanded the ambit of the Prime Minister's KISAN Scheme** to include all the land holding eligible farmer families, announcing the **Pension Scheme for Small and Marginal farmers**, as well as the decision of Government of India to bear the entire cost for the control of **Foot and Mouth disease and Brucellosis** in support of livestock rearing farmers.

I also thank you for providing **Pension coverage to Shopkeepers, Retail traders and Self-employed persons** which is certainly a path breaking initiative. The above Schemes will provide strong social security to large sections of our society.

These decisions of the Union Cabinet under your leadership will be of immense benefit to the farmers, traders, self-employed persons and to the society as a whole. I assure you that the Government of Tamil Nadu will extend all support to these efforts, by ensuring impeccable implementation of these schemes.

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