MINUTES OF DISTRICT DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE MEETING FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST, 2022

Date : 06-08-2022 Time : 1:00 PM

Venue: Conference Hall, O/O the CEO, Sonitpur Zilla Parishad, Sonitpur, Tezpur.

Members present & absent: As per List at Annexure I.

Due to urgent prior engagements of Sri Deba Kumar Mishra, ACS, Deputy Commissioner, Sonitpur, Tezpur, the DDC meeting was presided over by Sri Utpal Borah ACS, District Development Commissioner, Sonitpur, Tezpur. At the very outset, the Chair welcomed all the members present in the meeting. All the Heads of Departments were instructed to comply with the **Har Ghar Tiranga (HGT)** campaign instructions, under the aegis of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav to encourage people to bring the Tiranga home and to hoist it to mark the 75th year of India's Independence. Herein, Sri Pankaj Kr. Nagbanshi, ACS, ADC, Sonitpur, Tezpur informed the house that the FCS & CA Department has started supplying the National Flag at the rate of Rs. 18/- per flag, to which the DDC instructed that stalls at various department be installed, if feasible, for the sale of flags.

The following matters were discussed in the meeting for further necessary action(s) to be taken up by the concerned department:

SERICULTURE: The Asstt. Director, Sericulture on being enquired about Silk Samagra by the DDC, reported that the list for Silk Samagra is under preparation and shall be submitted within 15 working days.

IRRIGATION: The Chair informed the EE, Barchalla & Dhekiajuli Irrigation Division that he shall physically inspect over the schemes under CMSGUY (Chief Minister Samagra Gram Unnayan Yojana) and as such has instructed the latter to plan accordingly and inform.

DICC: The GM, DICC informed that the target under Prime Minister's Employment Generation Programme (P.M.E.G.P) is expected to be achieved by March, 2023.

Regarding Har Ghar Tiranga Campaign, the GM, DICC informed that various industries were visited with an appeal towards HGT and were linked to the sale points initiated by ASRLMS. Under this initiative of the DICC department, 1013 commitments were received under HGT from various industries.

LABOUR: The house was informed about the strike occurring at Chapoi Tea Estate, which was to be settled through conciliation on 08/08/2022.

Regarding Pradhan Mantri Van Dhan Yojana, the Asstt. Labour Commissioner informed the house that only 50 % target have been achieved and that help from the concerned administrations are required to boost up the target achievements. Herein, the Chair instructed the Asstt. Labour Commissioner

to communicate as to what type of assistance shall be required so that the percentage of target achievement can be increased.

HOUSING & URBAN AFFAIRS: The house was informed about the requirement of NOC from the Fishery Department regarding the installation of International Track at the Integrated Sports Complex at Hazarapara. The DDC in this regard urged the concerned departments of Fishery and Housing and Urban Affairs to communicate on a regular basis with the key officials so that the matter be resolved amicably at the earliest.

EXCISE: The Supdt. of Excise stated that successful enforcement activities are carried on despite nil existence of check posts in Sonitpur district and this fact can be supported by the fact that consumption level are witnessing a rise.

ANIMAL HUSBANDRY & VETERINARY: While enquiring about steps taken in regards to Japanese Encephalitis (JE), the Dist. A.H & Vety. informed that awareness amongst the public have been created.

Cattle damage due to flood has been assessed and required action have also been taken. The Director, AH & Vety., has been informed about the shortage of Medicine in Sonitpur district.

SOCIAL WELFARE: When enquired about the expected time to achieve 100% target under Poshan Abhiyan by the DC, the DSWO stated that 100% Aadhar enrollment work is done, only remaining 4.42 % of Aadhar seeding work is left to be completed.

The DC instructed that workers of AWCs should get engaged in the deliverance of apparatus under ALIMCO.

One Stop Centre: The DC instructed the DSWO to take necessary action for fast completion of the works associated with the One Stop Centre.

PWD (BUILDING): The EE, PWD ensured the house that on 31st December, 2022, the Part II of the District Library Auditorium will become functional.

The DC instructed the EE to summon the contractor associated with the works of Govt. Model Colleges and set with them a target completion date, which if not fulfilled, then the contractor shall be removed from the concerned work. The DC also instructed the EE, to review the status of the Model Tea Garden School. Furthermore, the EE is to call all contractors to be physically present for a meeting in the month of September, 2022 and to conduct regular review meetings with the contractors on a monthly basis from October, 2022 onwards.

The EE informed that revision of finance commissions and eventual administrative approvals creates difficulties during bill payment to contractors.

PHE: The DDC instructed the EE to submit to the DC any issues regarding land acquisition, if any.

The EE, PHE informed the house about the non availability of power connections at Anganwadi Centres (AWCs) due to which tap connections under JJM scheme have demolished. The DDC in this regard directed the PHE and Power department to immediately take action. Furthermore, the DDC also instructed the AGM, APDCL to initiate quick action for providing power connections to all AWCs by 14th August, 2022 that shall be inaugurated in the 75th Independence Day.

AGRICULTURE: The EE, Agriculture mentioned that the progress of installation of STW with Solar Pump set under RIDF is going on and that under CMSGUY Scheme, 11 nos. of Mini Truck have been distributed in Sonitpur District.

MISCELLANEOUS: Reg.- Tea Tourism, the DC instructed BDO, Balipara Dev. Block to explore ways to develop a standalone tea garden area.

The DDC instructed the concerned BDOs and concerned departments to geo-tag their respective assets created under PMJVK scheme and submit report accordingly.

The DDC instructed all departments associated with the works at Mission Chariali Fly-over to undertake correspondence and that any litigation regarding it are to be dealt immediately.

The DDC instructed to remain alert over the fact that the National Flag is not dis-honoured while implementing the Har Ghar Tiranga Campaign.

Lastly, the DC gave due importance to the following 3 points, before leaving for his meeting with TES:

The concerned BDOs are to inspect the road condition approaching to Symbiotic Foods Pvt. Ltd, Ghoramari, Dhekidol and accordingly communicate with the CEO, Sonitpur Zilla Parishad to explore for quick solution regarding provision of road facility to Symbiotic Foods Pvt. Ltd., which is soon expected to be turned into a destination.

2) To start illumination of departmental buildings 3 days prior to Har Ghar

Active participation of all HODs are to be expected starting with Video coverage of Har Ghar Tiranga from Kanaklata Statue at Ouguri Hill on 13th August, 2022 that is to be send to the concerned Ministries; Documentaries to be showcased at Dhekiajuli on 14th August, 2022 till the celebration of the 75th year of India's Independence on 15th August, 2022.

Moreover, the DC announced that the next DDC Meeting for the month of September, 2022 shall be held at PHE, Rubber Bagan.

Deputy Commissioner, Sonitpur, Tezpur

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Copy to:

- 1. The Commissioner, North Assam Division, Tezpur.
- 2. The Director, DCP Division, T & D Department.
- 3. The Director, E & M Division, T & D Department.
- 4. The DDC, Sonitpur, Tezpur for kind information
- 5. The CEO, Sonitpur Zilla Parishad for kind information.
- 6. The ADC (Dev.), Sonitpur, Tezpur for kind information
- 7. DIO, NIC, Tezpur for kind information and necessary action.
- 8. All members of DDC, as per Annexure- I referred above.
- 9. The PA to the Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Transformation & Development Department, Dispur, Guwahati-06 for kind appraisal of the Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Transformation & Development Department.

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