

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE SCREENING COMMITTEE HELD ON 19th MAY 2015 TO CONSIDER NEW PROJECT PROPOSALS RECEIVED FROM THE STATE GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB UNDER THE SCHEME OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR PREVENTION OF ALCOHOLISM AND SUBSTANCE (DRUGS) ABUSE.

A meeting of the Screening Committee constituted by the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment was held on 19th May 2015 under Smt. Ghazala Meenai, Joint Secretary (Social Defence) to scrutinize and make recommendation on the new proposals received from the State Government of Punjab under the Scheme of Financial Assistance for Prevention of Alcoholism and Substance (Drugs) Abuse. The members of the Committee Dr. Rajesh Kumar from SPYM (RRTC, North) and Shri Sandeep Gupta, Deputy Secretary (IFD) in the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment were present in the meeting. Dr. Narayan Singh Manaklao from Opium De-Addiction Treatment, Training and Research Centre, Jodhpur informed over telephone that draft minutes of the meeting may be got approved by him through circulation of papers. Shri Anand Katoch, Director (DP) and Shri Rajesh Kr. Sinha, Under Secretary (DP) were asked by the Committee to assist in the scrutiny during the meeting.

2. At the outset, Joint Secretary (Social Defence) and Chairperson welcomed all members of the Committee. In pursuance of the meeting of Hon'ble Chief Minister, Punjab with Hon'ble Minister, SJ&E wherein the Ministry had assured all support to Government assisted de-addiction centres, she informed that the State Government of Punjab has forwarded 32 new proposals including of NGOs for financial assistance under the Scheme as the prevalence of alcoholism and drug addiction was on higher side. She also informed that in-principal approval of the Hon'ble Minister, SJ&E has been obtained for relaxation of the condition of existence and experience of three years for providing financial assistance to the organizations run by the Government of Punjab.

3. After scrutinizing the proposals, the Committee recommended all 28 cases (enclosed as Annexure) for release of grant in aid. However, it was also desired that the Ministry may satisfy the following before release of GIA:

- i. that all these de-addiction centres are directly under the State Government. Those run by NGOs will be dealt with separately.
- ii. that these de-addiction centres have been setup.

- iii. GIA may be released as per 15 bedded de-addiction centres. In-case the centres are having less bed capacity, GIA may be reduced proportionately.
- iv. If any staff is being paid salary from the State Government's exchequer, no remuneration be paid to such staff from the GIA under the Scheme. Accordingly, staff list along with remuneration being paid to them may be obtained from the State Government.

**(Dr. Narayan Singh
Manaklao)
Member**

**(Dr. Rajesh Kumar)
Member**

**(Sandeep Gupta)
Member**

**(Ghazala Meenai)
Chairperson**

Annexure

List of New Proposals under the Scheme of financial assistance for Prevention of Alcoholism and Substance (Drugs) Abuse considered by the Screening Committee in its meeting held on 19th May 2015

Sl. No	Project Location	Name of the Organization/Society	Remarks
1	AMRITSAR	Rehabilitation Society	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
2	AMRITSAR	substance use disorder treatment prevention rehabilitation	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
3	BATHINDA	District De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society, Bathinda	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
4	BATHINDA	District De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society, Bathinda	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
5	BURNALA	District De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society, Barnala	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
6	FARIDKOT	District De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
7	FATEHGARH SAHIB	District De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
8	FEROZPUR	Fazilka District De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
9	FIROZPUR	District De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society, Firozpur	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
10	FIROZPUR	Fazilka District De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society, Firozpur	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
11	GURDASPUR	De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society, Gurdaspur	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
12	GURDASPUR	De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society, Pathankot	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
13	GURDASPUR	De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society, Pathankot	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes

14	GURDASPUR	De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society, Gurdaspur	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
15	HOSHIARPUR	De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society, HOSHIARPUR	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
16	HOSHIARPUR	Drug De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society, Hoshiarpur	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
17	JALANDHAR	District De Addiction	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
18	LUDHIANA	District Ludhiana De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
19	LUDHIANA	District Ludhiana De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
20	MANSA	drug de addiction center	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
21	MOHALI	District Drug De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
22	MUKATSAR	Sri Mukatsar Sahib Distt. De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
23	MUKATSAR	Sri Mukatsar Sahib Distt. De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
24	PATIALA	District De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
25	SANGRUR	District De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society, Sangrur	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
26	SANGRUR	District De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society, Sangrur	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
27	SANGRUR	District De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society, Sangrur	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes
28	HOSHIARPUR	Drug De Addiction and Rehabilitation Society, Hoshiarpur.	Recommended subject to conditions mentioned in para 3 of the minutes