

**MINUTES OF THE DEVELOPMENT REVIEW MEETING HELD UNDER THE  
CHAIRMANSHIP OF HAN'BLE CHIEF MINISTER IN DHALAI DISTRICT**

Venue :- PWD Dak Banglow      Time :- 10:30 am.      Date:- 05.11.2009.

**Irrigation:-**

1. The progress of bringing irrigable land under irrigation was little bit slow. The Water Resource Department to put full efforts for achieving remaining target of 2628.65 ha by end of 2010-11.
2. A special survey should be conducted for bringing another 2000 ha of land which is cultivable but not irrigable as of today. Special action plan may be prepared for this purpose.
3. The schemes which are not functioning should be made functional immediately. Two interior blocks namely Chawmanu & Dumburnagr RD Block should be specifically targeted for irrigation. The Chief Engineer, WR may call district level meeting of Water Resource, Agriculture & Power Department(TSECL) officials to review the progress on irrigation regularly.

**Drinking Water & Sanitation:-**

4. Progress on drinking water was reviewed. It was decided that one Rig machine owned by the State will be given to Dhalai District as contractors are not interested in taking up the work. The Chief Engineer, DWS to prepare special action plan for providing drinking water to uncovered paras. For this, Power Department officials and if required police officials may also be involved.
5. The uncovered Schools and AWCs to be covered with drinking water source on war footing. In addition, block level meeting should be held with DWS & Power Department officials for reviewing the progress and to tackle coming dry season.
6. The DM, Dhalai informed that identification of over 4000 families was done to provide squatting plate so that 100% families are covered under TSC. The Zilla Parishad, Dhalai to call a **special meeting** for ensuring 100% coverage under TSC.

**POWER:-**

7. Electricity connection at Manikpur & Thalcherra area under Chawmanu RD Block to be completed immediately. The State plan targets for providing house hold connections should be achieved within March, 2010.
8. CMD, TSECL to review current procedure of issuing materials so that electric materials are issued in advance for laying down electric lines. CMD, TSECL to review progress of electrification at district level regularly.

**Agriculture & Horticulture:-**

9. Agriculture & Irrigation Departments to discuss jointly and verify non-functioning irrigation projects and prepare an action plan for making these functional immediately. The Power department will extend active cooperation for energisation.
10. Agriculture Department to send proposal for constructing one go-down under BRGF for storing fertilizer in Ambassa.
11. One cold storage of 1000 MT to be constructed in Ambassa and another of same capacity will be constructed at West Machli in Manu RD Block. Agriculture Department to prepare action plan for development of Machli market in Manu RD Block.
12. A proposal for railway station at West Machli (Nalkata) may also be explored as this will help transportation of vegetables and other Agricultural produce from West Machi market to other places such as Agartala & Silchar.
13. Horticulture Department to prepare action plan for rejuvenation for existing orchards. The fund from NREGA can be provided.
14. Horticulture Department to take up plantation of horti corps over the land given to tribal people under Forest Rights Act.

**Road connectivity (PMGSY):-**

15. District Magistrate & Collector, Dhalai informed that the road formation proposed by PWD department has been incorporated in NREGA action plan at Block level. The BDOs to take up these works on priority basis after getting next installment of NREGA. The such road formations will be made as per PMGSY standard and brick soling will also be done.
16. The Chief Engineer, PWD to ensure regular inspection of PMGSY roads for quality verification in Dhalai District.
17. The existing un-covered villages in ADC areas to be connected on priority basis. Habitations below 250 populations may be taken for brick soling under NREGA.

**ARDD:-**

18. Special efforts should be made by the Department for developing ARDD activities in tribal areas. The State HQ to strengthen manpower requirement in the office of the Dy. Director, ARDD.
19. A fresh survey for getting authentic figures of birds and animal population to be done by the ARDD Department. The services of breeding forms in west district can also be utilized.

### **Fisheries :-**

20. Fishery Department to develop farms for finger ling & fish feed development. They should also put extra efforts with the help of NREGA fund for providing finger ling to the water bodies created under NREGA.

### **Education:-**

21. **Complaint was** raised on teacher's attendance in Schools and functioning of mid-day-meal scheme. The teachers who engage proxy teachers in schools will be removed from the service. The DM and SDMs to have regular inspections of schools while touring. The teachers barracks may be taken up at Gandacherra, Longtharai Valley for their stay so that they can easily attend the School.

22. It was observed that there are many students still not enrolled for primary & secondary education. Dy. Director, Education & District Education Officer to put extra efforts in consultation with PRI bodies for enrolling the remaining students in School specifically in ADC areas.

23. Monthly review meeting to be held in Ambassa and Director, Education should also attend the same for reviewing the progress of Education Department.

24. Any proposal for additional fund required for constructing the Schools due to price escalation may be sent to Education Department for meeting additional cost.

25. Around 300 paras are still not having any primary School. Every habitation should mandatorily have one primary School. The Education Department to chalk out an action plan for opening Schools in these paras.

26. The proposal of shifting of Chandrai Para School from existing location to the old police line will be send immediately. DM, Dhalai informed that tentative estimate have already been prepared. DEO to send the detail estimates to Director, Education immediately.

### **Health:-**

27. Health Department to establish one Blood Bank at Gandacherra. All SDMs, in consultation with SDMOs to ensure that atleast 3(three) health camps per month are held in every block. At present around 4(four) health camps are held in every sub-divisions through Administrative camps. In additions, Health department is also holding camps.

28. Awareness campaign should be conducted on water borne disease by the Health Department. It will also ensure that all the drinking water sources are decontaminated through chlorine tablets or bleaching powder so as to avoid outbreak of water borne diseases.

#### **NREGA:-**

29. Till October, 2009 on an average 45 mandays have been provided to each family demanding work. During 2008-09 till this month average 49 days of work was provided.

30. DM, Dhalai informed that regular inspection of blocks, work sites is being done by the District Level & Block Level officials. This should be further strengthened.

31. RD Department to ensure that, in case Central release is not made in time, State release should be made in advance so that employment opportunities are available.

32. The BDOs, Panchayet Samity and BAC to ensure that atleast 10 days of work per family per month is provided during the remaining part of 2009-10. This will help in achieving 100 mandays during this year.

33. The RD Department was requested to conduct the verification of NREGA job cards in other three Districts on the lines of work done in Dhalai District. Total 2348 no. job card have been identified for deletion against the total registered families of 75,251 in Dhalai District.

34. DM,Dhalai informed that opening of bank account in Salema & Chawmanu is almost complete. In Manu, it is more than 80%, Ambassa around 60% and in Dumburnagar around 25%.

35. The BDO, Manu is finding difficulty in opening remaining bank accounts specifically in UBI & SBI branches as they are not extending full cooperation. The opening of bank accounts is pending due to delay in opening of TSCB branch at Gandacherra. The Commissioner & Secretary, RD Department may take up the matter with Chairman, TSCB for early opening of the branch.

#### **Nagar Panchayet:-**

36. The Principal Secretary, Urban Development Department informed that DPR for Kamalpur has been prepared and the work is to start at Ambassa. Urban Development Department to provide staff support for Ambassa Nagar Panchayet. Suitable land may be identified by

SDM,Ambassa in consultation with the Nagar Panchayet for constructing office building of Ambassa Nagar Panchayet.

**Miscellaneous**

37. The Chief Secretary may review the district on monthly basis at District Headquarter.
38. DM & Collector to focus on inspection in three remote Blocks viz. Manu, Chawmanu and Dumburnagar. The remaining Blocks may be assigned to ADM for inspection.
39. All the district level officials of line Department to take prior permission from the DM & Collector, Dhalai to leave the station.

Meeting ended with thanks to all.

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**Principal Secretary**  
**to Chief Minister : Tripura**

**Government of Tripura**  
**Office of the District Magistrate Dhalai**  
**Disrtrict. Ambassa & Collector.**

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- The DPO/DEO, Dhalai, Ambassa.
- The Dy. Director, Agriculture / ARDD / Fishery / PGP / Education/ ICAT / Handloom & Handicrafts /Horticulture, Jawaharnagar.
- The CMO,Dhalai, Ambassa.
- The DISE,Dhalai, Jawaharnagar.
- The Executive Officer, Ambassa/Kamalpur Nagar Panchayet.
- The Principal Officer, TTAADC (Horticulture /Agriculture /Fisheries /ARDD), Khumlung, Jirania.
- The District Welfare Officer, Dhalai, Jawaharnagar.
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Dhalai District : Ambassa