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## Agricultural Machinery Distributed to Farmers in Bakafa Subdivision

In a major step towards agricultural development, the Agriculture and Farmers Welfare Department of the state government has distributed various agricultural machinery to farmers under the Submission on Agricultural Mechanization scheme in Bakafa Agricultural Subdivision during the last financial year. According to Rajeev Sen, Supervisor of Bakafa Agricultural Subdivision, the department spent a total of Rs 49.53 lakh for the distribution of modern agricultural equipment aimed at enhancing farming efficiency and reducing manual labour. As per the report, 70 farmers received battery-operated spray machines, each valued at Rs 4,000, while 51 farmers were provided with mini tractors priced at Rs 75,000 each. Additionally, 4 farmers were given brush cutters, each costing Rs 25,000. In a significant boost to mechanized farming, 38 farmers were also provided power tillers with a government subsidy of Rs 1 lakh each.

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