

Sub: Major activities/decisions taken during the month of May, 2014.

Ref : a) Dept. of Disability Affairs, MSJE O.M. no. 13-01/2014-DD-IV dated 28.04.2014.

b) D.O. letter No. 14-1/2011-DD-IV dated 22.9.2012 from Secretary, Dept. of Disability Affairs, MSJE, GoI.

With reference to the above, I am directed to forward herewith the major activities of the Corporation in the prescribed format (enclosed at **enclosure-I**) which may be considered for the monthly D.O. letter to the Cabinet Secretary.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

For National Handicapped Finance and
Development Corporation

(R.K. Mishra)
Company Secretary

Encl.: As above

Enclosure-I

Significant inputs required to be included in the monthly D.O. to Cabinet Secretary

(i)	Important policy decisions taken during the month under report;	Nil
(ii)	Important policy matters under consideration, including proposals submitted to the SFC/EFC/ Cabinet/ Cabinet Committee;	Nil
(iii)	Important policy aspects/matters held up on account of prolonged inter-Ministerial consultations/delays, etc;	Nil
(iv)	Any item(s) pending in the Cabinet Secretariat;	Nil
(v)	Important developments in areas like export performance, industrial production, price situation and other events of public importance;	Nil
(vi)	Targets relating to key programmes/ projects along with performance against the targets during, and upto, the month in respect of each programme/ project;	The physical & financial achievements of the Corporation during financial year 2014-15 are set out at Annexure-I .
(vii)	Compliance status of the decisions of the Cabinet/Cabinet committees pending for implementation, along with: (a) Reasons for non-implementation, if not implemented, and likely date by which implementation would be complete; (b) Deviations, if any, from the decision of the Cabinet/Cabinet Committees, with details such as nature of deviations, whether fresh approval of Cabinet/ Cabinet Committees has been taken and whether the matter has been brought to the notice of the Minister in –charge.	Nil
(viii)	Compliance status of the decisions of the Committee of Secretaries (COS) pending for implementation, along with constraints in implementation and likely date by which implementation would be complete.	Nil
(ix)	Particulars of cases in which there has been a departure from the Transaction of Business Rules or established policy of the Government ; and	Nil
(x)	Any other important development/s that the Secretary wants to bring to the notice of Cabinet Secretary/PMO	Additional information is attached at Annexure-II for further decision.

Annexure-I

Additional information concerning financial and physical achievements for the month of April to May, 2014

Sl.	Particulars	Financial Targets & achievements (Amt. in Rs. Crore)			Physical Targets & achievements (Nos.)		
		Allocation/ Target for F.Y. 2014- 15	Target for April to May, 2014	Disburse ment	Target for 2014-15	Target for April to May, 2014	Achieve ment
1.	Term Loan	100.00	16.67	0.69	14000	2333	46
1.1	Micro Finance			NIL		-	-
1.2	Others (Education Loan)			0.05		-	3
1	Total	100.00	16.67	0.74	14000	2333	49
2.	Skill Development Training (No. Of Persons trained/ to be trained)	-	-	-	1100	183	Nil

Notes:

1. Targets stated above are as stated in MoU for Financial Year 2014-15 (Excellent Target)
2. * Includes estimated number of beneficiaries against advance funds released to implementing agencies.

Assistance extended by the Corporation and Equity support from GoI

(Amt. in Rs. Cr)

Sl.	Particulars	Allocation for 2014-15	Amount Received during 2014-15	Utilised for Release of Loan during 2014-15
1.	Equity Support from Government	35.00	Nil	Nil
2.	Internal Resources	65.00	Not Applicable	0.74
Total		100.00	Nil	0.74

1. SANCTION & RELEASE OF LOANS

During the month of May, 2014, the Corporation sanctioned and released loans for the benefit of persons with disabilities as under:

<u>Sanction</u>		<u>Release</u>	
<u>Amount</u> (in Rs. Lakhs)	<u>No. of</u> <u>Beneficiaries</u>	<u>Amount</u> (in Rs. Lakhs)	<u>No. of</u> <u>Beneficiaries</u>
1.25	5	6.20	6

(*)Estimated number of beneficiaries against the advance fund.

2. AWARENESS PROGRAMME

NHFDC conducted awareness camp on NHFDC schemes at 'Yogadhy Puja Fair' at Khirogram, Mongolkote – Block, Sub Division-Katwa, Dist. Burdwan, (West Bengal) on 15th-16th May, 2014. During the awareness camp, all schemes of NHFDC including self-employment, education loan and scholarship schemes administered by the Corporation were explained. The print material of the schemes of the corporation were made available in Hindi, English and Bengali.

During the awareness camp, an audio on NHFDC schemes was played in regional language, i.e. Bengali. Large number of visitors including Persons with Disabilities visited Yogadha Puja fair and the stall set up by NHFDC and were informed about various schemes for the benefit of Persons with Disabilities. Shri Anil Kumar, Chief Manager (P&A) and Dr. Vineet Rana, Manager (Projects) of NHFDC were present at the awareness camp. These officers of the corporation also met the SDO, Katwa, Medical Superintendent, Katwa, Secretary, Red Cross Society, Katwa and BDO, Mongolkote - Block and impressed upon them to use their offices to create awareness about NHFDC schemes for the benefit of PwDs. They were also requested to explore the possibility of organizing a mega awareness camp on NHFDC schemes alongwith distribution of Aids & Appliances and organizing a camp for issue of disability certificates in liaison with local administration.

3. MEETINGS/FUNCTIONS

During the month of May, 2014 the following important meetings have taken place;

a) 6th May, 2014

Review meeting was taken by Secretary, Department of Disability Affairs, M/o SJ&E, GoI at New Delhi regarding schemes for the benefit of Persons with Disabilities (PwDs). CMD, NHFDC alongwith officials of the Corporation attended the meeting.

b) 7th May, 2014

Secretary, Department of Disability Affairs, MSJE took review meeting of National Institutes under Department of Disability Affairs, MSJE & NHFDC at New Delhi. At this meeting, interalia, targets of imparting skill training to Persons with Disabilities for the financial year 2014-15 was discussed. CMD, NHFDC alongwith Manager (Project) attended the meeting.

c) 9th May, 2014

- i) A meeting was held between CMD, NHFDC and Joint Secretary, M/o Housing & Urban Poverty Alleviation (HUPA) regarding implementation of National Urban Livelihood Mission Scheme with focus on PwDs. Manager (Project), NHFDC also attended the meeting.
- ii) A meeting was held with General Manager, Engineers India Ltd. at New Delhi for financial assistance for Skill development of PwDs under Corporate Social Responsibility. Manager (Project), NHFDC alongwith Asst. Manager (Pers.) attended the meeting.

d) 20th May, 2014

- i) A meeting was held between CMD, NHFDC and Jt. Secretary & CEO, National Trust at New Delhi. Officials of NHFDC also attended the said meeting. At the meeting, besides other common issues, remodeling of National Trust Schemes, i.e., Gyan Prabha (Scholarship Scheme) and Uddyam Prabha was discussed for effective implementation and reaching out to Persons with Disabilities.
- ii) A meeting was held between Manager (Project), NHFDC and General Manager, Punjab & Sind Bank at New Delhi for entering into collaborative arrangement with the Bank for extending collateral free concessional loan to Persons with Disabilities (PwDs).
- iii) A meeting was held between Manager (Project), NHFDC and General Manager (Priority Sector), Punjab National Bank (PNB) at New Delhi regarding enhancing the flow of concessional credit to PwDs under NHFDC schemes.

e) 22nd May, 2014

Manager (Project), NHFDC attended 2nd meeting of working group constituted to look into various issues involved for improving the reach and effectiveness of VRC for Handicapped was held at Ministry of Labour & Employment, Shram Shakti Bhawan, New Delhi.

f) 23rd May, 2014

A meeting was held at Rajendra Place, New Delhi between Manager (Project), NHFDC and officials of Punjab National Bank (PNB) operating in NCR. At the said meeting, officials of the Bank were apprised about the collaborative arrangement between the Bank and NHFDC and the officials of the Bank were requested to enhance the flow of concessional credit to PwDs under NHFDC schemes.

g) 24th May, 2014

A meeting was taken by Secretary, Department of Disability Affairs, M/o SJ&E, GoI at New Delhi on NHFDC schemes. CMD, NHFDC alongwith officials of the Corporation attended the meeting. At this meeting, interalia NHFDC was reposed with the responsibility of creating a National Job Portal for PwDs.

h) 26th May, 2014

Separate meetings were held at Gurgaon (Haryana) between CMD, NHFDC and Executive Director, Power Grid Corporation and Executive Director, RITES. The possibility of channelizing the funds earmarked by respective CPSEs (under Corporate Social Responsibility policy) for the benefit of PwDs were discussed at the meeting.

i) 28th May, 2014

CMD, NHFDC visited Hon'ble Minister for MSJ&E, GoI and briefed him about the corporation and its operations.

4. HRD ACTIVITIES

- a) CMD, NHFDC conducted inquiry on 20th May, 2014 at 11.00 hours at the Registered office of the Corporation (at Faridabad, Haryana) in respect of complaint of Ms. Manju Verma, TGT, Model School for Visually Handicapped, NIVH, Dehradun. The said complaint was received from Department of Disability Affairs, MSJE for conducting inquiry.
- b) Shri A.K. Dey, Dy. General Manager of the Corporation retired on superannuation from the services of the Corporation with effect from 31.5.2014.
