

Minutes of Review Meeting held in Pune, Maharashtra with Resource Institutions (RIs) on 6th Feb, 2018.

A Review meeting was held under the Chairmanship of MD, SFAC, to review the performance of Resource Institutions in the State of Maharashtra on 6th Feb 2018. The meeting was attended by representative of all Resource Institution and representative from NFSM Division, DAC&FW. List of participants is enclosed at Annexure-I.

Small Farmers' Agribusiness Consortium (SFAC) has been implementing the project of promoting Farmer Producer Organizations (FPOs) in the State of Maharashtra under Tribal Development Programme (TDD) Programme (25 FPOs), NDP-NFSM Project (10 FPOs) and Vegetable for Urban Cluster (5 FPO). Six RIs were involved in promotion of FPOs in the State of Maharashtra. The agenda for the review meeting was:

1. The current status of FPCs registered against the target.
2. The details of market linkage done for the FPOs/ FPCs listing the problem areas and remedy to overcome the problems.
3. Convergence with the various schemes of the State Government.
4. Mobilisation of Share Capital
5. Status of Equity Grant and Credit Guarantee applications.
6. Business Plans of the FPCs.
7. Proposed interventions to strengthen FPCs post registration.
8. Updation of information of FPOs in Sugyan
9. Action plan
10. Any other suggestions towards attaining sustainable FPCs are welcome

Minutes of Meeting:

The points which were discussed in the review meeting:

The meeting was started with the introduction of Resource Institutions; representative from State Government were not present during the meeting. At the outset, Managing Director, SFAC, welcomed all participants and broadly explained the objectives of the review meeting. The point wise agenda for the meeting were discussed with all RIs as below:

1. Registration of FPCs : It was noticed that all the FPCs against the target were registered by all RIs.

2. Market linkage/ Convergence :

- All the FPCs promoted by Dilasa Janvikas Pratishthan under VIUC are into Tomato production. The FPCs are also undertaking processing and packaging the puree and selling to local market. MD, SFAC insisted to go for branding and marketing of produce. Dilasa Janvikas Pratishthan communicated that due to drought, FPCs are facing problem in producing vegetables. They requested that in addition to vegetable, FPCs may be allowed to produce maize etc. The proposal of Dilasa Janvikas Pratishthan was welcomed by the chair.
- VGAI has communicated that FPCs has already made a marketing arrangement for all FPCs. FPCs are trading its produce directly to consumers through local haats, weekly bazar at Nashik and its own outlets. One of the Strawberry FPCs has also tied up with Surat Strawberry traders and with exporters. MD, SFAC expressed its view to properly market the produce to fetch better price to FPCs.
- Krushi Vikas has communicated that they have already tied up FPCs with Suguna Solvex. and future market. FPCs are also operating hair Amin distribution point.
- ALC and Krushi Vikas communicated that they are in process tying up of forest/ medicinal produce of FPC with Patanjali.

- VGAI has communicated that FPCs promoted under TDD are into production of Potato. These FPCs are procuring seed potato from Punjab and Haryana FPCs.
- All the NFSM FPCs were also involved in MSP procurement of pulses. Yavatmal 3 FPC got sanctioned from MACPs FCSC programme of Rs 13.5 lakh- Govt convergence.
- M/s Ralegon FPC received a land of 4300 sqft from local gram panchayat.
- MD, SFAC communicated that a mail group may be created to share information of convergence of FPCs with other scheme.

3. Mobilisation of Share Capital and Status of EGCGF applications:

MD, SFAC reviewed FPO wise share mobilized by RI and the status of EG application. Details are as under:

S.No.	Name of RI	Name of FPO	FPO wise share collected (in Rs.)	Minutes wrt Equity Grant application
A. FPOs under TDD Programme				
1	Krushi Vikas Va Gramin Prashikshan Sanstha (KVVGPS)	M/s Jivan Samrudhhi Krushi Vikas Adivasi Farmers Producer Company Ltd.	530,400	EG sanctioned by SFAC
2		M/s Gram Samrudhhi Krushi Vikas Adivasi Farmers Producer Company Ltd.	307,200	
3		M/s Manika Devi Krushi Vikas Adivasi Farmers Producer Company Ltd.	192,000	
4		M/s Saibaba Krushi Vikas Farmers Producer Company Ltd.	126,000	
5		M/s Krushkonnati Krushi Vikas Adivasi Farmers Producer Company Ltd.	530,000	
6	Krushi Vikas Va Gramin Prashikshan Sanstha (KVVGPS)	M/s Ralegaon Krushi Vikas Adivasi Womens Farmer Producer Company Ltd.	121,000	RI communicated that the Equity will be increased by March, 2018. After the audit of the FPOs the EG application will be submitted to SFAC by March, 2018.
7		M/s Kalamb Krushi Vikas Adivasi Farmers Producer Company Ltd.	144,150	
8		M/s Maregaon Krushi Vikas Adivasi Farmers Producer Company Ltd.	100,000	
9		M/s Kelapur Krushi Vikas Adivasi Farmers Producer Company Ltd.	500,000	
10		M/s Ghatanji Krushi Vikas Adivasi Farmers Producer Company Ltd.	500,000	
11	Indian Grameen Services (IGS)	M/s Dharni Adiwasi Producer Company Limited	84,000	RI communicated that the fund has been collected by the farmer member and is available at FIG level which needs to be transferred to FPO account by March, 2018 the transfer of share will be completed
12		M/s Chakarda Adiwasi Producer Company Limited	350,000	
13		M/s Chikhaldara Adiwasi Producer Company Limited	51,000	
14		M/s Jamli Adiwasi Producer Company Limited	55,000	

15		M/s Melghat Farmers Producer Company Limited	400,000	by the RI.
16	Access Livelihoods Consulting India Pvt. Ltd. (ALC)	M/s Ambhora Tribal Women Farmers Services Producer Company Ltd	594,570	MD appreciated that the share collection of most of the FPO is much better as compared to the other FPOs promoted by other RIs. RI was advised to increase the share and apply for equity grant immediately.
17		M/s Ganutola Tribal Women Farmer Producer Company Ltd	512,350	
18		M/s Sindhibiri Tribal Women Farmers Services Producer Company Ltd	446,400	
19		M/s Ilda Tribal Women Farmers Services Producer Company Ltd	655,800	
20		M/s Paoni Tribal Women Farmers Services Producer Company Ltd	364,950	
21	Vegetable Growers Association of India (VGAI)	M/S Shivrana Farmers Producer Company Limited	500,000	RI has communicated that by 31 st March Rs. 5 Lakh equity will be collected within each FPO. Subsequently the application will be submitted by RI.
22		M/S Shri Ganesh Strawberry Farmers Producer Company Limited	175,000	
23		M/S Kansari Adivasi Farmers Producer Company Limited	175,000	
24		M/S Vaitarna Adivasi Farmers Producer Company Limited	150,000	
25		M/S Anjanmata Adivasi Farmers Producer Company Limited	125,000	
B. FPOs under NDP-NFSM Programme				
26	Krushi Vikas Va Gramin Prashikshan Sanstha (KVVGPS)	M/s Vasundhara Women Farmer Producer Company Limited	489,000	All the FPOs has received EG from SFAC, RI communicated that the 2 nd tranche of EG will be applied as soon as possible.
27		M/s Aadishakti Muktai Farmer Producer Company Limited	410,000	
28		Shri Supo Krushi Vikas Farmers Producer Company Limited	600,000	
29		M/s Muktai Krushi Vikas Va Gramin Prashikshan Shetkari Utpadak Producer Company Limited	693,000	
30		M/s Jay Sardar Krushi Vikas Farmers Producer Company Limited	1,000,000	
31	Indian Society of Agribusiness Professionals (ISAP)	Champavati Agro Farmer Producer Company Ltd.	100,000	MD, SFAC strictly advice to increase the equity of the FPO and apply for EG by SFAC the payment of RI will be based on the performance of the share deposited by the FPO. RI was advised to share the strategy immediately with SFAC to increase the share of FPO by RI.
32		SantEknath Farmer Producer Company Ltd.	100,000	
33		Shivnamai Farmer Producer Company Ltd.	90,000	

34		Kisan Shakti Farmer Producer Company Ltd.	110,000	RI communicated that the Equity of FPO will be increase to Rs.4.5Lakh by the end of Feb, 2018 and will apply for EGS.
35		Brahmanand Maharaj Farmer Producer Company Ltd.	250,000	RI communicated that the Equity of FPO will be increase to Rs. 5 Lakh by the end of Feb, 2018 and will apply for EGS.
C. FPOs under VIUC Programme				
36	Dilasa Janvikas Pratihthan	Shanmukeshwar Latur Vegetable Farmer Producer Company Limited	1,000,000	MD, SFAC appreciated the effort of RI regarding 100% collection of share by all the FPOs. RI communicated within one month SFAC will receive EG from 2 FPOs, However 3 FPOs EG application will be submitted by next month i.e. March, 2018.
37		Dharashiv Osmanabad Vegetable Farmer Producer Company Limited	1,000,000	
38		Krushni Samrat Beed Vegetable Farmer Producer Company Limited	1,000,000	
39		Nandigram Nanded Vegetable Farmer Producer Company Limited	1,000,000	
40		Vrukshavali Farmer Producer Company Limited	1,000,000	

4. Business Plans of the FPCs:

All the RIs has communicated that the business plans of all FPCs has been prepared and is being implemented by FPCs.

5. Updation of information of FPOs in Sugyan:

Data of individual farmers are already uploaded by all RIs except Dilasha for VIUC. Dilasha was requested to send data to Sugyan Team immediately. However FPC wise business turnover needs to be uploaded at Sugyan by all RIs. MD, SFAC directed to upload information within 15 days.

6. Action plan/ monthly report :

All the RIs were requested to submit and follow action plan circulated by SFAC. MD, SFAC advised all the FPCs to submit monthly progress report to SFAC. The information may be submitted by first week of every month.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

List of participants

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7	Shri Amit Naphade	8551919293	Krushvi Vikas Va Gramin Prashikshan Sanstha (KVVGPS)	Buldana
8	Shri Sagr Gaikwad	9890673968	Vegetable Growers Association of India (VGAI)	Pune
9	Shri shriram Gahave	7588031777	Vegetable Growers Association of India (VGAI)	Pune
10	Shri Ravishankar Swami	9850736848	Dilasa Janvikas Pratishthan	Osmanabad
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