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The Government of India, National Vector Borne Disease Control Programme, Directorate General of Health Services, 22-Sham Nath Marg, Delhi - 110054 has issued the No.11-10/2010/NVBDGP/CCCO/General Corres. dated 14.6.2011 regarding - Prevention of breeding of Aedes aegypti regarding. The above mentioned No. is being uploaded on the ICAR Web-Site [www.icar.org.in](http://www.icar.org.in) for information and further guidance.

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Dated, June 14, 2011

Subject: - Prevention of breeding of *Aedes aegypti* reg.

Sir,

Central Cross Checking Organization under National Vector Borne Disease Control Programme has been monitoring the breeding of *Aedes aegypti*, vector of Dengue and Chikungunya in Central Govt. Offices. The vector of Dengue and Chikungunya bites during day time, an important factor in disease transmission in Govt. Offices during working hours.

In view of high risk of exposure to man mosquito contact in Govt. Offices it is essential to contain the breeding of *Aedes aegypti* in Govt. Offices.

For the prevention of vector breeding in Govt. Offices the Nodal Officer of the office may be identified or a committee may be constituted for the purpose of preventive measures to ensure the control of vector breeding. It is requested to take an early action and inform this Dte. the name of Nodal Officers and to enable the team of CCCO to contact the identified officer for preventive measures taken in the office premises. Preventive messages in this regard is enclosed herewith for kind perusal and organizing preventive measures accordingly.

Yours faithfully,

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### Preventive Messages

- Dengue and Chikungunya are viral diseases transmitted by the bite of the *Aedes aegypti* mosquito. It breeds in clean water and bites during daytime.
- The *Aedes aegypti* mosquito breeds in containers like Desert Coolers, Drums and Barrels, Earthen pots and jars, flower pots and Plant saucers, Overhead tanks, open cement tanks, disused tyres, disused plastic glasses and bottles, coconut shells, curing tanks, Mortar and pestle - anything big or small which will store water.
- Prevent breeding of mosquitoes by-
  - Covering all water storage containers with tight lids
  - Emptying & drying water coolers and other water storage containers at least once a week before refilling.
  - Disposing & destroying all junk materials, unused tyres, coconut shells, flower pots.
  - Wearing full sleeve/ clothing and using mosquito nets while sleeping.
  - Help prevent dengue by stopping breeding of mosquitoes in your house and outside.
- Spread this message to your neighbour and friends.