



Block:- Baranahi
Dist. Fardeswar West 'B'
Back to Village-3
B2V3

October 02-12, 2020
Governance at Peoples' Doorstep



Government of Jammu & Kashmir



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Message

I am delighted to learn that the 3rd version of the much-acclaimed *Back to Village-3 (B2V3)* programme, a unique and ambitious exercise of taking government to the doorstep of people is being organized from 2nd to 12th October 2020, across Jammu & Kashmir.

In June 2019, the Government of Jammu and Kashmir embarked on the *Back to Village* programme, which involved the visit of over 4000 Gazetted officers of J&K to every Panchayat and spending two days and a night there. It was also an opportunity to support and strengthen the newly constituted Panchayats. The programme was a huge success. Visiting officers were welcomed and feted by populace eager to share its troubles and travails with what they had perceived as an unresponsive administration. In fact such was the enthusiasm generated by the programme that the Hon'ble Prime Minister made a mention of it in his "Man Ki Baat", calling it "a festival of development, public participation and public awareness."

Encouraged by the success of the programme, the government organized the *Back to Village-2 (B2V2)* in November 2019. This time the focus was on ensuring that funds and functions devolved to the Panchayats were used without any bottlenecks and that beneficiary oriented schemes actually reach the last person in the queue. The Hon'ble Prime Minister again made mention of the programme in his Independence Day speech of 2020.

I believe the upcoming version of the *Back to Village-3 (B2V3)* programme will be an attempt at a concentrated and determined developmental push in the region. The actual programme shall be preceded by a three week Jan Abhiyan (Awami Muhim) which shall focus on 3 concurrent and interconnected goals: Jan Sunvwai (Awami Sunwai) - Public grievances redressal, Adhikar Abhiyan (Muhim Barai-e-Haqooq) - Public Service Delivery and Unnat Gram Abhiyan (Dehi Taraqiyati Muhim) - Delivery of Development on ground.

I am confident that this unique effort shall earn the respect of the people of Jammu and Kashmir and that it will be remembered for long as a unique and sincere effort of the government to reach the doorsteps of the people.

(Manoj Sinha)

14th September, 2020

Srinagar

Back to Village (B2V3)

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(To be filled up by the Reporting Officer during his/her three day visit to the Panchayat.
Fields marked with asterisk (*) have to be filled by the District Administration before the booklet is
handed over to the visiting officer.)

A) Details of Reporting Officer:

- Name: RANJEEV GUPTA
- Designation: ASSISTANT EXECUTIVE ENGINEER
- Department/ place of posting: IRRIGATION SUB DIVISION, BILAWAR
- Mobile No: 94191-82859
- Email ID: ranjeev.gupta@gmail.com
- Home District: JAMMU
- Dates of visit: 7th, 8th & 9th October, 2020

B) Locational details of Panchayat:

- Name of the Panchayat: FORELAIN WEST 'D'
- Local Government Directory (LGD) code of the Panchayat: 240945
(To be sourced from Rural Development Department/ by DC)
- Name of CD Block: BARNOTI
- Name of Tehsil: KATHUA
- Name of District: KATHUA

C) Panchayat Profile:

- No. of revenue villages in the Panchayat: 1
- No. of hamlets in the Panchayat: 9
- No. of households in the Panchayat: 550 (Present Estimate)
- Population (approx.) of the Panchayat: 5000 (— do —)

13. ANGANNADI CENTRES
INDU DALA, PARVESH KUMARI, Tripti Devi, Susheela Rani, Kamlesh Kumari;
14. VETERINARY - ASHOK SINGH
ANGANNADI WORKERS - Allendant.

D-i) Frontline Officers/ Officials who were assigned to the Panchayat for the programme:

S. No.	Department	Name	Designation	Contact number
1	FISHERY	PRIYA DEVI	FISHERIES GUARD	9622087028
2	AGRICULTURE	JOGINDER SINGH	AEA	9469096976
3	PHE (MECH)	AKBAR ALI	LINE MAN	9858030567
4	YOUTH SERVICES	SUBASH CHANDER	DEN	9419149437
5	NYK, KATHUA	RENU DEVI & PRIYANKA	NYK	9419957571
6	TARACHAND	SOCIAL WELFARE	DDA	9622192501
7	SOCIAL FOREST	DES RAJ	MALI	9906225431
8	FOREST	BITTU RAM	GUARD	9697132340
9	EDUCATION	RAJINDER SINGH	MASTER	9906309507
10	PDD	MANOHAR SINGH	DAILY WAGER	9419208136
11	PHE	SUNIL GUPTA	JE	9697265986
12	SHEEP HUSBANDRY	SURAJ SINGH	ASM	9419151729 9419806261

D-ii) Details of absent employees vis-à-vis list furnished by the DC:

S. No.	Department	Name	Designation
1	Food & Supply.		
2	Health		
3	PWD		
4	Horticulture,		
5	Seri. Culture & Flori Culture		

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E) Strengthening of Gram Panchayats:

1. Infrastructure:

- Whether Panchayat Ghar is available in the Panchayat: Yes/ No/ Under construction
If yes, whether functioning in: Own building/ Other government building/ Private building
If no, whether land is available for construction of Panchayat Ghar: Yes/ No
- Facilities available in the Panchayat Ghar:

Facility	Availability	Remarks
Furniture in Panchayat Office	Yes/ No ✓	Plastic Chairs (70), Office Chairs (5), Tables (4)
Computer/ printer in Panchayat Office	Yes/ No ✓	
Telephone in Panchayat Office	Yes/ No ✓	
Toilet facility available in Panchayat Ghar	Yes/ No ✓	
Electricity available in Panchayat Ghar	Yes/ No ✓	
Water connection available in Panchayat Ghar	Yes/ No ✓	
Bank Branch available in the Panchayat	Yes/ No ✓	PUNJAB NATIONAL BANK

- iii. Whether Infrastructure and Assets Register has been prepared: Yes/No
(Visiting Officer to physically check the register)
If No, Visiting Officer to get the register prepared in his/her presence and confirm: _____

2. Functionality:

2.1. General activities:

- i. Are Ward Sabha meetings being held: Yes/No ✓
ii. No. of Ward Sabha meetings held since inception: Approx 10 in each Ward
iii. No. of Gram Sabhas conducted since inception: Approx 6
iv. Date of last Gram Sabha: 02.10.2020
v. Are all plans approved in Gram Sabha: Yes/No ✓
vi. Is the minimum quorum of 1/10th being ensured in all Ward/ Gram Sabhas: Yes/No ✓
vii. Are Ward Sabha/ Gram Sabha resolutions attached with all plans: Yes/No ✓
viii. Is the Approving Authority checking Ward Sabha/ Gram Sabha resolutions: Yes/No ✓
ix. Has Social Audit Committee been framed: Yes/No ✓
x. Is social audit being conducted by the Committee: Yes/No NIL
xi. No. of works audited by the Social Audit Committee: _____
xii. Has Pani Samiti been constituted: Yes/No ✓
xiii. Has the Pani Samiti approved the Village Action Plan: Yes/No ✓
xiv. No. of meetings of Pani Samiti held: NIL
xv. Is Biodiversity Management Committee constituted: Yes/No ✓
xvi. No. of BMC meetings held: NIL
xvii. Is e-register of all previous works/ assets in the Panchayat being maintained: Yes/No ✓
xviii. Have wall paintings of works executed for 2019-20 been done in the Panchayat: Yes/No ✓
xix. Are Poshan Abhiyan activities being held in the Panchayat: Yes/No ✓
xx. What and where was the last activity held: 28th Sep 2020, at Anganwari Centre, Kalyari
xxi. Have Health & Family Welfare Advisory Committee (HFWAC) & Village Health Sanitation & Nutrition Committee (VHSNC) been constituted under the Sarpanch: Yes/No ✓
xxii. No. of meetings of HFWAC & VHSNC meetings held: 5
xxiii. Is the name of Sarpanch displayed on citizen information boards of all RD&PR schemes: Yes/ No ✓
xxiv. Are Sarpanchs being involved in start/ inauguration of activities: Yes/No ✓

If no, reason thereof: _____

- v. Expenditure incurred on paying of honorarium through Sarpanch: Rs 5.415 lakh
- vi. Whether the record on account of purchase of nutrition and payment of honorarium is being maintained by the Panchayat: Yes/ No ☒ Yes
(Visiting Officer to check the register and verify the signatures of the Sarpanch on the same)

2.3. Midday Meal (MDM) Scheme:

- i. Whether Panchayat/ Sarpanch is purchasing items at Panchayat level for providing dry ration under MDM in the schools: Yes/ No ☒ Yes

If no, reason thereof: Being directly supplied to schools through indent submitted to P.S.O

- ii. Expenditure incurred on Mid-Day Meals/ food items through Sarpanch: Rs N.A lakh

- iii. Whether the Panchayat/ Sarpanch is providing dry ration to the school children in the Panchayat: Yes/ No ☒ Yes

If no, reason thereof: Being directly supplied to schools

Also mention if it is being provided by someone else: by P.S.O

- iv. Whether the record on account of purchase of MDM items and honorarium to cooks is being maintained at the Panchayat: Yes/ No ☒ Yes

(Visiting Officer to check the register and verify the signatures of the Sarpanch on the same) Verifies

- v. Expenditure incurred on honorarium to cook cum helper through Sarpanch: Rs _____ lakh

- vi. Whether the Action Plan for funds on account of Own Resources of the Panchayat is being prepared: Yes/ No ☒ Yes N.A

If yes, whether approved by the Gram Sabha: Yes/ No

If no, reason thereof: N.A

2.4. Challenges:

- i. Major challenges being faced by the Panchayat in functioning and execution of works:

1. Low Honorarium of Anganwadi workers, no funds for transportation of nutrition etc. Timely payments for works done under MGNREGA not done.
2. No facility of computer & printer in Panchayat causes problems/ ~~for~~ delays in payments & communications
3. Running to District HQ Kalina for every need. Facilities like issuing of Caste Certificates, Income tax certificates of the students should be made available in schools.

H) FOLLOW UP OF BACK TO VILLAGE-1 & 2 (B2V1 & B2V2):

S. No	Particulars	Action taken	Remarks #
I. Urgent Public Requirements/ Demands - B2V1			
1	Const. of 2 No.s Borewell	Nil	
2	upgradation of existing road & Const. of Internal Rd	Nil	
3	One No. P.A. & regular supply of Medicine	Nil	
4	Restoration of Existing W.S.S.	Nil.	
5	Const. of internal roads with in G.P.	Partial after B2V2	
6	Concrete & Black Popping 30 kms internal roads with in G.P.	Nil.	
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II. Urgent Public Requirements/ Demands - B2V2

1	Govt. degree college at Dakhta	Land donated to Edu Deptt. Physically verified by team led by Principal GDC, Kalkha. File sent by DC Kalkha to Director School Education, Gwalior	
2	New W.S.S and renovation of Existing WSS	Nil	
3	Upgradation of Power infrastructure	95 KV. Transformer installed 63 KV. transformed after SAURDHAGYA Completed	
4	Const. of Bented Cause way at 7 places for road connectivity	Nil. R.	
5	Need for a Play Ground	Nil.	
6	New Internal Roads Reqrd 1. Doshi to CHIANA 2. SAIT to KETTY 3. Jaihar to BANROT via Ganbyal & others.	Nil.	
7	Flod control works @ H.S. Doshi P.S. Sait, Kalyani Agri Land Doshi Agri Land Upper Malini Temple at Lower Malini, Chadsayd. Gura Land. Bura. Kally & Phosul.	Nil.	

S. No	Particulars	Action taken	Remarks #
III. Major Problems - B2V1			
1	DRINKING WATER SUPPLY	PROJECTS SUBMITTED UNDER JAL JEEVAN MISSION	EXISTING WSS, in dilapidated state
2	ROAD CONNECTIVITY (MAIN + INTERNAL)	• Internal roads, mainly Tractor Roads have been taken up under MGNREGS 24th PC plan.	
3		• Main Road connectivity - NO ACTION ON ground	
4	POWER INFRASTRUCTURE & SUPPLY	POWER SUPPLY BETTER BUT HUGE VOLTAGE PROBLEMS	
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IV. Major Problems - B2V2			
1	DRINKING WATER SUPPLY.	• NO ACTION. • PLANNED UNDER JGM	
2	ROAD CONNECTIVITY.	• Internal Roads being constructed under 14th PC & MGNREGS A • MAIN ROAD - NO ACTION	
3	POWER Infrastructure & SUPPLY.	• VERY LOW VOLTAGE	
4	NO SOURCE OF IRRIGATION WATER	• NO PLAN IN SIGHT.	
V. Major Complaints - B2V1			
1	Water supply	NIL	
2	Road connectivity	NIL.	
VI. Major Complaints - B2V2			
1	Water supply.	NIL.	
2	ROAD CONNECTIVITY	NIL.	
3	POWER Infrastructure	Partially resolved.	

Please indicate whether action taken in 2019 or 2020 or during Jan Abhiyan/ Awami Muhim.

I) GENERAL ASSESSMENT OF THE VISITING OFFICER:

Any major complaint brought to the notice of the Visiting Officer:

I The major complaint brought to the notice is that that of the pending Material liability of the works of the block (RD Dept) executed in the years 2016-17, 2017-18 and 2018-19, because of which the contractors have not paid the dues of the labourers and the visiting officer was confronted with this problem in almost every ward of the Panchayat.

II Major/ urgent public demand(s) that was/were reflected earlier but have not been addressed so far:

1. Flood control Measures for protection of H.S. Dorsi, Primary schools - Sait, Kalyasi, Agricultural land at Dorsi, Upper Malini, Temple at Lower Malini etc.
2. Const. of More no. of wells to augment drinking water supply.
3. Need for Play Ground, for which land has already been earmarked.
4. Upgradation of Power Infrastructure viz Cable, transformers etc.

III Overall assessment of visit and suggestions:
(The visiting officer to ensure that the overall assessment is recorded in detail along with concrete suggestions.)

There were no. of works completed between B₂V₂ and B₂V₃ with under MGNREGA & funds under 14th FC, with the active hard work of PRI Members. However issues concerning the locals viz Drinking water supply, road connectivity, Power remain need lot more to be done. The suggestions from the end of Visiting officer are

1. To strengthen the mission of PRI members of constructing Wells in every ward to reduce the deficit of the water supply which is very scarce & not sufficient
2. To make available functionaries of Government viz, Revenue officials, Health officials, Agriculture officials etc in the block in an periodic manner to make the facilities available in the Panchayat itself.

Signature of the visiting officer

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