

Agri dept officials asked not to process offline proposals

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Lucknow: The state agriculture department has sounded an alarm over repeated complaints of officials resorting to processing of investment proposals offline despite UP government clear instruction of providing all services online.

Additional chief secretary, Devesh Chaturvedi, in a strongly worded missive sent

to UP State Agro Industrial Corporation, directorate of agriculture, Mandi Parishad and agro-marketing and seed development corporation, said that the department was repeatedly receiving complaints about officials adopting offline practice. He said that the department would initiate strict action against the officials against whom the complaints are found to be true.