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To

All Collector-cum-DPCs  
All PD, DRDAs

**Sub:- Selection and engagement of Block Social Auditors (Block Resource Person) at Block level for conduct of Social Audit under MGNREGS- regarding.**

Madam/Sir,

In inviting a reference to the subject cited above, I am to say that as per the instructions of MoRD, Government of India, the recruitment of staff of independent Social Audit Unit at State level, District level and Block level should be completed within the time frame stipulated by MoRD, Government of India to conduct Social Audit under MGNREGS. The State Social Audit Unit i.e. OSSAAT has been functional by joining of Director, OSSAAT and Social Audit Experts. At the District level, the selection of District Social Auditors is almost completed. Now, there is need to select and engage the Block Social Auditors (Block Resource Person) at the Block level for smooth conduct of the Social Audit under MGNREGS in the State of Odisha.

It has been decided that the selection and engagement of Block Social Auditors (Block Resource Person) at the Block level in the State of Odisha will be made through the following procedures:

1. The Selection Committee for the selection of NGO/CBO who would provide Block Social Auditor will be constituted in each District as follows:

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| Collector-cum-DPC                                    | - | Chairperson     |
| PD, DRDA                                             | - | Member Convenor |
| DSWO                                                 | - | Member          |
| DWO                                                  | - | Member          |
| MGNREGS Coordinator                                  | - | Member          |
| District Social Auditor/<br>Representative of OSSAAT | - | Member          |

2. The Selection Committee will select one NGO/CBO having creditability and at least 3 years of experience in right based activities/social audit in the field within the District for each Block who would provide one person having requisite qualification and experience for engagement as Block Social Auditor. One NGO/CBO may be selected for more than one Blocks.
3. The selected NGO/CBO selected by the District Selection Committee will provide one person having the following eligibility for engagement as Block Social auditor in the concerned Block.
  - a) He must be a resident of the concerned District
  - b) He must be less than 40 years of age
  - c) He must be Graduate in any field
  - d) He must have 2 years of experience in right based activities/social audit
  - e) He must have ample knowledge in Computer Application
4. The selected NGO/CBO will send the name of the person with requisite documents (as per eligibility criteria) to be engaged as Block Resource Person in the concerned Block to the concerned Collector-cum-DPC. The Collector-cum-DPC will send the names of the Block Resource Persons to the concerned BDOs with a copy to the Joint Secretary (MGNREGS), Panchayati Raj Department and the Director, OSSAAT.



5. The Block Social Auditor (Block Resource Person) will be engaged in the concerned Block for at least 3 months in each phase of Social Audit under MGNREGS twice in a financial year. As per requirement, the engagement can be extended.
6. The Block Social Auditor will be paid Rs. 300/- per working day during the engagement. The month wise total amount towards working of Block Social Auditor will be paid to the concerned NGO/CBO. This amount will be paid by Director, OSSAAT on the receipt of absentee statement form concerned BDO.
7. The concerned NGO/CBO will send the Bank details of the NGO/CBO to Director, OSSAAT, Bhubaneswar for payment of the remuneration of Block Social Auditors.
8. The Block Social Auditor will work under the supervision of District Social Auditor.

As per direction of the MoRD, Government of India, the selection of Block Social Auditor should be completed early and their one month training should be completed by 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2017 positively. The tentative training of the Block Social Auditors has been scheduled to be held from 27-01-2017 to 31-03-2017. During the one month training period, the Block Social Auditors will also get the remuneration at the prescribed rate.

You are, therefore, requested to complete the selection of NGO/CBO who would provide the Block Social Auditor at the Block level in your District by 20-12-2016 and ensure that all Block Social Auditors are in position in all the Blocks so that they can attend the one month training from 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2017.

**This may be treated as urgent.**

Yours faithfully,

  
09/12/2016  
**Commissioner-cum-Secretary**

**C.C. to:-**

1. Director, OSSAAT, Unit-VIII, SIRD Campus, Bhubaneswar for information & necessary action.