

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF GRANT-IN-AID COMMITTEE**  
**HELD ON 31.03.2010 AT 3.00 P.M. (UNRECOMMENDED CASES)**

A meeting of the GIA Committee was held on 31.3.2010 at 3.00 P.M., under the Chairmanship of Director (WCD) to consider the GIA cases under the schemes of Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment & Ministry of Women & Child Development, Govt. of India, for the year 2009-10.

The meeting was attended by the following Officers:-

1. Sh. R.N.Mangla, Jt.Director (VAC),
2. Sh. Arya Vir, AO.
3. Distt. Officers of respective Districts.
4. Smt. Satnam Dhamija, Dy.Director (VAC)

The Distt. Officers attended the meeting, who had carried out the scrutiny and inspection of the GIA proposals which were project location-wise, falling in their respective jurisdiction. They brought and presented the cases before the GIA Committee along with summary on the cases containing brief findings and results thereon.

During this meeting the GIA Committee did not find the following cases suitable for recommendation to the Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, & Ministry of Women & Child Development Govt. of India on the basis of grounds/findings detailed as under:

**CASES NOT RECOMMENDED**

**Ministry of Women & Child Development**

**STEP**

Keeping the following into consideration:

- (i) Findings reported by the inspecting team and other inputs given by the respective Distt. Officers, as briefly noted against each case:-
- (ii) Para no.8 of the scheme which states that  
“The scheme is proposed to be implemented through Public Sector Organizations, District Rural Development Agencies, Federation, Cooperatives and voluntary Organization - Non-Government Voluntary Organizations working in rural areas with legal status as a society registered under the societies Registration Act of 1860 or under the Corresponding State Acts. Recipient of financial assistance under STEP are required to be bodies, Organizations or agencies working in rural areas, although their Headquarters may be located in the urban area. They must be registered at least for 3 years (experience/existence in the sector concerned) at the time of approaching for assistance. Implementing agencies will also identify a set of link agencies, which would facilitate the implementation of the project through their expertise, resources and experience. Link agencies would also include voluntary Organizations; active in the field of employment and women’s development. While selecting non government organizations as implementing agencies, it would be ensured that the selected organizations have adequate infrastructure and technical expertise in the sector, financial soundness with facilities, resource experience and administrative capabilities for undertaking the project”;
- (iii) Objectives/Activities of Gender Resource Centres (GRC) :
  - To act as a catalyst for making Delhi safe for women through social legal and economic empowerment
  - To improve Health of women
  - To impart skill for specific trades and to provide forward and backward linkages enabling women to be a part of

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productive work force obtain good remuneration.

- To provide facilities with linkages for school drop outs to return to mainstream and to provide non formal functional literacy
- To establish a mechanism for linking existing government schemes for women and to enable women to access it better.
- To raise awareness on issue of relevance and provide legal literacy about women rights.
- To set up a documentation center which will act as a clearing house for information of women and will work towards a system of affiliation of the organization working on the same issue
- To look after the needs of the whole family, children, adolescents, youth, senior citizens, differently abled, etc, besides women who are already covered under GRCs with special emphasis on the most vulnerable people like the homeless, women and children headed families, families involved in certain trades like rag pickers, sex workers etc..

(iv) Other relevant /contextual details  
the following cases are not found suitable for recommendation

1)	Yuva Ekta kalian Samiti, 152, Chand Pru, delhi-81.	Training Programme	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The DSWO(NW-I) reports that no related activities were found being run by the NGO at the time of inspection; moreover, no records were shown to the inspecting team, It is further observed that NGO does not have required technical expertise and the required infrastructure as stipulated under the schem.</li> </ul>
2)	Abhivyakti Foundation, C-217, LIG Flats, East of Loni Road, Delhi.	Handicraft Training at Samaj Kalyan Bhavan, Opp. Rohini Sector-22, Begumpur, Delhi.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The DSWO(NW-I) reports that two visits to the project site of the organization as given in its application i.e. Samaj Kalyan Bhavan, Opp. Rohini Sector-22, Begumpur, Delhi-86 were made by the inspection officers of the Distt. on 25.3.10 &amp; 27.3.10 however, on both the occasions it was found locked.</li> </ul>
3)	India-Aids, 25, MIG, sEctor-14, Pocket-B, Ph-II, Dwarka, New Delhi.	Placement based Skill Upgradation Programme	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The DSWO(NW-I) reports that the nature of sector as indicated by the NGO i.e. Placement based Skill Upgradation Programme in its application vide col.No.19, is not covered among one of the ten traditional sectors as stipulated under the scheme; moreover.. the NGO has not submitted an application which is complete or in the format prescribed under the scheme.</li> </ul>

**UJJAWALA**

Keeping the following into consideration:

- (i) Findings reported by the inspecting team and other inputs given by the respective Distt. Officers, as briefly. inter-alia. noted against each case;
- (ii) Following relevant points on eligibility & experience requirements stipulated in the scheme:
  - The organization should ordinarily have three years experience after its registration;
  - Its financial position should be sound;
  - It should have facilities, resources, experience and personnel to initiate the scheme for which assistance is sought.
  - The organization must have adequate experience in the field of trafficking, social defence, dealing with

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women and children in need of care and protection, children in conflict with law, etc the following cases are not found suitable for recommendation			
1	Ch. Baljeet Singh Memorial Education Society, Village Nithari, Sultanpuri, Delhi.	Awareness Programme	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Committee observes that the statement of accounts &amp; annual report and also the relevant columns of the application do not establish that the NGO has adequate experience in the field of trafficking, social defence, dealing with women and children in need of care and protection, children in conflict with law, etc</li> </ul>
2	Delhi Slum Dwellers Federation, 87/1, FF/ Corporation Banl Bldg., Main Road, Barwala, Delhi-39.	Ujjawala components.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The DSWO(NW-I) reports that the statement of accounts and the annual report ( very brief one page) submitted by the NGO do not establish that it has relevant experience as stipulated under the scheme. This observation is further corroborated from the details of major activities provided by the NGO vide col.No. 11 of the application.</li> </ul>
3	Foundation of Natural Health & Yoga Research Trust, F 8/90, Sector-15, Rohini, delhi-89.	Ujjawala components not specified	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The DSWO(NW-I) reports that it submitted incomplete application ( no details provided in part B of application) and moreover, column No. 11 of application carrying details about major activities of the organization during last three years and the its annual report for the year 2008-09 do not show that the organization has relevant experience as stipulated under the scheme.</li> </ul>
	Society for Women's Agriculture & Rural Development, E-6/GL,- 14, Dilshad Colony, Delhi-95.	Ujjawala components	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The DSWO(NE) reports that no such organization was found to be existing at the address given by the NGO in its application i.e. E-6/GL,-14, Dilshad Colony, Delhi-95, Moreover, the inspection report placed in this regard before the Committee by the DO states that there is some shopping complex at this address,</li> </ul>

**GENERAL GRANT-IN-AID SCHEME FOR ASSISTANCE TO VOLUNTARY ORGANISATIONS IN THE FIELD OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT**

Keeping the following into consideration:

(i) Findings reported by the inspecting team and other inputs given by the respective Distt. Officers, as briefly, inter-alia, noted against each case;

(ii) Following relevant points on guiding principles and eligibility & experience requirements stipulated in the scheme:

- The organization should have experience of working in that programme or related area or should show evidence of competence to take up the proposed scheme.
- The organization should have been in existence for at least two years before it is eligible for applying for grant-in-aid under any scheme. However, an exception of this rule may be considered in areas where the Central/State Govt. proposes to promote Voluntary effort.
- It should be well managed stable organization with facilities, resources and personnel to undertake welfare work.

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- It should not be run for profit to any individual or body of individuals.
- It should have a properly constituted Managing Body with its powers/duties and responsibilities clearly defined and laid down in a written Constitution.
- Its services should be open to all without distinction of caste, religion or language.
- It should be possible to relate the number of years of useful work the organization has done with the quantum of grant that should be given.
- Projects not covered by any of the existing schemes of the Department of Women and Child Development including the Central Social Welfare Board (CSWB).

(iii) Objectives/Activities of Gender Resource Centres (GRC) as detailed above under the scheme of Support To Training And Employment Program For Women(STEP)

the following cases are not found suitable for recommendation

1	Ch. Baljeet Singh Memorial Education Society, Village Nithari, Sultanpuri, Delhi.	Integrated project on trafficking & HIV/AIDS in women & children	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The DSWO(NW-I) reports that the NGO has not applied in the format and fashion as prescribed under the scheme, moreover, there is full fledged scheme of Ujjawala under which project of this nature may be covered.</li> </ul>
2	DAV Educational & Welfare Society, 153, Pkt-12, Sector-21, Rohini, Delhi-86.	Not mentioned	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The DSWO(NW-I) reports that such projects are covered by ongoing GRCs under Samajik Suvidha Sangam Society; it is further reported that the NGO has not enclosed evidence showing experience of working in the proposed programme to establish its competence to take up the same and also, as reflected from the documents enclosed by the NGO, it is not found to have required facilities or personnel.</li> </ul>
3	Ekta Samajik Kalyan Hit Sanstha, C-11, Mata Wali Gali, Jauhripur, Delhi-94.	Orientation/ Skilled Programme in North East Delhi.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Committee observes that the NGO has applied with very brief details against the columns of the application that too in a very casual manner; moreover, it is provided in the annual report for the year 2008-09 by the NGO do not establish the related experience or competence to take up the programme as per the Gen.GIA scheme. In fact the DSWO(NE) should not have given the GIA case for inspection at all.</li> </ul>

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- (ii) Following relevant points on eligibility & experience requirements stipulated in the scheme:
  - The organization should ordinarily have three years experience after its registration.
  - Its financial position should be sound
  - It should have facilities, resources, experience and personnel to initiate the scheme for which assistance is sought.
  - It must have adequate experience and expertise of taking up such works of rehabilitation.

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1	All India Society for Education, B-1/348 Sector 17, Rohini, Delhi	Not mentioned	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The DSWO(NW-I) reports that no activities of the NGO were seen at the time of inspection, moreover, no person was available for providing any relevant information/ documents.</li> </ul>
2	Civil Reform Expressway, I-4/81-82, Sector-16, Rohini, New Delhi.	Shelter Home for Women at Kshtriya Dharmarth Sewa Sangh , I-4/81-82, Sector-16, Rohini, New Delhi.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The DSWO(NW-I) reports that it was revealed at the time of inspection the address of I-4/81-82, Sector-16, Rohini, New Delhi has given by the NGO in its application is some 'Saraswati House'; moreover, no sign board of the NGO was found; neighbors were not aware about any activity of the said NGO.</li> </ul>
3	Ch. Baljeet Singh Memorial Education Society, Village Nithari, Sultanpuri, Delhi.	Widows and Mentally Ill Destitutes of Kanjhwa Block, North Society, North West Distt., Delhi.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Committee observes that though the NGO has applied in the prescribed proforma yet much of the application has been left blank which is equivalent to application to in unprescribed proforma. Further it is observed that the statement of accounts and the annual reports submitted by the NGO do not establish that it has adequate experience and expertise of taking up such works of rehabilitation.</li> </ul>
4	Delhi Slum Dwellers Federation, 87/1, FF/ Corporation Banl Bldg., Main Road, Barwala, Delhi-39.	Not mentioned	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The DSWO(NW-I) reports that documents submitted by the NGO with its application e.g. statement of accounts, annual report etc. do not establish that it has adequate experience and expertise of taking up such works of rehabilitation.</li> <li>.</li> </ul>
5	Smt. Tulsi Devi Memorial Society, B-1, Basti Vikas Kendra, Sultan Puri, Delhi-86.	Innovative programme on women in social troubles.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The DSWO(NW-I) reports that the NGO has not applied in the application proforma prescribed under the scheme.</li> </ul>

**AN INTEGRATED PROGRAMME FOR STREET CHILDREN**

Keeping the following into consideration:

- (i) Findings reported by the inspecting team and other inputs given by the respective Distt. Officers, as briefly, inter alia, noted against each case;
- (ii) Following relevant points on eligibility & experience requirements stipulated in the scheme & other guidelines:
  - 'Guidelines For Assisting NGO/Voluntary Organizations' of the Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment ,Govt.of India (which transferred the scheme to the Ministry of WCD,GOI ) which states that "In order to be eligible for assistance, a Voluntary Organization should have been registered for a period of at least two years and should have been actively working in its sector for a period of two years. Such projects will not be taken up for assistance where the activities are proposed to commence after the project is sanctioned and funds released by the Ministry";

the following cases are not found suitable for recommendation

1	Women Child Helpline Samiti, 203, Hari	Total Development Programme for the Street	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The DSWO(NW-I) reports that the NGO has not applied in the application proforma</li> </ul>
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	Enclave, Kirari Village, Sultanpuri, New Delhi.	Children in the Sultanpuri Slum areas.	prescribed under the scheme.
2	Delhi Slum Dwellers Federation, 87/1, FF/ Corporation Banl Bldg., Main Road, Barwala, Delhi-39.	Composite Centre for Street Children at North West Distt.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The DSWO(NW-I) reports that the NGO has not applied in the application proforma prescribed under the said scheme.</li> </ul>
3	Delhi Brotherhood Society, 7, Court Lane, Delhi-05.	Non Formal Education Programme Imparting Literacy, Numeracy and Life Education at J/176, Old Seemapuri, delhi-54.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The DSWO(NE) reports that no such organization was found to be existing at the address given by the NGO in its application i.e J/176, Old Seemapuri, Delhi-54 at the time of inspection.</li> </ul>
<p><b><u>GRANT-IN-AID FOR RESEARCH, PUBLICATIONS AND MONITORING</u></b></p> <p>Keeping the following into consideration:</p> <p>(i) Findings reported by the inspecting team and other inputs given by the respective Distt. Officers, as briefly, inter alia, noted against each case;</p> <p>(ii) Following relevant points on eligibility, scope &amp; experience requirements stipulated in the scheme &amp; other guidelines:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Non governmental organizations with, normally, three years experience after its registration under any statutes in India like Societies Registration Act, 1860 (Act XXI of 1860), Trust Act, Co-operatives Act., Companies Act, etc having research experience in the field of women and child development for receiving grants to undertake studies, organize seminars/workshops/conference, monitoring activities. For capacity building, organizations having 50 lac annual budget with 10 years experience in the field of WCD and located in the concerned States are eligible.</li> <li>The research/evaluation monitoring studies and seminars/conferences and capacity building in the institute for monitoring will help policy makers, planners in formulation of policies, programmes/schemes for the welfare and development of women/children</li> </ul> <p>the following cases are not found suitable for recommendation</p>			
1	India-Aids, 25, MIG, Sector-14, Pocket-B, Ph-II, Dwarka, New Delhi.	Research on Child Abuse	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The DSWO(NW-I) reports that the NGO is not found to have required research experience of three years in the field of women and child development; moreover, bio data of researcher was also not submitted.</li> </ul>

Meeting ended with the vote of thanks to the Chair.

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