GOVERNMENT OF KERALA Abstract

Community Development – Celebrations of Rural Development week from 2^{nd} to 8^{th} October 1981-orders issued.

DEVELOPMENT (G) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt. No.1253/81/DD

Dated, Trivandrum, 19-9-1981.

ORDER

Since 1970 the Rural Development week is being celebrated in the Country every year starting with the Gandhi Jayanthi Day with a view to promoting the involvement of the people in the Community Development programmes and to enlist their interest in self help prgrammes. Government have decided that Rural Development Week should be celebrated in the State this year also from 2nd to 8th October, 1981.

2. Government direct that the following programmes should be generally implemented in connection with the Rural Development Week celebrations by every Block. Variations or additions to suit local conditions can however be made by the District Collectors/Block Development Officers according to necessity.

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IInd pay NREP Day

Starting or inauguration of NREP works, opening of works Opening of works completed under NREP, starting Social Forestry Works; Discussion on creation of durable assets And Provision of employment on a continuous basis.

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- 3.The Block Development Officers should consult local Panchayats and identify at least one construction work in each Panchayat to be started during the week. Preference has to be given for work in Harijan Colonies/Tribal areas or one lakh houses sites. Schemes for the poorest families in the Rural Community should receive the greatest attention.
- 3. The Heads of Departments concerned will issue suitable Instructions to their District Officers to take necessary steps to make the Rural Development week celebrations a success.

(By order of the Governor),

J.S. BADHAN, SPECIAL SECRETARY & DEVELOPMENT COMMISSIONER All District Collectors/All Heads of Departments The Director of Public Relations, Trivandrum The Programme Officers of All India, Radio, Trivandrum, Trichur.

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Endt. on P5-42418/64 dated 24-9-1981

Extract para relating to 3.10-1981 and paras marked to All Conservators of Forests and Divisional Forest Officers for necessary urgent action. The Divisional Forest Officers are directed to organize social Forestry activities on 2nd day (3.10.1981) in the different divisions.

For Chief Conservator of Forests.