

**MINUTES OF MEETING OF THE DISTRICT COORDINATION &  
MONITORING COMMITTEE (DISHA) OF NAGAON DISTRICT FOR THE 1<sup>st</sup>  
QUARTER OF 2023-24.**

**Venue:-** Conference hall of the Deputy Commissioner's Office, Nagaon

**Date:-** 03<sup>rd</sup> July, 2023 **Time:-** 11:30 am

The DISHA Committee's meeting for the first quarter of 2023-24 in Nagaon district was held on July 3, 2023, at 11:30 am in the Conference Hall of the Deputy Commissioner's Office, Nagaon. The meeting was chaired by Shri. Pradyut Bordoloi, Hon'ble Member of Parliament 10 Nagaon HPC, and Chairman of the DISHA Committee, Nagaon.

In addition to the Chairman, the meeting was attended by Hon'ble MLA from Batadraba LAC and Rupahihat LAC, the Deputy Commissioner of Nagaon, the Chief Executive Officer of Zilla Parishad, Nagaon, and other members as listed in Annexure-1.

Shri. Narendra Kr. Shah, IAS, Deputy Commissioner of Nagaon and Member Secretary of DISHA, provided a briefing on the meeting's objectives and agenda. The CEO of Zilla Parishad, Nagaon, then extended felicitations to the Hon'ble Chairman and the Hon'ble MLAs.

**The Issues discussed and decisions taken in the meeting are briefed as under:-**

At the very outset of the meeting, hon'ble Chairman reviewed the decisions made in the previous meeting and the action taken by respective departments on the same followed by detailed discussion on the following:

1. **Sarva Siksha Abhiyan**:- At the very beginning Inspector of Schools cum I/c DEEO welcome the House and gave a brief description about the ongoing programs based on suggestive questionnaire received on the last DISHA Meeting.

While discussing about this RTE section, Inspector of Schools informed that, no application received from Private Schools against Article 12 (1) (C) of RTE Act. Hon'ble M.P. cum President of DISHA meeting Mr. Pradyut Kr. Bordoloi instructed. Inspector of Schools to re-verify personally, so that the underprivileged children can be benefited.

The Hon'ble MLA Rupahihat, Mr. Nurul Huda informed that two no. of schools under his constituency namely as Kashari MEM under Juria Education Block and Sonaribali ME school under Rupahihat Education Block has not received their 2nd installment of construction fund since the FY 2013-14. He showed serious concern about the same and requested for immediate action.

Further, Hon'ble MLA, Batadraba, Mrs Sibamoni Bora expressed serious concern about the dilapidated condition of Kujidah Higher Secondary School, which is going to complete 100 years in coming days. She requested to pay extra attention in this regard.

The Inspector of Schools has showcased the recent improvements in the educational scenario of Nagaon District citing examples of Gunotsav, the HSLC and HS board exam results. Hon'ble M.P. Nagaon HPC cum Chairman of DISHA showed satisfaction in this matter and requested the department to work constructively for transforming Nagaon as an Educational Hub in near future.

2. **PMAY-U & SBM-U**:- The Chairman reviewed the progress and completion of Pradhan Mantri Awaas Yojna (Urban) which is presently at 58%. The Chairman raised a concern that presently there are seven (7) numbers of public toilet in Nagaon town which may not be adequate. He



requested to give special emphasis to clean women toilet and that the existing toilets need proper maintenance.

The Honorable Chairman inquired with the Nagaon Municipal Board regarding the operation and maintenance of public toilets under Nagaon MB's jurisdiction in a pay-and-use manner. He also suggested hiring a caretaker for each toilet. Furthermore, he recommended increasing the construction of public toilets in the Nagaon Municipal Board area to accommodate the needs of both the general public and the growing number of tourists visiting the area.

Additionally, the Honorable MLA of Batadroba Legislative Assembly Constituency, Srimati Sibamoni Bora, emphasized the importance of implementing door-to-door waste collection throughout the Nagaon Municipal Board area. She expressed concern about the irregularity in the work of the Self-Help Groups (SHGs) responsible for garbage collection in Ward Number 06 under Nagaon Municipal Board. She urged the Nagaon MB Authority to closely monitor the SHGs' activities in Ward Number 6 to ensure efficient waste management.

3. **National Health Mission:-** The Hon'ble MLA of Rupahihat LAC requested for detailed information regarding the various schemes under the National Health Mission (NHM). During the quarterly meeting of DISHA, the Chairman expressed dissatisfaction with the absence of the Jt. Director of Health. Dr. Das, who represents the office of the Joint Director of Health Services, failed to provide a clear picture of the ongoing government facilities and services during the meeting. The Chairman instructed Dr. Das to furnish the requested details to the Committee within one week.

The Hon'ble MLA of Rupahihat LAC brought attention to an issue where some doctors and Asha workers at health centers refuse to admit expectant mothers. As a result, these mothers seek services at private hospitals instead of utilizing government facilities. In response, the Deputy Commissioner of Nagaon directed the Office of the Joint Director of Health Services, Nagaon to investigate these allegations against the ASHA workers and present a report in the upcoming DISHA meeting.

4. **Agriculture:-** Thereafter, the District Agriculture Officer, Nagaon, briefed the house about the various ongoing schemes. Hon'ble MLA Rupahihat asked about the status of flood affected agricultural areas and the necessary disbursement of ex-gratia to those beneficiaries. The Chairman requested DAO, Nagaon to ensure consultation with concerned MLAs regarding selection of beneficiaries and to appraise the concerned MLA about the ongoing schemes and their progress from time to time. The Member Secretary, DISHA, advised DAO to provide the status report of the district to the hon'ble MLAs of the Committee within one week.
5. **PHED : SBM-G and JJM:-** The Executive Engineer of PHE provided an update on the progress of JJM schemes during the meeting. The Chairman advised the EE, PHE to ensure 100% Functional Household Tap Connection (FHTC) connectivity and to address any minor issues. The Chairman inquired about the water supply schemes in schools that were discussed in the previous DISHA

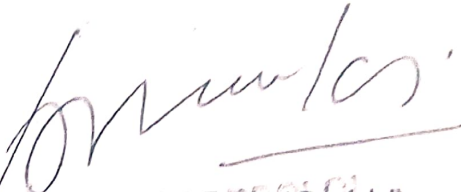
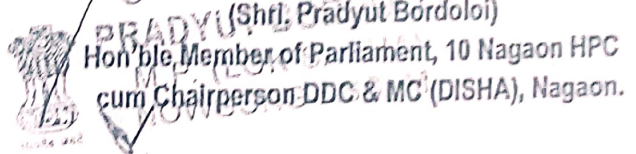
meeting. He advised the BEEO to ensure the installation of pump sets within the school campus, preferably in a secure room, to prevent theft whenever possible.

6. **Food and Civil Supply:-** The Deputy Director of Food and Civil Supply, Nagaon provided an overview of the progress of different schemes. Honorable MLA of Rupahihat LAC raised concerns regarding the selection process for NFSA ration cards in Juria and Rupahihat Dev. Blocks, stating that the guidelines were not followed. In response, the Deputy Commissioner of Nagaon instructed the Deputy Director of Food and Civil Supply to conduct a re-verification of the beneficiary list of those areas for NFSA ration cards and submit a report.
7. **PWD – Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana:-** The Superintending Engineer, PWD Nagaon Road Circle briefed the house on the progress of PMGSY. The honorable MLA of Rupahihat expressed deep concern about the slow progress of certain PMGSY projects under package numbers AS19-725, AS19-766, AS19-786, AS19-795, and requested the PWD to take necessary action for their early completion. The honorable MLA of Batadraba LAC also inquired about the ongoing schemes in Dolongghat and Batadraba, which are progressing at an equally slow pace. The Chairman urged the Superintending Engineer, PWD to take necessary action and expedite the work.
8. **APDCL:-** The CEO of APDCL Nagaon briefed the House on the progress of ongoing APDCL schemes. The Chairman inquired about the low progress rate of new schemes in the Madhupur area, which currently stands at 2%. The Chairman emphasized for AB cable (covered conductor) to curb the theft of electricity in theft prone areas. The CEO informed that under the RDSS scheme the LT line cable work is going on. Similarly, the HVDS project will be started under the RDSS scheme for reliability, proper voltage regulation and loss reduction. The honorable MLA Rupahihat constituency pointed out revenue realization criterion during transformer damage etc. Accordingly, The CEO of APDCL assured confirmation about necessary execution of work as per terms and conditions.
9. **Skill Development:-** The honorable Member of Parliament from Nagaon HPC suggested introducing new trades and upgrading the training modules in various skill areas. He advised the Deputy Commissioner of Nagaon to hold discussions with the SMD of ASRLM regarding the establishment of a new training center for DDU-GKY.  
The Chairman informed the House about an upcoming job fair that will be organized by the honorable Member of Parliament from Nagaon HPC on July 30, 2023.
10. **Multi Sectoral Development Plan:-** The SPIO provided a comprehensive update on the progress of the MSDP scheme. The Honorable MLA, Rupahihat expressed concerns about the some of the incomplete schemes under his Legislative Assembly Constituency. It was instructed by the Chairman that the Deputy Commissioner should take appropriate steps to complete those schemes



The Chairman inquired about the absence of S.P. in the meeting and asked that SP should invariably be present in the DISHA meeting from now onwards.

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

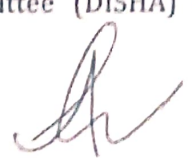
  
  
(Sri, Pradyut Bordoloi)  
Hon'ble Member of Parliament, 10 Nagaon HPC  
cum Chairperson DDC & MC (DISHA), Nagaon.

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Dated Nagaon the 19<sup>th</sup> August/2023

Copy forwarded for favour of kind information and necessary action to:

1. Sri Gaurav Gogoi, Hon'ble MP, 11 Kaliabor HPC & the Co-Chairperson, District Development Co-ordination and Monitoring Committee (DISHA), Nagaon.
2. The Hon'ble M.L.A Raha /Dhing/ Batadraba/ Rupohihat/Nagaon/Barhampur/Samaguri LAC & Member DDC & MC (DISHA), Nagaon.
3. The Commissioner & Secretary, to the Govt. of Assam, P & R.D. Deptt., Dispur.
4. The Director (Monitoring), Ministry of Rural Development (Monitoring Division), Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.
5. All members concerned.
6. All Heads of Depts. concerned.
- ✓ 7. The District Informatics Officer, Nagaon for uploading in the District website.
8. P.S. to the Hon'ble Minister, Health, Science & Technology, Assam, Dispur, Guwahati-6. For appraisal to the Hon'ble Minister.
9. PA to the Sri Pradyut Bordoloi, Hon'ble Member of Parliament, 10 Nowgong HPC cum Chairman, District Development Coordination and Monitoring Committee (DISHA) for appraisal to the Chairman, DISHA, Nagaon Assam
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