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Date: 26.05.2023

- 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 25.05.2023.

The SLBC Sub-Committee meeting on RSETI was convened on 25.05.2023 to review the functioning & performance of the 19 RSETIs in the state as on 31.03.2023. The meeting was participated through VC by Sri G. Murugesan, National Director, NACER; Sri Partha Sarathi Datta, Dy Director, Institutional Finance, GoWB; Sri G. Murli Rao, State Director for RSETIs; Sri Sunil Kumar Pandey, DGM, NABARD; Sri Ashish Agarwal, Manager, RBI; Sri Tulshi Lal Bhaduri, Consultant (Banking & FI), WBSRLM and representatives of member Banks.

Sri Shio Shankar Singh, General Manager, SLBC West Bengal, heartily welcomed all the participants in the meeting and requested Sri G. Murugesan, National Director, NACER to preside over the meeting. The key issues discussed along with the action points emerged in the meeting are enumerated below:

1. Achievement under Annual Action Plan 2022-23:

Sri G. Murugesan congratulated all the banks for achieving 101.38% & 102.95% of the AAP target in terms of no. of programmes & no. of trainees in the March 2023 quarter. He apprised the house that the benchmark for cumulative settlement is 70% but only 47.07% has been settled in this FY 2022-2023 which was below par. He requested for improvement in terms of cumulative settlement in the ensuing FY. He further highlighted that the cumulative credit linkage % was 65.38% which was more than the benchmark and it should be maintained in the coming FY.

(Action point 1: All RSETIs & Member Banks)

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

Sri G. Murugesan informed the house that, from the latest report received from SDR, only three RSETIs namely Berhampore, Ranbahal and PNB Howrah are running from their own building. Though PNB South 24 Pargana has its own building but the it is still under construction. He requested to expedite the same and to take up issues if any with the state government. He further pointed out that in majority of cases, land allotment was pending at the end of respective district authority. In some RSETIs, land had been allotted by the State Govt. but construction of building has still not started. He highlighted that five RSETIs are yet to be allotted land and he requested the respective banks of those five RSETIs to take up the matter with the state government.

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Sri S.S. Singh requested WBSRLM to follow up long pending issues with District authorities. He also requested member banks to expedite the process of starting construction work of RSETIs where land had already been provided.

(Action point 2: WBSRLM & Sponsor banks)

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

Sri G. Murugesan highlighted that setting up of new RSETIs in Kalimpong and Paschim Bardhaman district was entrusted to State Bank of India, whereas Central Bank of India was entrusted for setting up of RSETIs at Darjeeling and Alipurduar and Punjab National Bank for Jhargram district. He requested the banks to route the applications for new RSETIs through NIRDP, Hyderabad for MoRD approval. Sri G. Murli Rao, State Director for RSETIs apprised the house that the mentioned banks had already sent their request letter to MoRD for according necessary approval for setting up of new RSETIs. Noting the same, Sri G. Murugesan said that they would take up the matter with NIRDP and MoRD as well.

(Action point 3: NACER)

4. Pending status of claim made by RSETIs:

Sri G. Murugesan informed the house that a huge claim to the tune of Rs.10.14 crore, towards training of the rural poors of different RSETIs, was lying pending at WBSRLM since long. WBSRLM informed the house that Rs. 10 crores have already been sent for claim to MoRD and this was expected to be reimbursed by June 2023. Sri T. L. Bhaduri apprised that Rs.6 crores was lying pending as on date. He also informed that WBSRLM had already claimed fund from MoRD, Govt of India towards training expenses of RSETIs along with all the relevant documents and he assured the house that the pending claim would be cleared on receipt of the fund from MoRD.

(Action point 4: WBSRLM)

5. Miscellaneous:

Sri Sunil Kumar Pandey, DGM, NABARD informed that NABARD provides a one-time capital support (CAPEX) of Rs. 4.50 lac for purchase of RSETI training equipment to all eligible RSETIs. He requested all RSETIs to approach them for the said assistance. Sri S. S. Singh requested Sri. G Murli Rao to make the RSETIs aware about the said fund. Sri. G Murli Rao apprised that he had already informed the RSETIs about the same and by next week RSETIs would make necessary applications to NABARD. Sri Sunil Kr Pandey apprised that NABARD had received two applications from SBI Malda and UCO Bank Bardhaman and requested RSETIs to contact DDMs for assistance.

(Action point 5: All RSETIs & Member Banks)

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

Shankar Singh)

General Manager, SLBC, West Bengal

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List of participants in RSETI Sub Committee Meeting held on 25.05.2023			
SI No.	Name	Designation	Organisation
1	Sri Partha Sarathi Datta	Dy Director	Institutional Finance, GoWB
2	Sri Ashish Agarwal	Manager	RBI
3	Sri Sunil Kr Pandey	Dy. General Manager	NABARD
4	Sri G. Murugesan	National Director	NACER
5	Sri G. Murli Rao	SDR, West Bengal	NACER
6	Sri Tulshi Lal Bhaduri	Consultant (Banking & FI)	WBSRLM
7	Sri Shio Shankar Singh	General Manager	SLBC, West Bengal
8	Sri Birajman Karketta	Dy. General Manager	PNB
9	Sri Manoranjan Satpathy	Dy. General Manager	PNB
10	Sri Sanjay Kumar Biswas	Assistant General Manager	State Bank of India
11	Sri K C Tripathi	Assistant General Manager	Indian Bank
12	Smt Parayani Saren	Chief Manager	PNB
13	Smt Anwesha Baidya	Senior Manager	Bank of India
14	Sri Sagrika Maity	Senior Manager	UCO Bank
15	Sri Saibal Roychowdhury	Senior Manager	Canara Bank
16	Smt Neha Kumari	Manager	Central Bank of India
17	Sri Atin Das	Nodal Officer for RSETI	State Bank of India
18	Sri Sumit Basu	Chief Manager	SLBC, West Bengal
19	Smt Sreeparna Banerjee	Manager	SLBC, West Bengal

