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एकात्मिक पाणलोट व्यवस्थापन कार्यक्रमांतर्गत प्रवेश प्रेरक उपक्रमांची निवड करुन अंमलबजावणी करण्याबाबत उपरोक्त संदर्भिय पत्रान्वये वेळोवेळी सुचना निर्गमीत करण्यात आल्या आहेत. परंतु प्रकल्पांच्या डिपीआरचे मंजूरीसाठी सादरीकरण करताना अद्यापही बयाच जिल्हयांमध्ये स्थानिक गरजांवर आधारीत योग्य प्रकारच्या प्रवेश प्रेरक उपक्रमांची निवड केली जात नसल्याचे निदर्शनास आले आहे. प्रस्तुत कार्यक्रमांमध्ये प्रामुख्याने सामुदाईक लाभाचे उपक्रम घेणे अभिप्रेत आहे, परंतु त्याऐवजी कृषि अवजारे वितरण इत्यादीसारख्या वैयक्तिक लाभाच्या बाबींचा समावेश केल्याचे आढळून येते. एकात्मिक पाणलोट व्यवस्थापन कार्यक्रमांमध्ये ग्रामस्थांचा सक्रिय आणि सकारात्मक प्रतिसाद मिळावा या उद्देशाने सदर उपक्रमांमध्ये समावेश करावयाच्या बाबी तसेच त्यांची निवड आणि अंमलबजावणीची कार्यपध्दती वसुंधरा पाणलोट विकास यंत्रणेच्या १५ व्या बैठकीत निर्धारित करण्यात आली आहे. प्रस्तुत कार्यपध्दतीची इंग्रजी टिपणी सोबत सहपत्रीत केली आहे. त्यानुसार यापुढे प्रवेश प्रेरक उपक्रमांची निवड आणि अंमलबजावणी करावी.

सोबत : वरील प्रमाणे स्वाक्षरीत/-

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प्रत- माहिती तथा कार्यवाहीस्तव - विभागीय कृषि सहसंचालक, ठाणे/पुणे /नाशिक/कोल्हापुर/औरंगाबाद/ लातूर
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Procedure for Identification and Implementation of EPAs under IWMP

Entry Point Activities (EPA) are part of community mobilization process taken up as short term initiatives that could benefit a larger target group at village level in order to build rapport with the community as well as to ensure their willingness to involve themselves in the project implementation. Under IWMP, four percent of the total Project outlay is allocated for identifying and implementing need based EPAs.

In spite of circulating list of activities to be undertaken and procedure thereof for implementation of EPA, it is found that activities proposed do not commensurate with the objective of EPA. In a particular district same set of activities are proposed in almost all projects, it reveals that village wise most felt needs/problems are not properly addressed. In some cases activities pertaining to individual beneficiaries are also proposed. In light of lacunas observed at the time of scrutiny of DPR's, following guidelines are now issued for identification and effective implementation of EPAs.

List of eligible activities

a) Communication & Accessibility

- Small approach road / culvert/ causeway
- Public address system / Audio-visual Aids

b) Strengthening of water resources

- Repairs & strengthening of drinking water supply system
- Hydro fracturing of well
- Rooftop water harvesting
- Renovation / repairs to old village tank/ percolation tank
- Drinking water troughs for animals
- Community irrigation system

c) Sanitation

- Dhobi ghat
- Community urinal

d) Farm Support

- Community agriculture service center
- Integrated nutrient management/ Integrated pest management
- Farmers field school

e) Community Utility Units

- Community Drying Platform for NTFPs/agriculture produce
- Tent house equipments
- Platforms for village mandi (bazar ota)
- Improvised and energy efficient Smashangruh (Cemetery)
- Protection wall
- Pick up sheds

f) Energy Resources (limited to maximum 25% of allocated fund for EPA)

- Solar Street lights
- Community Bio-gas
- Generator for Gram Panchayat
- Wind energy development

g) Health

- Health Camps
- Animal health camp/ A. I. camps
- Gymnasium Equipments/ sports kit
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h) Educational support

- Inverter for study rooms
- School benches/ laboratory equipments for ZP schools
- Providing furniture, books for library (pertaining to agriculture, competitive exams)
- Outdoor play equipments for anganwadis
- School compound

Points to be considered while selection/implementation of EPA

- Initially, the PIA should create awareness about the objective and scope of EPA among the watershed community.
- PIA with the help of field functionaries and WDT team should identify EPA in consultation with the villagers, based on the most felt need/ problem of the community. PIA should finalise eligible activities, considering priority of community and available funds. Accordingly approval of Gram Sabha should be taken.

While finalizing and implementing EPA following points should be taken care:

- It should benefit to a group / larger community for creating common assets / providing common benefits
- Activities related to individual benefits should not be proposed.
- Civil works like building constructions are not permitted.
- Duplication of work/ services (with other line agencies) is not permitted.
- EPA has to be grounded in the first year of project period.
- Budget ceiling in proportion (not exceeding 4% of the total project outlay) to the area to be treated in each watershed village should be strictly adhered to.
- After approval of Gram Sabha, EPA should be approved by WCDC and same should be communicated to VSLNA. Execution of works should be started immediately after approval of WCDC.
- Documentation of all the activities before, during and after the implementation of the interventions have to be done effectively along with the base data for using the same for impact study in later years.
- If EPA activities are not taken up within preparatory phase (2 years from sanction of project) in any particular village or total budget allocated is not utilized, the earmarked/ balance fund will be added to NRM works component.