

Tour Note

On 17-03-2009 I started from Ambassa at 9:00 am for Manu and I returned back by 5:00 pm and thereafter attended office work. On my visit, I was accompanied by BDO,Manu. The main points of the visit are as follows:-

1. A detailed discussion was held with the Panchayet Secretaries, DFO,Manu and BDO,Manu for setting up of regrouping villages in Manu RD Block. It was categorically clarified that the regrouping will be done only on places close to the clusters from where families are likely to shift and they will not be settled along the National High Way or State High Way as that will create socio economic problem. All these proposal for regrouping colonies will be initiated after taking due consideration from the Forest Department.

(Action by DFO, MNU/BDO,MNU)

3. The BDO,MNU to prepare comprehensive proposal for providing drinking water sources, health sub-centre, road connectivity, wage employment, homestead plantation etc. in regrouped villages. The DFO, Manu has been requested to extend full assistance to the BDO,Manu in preparing this proposal.

(Action by BDO,MNU/DFO,MNU)

4. After my joining at Dhalai District, I had a suggested for taking up of multi purpose projects under NREGA for overall development of a particular hamlet. Accordingly, BDO,Manu has taken some of the projects for construction of check dam for water harvesting, irrigation, drinking water and pisciculture purposes. He took me to show some of these projects. During inspection of these projects, I was accompanied by DFO,Manu also.

(Action by BDO,MNU)

5. I inspected one on-going construction work of Check Dam near the land of Baikluanga Darlong under Kanchancherra ADC village within the estimated cost of Rs.2,31,800/- lakhs. The length of the bundh is 38 mtr, which will have water over 2.5 hectars. Around 35 families are likely to get benefit out of this check dam. 25% of the works was already completed. Implementing Officer (IO) has been advised to make the bundh more compact so as to prevent any seepage of water in coming years. For this purpose he will use mud wall at centre along the bundh.

(Action by BDO,MNU)

6. I inspected one on-going construction of check dam near the land of Kalendra Reang at Hajradhan para under Kanchanch Cherra ADC Village with an estimated cost of Rs.1,83,000/- lakhs. It will create water area over 1.5 hectares. The project is likely to benefit around 100 nearby families. Around 25-35% work has already been completed. However, the works output was not very encouraging.

(Action by BDO,MNU)

7. I walked down for 1 km to inspect the construction of another check dam near the land of Mungoti Reang at Manik Choudhury Para under East Karamcherra ADC village with an estimated cost of Rs.3,05,000/-. The length of the bundh will be 65 mtr. It will create a big water body with an area of 4.5 hectares. The check dam will be used for providing drinking water to the nearby families, pisciculture, irrigation etc. Around 25% of the work had already been completed. On the day of visit 150 workers have been engaged for this purpose. I suggested to construct one 'ghat' at high reaches which will be used for bathing purpose by the villagers.

(Action by BDO,MNU)

8. I visited nearby TSR Camp at Manik Choudhury Para on the request of Asstt. Co. Sri Ali who accompanied me at the time of inspection. The camp has been maintained cleanly. I have suggested Asstt. Co. to take up some plantation work in and around TSR camp. The fund can be provided under NREGA by the concerned BDO on request.

(Action by BDO,MNU/Asstt. Co. TSR)

9. On my way back, I inspected few small works which have been already completed by the implementing officers.

10. All the works inspected did not have any sign board at work sites. I.O's have been asked to put sign boards with the start of any work, otherwise 1% of the estimated cost will be deducted from the salary of the I.O.

11. At all these work sites, the attendance registers were maintained but not with full details & proper signatures. The BDO to ensure that attendance is maintained properly at work sites.

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- The BDO,SLM, Dhalai for information and n/a.
- The Asstt. Co, TSR, Manu for information and n/a.

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2. The Commissioner & Secretary, Govt. of Tripura, RD Department for kind information.
3. The PS to the Chief Secretary, Tripura for kind information of the Chief Secretary.

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