

**MINUTES OF DISTRICT DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE MEETING FOR THE
MONTH OF JULY, 2022**

Date : 05-07-2022

Time : 11:00 AM

Venue : DC's Conference Hall, Sonitpur, Tezpur.

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

The meeting was presided over by Sri Deba Kumar Mishra, ACS, Deputy Commissioner, Sonitpur, Tezpur. At the very outset, the Chair welcomed all the members present in the meeting.

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

IRRIGATION: Flood Damage Assessment by Irrigation Department has been conducted and it is found that no schemes at structural level were damaged and the concerned Circle Officer has been intimated regarding the same.

The DC instructed the EE, Dhekiajuli-Barchalla Divn. to take action in those paddy field which were adversely affected by flood and that to start for local plantation by providing irrigation facilities in those areas. The DC also instructed to show updated success stories in the next DDC Meeting.

AGRICULTURE: The DAO, Sonitpur told that under PM KISAN Scheme the target achieved is 67.47 percentage to which the DC instructed that the percentage be raised to 100 % before next DDC Meeting and that the DDC is to submit daily status in this regard.

In the matter of fertilizers, the DAO mentioned that as per new SoP, there shall be only 1 (one) wholesaler in form of State Marketing Board.

When DC enquired about the status of Retailers Licence, the DAO mentioned that with the previous nos. of Retailers being at 70 nos., additional 11 nos. of retailers have applied for Retailer Licence and that documents verification of these new applicants are under process. The issue of relaxing the age and qualification levels required for issuance of retailer licence has also been discussed.

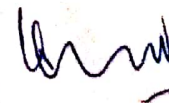
The Chair was dissatisfied over the situation prevailing between the claimants under the PMFBY beneficiaries and damaged occurred to paddy cultivators on account of flood and thus instructed DAO to look over proper implementation of PMFBY in Sonitpur district.

The DC asked the DAO to look for godowns at the earliest and if required consult with FCI in this regard.

The DC instructed the DAO to seek the help of NABARD & CEO, Sonitpur Zilla Parishad for preparation of Convergence Plan for Lichi Expansion.

The DAO mentioned that the seed distribution process has started and is expected to be completed within 10 days. Assessment in flood affected region is done and the EE, Agriculture has been instructed by the Chair to immediately send proposal for compensation.

The **EE, Agriculture** informed the house about the temporary shutdown of Solar pumps sets due to rise in flood levels.



SOCIAL WELFARE: The DSWO ensured the house that before 15th August, 2022, 48 nos. of Anganwadi Centres (AWCs) out of a total of 51 nos. in respect of Sonitpur District are targeted to be completed.

The DSWO regarding PMMVY informed the house about the problem faced by individuals who cannot apply due to non-availability of health cards on time.

The DSWO also brought into notice the fact that since most of the SAM children are wards of Tea Garden workers, such children are most often not brought to the AWCs on account of budget constraints faced by their parents.

Smti. Dyotiva Bora, ADC emphasized the matter regarding non-availability of NGOs in Sonitpur District to take care of rehabilitation of disabled persons and requested the Chair to provide help in this regards by making provision of 1(one) ward, with attendants/nurses. The DC ensured that he shall look into the matter.

POWER: The DC instructed the IS & DSWO to submit list of schools & AWCs respectively to APDCL which are yet to be electrified & instructed the APDCLs to take up all external electrification at the earliest.

The Chair instructed the IS to explore ways to utilize Infrastructure Fund kept at the disposal of Education Deptt. for internal electrification works.

The DC asked to see that the insulation works under DDUGJY are properly done.

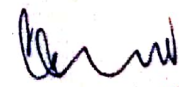
The DC instructed that bushes around transformer at Paruwa Hospital be cleared out immediately.

ANIMAL HUSBANDRY & VETERINARY: The Dist. AH & Vety. Officer informed about the theft of 3 nos. of refrigerators from the Bhotpara Centre.

As regards to Fodder Cultivation, the DC requested the CEO, SZP to immediately ask the Gaon Panchayat Presidents & Secretaries to initiate work in plots identified by AH & Vety. Department and that to complete the same by August 2022.

The Dist. AH & Vety. Officer informed about the availability of one ambulance from the Director, AH & Vety. However, due to absence of driver in the AH & Vety. Deptt. of Sonitpur district, the ambulance has not reached yet. Herein, the CEO, SZP instructed the Dist. AH & Vety. Officer to send a requisition letter so that arrangement for availing the ambulance service can be made.

EXCISE: The Chair instructed the Supdt. of Excise to write to the Commissioner of Excise regarding temporary shifting of Bihaguri IMFL Shop on account public objection.



PWD (Building): The Chair has instructed the EE, PWD(B) to prepare a cost appraisal report for an Old Age Assam Type Home proposed to be constructed in 5 Bighas area of land, for 50 individuals which is eventually expected to reach at a maximum capacity of 100 individuals.

The EE regarding the inclusion of Boundary Wall in Tea Garden Model Residential Schools mentioned that as the concerned contractor constructed an additional room, there occurred a shortage due to which boundary wall or any kind of fencing work could not be undertaken.

PUBLIC HEALTH ENGINEERING (PHE): The EE in convergence with the Health department has conducted a meeting in flood affected areas to generate awareness on how to consume water after flood water level recedes so that the incidence of Diarrhea can be prevented. In this regards, the DFDO is also to circulate prohibitory orders on consumption of fish till the end of July 2022.

WATER RESOURCES: The EE informed that breach-like damage occurred in the right bank of river Gabharu at Meghaijharani area and that the amount required under Section 50 as mentioned in his earlier letter will not be sufficient enough.

The DC instructed the EE to submit the revised amount for Meghaijharani along with new proposal to be taken up for river training work of the left bank of river Jia Bharali in the upstream of NH-15 and near Kanyaka.

DICC: The GM, DICC have taken steps to conduct frequent Awareness Camps in order to increase the no. of applications under PMEGP and on 7th July, 2022, one such awareness camp will be conducted at Dhekiajuli.

The DC informed the GM, DICC that the Institute of Hotel Management, Guwahati has proposed to train 150 persons at Tezpur, probably in the month of September, 2022 and when finalized, the DC shall discuss the same with the GM, DICC.

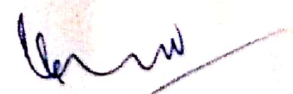
SPORTS: The DSO stated that 7 nos. of works under Sports Department in Sonitpur District are expected to be 100% complete by next DDC Meeting.

The DC has directed DSO to co-ordinate with PWD(B) in regards to Hazarapara Stadium & see that the planned infrastructure estimate suits the demand of the districts. The DSO is also to ensure quality work in regards to the works at Polo Ground.

DC instructed that Construction of Green Gallery, that was considered to be taken up at Teleria be shifted to other site, if possible.

TEZPUR MUNICIPAL BOARD: The Chair instructed the EO, TMB to look after fast completion of culverts in Tezpur Town & that works at Phani Sharma memorial be completed by 20th July, 2022.

LEGAL METROLOGY: The DC instructed the Asstt. Controller, Legal Metrology to conduct sudden reviews and to report/ inform accordingly.



TRANSPORT: Regarding non generation of revenue due to non-availability of land to park cars for 10/15 days, held on account of violation of laws, the DC ensured that the matter shall be discussed with the SP, Sonitpur and accordingly, decision would be taken.

EDUCATION: The DC instructed the IS to prepare module alongwith Smti. Dyotiva Bora, ADC & smoothly conduct the One Day Workshop for College Principals & Governing Body Chairmen at Tezpur University that is scheduled to be held on 8th and 9th July, 2022.

TEZPUR ZILLA PARISHAD: The CEO, TZP informed the house about the Monitorable Targets from the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India and their achievements that shall be monitored under Askhan Antodaya Campaign which covers 72 Aspirational Districts of India and 7 Departments. In this regards, the concerned HODs were requested to be done with all the monitorable targets as the same shall be monitored by Ministries at Central level.

The CEO instructed for the registration under PM Shram Yogi Maandhan Yojana to be done by 25th July, 2022.

Under PMAYG, the CEO ensured the target is expected to be achieved by 26th July, 2022 as 7 Blocks & 38 houses are completed on a daily basis under PMAYG. The worst performing panchayats are visited and nodal team has been constituted therein.

The Bank account for Amrit Sarovar has been opened and that 76 nos. of schemes are in place as stated by the CEO.

Reviewing of Development Blocks of Sonitpur has revealed that only 11 % registration under Aadhar Seeding has been done; the poor achievement being the result of non-visibility of thumb impression.

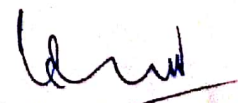
DAIRY DEVELOPMENT: In regards to training programme for dairy farmers, the DC instructed DDO to discuss with ASRLM for smooth conducting of the same.

The DC ensured that a meeting will be held shortly with the LDM & various departments concerning loan recovery issue.

LABOUR: After improvement of the recent flood situation, the Asstt. Lab. Commissioner was instructed to create awareness programme focusing on labour welfare and to monitor any issue arising in the aftermath of flood.

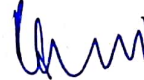
ASRLM: The District Project Manager (DPM), ASRLM has informed about the preparation of Flag by SHGs which shall be purchased at the outlets that will be prepared at various levels of administration so that all houses in Sonitpur District can hoist the National Flags under **Har Ghar Tiranga**. The collaboration of the Election Officer has been requested in this regard.

Regarding **Tea Tourism**, the Chair asked the DPM, ASRLM to submit the plan and will look after the matter.



The DPM, ASRLM intimated the house that a talk on setting up of a **SHG Rural Mart** at Tezpur where SHG made products from all 7 blocks can be displayed for sale has been initiated earlier. The DC in this regard asked the DPM to submit a plan through CEO, TZP on this


The meeting ended with a vote of thanks from the Chair.


Deputy Commissioner,
Sonitpur, Tezpur *SR*

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1. The Commissioner, North Assam Division, Tezpur.
2. The Director, DCP Division, T & D Department.
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4. The DDC, Sonitpur, Tezpur for information
5. The ADC (Dev.), Sonitpur, Tezpur for information
6. DIO, NIC, Tezpur for kind information and necessary action.
7. All members of DDC, as per Annexure- I referred above.
8. 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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