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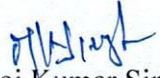
Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Monthly Summary of Principal Activities for May, 2023.

The undersigned is directed to circulate herewith a copy of the Summary of Principal Activities undertaken by the Ministry of Tribal Affairs during the month of May, 2023 for kind information.

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This is about important activities of Ministry of Tribal Affairs during the month of **May, 2023**.

National Scheduled Tribes Finance and Development Corporation (NSTFDC)

2. National Scheduled Tribes Finance and Development Corporation (NSTFDC) provides concessional financial assistance to eligible Scheduled Tribes for undertaking Self-Empowerment Ventures for their livelihood. In this regard, the status of targets and achievements for the year 2023-24 is as under:

(₹ in crore)

Sl. No.	Items	Financial Year 2023-24		Performance during the corresponding period of previous year
		Annual Target*	Achievement as on 31.05.2023	
1	Sanction	250.00	9.93	28.26
2	Disbursement	250.00	31.80	33.21

* Annual target towards sanction and disbursement has been worked out based upon the estimated fund availability during the financial year 2023-24. The same may vary in accordance with the proposals from the implementing agencies and fund available for disbursal.

During the month of May, 2023, the Corporation sanctioned projects worth ₹4.00 crore and disbursed ₹6.79 crore

2.1 NSTFDC participated in the Mahila SHGs Sammelan organised under the aegis of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs at Khunti (Jharkhand) on 25.05.2023. Hon'ble President of India addressed the gathering and interacted with the Women SHG members.

2.2 As a part of celebration of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav, a Felicitation Programme-cum-Interactive Session was organized for the trainees who had completed their training and also with those undergoing various skill development courses at the Livelihood Business Incubation Centre (LBI) at Rourkela (Odisha). LBI (Rourkela) is a Skill Development Centre running under a tripartite MoU between SAIL-RSP, NSIC and NSTFDC. During this event, CMD, NSTFDC distributed the certificates to the students who have completed successfully their courses.

2.3 NSTFDC, under its CSR initiatives, has provided a Medical Van (Mahindra Bolero) for bringing and discharging patients to TB Sanatorium run by Ramakrishna Mission (Ranchi).

CMD, NSTFDC inaugurated the Medical Van and carried out an inspection of earlier implemented CSR project provided to the TB Sanatorium.

CMD addressed the gathering and visited every ward in the hospital and was briefed about the functioning of the sanatorium catering to TB patients from remote areas of Jharkhand, Odisha etc.

2.4 In order to disseminate information about NSTFDC schemes and to address the various issues pertaining to the implementation, an Awareness Camp was conducted at Gogunda, Udaipur (Rajasthan). This camp was organised in association with the Rajasthan SCs & STs Finance & Dev. Co-op. Corp.

2.5 Further, NSTFDC, in association with Chhattisgarh Rajya Antyavasayee Sahkari Vitta Aivam Vikas Nigam, conducted an Awareness Camp in Dondi Panchayat of Dondi-Lohara block in Balod district of Chhattisgarh. During this camp, officials of NSTFDC gave information about the schemes promoted under NSTFDC schemes. Further, the representatives from NRLM, NABARD, Bank of Baroda, Block level officials, Dept. of Industries etc. also addressed the gathering.

2.6 A field visit in the Dhamtari district (Chhattisgarh) was conducted by the officials of NSTFDC to inspect the units financed under NSTFDC schemes.

2.7 NSTFDC participated in the National Tribal Entrepreneurship Summit conducted by Indian Chamber of Commerce for SC/ ST & Women Entrepreneurs (ICCSTW) in New Delhi. During the event, official of NSTFDC gave a presentation and briefed about schemes available for the economic upliftment of Scheduled Tribes.

Forest Rights Act

3. Under the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 as per information received from State Governments till 31.03.2023, 45,44,886 claims (43,64,312 individual and 1,80,574 community) have been filed and 23,07,712 titles (21,99,012 individual and 1,08,700 community) have been distributed. A total of 41,05,662 (90.34%) claims have been disposed of.

Eklavya Model Residential Schools

4. Two review meetings for implementation of the scheme of EMRS were held during the month.

4.1 Approval of 3 locations for establishment of new EMRSs was accorded during the month.

5. Mahila SHGs Sammelan was organised by the Tribal Cooperative Marketing Development Federation of India (TRIFED) and the National Scheduled Tribes Finance and Development

Corporation (NSTFDC), under the aegis of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs, at the Birsa Munda College Stadium in Khunti District of Jharkhand on 25.05.2023.

Hon'ble President of India, Smt. Droupadi Murmu, interacted with Women SHG members at the said event. On the grand occasion, dignitaries including the Governor of Jharkhand, Shri C.P. Radhakrishnan, Union Minister of Tribal Affairs, Shri Arjun Munda, Union Minister of State for Tribal Affairs, Smt. Renuka Singh Saruta, Chief Minister of Jharkhand, Shri Hemant Soren, participated in the programme.

At the said event, Live demonstrations of tribal arts and crafts, craft- wise display of tribal products and VDVK stalls were set up through TRIFED, NSTFDC and other Ministries/Departments of Government of India.

NSTFDC, NSIC, NIESBUD, Skill Sector Council (FICSI), Department of Posts and Ministry of MSME set up various stalls. Around 25,000-30,000 tribals participated in the said event with full fervor.

Awareness generation on Sickle Cell Disease, TB and Malaria were undertaken through a booth of the Tribal Health Cell of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs; screening for Sickle Cell Disease/Trait was also conducted in the Health Corner at the event.

6. In line with making E-Governance as an essential part of Digital India, during the month of May, 2023, 127 e-files have been created by this Ministry in e-office.