

MINUTES OF THE DISTRICT DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE'S (DDC) MEETING HELD ON 22.01.2025 AT 11:30 A.M FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 2025 IN THE NEW CONFERENCE HALL OF O/o THE DISTRICT COMMISSIONER, CACHAR

No. TND-27/15/2023-DEV/MNL/1

Dated, Silchar, the 13th February 2025

Subject	Minutes of the Meeting of District Development Committee, Cachar
Date & Time	22nd January 2025, 11:30 AM
Venue	New Conference Hall of the District Commissioner, Cachar
Participants	Annexure-1.1
Absentees	Annexure-1.2
Fund Receipt & Utilization	Annexure-A(Received) & B (Not Received)
Physical Progress	Annexure-C(for current year) & Annexure-D(for previous years)

The meeting was chaired by **Shri Norsing Bey, ACS, District Development Commissioner, Cachar**. At the outset, the Chairman welcomed all the members present at the meeting and briefly explained the purpose of the meeting. Thereafter, the Chairman reviewed the Actions Taken report of each department regarding resolutions taken as per the minutes of the previous District Development Committee (DDC) Meeting held on December, 2024.

After thorough discussion, the following decisions and resolutions were made and the respective Head of Offices were assigned responsibility for the actions taken

Category-A: Department Specific

Sl. No.	Sector	Administrative Department	Scheme (s) & Project (s)	Decision/Actions to be taken	Agency Responsible & Timeline
1	Human Development	Health		<p>Construction Projects: DDC Cachar reviewed the status of construction projects under the Pradhan Mantri Ayushman Bharat Health Infrastructure Mission (PM-ABHIM) & JICA.</p> <p>Jt.DHS Cachar informed that the Construction of PHC at Dwarbond in Cachar District from FC XV Health Grant under NHM, Assam is held up by contractor. Letter has been issued</p>	Jt. DHS Cachar

				<p>to M.D NHM for necessary action.</p> <p>Jt.DHS Cachar also informed that the Construction Project under JICA has just started.</p> <p>DDC Cachar emphasized the need to expedite all pending and upcoming health infrastructure projects so that Cachar can perform with a decent score in the District ranking Framework.</p> <p>Staffing Issues: DDC Cachar directed Jt. DHS Cachar to resolve the shortage of doctors at Darmikhal which was recorded in the last DDC Meeting as well.</p> <p>POWERGRID CSR: The Jt. DHS briefed the house that 5 nos of equipments & 7 nos of DG Sets have been installed at SMCH & BPHCs as per MoU respectively. DDC Cachar directed the Jt. DHS & DPM NHM (Project Manager) to expedite the process for smooth completion of payments to respective vendors.</p>	
2	Human Development	Labour		<p>The ALC Cachar briefed about the Child Labour Prevention Drive in Cachar alongwith the following inspections conducted:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. ASSAM SHOPS AND ESTABLISHMENT ACT, 1971 – 25 Inspections 2. CHILD AND ADOLESCENT LABOUR (P&R)ACT, 1986/CISS (Children In Street Situations)- 5 Inspections 3. PLANTATION LABOUR ACT, 1951- 2 Inspections 4. CONTRACT LABOUR (A&R) ACT, 1970- 10 Inspections <p>DDC Cachar directed to enquire about incidents of Bonded Labour and carry out surprise inspection at Brick kilns</p>	ALC, Cachar

				& issue show cause accordingly.	
3	Infrastructure	Irrigation		<p style="text-align: center;">• Lakhipur Division(Irrigation)</p> <p>The EE, Lakhipur Division(Irrigation) briefed the house about the Solar Powered MDTW Scheme at Kaptanpur Pt-XVI, Baskandi under RIDF NABARD-XXVIII for the year 2022-23 having 71% Progress & the Electric Lift Irrigation Scheme (ELIS) (21 point) under PMKSY-HKKP-SMI for the year 2022-23- with 30% progress.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">• Dholai-Sonai Division</p> <p>The EE, briefed the house about the ERM Sonai IS (4 Nos of pump centre) under SOPD-G for the year 2023-24 (Repairing works)- having a Physical Progress of 85%</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Silchar-Udharbond Division (Irrigation): The EE highlighted the details of Renovation & Extension of Salchapra LIS at Ramnagar p/c under SOPD-G for the year 2023-24 having Physical Progress of 80%.</p> <p>The DDC Cachar took note of all the ongoing projects being executed by the department. The chair expressed his concerns over the delays in few projects and directed the concerned official to expedite it at the earliest.</p>	EE,IRRIGATION ALL DIVISIONS, CACHAR
4	Human Development	Sports		<p>The DSO Cachar briefed the house that the preparations of Khel Maharan 2.0 is going on in full swing. He further highlighted that 2nd & 3rd Instalments of CMSGUY have been released.</p> <p>DDC Cachar directed DSO to take note of the Works where UCs of installments have not been submitted and directed him to expedite it at the earliest.</p>	DSO, Cachar
5	Rural Economy	Veterinary		<p>The DVO provided a detailed status update on various veterinary schemes and projects currently in progress. He highlighted that the process of</p>	DVO, Cachar

			<p>Artificial Insemination & Vaccination is going on smoothly. An overview was given by him-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lumpy Skin disease vaccination(under ASCAD): 1st Round 46000 doses (Completed in 2023), 2nd round completed 46000 doses (Completed in August 2024) • Anti Rabies Vaccination: First Round 2000 Dose in 2023 and Second Round (1500) Ongoing. • Artificial Insemination done: 1240 nos.(Sex sorted Semen 44, Conventional Semen 1196) Govt AIT 154 under RGM MAITRI no. 25 Gopal MITRA 5 nos. <p>He also briefed the house that Utilization Certificate to be submitted soon for NLM under Directorate of A.H & Veterinary, Assam. DDC Cachar directed the DVO to expedite it at the earliest.</p>	
6	Human Development	FPD &CA	<p>The Superintendent (FPD &CA) provided a detailed update on the current status of various projects in Cachar.</p> <p>NFSA RATION CARDS AND BENEFICIARY DETAILS : (as per FEAST data)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Updated for January, 2025 2. Total Ration Cards(PHH & AAY)- 3,85,693 <p><u>E-SHRAM REPORT OF CACHAR DISTRICT</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. TOTAL E-SHRAM REGISTRANTS -27079 2. TOTAL E-SHRAM MIGRANTS POPULATION APPROVED IN RCMS - 4718 3. TOTAL INELIGIBLE REGISTRANTS -6689 <p><u>LIFTING AND DISTRIBUTION OF NFSA RICE :</u></p>	Superintendent (FPD &CA)

				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 74355.19 Quintal Distributed <p><u>PMUY (Pradhan Mantri Ujjawala Yojana)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In Cachar district total 173958 no. of Gas connections were provided under PMUY during 1st Phase. • 2nd phase as on date is 57,742. <p>The DDC Cachar took note of all the ongoing projects and directed the concerned official to expedite all the pendency's at the earliest to achieve the targets set by the government.</p>	
7	Infrastructure	DICC		<p>The General Manager of DICC provided a detailed status update on several ongoing schemes, including the Prime Minister's Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP), PM VISWAKARMA, & CM AAA highlighting their progress</p> <p>Action on PMEGP Pendencies: DDC Cachar emphasized the need to address the pending applications under the PMEGP scheme, urging timely follow-ups to facilitate their implementation by making necessary co-ordination with banks in the upcoming DCC meeting.</p> <p>Delays in PM VISWAKARMA: The DDC directed the GM DICC, to identify the onboarding issues affecting the PM VISWAKARMA scheme & stressed upon the importance of resolving these delays.</p>	GM, DICC, Cachar
8	Rural Economy	Handloom and Textiles		<p>The Assistant Director provided a detailed status update on various handloom and textiles schemes and projects currently in progress:</p> <p>Chief Minister's Flagship Programme "Swanirbhar Naari" for the year 2022-23. (2nd Phase)- 25% Progress: Sale of products is</p>	Asst. Director, Handloom and Textile, Cachar

				<p>going on through Swanirbhar Naari sale portal from the total procured products of 1st & 2nd Phase amounting to Rs. 46,200/- (Excluding Tax)</p> <p>Small Cluster Development Programme under NHDP- Yet to be started but Selection of beneficiaries already completed for distribution of Looms & Accessories, Const. of workshed & Lighting unit.</p> <p>The DDC Cachar took note of all the ongoing projects and directed the concerned official to expedite all the pendency's at the earliest to achieve the targets set by the government</p>	
9	Rural Economy	Sericulture		<p>The Assistant Director presented a detailed overview of various sericulture schemes and projects currently underway and their progresses since the last DDC Meeting</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A proposal for 4.5 Muga indent has been sent to the Director of Sericulture, Guwahati. 2. Preparation for the Celebration of 76th Republic Day 2025 is in full swing at all Govt. Farms and Centers under ADS, Cachar 	Asst. Director, Sericulture, Cachar
10	Infrastructure	PWD- Building		<p>Executive Engineer, PWD (B), Cachar</p> <p>(Lakhipur, Borkhola Katigorah) TBD</p> <p>The Executive Engineer, PWD (B), provided an update on the project's status, stating that the Administrative Approval (A.A.) amount is ₹135.07 crore, while the tendered amount stands at ₹123.55 crore. The project is being executed by M/s Bharat Infra Project Ltd, with work having commenced on 4th February 2022. As per the contract, the project has a completion timeline of 36 months. Currently, the physical progress</p>	EE,PWD(B),ALL DIVISIONS, CACHAR

			<p>stands at 45%, while the financial progress is recorded at 39.49%.</p> <p>The DDC CACHAR expressed his concern on the delay of the project and directed the concerned department to prepare a comprehensive plan on the date itself to ensure project completion within September 2025.</p> <p>Executive Engineer, PWD (B), Cachar</p> <p>(Silchar, Udharbond, Dholai, Sonai) TBD</p> <p>The New Auditorium cum District Library in Silchar is being constructed by M/S Ganapati Construction Company with a bid amount of ₹25.93 crore. The project commenced on 24th February 2020 with an initial completion timeline of 24 months. Physical Progress: 62% (Auditorium: 72%, Library: 40%) Financial Progress: ₹6.42 crore. Pending Liability: ₹5.87 crore. Bill Under Preparation: ₹2.12 crore. The Revised Targeted Completion: December 2025</p> <p>The executing agency highlighted the issue of pending payments, which is causing delays in project completion.</p>	
11	Infrastructure	PHE	<p>Swachh Bharat Mission Grameen Phase- II- MCF (CMCF & MMCF) 61% (Construction will be done by P&RD Deptt.)</p> <p>Silchar (PHE) Division No.I, Silchar:</p> <p>Augmentation of Silchar Town water supply scheme under SOPD (G) (C.M.'s special package for Barak Valley)- Payment already made for outstanding liabilities. Few incomplete components works is in progress. Balance fund is yet to be</p>	<p>EE Silchar (PHE) Division No.I, Silchar:</p> <p>&</p> <p>EE Silchar (PHE) Division No.II, Silchar</p>

				<p>released.</p> <p>Silchar (PHE) Division No.II, Silchar:</p> <p>JJM- Total Number of Works: 476 62 works -100% complete; 37 Not yet started</p> <p>The DDC Cachar took note of all the ongoing projects and directed the concerned officials of both the divisions to expedite all the pendency's at the earliest to achieve the targets.</p>	
12	Infrastructure	PWD(R)- Borkhola, Katigorah TRD		<p>Project Status: Borkhola-Kalain (Assam Mala-1)</p> <p>The Borkhola-Kalain road project (Assam Mala-1) involves the construction of a 21.378 km stretch of road, and it is being carried out under the LOA No. CE/ARNIP/23/2022/34. The key details of the project are as: Date of Appointment: 31st March 2023; Scheduled Date of Completion: 29th September 2025; Contract Value for Civil Works: ₹103.93 crore; Project Length: 21.378 km; Physical Progress: 27.38%; Construction Supervision Consultant: Nippon Koei India Pvt. Ltd. (JV with DAINICHI Consultant Inc.); Contractor: M/s DCA-VIDPL JV</p> <p>The DDC Cachar took note of it & directed the Executive Engineer (EE) to ensure the complete maintenance of the existing road, highlighting that it must be properly maintained until the new road is completed.</p>	PWD(R)- Borkhola, Katigorah TRD
13	Infrastructure	PWD (R)- Silchar Udharbond TRD		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meherpur-Medical Road <p>The EE briefed the house about the upgradation of the road from Birbal Bazar to Silchar Medical College Point (2-lane to 4-lane, 1.93 km) and mentioned that there is a pending</p>	PWD (R)- Silchar Udharbond TRD

			<p>Administrative Approval with the Chief Engineer</p> <p>The chair directed the EE, PWD (Roads) to make immediate follow-up in expediting the approval process from the Chief Engineer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shibari Road - Sinking Zone (Elevated Road Project) <p>The Executive Engineer, PWD, provided an update on the Shibari Road - Sinking Zone, highlighting that the layer of soil is creating hindrances in piling. The work has been awarded to Hitech Ecogreen Contractors LLP at cost of Rs. 63.72 crores.</p> <p>Initially, construction of the elevated road with RCC micro piles of 400mm dia was taken up. Owing to the weak strata of the soil at 32m, the stability of the structure was at risk. To overcome the technical problem, the Chief Engineer PWD Roads, Assam directed to conduct another driving pile with 600mm dia up to 40.00 m depth, which showed stable strata. As on 27.1.2024, soil samples are being tested for determination of different soil parameters, necessary for modification of pipe design.</p> <p>Recognizing the critical importance of this infrastructure, DDC Cachar directed officials of PWRD to expedite the work at the earliest.</p>	
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The meeting ended with vote of thanks from the Chair.



District Development Commissioner,
Cachar

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Dated, Silchar, the 13th February 2025

1. The Spl Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Transformation & Development Department, Guwahati for favour of kind information.
2. The Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Transformation & Development Department, Guwahati for favour of kind information
3. The Director(DCP), Transformation & Development Department, Guwahati for favour of kind information.
4. The Addl. District Commissioner (All), Cachar for favour of information.
5. The Co-District Commissioner, Lakhimpur for information.
6. The Circle Officer (All), Cachar for information.
7. P A to the District Commissioner, Cachar for kind appraisal of the District Commissioner, Cachar
8. The D.I.O., N.I.C., Cachar, Silchar with the request to upload the same in the District website
9. All members concerned.



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