MINUTES OF THE 11<sup>th</sup> MEETING OF PROJECT APPROVAL BOARD (PAB) HELD ON 23.05.2014 AT 10.00 AM TO CONSIDER PROPOSALS UNDER THE MODEL SCHOOL SCHEME IN THE STATE OF JHARKHAND.

11<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Project Approval Board (PAB) for the Model School Scheme was held on 23.05.2014 in the Ministry of HRD under the Chairpersonship of Secretary (SE&L) to consider proposal from the State Govt. of Jharkhand. List of participants is appended.

- 2. Initiating the meeting, Secretary (SE.I), D/o SE&L welcomed the participants.
- 3. Thereafter, Deputy Secretary(RMSA-III) made a presentation on the status of implementation of the scheme in the State and current proposal for setting up of 75 model schools in as many Educationally Backward Blocks(EBBs) of the State Government. The Ministry has so far approved model schools in 89 blocks of the State (40 schools in 2010-11 and 49 schools in 2011-12) and non-recurring grants amounting to Rs. 46.43 crore for 40 schools was released during 2011-12. However, the State Government has not made any progress and till date no expenditure has been incurred. Due to this, funds could not be released for 49 model schools. DS(RMSA.III) stated that the present proposal of the State Govt is for seeking approval of 75 model schools and all the schools fulfill the norms of the Model School Scheme regarding availability of land and distance from the Block HQs except **05** schools where land availability is slightly less than the prescribed norms. DS(RMSA.III) also pointed out that there is some anomaly in the number of EBBs in the State as available with MHRD being 201 EBBs vis-à-vis as submitted by the State Govt. the number of EBBs being 203. DS stated that the aforesaid anomaly would be reconciled and corrected accordingly.
- 4. Secretary(SE&L) expressed concern regarding very slow progress of implementation of the scheme by the State Govt. Considering the present scenario, the State is in need of more schools, this pace of progress will not help the State in getting more schools. It was stated that merely approving the proposals without having potential of releasing of fund during the current financial year would deprive the funds to those States who are in need of fund due to pace of implementation of scheme in their State.

- 5. The State Govt. agreed that the pace of implementation was not as per the mark and informed that the tenders for all the 89 model schools have already been floated on 7<sup>th</sup> March, 2014. However, due to imposition of Model Code of Conduct on account of General Elections, 2014, the tenders could not be finalized. The same are likely to be opened in the last of week of May, 2014 after which the utilization of funds would speed-up. The State Govt. showed a degree of confidence as to the fact that the construction work would be started before the onset of monsoon. It assured that they would try their best for utilization of available funds by September, 2014 and would provide Utilisation Certificates for the same. They also assured that the construction work in respect of the proposed 75 model schools would also be started very shortly. The state has given an assurance that they would be spending the money available with them in the next 4-5 months. It would enable MHRD to release funds as first instalment for 49 model schools and second instalment for 40 model schools.
- 6. It was observed that as per Education Indicators presented by the State Govt. vide its AWP&B 2014-15, the Gross Enrolment Ratio at Secondary level is 60.47% which has abnormally been decreased from 67.44% in the year 2012-13 is an area of concern. The dropout rate at state level has been 2.87% in the year 2013-14 being on the high side requires special attention and intervention. The transition rate which shows the percentage of children moving at the secondary level (from class VIII to IX), was 80.59% in the year 2013-14 has also decreased from previous year. Further, Student Classroom Ratio (SCR) has also decreased considerably from 92 in 2012-13 to 78 in the year 2013-14.
- 7. Considering the above facts, it was felt that State of Jharkhand requires an impetus for development of its education sector especially at the secondary level. PAB also noted the commitment of the State Govt to utilize the existing funds by September, 2014. PAB approved all the 75 model schools in the State of Jharkhand. The list of approved schools is placed at Annexure-I.

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#### **Appendix**

List of participants of 11<sup>th</sup> meeting of Project Approval Board (PAB) held on 23.05.2014 at 10.00 a.m. to consider proposal of the State of Jharkhand under the Model School scheme

 Shri Rajarshi Bhattacharya Secretary, Department of School Education & Literacy, Ministry of HRD, New Delhi In Chair

- Ms. Radha S. Chauhan
   Joint Secretary (SE.I),
   Department of School Education & Literacy,
   Ministry of HRD, New Delhi
- Shri Anil Kakaria,
   Deputy Secretary (Finance)
   Department of School Education & Literacy,
   Ministry of HRD, New Delhi
- 4. Ms. Nita Gupta
  Deputy Secretary (MS & RMSA-III)
  Department of School Education & Literacy,
  Ministry of HRD, New Delhi
- Shri Dinesh Kumar
   Additional Commissioner (Academics.),
   Kendriya Vidyalaya Sanghthan,
   New Delhi
- Shri Dalbir Singh
   Under Secretary (MS & RMSA-III)
   Department of School Education & Literacy,
   Ministry of HRD, New Delhi

#### **Govt. of Jharkhand**

- Shri K. Vidyasagar,
   Principal Secretary, HRD,
   Jharkhand
- 10. Shri P.K. Toppo, State Project Director Jharkhand

- 11. Shri Ratan Bhushan Shrivastava, Ex-Engineer, SPO Jharkhand
- 12. Shri. Ratan Kumar Singh, Nodal Officer Jharkhand
- 13. Shri Jitender Kumar, State MIS Incharge Jharkhand

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## **Annexure-I**

# List of 75 Model Schools approved in Jharkhand

					Location of Land with
Sr. No.	District	Block	Class (VI to XII) or (IX to XII)	Land Area (in	Distance from Block H.Q.
1	Bokaro	Nawadih	VI To XII	<b>Acre)</b> 5.00	Block H.Q.
2	Bokaro	Bermo	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
3	Bokaro	Peterbar	VI To XII	5.57	Block H.Q.
4	Bokaro	Kasmar	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
5	Bokaro	Jaridih	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
6	Bokaro	Chas	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
7	Bokaro		VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
8		Chandankyari			-
	Chatra	Chatra	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
9	Chatra	Gidhaur	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
10	Chatra	Tandwa	VI To XII	8.00	Block H.Q.
11	Deoghar	Mohanpur	VI To XII	35.73	Block H.Q.
12	Deoghar	Sarath	VI To XII	33.00	Block H.Q.
13	Deoghar	Palojori	VI To XII	14.00	Block H.Q.
14	Deoghar	Deoghar	VI To XII	4.89	4 km. from Block H.Q.
15	Deoghar	Sarwan	VI To XII	5.00	5 km. from Block H.Q.
16	Deoghar	Devipur	VI To XII	5.00	5 km. from Block H.Q.
17	Deoghar	Madhupur	VI To XII	5.00	3 km. from Block H.Q.
18	Deoghar	Karown	VI To XII	5.00	5 km. from Block H.Q.
19	Dhanbad	Topchanchi	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
20	Dhanbad	Baliapur	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
21	Dhanbad	Nirsa Cum Chirkunda	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
22	Dumka	Jama	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
23	Garhwa	Garhwa	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
24	Garhwa	Meral	VI To XII	5.16	Block H.Q.
25	Garhwa	Ranka	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
26	Garhwa	Ramkanda	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
27	Garhwa	Dandai	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
28	Garhwa	Bhandaria	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
29	Garhwa	Ramna	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
30	Garhwa	Bhawnathpur	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
31	Garhwa	Chinia	VI To XII	4.50	Block H.Q.
32	Girdih	Jamua	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
33	Hazaribagh	Padma	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
34	Hazaribagh	Katkamsandi	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
35	Hazaribagh	Keredari	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
36	Hazaribagh	Barkagaon	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
37	Hazaribagh	Churchu	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
38	Jamtara	Nala	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.

## **Annexure-I**

# **List of 75 Model Schools Approved in Jharkhand**

			Class (VI to XII)	Land Area (in	Location of Land with Distance from Block
Sr. No.	District	Block	or (IX to XII)	Acre)	H.Q.
39	Jamtara	Kundhit	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
40	Jamtara	Naryanapur	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
41	Khunti*	Murhu	VI To XII	5.07	Block H.Q.
42	Khunti*	Rania	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
43	Koderma	Satgawan	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
44	Pakaur	Hiranpur	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
45	Pakaur	Pakuria	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
46	Pakaur	Maheshur	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
47	Palamu	Hussainabad	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
48	Palamu	Bishrampur	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
49	Palamu	Patan	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
50	Palamu	Panki	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
51	Palamu	Satbarwa	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
52	Palamu	Daltonganj	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
53	Palamu	Hariharganj	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
54	Palamu	Chhatarpur	VI To XII	4.79	Block H.Q.
55	Paschimi Singhbhum	Khuntpani	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
56	Paschimi Singhbhum	Chaibasa	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
57	Paschimi Singhbhum	Chakradharpur	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
58	Paschimi Singhbhum	Goilkera	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
		Noamundi			
59	Paschimi Singhbhum	(Barajamda)	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
60	Paschimi Singhbhum	Manjhari	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
61	Paschimi Singhbhum	Kumardungi	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
62	Purvi Singhbhum	Potka	VI To XII	4.50	Block H.Q.
63	Ramgarh**	Patratu	VI To XII	4.00	Block H.Q.
64	Ramgarh**	Mandu	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
65	Ramgarh**	Ramgarh	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
66	Ramgarh**	Gola	VI To XII	6.12	Block H.Q.
67	Ranchi	Silli	VI To XII	5.05	Block H.Q.
68	Ranchi	Sonahatu	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
69	Ranchi	Ormanjhi	VI To XII	4.01	Block H.Q.
70	Sahebganj	Sahebganj	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
71	Sahibganj	Barharwa	VI To XII	4.00	Block H.Q.
72	Simdega	Bolba	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
73	Simdega	Thethaitangar	VI To XII	5.16	Block H.Q.
74	West Singhbhum	Manjgaon	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.
75	West Singhbhum	Bandgaon	VI To XII	5.00	Block H.Q.