

TOUR NOTE OF ABHISHEK SINGH, IAS, DM & COLLECTOR, DHALAI DISTRICT FOR VISIT TO GANDACHERRA SUB-DIVISION, DHALAI.

18.04.2012:

I reached at Gandacherra Dak-Bungalow on 18.04.2012 in the evening and held discussion with SDM, Gandacherra and BDO, Dumburnagar with respect to issue related Revenue, Development, TW and Implementation of Forest Right Act in Gandacherra. The field visit for the next day was also finalized during the discussion. I made night halt at Gandacherra.

19.04.2012:

I along with SDM, Gandacherra, BDO, Dumburnagar, EE, RDD-I, Jawaharnagar; JEs/TAs of Dumburnagar RD Block and RDD-I, SDO, DWS; Manager, TSECL and others started for the field visit at 0700 am.

1. **ST BOARDING HOUSE AT GANDACHERRA:** I visited the newly constructed boarding house (hostel) for ST students. The hostel is ready with most of the works having been completed. However, EE, RDD-I and SDM, Gandacherra were directed to ensure bricks soling of approach road up to the hostel building, construction of part of a boundary wall, cleaning of the hostel & surrounding and external power and water connection are done before 30th April, 2012. SDM, Gandacherra shall confirm once aforesaid works are done and the hostel is ready for inauguration at the earliest.

(Action by SDM, GNC/ EE, RDD-I)
2. **GROWTH CENTRE AT HATIMATHA:** The site for vegetable shed has been handed over to EE, RDD-I. The work of trench cutting etc. is being done. There is a need to expedite the ongoing work so that the same is completed before monsoon. The site for market stalls was finalized in consultation with Hon'ble MLA Sri Lalit Mohan Tripura and SDM, Gandacherra. It was decided to realign the approach road there, to provide space for market stalls which will also require shifting of electric poles. Manager, TSECL was requested to shift the electric poles at the earliest so that the work of market stalls is started. The EE, RDD-I shall do the feasibility analysis and shall take up the construction of retaining wall, if required. SDM, Gandacherra shall get the land for motor stand demarcated (if not done earlier) and handover the same to EE, RDD-I for taking up necessary activities.

(Action by SDM, GNC/ EE, RDD-I)

3. **BNRGSK & COMMUNITY FACILITY CENTRE (CFC):** The site for Bharat Nirman Rajib Gandhi Seva Kendra (BNRGSK) for Dalapati VC was finalized and EE, RDD-I was directed to take up the works once the family residing on the land shifts to its IAY house. Necessary site preparation and land development may also be under taken. Nearby site was also finalized for Community Facility Centre (CFC) at Dalapati. The deep tube-well of drinking water, DWS is found to be in working condition though, there is a need to provide more number of hydrant points.

(Action by SDM, GNC/ EE, RDD-I/SDO,DWS)

4. Thereafter, I inspected ongoing works of construction of 3 numbers of culverts under MGNREGA by EE, PWD (TTAADC). The works are nearing completion and expected to be ready by first week of May. The I/O, JE (ADC) and Asstt. Engineer PWD (ADC) were requested to increase the height of wing-walls and ensure clearing of the passage of the cherra once the bridge is completed. The Asstt. Engineer, RDD-I and JE of Dumburnagar Block shall survey and make the estimate for formation and brick soling of road after the 3rd bridge connecting Gandacherra.

(Action by EE, PWD (TTAADC)/ EE, RDD-I)

5. The bridge at Wanasapara is also nearing completion and is expected to be completed within a month. The PWD (ADC) shall ensure for providing approach on both sides of the bridge and for proper drainage of one of the rivulet joining the upstream so that it does not damage/affect the bridge in future. The NPCC has already placed 6 numbers of spun pipes for providing connectivity up to Wanasapara. The PWD (ADC) and BDO, Dumburnagar were requested to put more earths on these spun pipes and make necessary arrangement for its pliability until the bridge is completed.

The construction of TSR camp at Wanasapara under BADP/SRE is under progress and is expected to be completed within 2 months. The excess earth may be placed in the nearby lunga land for the formation of small check dam. Arrangements may be made for using collected water for provision of water facilities to the TSR camp and nearby areas.

(Action by EE, PWD (TTAADC)/ BDO, DBN)

The construction work of Health Sub-Centre is completed except for the power and water connection. The SDMO, Gandacherra shall apply to the concerned department for the same, if not done so earlier. The DWS department shall clean

and repair the nearby masonry well and make it ready for use within 10 days. The SDO, DWS shall also arrange for laying of pipelines from the well to the inlet of the Health Sub-Centre. The BDO, Dumburnagar shall arrange for submersible pump of required capacity.

(Action by SDMO, GNC/SDO, PWD (DWS)

6. Thereafter, we visited the JC Para BSF camp and nearby habitations. One number of additional classroom under BADP is being constructed here and was found to be of satisfactory quality. EE, RDD-I was requested to complete the work at the earliest and hand it over to the School Education department. The JC Para habitation has not yet been provided with electricity connection and Manager, TSECL was directed to prepare a proposal for extending electric line to this habitation and nearby JC Para BSF camp under BADP. The work sanctioned for creation of drinking water sources for this camp under BADP should be immediately carried out by the BDO, Dumburnagar while another proposal may be submitted for the provision of drinking water to the forward base established recently. **(Action by** BDO, DBN/EE, RDD-I/Manager, TSECL)

7. On return, I visited the work of extension HT/LT lines under BADP to Girachandra Para. However, it was found that the Girachandra Para could not be covered due to price escalation and shortage of fund. The Manager, TSECL shall prepare a proposal for placement of additional fund with justification and submit the same at the earliest.

The LI scheme undertaken by PWD (WR) department at Hatimatha was found to be incomplete and without power connection. A part of the pipeline and hydrant points shall have to be realigned as it has passed through the proposed site for motor stand under the growth centre. The EE PWD (WR) shall ensure the same as well as test running the facility (LI) scheme and report with a month.

(Action by EE, PWD (WR)/Manager, TSECL)

8. I visited the proposed site of Gandacherra Degree College and battalion headquarter of 52 Bn. BSF. Both the lands were found to be suitable for the purpose. It has already been allotted /proposed to be allotted and now necessary follow-ups may be made by Revenue Section of DM office for the same.

(Action by O/C Revenue, DM office)

9. **GANDACHERRA TEHSIL OFFICE:** On the return to Gandacherra, I visited the Tehsil office Gandacherra and inspected the records available in Tehsil office. It was revealed that no inspection has been done by SDM/DC/RI in last one year. As per the order issued on inspection of Tehsil office by the O/o DM & Collector, Dhalai, each TK has to be inspected monthly by at least DC. SDM, Gandacherra shall ensure the same and submit the inspection report by 30th April, 2012.

During the inspection following issues were noticed that require immediate attention of SDM, Gandacherra/DC (Revenue Circle):-

- (i) The register for BPL bothless, homeless and landless was not found to be updated and maintained properly.
- (ii) Many of the allotment proposals were initiated without explicit order of Government or requisition by the department.
- (iii) The land proposed for allotment for various purposes are not marked properly by pencil as was directed earlier. It would help in preventing double allotment of the land.
- (iv) Some of the entries in Khas Khatian were found to be made without certification or initial or requisite order of competent authority. There has been shortfall in collection of entertainment tax by the Tehsil and no action has been taken against the defaulter so far.

SDM, Gandacherra shall take up above matter personally and ensure necessary action at the earliest.

(Action by SDM, GNC/DC, GNC, Tehsil)

Thereafter, I visited the SDM office Gandacherra and inspected the office premises and different records. The detailed report for same would be provided separately.

All concerned are requested to take necessary action as mentioned above immediately and submit an action taken report within 15 days.

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