

Sub: Major activities/decisions taken during the month of October, 2013.

Ref : D.O. letter no.14-1/2011-DD-IV dated 22.9.2012 from Secretary, Department of Disability Affairs, Ministry of S.J.&E., 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

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 2013-14 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 period from April to October, 2013****(Amount in Rs. Crore)**

Sl.	Particulars	Financial achievement (Amt.)			Physical achievement (nos.)		
		Allocation/ Target for the year*	Target for April to Oct., 2013	Disburse- ment	Target for 2013-14*	Target for April to Oct., 2013	Achievement
1.	Term Loan	70.00	40.83	38.69	12840	7490	8481
1.1	Micro Finance	-	-		-	-	-
1.2	Others (Education Loan)	-	-	0.36	-	-	12
1	Total	70.00	40.83	39.05	12840	7490	8493
2.	Skill Development Training (No. Of Persons trained/ to be trained)	-	-	-	860	502	789

* Target are as per MOU 2013-14.

1. APPONTMENT OF CHAIRMAN-CUM-MANAGING DIRECTOR

Shri Paresh Chandra Das, Indian Civil Accountants Service (1988) (ICAS) has been appointed as Chairman-cum- Managing Director (CMD) of the Corporation and joined office with effect from 31st October, 2013 (Afternoon).

2. SANCTION & RELEASE OF LOANS

During the month of October, 2013, the Corporation sanctioned and released loans for the benefit of persons with disabilities as detailed hereunder:

<u>Sanction</u>		<u>Disbursement</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>
152.45	308	152.45	308

3. VIGILANCE AWARENESS WEEK

Vigilance Awareness Week was organised in the Corporation from 28th October, 2013 to 2nd November, 2013. During Vigilance Awareness Week, message received from Central Vigilance Commission (CVC), Government of India was read out and Pledge was taken by all officers and staff of the Corporation on 28th October, 2013.

4. MEETINGS

During the month of October, 2013 the following important meetings have been held;

a) 11th October, 2013

Meeting was held in the office of Joint Secretary (DD), Department of Disability Affairs, MSJ&E at New Delhi regarding Skill training of Persons with Disabilities. CMD, NHFDC and Manager (Project) of the Corporation attended the meeting.

b) 18th October, 2013

Meeting was held in the office of Additional Secretary, Ministry of Labour & Employment at Shram Shakti Bhawan, New Delhi regarding National Award for Persons with Disabilities. CMD, NHFDC alongwith Manager (Project) and AM (S&P) of the Corporation attended the meeting.

c) 29th October, 2013

Meeting in the office of Joint Secretary (DD), Department of Disability Affairs, MSJ& E at New Delhi regarding Skill Training of Persons with Disabilities. CMD, NHFDC and Manager (Project) attended the meeting.

5. JOB FAIR/ EXHIBITION/AWARENESS PROGRAMMES

Shri G.S. Panwar, Chief Manager (Finance), Shri Anil Kumar, Chief Manager (P & A) and Dr. Vineet Rana, Manager (Project) visited Ambala, Haryana for arrangement of Job Fair scheduled to be conducted on 14th November, 2013 by NHFDC.

6. INSPECTION AND MONITORING OF NHFDC SCHEMES

- i) Dr. Vineet Rana, Manager (Project) visited Rohtak, Haryana on 17-18th October, 2013 for inspection of Beneficiaries.
- ii) Sh. G.S. Panwar, Chief Manager (Fin) visited Kozhikode, Kerala from 20th Oct., 2013 to 24th Oct., 2013 for inspection of Beneficiaries.

7. SCHOLARSHIP SCHEMES

Scholarships were released to 48 differently-abled students out of scholarship (Trust Fund) awarded to 248 differently-abled students in the Scholarship Screening Committee meeting held on 26th August, 2013.

8. HRD ACTIVITIES

- a) Ms. Kalpana Thapa, Personal Assistant was relieved from the services of the Corporation w.e.f. 17.10.2013.
- b) Shri Ravi Prakash Dubey, Assistant Manager (Personnel) has attended the training programme from 23rd to 25th October, 2013 on 'Roaster Writing and Reservation in services Government policies for SCs, STs & OBCs and Physically Handicapped and Recruitment Rules' at center for Training and Social Research, New Delhi.

The following aspects were not taken into account, even though the same have been furnished by concerned officials due the lack of clarity on the matter;

1. 15th October, 2013

Review meeting with Secretary, Department of Disability Affairs, MSJ& E at New Delhi regarding review of National Institute for Persons with Disabilities at IPH, New Delhi. CMD, NHFDC and Manager (Project), NHFDC attended the meeting.

Comment: It does not appear to be pertaining to NHFDC. Hence omitted.

2. 25st October, 2013

Review Meeting by Secretary, MSJ & E at New Delhi regarding the Skill Training. CMD, NHFDC and Manager (Project) attended the meeting.

Comment: Skill Training of whose?? It was not clear as to if the matter discussed involved NHFDC or the skill training of PwDs. Even though CMD was present, I am not supposed to make assumption that the matter was pertaining to skilltrng. Of PwDs or something concerning PwDs/NHFDC.

In view of the above, this aspect was omitted.

3. 5th East Himalayan Expo, 2013 from 25th to 31st October, 2013 held at Siliguri, West Bengal. Shri Shanker Sharma, Assistant Manager (Project), NHFDC attended the Exhibition.

Comment: It is not stated clearly if Mr. Sharma did anything at the said exhibition for creation of awareness etc. for NHFDC. Again a question of assumption. Hence, this aspect was also omitted.

Note: I have requested all concerned to furnish complete information. This information is going to Admn. Ministry and that Secretary is likely to use the information furnished to write the D.O. letter to Cabinet Secretary. Hence, a casual approach or lack of information from concerned HoDs does not help the matter.
