

New vision for poultry sector

THE KZN Department of Agriculture and Rural Developments' strategy on Agrarian Reform and Transformation will benefit poultry farmers.

This is according to department MEC Cyril Xaba, who on Tuesday visited the KwaZulu-Natal Poultry Institute (KZNPI) in Pietermaritzburg.

"A united, sustainable and vibrant agriculture sector with thriving rural communities in balance with nature is the new vision of the department which I want to see the poultry farming sector in line with," he said.

"We have to strengthen the support of poultry farmers at a local and district level."

The KZNPI will provide poultry training to the department's extension officers, animal health technicians and students from department colleges.

— Business Editor



KZN Agriculture and Rural Development MEC Cyril Xaba removing chicks from a machine at the recent KZN Poultry Institute's Farmers Day.

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