

Minutes of District Vigilance and Monitoring Committee on Rural Development Programmes held on 10<sup>th</sup> November, 2014 at Kameng Hall, Seppa

The District Level Vigilance and Monitoring Committee on Rural Development Programmes for East Kameng District, Seppa was held on 10<sup>th</sup> November, 2014 at Kameng Hall, DC's Office, Seppa. In absence of the Chairman and Vice Chairman of the Committee, the house selected the DC/CEO and Member Secretary of the Committee to preside over the meeting. Accordingly, the meeting was presided over by Shri Sandeep Kumar Singh, IAS, DC/CEO.

The members present in the meeting are listed at Annexure-A.

At the very outset, the DC/CEO welcomed the members and invitees for the meeting and requested them to express their views and suggestions for successful implementation of various rural development programmes.

Shri Kenbom Nyodu, the Project Director, DRDA, Seppa gave brief picture about the achievement of the Rural Development programmes implemented in the district during the last year through a Power Point Presentation. He pointed out that due to delay in submission of Utilisation Certificates against the fund released during the last year has led to non-release of subsequent release by the Central/State Government. He requested all the stake holders to submit their Utilisation Certificates and progress reports to the Government and complete the process of uploading the data through MIS of various programmes so that we can get the fund from the Government in time. **The DC directed the PD to convene a meeting of the PIAs of IWMP to review the present status of the programme in the district.**

The DC directed all the PD and BDOs to prepare the documents for submission of proposal for release of fund by the Government. He directed the BDOs to keep in touch with the Banks for opening of bank account for job card holders under NREGS. DC said that as per the information received from various BDOs, the SBI, Seppa is reluctant to open the bank account for job card holders even after various request made to them. **If the bank continues their noncooperation in connection with implementation of flag-ship programme of the Central Government, the DRDA may think about transfer of its master accounts of various programmes from SBI to other banks in the district. DC directed the PD to work out the strategy for the same.**

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**While reviewing the progress on IAY, DC directed the DRDA not to keep any fund under the programme with the DRDA.** The beneficiaries should be selected as per the guidelines and the DRDA shall not select beneficiaries by their own, which is against the laid down procedure and is a gross violation of the IAY guidelines. The CGI sheets for the year 2014-15, going to receive shortly, be verified through the Block level committees constituted and be issued to the concerned blocks and beneficiaries. DC directed the BDOs to dispatch the CGI sheets immediately after receipt of the same and proper receipt should be obtained containing the signature and photographs of the beneficiaries concerned. As per the guidelines of IAY, 3% of the allocation be earmarked for the handicapped beneficiaries and BDOs should follow these strictly.

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The progress on IWMP reviewed. **DC directed the BDOs not to encourage schemes like Banana Garden and Bamboo Garden under the programme as the marketing avenues for these items are very small in comparison to other items. DC directed the BDOs to involve all the general public of the project area in implementation of the IWMP projects.** The photographs obtained and kept in DRDA under IWMP programmes is not upto the marks. The photographs at various stages of the projects be taken and preserved for future reference. Schemes like Piggery, Goatery, Poultry etc. which can directly benefit the beneficiaries be encouraged and included in the plan under IWMP Projects. The BDO, Chayangtajo pointed out that the delay in release of State matching share through the MLALAD programmes leads delay in execution of the

projects and he requested the authorities to take up the matter with State Government for release of state share from their resources.

On behalf of the Deputy Director, ICDS, Seppa Shri R. D. Thungon, CDPO, Bana, with a Power Point Presentation explained the details of the programmes of the Social Welfare Department being implemented in East Kameng District. DC requested the DD to explain the details of the free medical camps in the district. The Deputy Director informed that the programmes for Bana and Pipu have already been completed. In reply to a query raised by the DC, Deputy Director informed that the process for opening of office for Juvenile Justice Board is on and for which the site for construction of office needs to be identified by the DC. The DC directed the Deputy Director, ICDS to activate all the programmes and schemes for Juvenile Justice, child trafficking, Juvenile home, stoppage of sexual harassment to female child etc.

While reviewing the progress of Pakkekessang Block, the BDO said that the schemes under MsDP and IWMP should be endorsed to BDO. While intervening on the subject, the PD pointed out that the matter has already been discussed in the last Governing Body meeting and the same has been briefed. The Implementing Agencies have been selected by the Central/State Government on the basis of the suggestions of elected representatives of the District and Gram Sabha and the District level officers have nothing to do with the selection process of PIAs. **DC directed the BDO to obtain photographs at various stages of the work execution and preserve it for future references.**

All the BDOs except BDO, Chayangtajo presented Power Point Presentation on schemes implemented in their blocks. BDO, Seppa while presenting the achievement report of his blocks pointed out that three GPC viz. Loffa, Pakoti and Weshi falls under Seppa Block, but it falls under Wate Anchal Samiti. He requested the authorities to take action to include these blocks under Bana CD Blocks. DC directed the BDO, Seppa to take up schemes for drinking water at Pakoti village. **DC directed the BDOs to take schemes like foot path for agriculture field with Cement Concrete so that the same can be used in future also. Fruit bearing plants like Orange with bamboo fencing be included in the land development schemes wherever taken up under RD programmes.**

**DC directed all the BDOs to submit the detailed report on opening of Bank account for job card holders under NREGS immediately.**

Nominated member of the committee, Shri Ram Tajo requested the BDOs to implement the schemes properly. In some cases, the beneficiaries lists included the name of Government employees and their family members. He requested the BDOs to look into the matter seriously. He pointed out that as per the guidelines of IAY, dwelling houses have to be constructed for the beneficiaries, but instead of that CGI sheets are being issued to the beneficiaries. PD informed that the CGI sheets are supplied and issued to the IAY beneficiaries as per the decision taken by the State Government with the approval of MoRD. DC requested the members, specially the nominated members to submit complaints, if any, writing, relating to implementation of RD programmes.

Shri C B. Dolo, ZPM, Sawa said that the electrical posts being installed in villages is not upto satisfaction which needs proper attention of the Power Department. While discussing the progress of other departments, most of the members specially the public leaders pointed out that the Heads of Departments, specially the Working Departments, are in the habit of not staying in their place of posting, which leads to delay and improper execution of the works sanctioned by the Central and State Government. DC requested the members to take-up the matter with the State Government from their end. Whatever action the DC ought to have taken had already been initiated, informed the DC.

