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- 1) The Members of the Sub Committee on RSETIs
- 2) The Directors of the 19 RSETIs in West Bengal

Re: Minutes of the SLBC Sub-Committee meeting on RSETI held on 30.03.2022.

A meeting on SLBC Sub-Committee on RSETI was convened on 30.03.2022 to review the functioning & performance of the 19 RSETIs in the state as on 31.12.2021. The meeting was participated through VC by Sri Partha Sarathi Dutta, Dy. Director, Institutional Finance, GoWB; Smt. Anwita D. Surin, DGM, NABARD, Sri Sudip Bhattacharjee, AGM, RBI, Sri Bipul Chandra Saha, National Director for RSETIs, NACER, Sri Swapan Kr. Nandi, State Director for RSETIs and other dignitaries of line department and representatives of member Banks.

The Meeting began with a warm welcome note delivered by Sri Sumit Basu, Chief Manager, SLBC West Bengal. The major points of discussions along with the action points emerged during the sub-committee meeting are as given below: -

1. Achievement under Annual Action Plan 2021-22:

Sri Swapan Kr. Nandi, SDR informed the house that initially cumulative AAP target for FY 2021-22 of 19 RSETIs was to conduct 428 no of training programmes covering 11695 no of candidates. Later, due to Covid-19 pandemic, the AAP target has been revised to 317 no of programmes covering 8655 candidates. As on 31.12.2021, all RSETIs have so far trained 4389 no of candidates conducting 169 no training programmes, thus achieving 53.31% & 50.71% of the revised AAP target in terms of no of programmes & no of trainees respectively. However, all RSETIs have exerted their best effort and 8739 number of candidates have been trained cumulatively as on 25.03.2022 thus achieving 100% of the target.

Sri Bipul Chandra Saha, NDR highlighted that most of the RSETIs have already achieved its AAP. Again he was very much happy to note that cumulative Settlement & Credit linkage for RSETIs in the state of West Bengal stood at 73% & 61% respectively, which is quite satisfactory. Praising the cumulative effort, he requested all member banks to maintain same pace in coming financial year too. He also requested all RSETI Directors to upload all pending data in the RSETI MIS portal in a time bound manner for proper reflection of performance in the portal.

(Action point 1: All RSETIs)

2. Status of Land Allotment & construction of RSETI building as well:

Sri S. K. Nandi highlighted that the issue of shifting of Darjeeling RSETI sponsored by Central Bank of India, as discussed in the previous sub-committee meeting, is still pending at district level. Sri T.L. Bhaduri, WBSRLM highlighted that the issue is very crucial and the final decision is still awaited at District level.

Sri Bipul Chandra Saha noted that out of 19 RSETIs, only a few RSETIs are running from their own building. In majority cases, land allotment is pending at the end of respective districts. Again land provided



to some RSETIs have been encroached by some other people. In some RSETIs, land have been allotted by State Govt. but construction of building has not been started. Sri T.L.Bhaduri, WBSRLM appraised the house that WBSRLM is maintaining a close liaison with district authorities on land allotment and encroachment issues. Sri T.L.Bhaduri also requested member banks to take appropriate action for surrounding the land by a wall to minimize the possibility of encroachment of land and to start necessary construction work at the earliest. Sri Bipul Chandra Saha narrated that allotment of land and construction of RSETI building is a very vital issue for running of RSETIs. State Government and Bank should work on it collaboratively. He also requested member banks to expedite the process of starting construction work of RSETIs where land have already been provided.

(Action point 2: WBSRLM & sponsor banks)

3. Setting up of new RSETIs in newly formed districts:

Sri Sinhu Parira, AGM, SBI appraised the house that they have requested Kalimpong & Paschim Bardhaman district authority for allotting suitable plot of land preferably one acre or any government building for setting up of RSETI. However, in case of Paschim Bardhaman, one suitable plot has been identified by the Bank and further progress is awaited. Sri S.K. Nandi also requested CBI & PNB to expedite the process of opening new RSETI in Alipurduar & Jhargram district respectively.

Sri Bipul Chandra Saha requested each and every member bank to conduct a survey of the district, before opening any new RSETI, on the basis of its human resources, potentiality etc and to send the same to MoRD for their necessary intimation/ approval.

(Action point 4: SBI, PNB & Central Bank of India)

4. Pending status of claim made by RSETIs:

Sri S. K. Nandi informed the house that a huge claim, towards training to rural poors, of different RSETIs is lying pending at WBSRLM. He requested WBSRLM to clear the pendency at the earliest. Sri T.L. Bhaduri appraised that a major portion of amount have also been cleared from the end of WBSRLM and the remaining claims will be cleared in next few days.


(Action point 5: WBSRLM & Sponsor Bank)

5. Miscellaneous:

(i) Smt. Anwita D. Surin, DGM, NABARD highlighted that NABARD is providing financial assistance to RSETIs towards training expenditure. RSETIs graded as "AA" by MoRD, having settlement of 50% or more for the last 3 years can apply to NABARD for such financial assistance for the training programmes having duration of minimum of four weeks and not more than six months. Sri S. K. Nandi highlighted that majority of training programmes as identified by NSQF are of short duration. However, he requested member banks to explore the possibility of availing this assistance provided by NABARD.

(ii) Sri S. K. Nandi was happy to note that RSETIs in different districts have trained more than 1500 candidates in two weeks 'Women Tailoring' off-campus training programmes, as sponsored by Project Directors, DRDC. Sri Bipul Chandra Saha requested RSETIs to focus on other programmes too simultaneously.

There being no other points of discussion, the meeting ended with vote of thanks to the chair & the participants by Sri Sumit Basu.


(Sri Nabin Kumar Dash)
Chief General Manager &
Convener, SLBC West Bengal





List of participants in RSETI Sub Committee Meeting held on 30.03.2022

SI No.	Name	Designation	Organisation
1	Sri Partha Sarathi Dutta	Dy. Director	Institutional Finance, GoWB
2	Smt Anwita D. Surin	Dy. General Manager	NABARD
3	Sri Sudip Bhattacharjee	Assistant General Manager	RBI
4	Sri Bipul Chandra Saha	National Director for RSETIs	NACER
5	Sri Swapan Kr. Nandi	SDR, West Bengal	NACER
6	Sri Tulshi Lal Bhaduri	Consultant (Banking & FI)	WBSRLM
7	Sri Sinku Parira	Assistant General Manager	State Bank of India
8	Sri Sumit Basu	Chief Manager	SLBC, West Bengal
9	Sri Dibash Majumder	Chief Manager	UCO Bank
10	Sri Santanu Banerjee	Divisional Manager	Canara Bank
11	Sri Subrata Roy	Chief Manager	Indian Bank
12	Smt. Binoti	Senior Manager	Central Bank of India
13	Sri Abhijit Mandal	Senior Manager	Bank of India
14	Sri Dhruba Ghosh	Senior Manager	Punjab National Bank
15	Sri Sourav Saha	Senior Manager	Punjab National Bank
16	Sri Debojyoti Paul	Senior Manager	SLBC, West Bengal
17	Sri Atin Das	Nodal Officer for RSETIs	State Bank of India

