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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

**Subject: Monthly Summary of Principal Activities for September, 2021.**

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The undersigned is directed to circulate herewith a copy of the Monthly Summary of Principal Activities undertaken by the Ministry of Tribal Affairs for the month of **September, 2021** for kind information.

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This is regarding important activities of Ministry of Tribal Affairs during the month of **September, 2021.**

**Eklavya Model Residential Schools (EMRS)**

2.1 Meeting with Ministry of Home Affairs was held to review the implementation of EMRS Scheme in the LWE affected areas during the month.

2.2 Meeting to discuss the issues related to Centre of Excellence for Sports was held during the month.

2.3 Meeting to review the progress of construction of EMRSs by CPWD was held during the month.

**National Scheduled Tribes Finance and Development Corporation (NSTFDC)**

3. National Scheduled Tribes Finance and Development Corporation (NSTFDC) provides concessional financial assistance to eligible Scheduled Tribes for undertaking Self-Empowerment Venture. NSTFDC channelizes its funds through Government owned State Channelizing Agencies (SCAs), nominated by the respective State/ UT Governments, National Cooperative Development Corporation, certain PSU Banks, Regional Rural Banks and others. In this regard, the status of targets and achievements for the year 2021-22 is as under:

(₹ in crore)

Sl. No.	Items	Financial Year 2021-22		Performance during the corresponding period of previous year
		Annual Target	Achievement as on 30.09.2021	
1	Sanction	250.00	52.15	40.89
2	Disbursement	220.00*	65.89	31.62

\* Initially, based on estimated fund availability, it was estimated that the Corporation would be able to disburse approx. Rs. 220.00 crore. However, disbursement target for the year 2021-22 is yet to be finalised by the Deptt. of Public Enterprises.

During the month of September, 2021, the Corporation sanctioned projects worth ₹ 0.80 crore and disbursed ₹ 3.83 crore.



3.1 CMD, NSTFDC with officials of NSTFDC attended a meeting of Parliamentary Standing Committee on Social Justice and Empowerment at Srinagar.

3.2 CMD, NSTFDC participated in dialogue - SAMVAD on the theme "Convergence for Inclusive Economic Growth in Janjati Villages" conducted by National Commission for Scheduled Tribes at VigyanBhawan, New Delhi.

3.3 In order to assist its target group under Prime Minister Formalisation of Micro Food Processing Enterprises Scheme, NSTFDC entered into a MoU with the Ministry of Food Processing Industries.

3.4 CMD, NSTFDC inaugurated a Mobile Medical Van at Ranchi under CSR initiative of NSTFDC. This Mobile Medical Van will provide emergency health services in Ranchi and Khunti districts of Jharkhand.

3.5 NSTFDC has a MoU with Khadi and Village Industries Commission (KVIC). In this regard, official of NSTFDC attended a review meeting of Prime Minister's Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP) with Bankers and other implementation agencies organised by KVIC.

3.6 Officials of NSTFDC visited Odisha SC, ST Development and Finance Corporation for exploring possibilities of reviving the lending operations with the agency.

3.7 The Corporation observed Hindi Pakhwara from 01.09.2021 to 15.09.2021. During this, various competitions were organised wherein employees of the corporation participated enthusiastically.

3.8 86<sup>th</sup> Board Meeting of NSTFDC was held during the month.

3.9 For the month of September, 2021, information pertaining to NSTFDC regarding updating the status of vacancies and posting in the ACC Vacancy Monitoring System is NIL.



## **Monitoring of Scheduled Tribe Component (STC)**

4. During the month of September, meetings were taken with Department of School Education and Literacy, Department of Higher Education, Department of Food and Public Distribution, Ministry of Labour and Employment, Department of Science and Technology, Ministry of Power, Ministry of New and Renewable Energy, Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas, Department of Agricultural Research and Education, Department of Animal Husbandry and Dairying, Department of Fisheries, Department of Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation to review allocation, utilization, physical progress under Tribal Sub Plan (TSP)/Scheduled Tribe Component by these Ministries/Departments under their schemes and also to discuss on the convergence of Integrated Village Development Programme of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs being launched under the revamped SCA to TSS scheme of Ministry.

### **Forest Rights Act**

5. Under the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 as per information received from State Governments/UT Administrations, till 28.02.2021; **42,64,820 claims** (41,14,501 individual and 1,50,319 community claims) have been filed and **20,01,919 titles** (19,24,417 individual and 77,502 community claims) have been distributed. A total of **38,03,515(89.18%)** claims have been disposed of.

### **Livelihood**

6. During the month, the proposal of TRIFED for Marketing and Logistics Development for promoting tribal products of North Eastern Region was approved by SFC during the 2<sup>nd</sup> SFC meeting held on 23.09.2021 under my Chairmanship.

### **Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PVTG)**

7. PAC meeting for appraisal of the Annual Plan / CCD Plan 2021-22 under the scheme of Development of PVTG in respect of Karnataka and Chhattisgarh was held through Virtual Conference on 27.09.2021 under my Chairmanship.

### **Grants under Article 275(1)**

8. Project Appraisal Committee (PAC) meetings with 7 States to consider proposals submitted under Grants under Rule 275(1) was held during the month.

9. Hindi month was celebrated in the Ministry from **01.09.2021 to 30.09.2021** in which numerous activities were organized to promote the use of Hindi language among the staff of the Ministry.

10. Incumbency details of all posts in the Ministry and its organizations falling under ACC purview have been updated on AVMS.

11. In line with making e-Governance as an essential part of Digital India, during the month of September, 2021; 95 e-files have been created by this Ministry in e-office.