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People's Endeavour for Social Change (PESCH)



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ACRONYMS



APPI	- Azim Premji Philanthropic Initiatives
ADC	- Autonomous District Council
VDC	- Village Development Committee
PESCH	- People's Endeavour for Social Changes
SHG	- Self Help Group
CBO	- Community Based Organization
RNBA	- Rongmei Naga Baptist Association
FPO	- Farmer's Producer Organization
NABARD	- National Agricultural Bank And Rural Development
OSAAT	- One School At A Time
FIG	- Farmer Interest Group
ASER	- Annual Status of Education Report
Brot	- Bread for the world
BBBP	- Beti Bachao Beti Padhao
DRDA	- District Rural Development Agency Tamenglong and Jiribam

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Chairman's Message

The Annual Report of People's Endeavour for Social Changes (PESCH) presents a bird's eye view of the activities that have taken place during the year. The Annual Report is a lens to view the wide range of activities and interventions during the past year. The photos, besides being a beautiful sight to behold are living testaments of the places and people where activities are carried out.

The interventions undertaken by PESCH are numerous. The SHGs with their impressive Revolving Fund have ventured into Livestock Resource Development, handloom, handicraft into plantation and orchards, and so on. The work of the SHGs has been especially significant because of its emphasis on empowerment and collective action. It is praiseworthy to note that SHGs have been found to be "One of the most effective strategies for ensuring the economic stability of the poor and vulnerable sections of the rural economy".

Another significant intervention is the Improve quality and dignity of human life program under Brot/RNBA which supported the organization since from 2006 and it reached to 27 villages and the present phase covered three villages of Tousem block, Tamenglong district, Manipur. This project brings change the life of the marginalized people of Tousem and Jiribam block of Manipur and Cachar district Assam.

Other praiseworthy interventions are the Rural Haat at Sibilong and Kaimai, FPO project, skills training under NABARD and revival of indigenous cotton farming and culture under Global Greengrants Fund.

PESCH has also strengthened its structures and system at the organization level. Through Capacity Building and workshops such as planning, Mainstreaming and development, rights and entitlements, review workshop under Brot and staff orientation on project management, planning, monitoring and reporting, today PESCH is better positioned as a lead NGO in the area.

The Annual Report will present the Readers an account of the numerous program conducted and implemented by PESCH. As you would have noticed the activities are varied and the task is huge. Yet this big task has been meticulously supervised and ably directed by none other than our ever-enthusiastic leaders Namkhinlung Pamei, Director PESCH, KG. Pougiang Accountant, D.Puanthanlung Senior Coordinator, G.Gaihiamlu Coordinator, Ditung Kuame CEO, Khunguanpou Rongmei Field Assistant and dedicated volunteers. I also thanks immensely to Dimgong Rongmei for his dedicated work and enthusiasm for the organization. Through him the organization reached this level. I also thank our numerous Partners in Development, without whose support the work of PESCH would be highly hampered. We can't forget to thank the Almighty for His blessings.

Sd/
Keigapou Rongmei
Chairman, PESCH


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Director's Message

I am very happy to present to you our Annual Report for the year 2019-2020. I am wondering how the days, months and year has passed by. It was a wonderful year with many learning's. The Monthly Staff Review Meetings, Executive Board quarterly Meetings, Donor network meetings, Seminars, workshops, reports, presentations, field visits, exposure, etc were all a learning process for me. Besides many programs which were successfully completed during the year, I am happy to note two important systems which we managed to comply with as part of social justice at the level of organization. Firstly, enrolled PESCH staff with EPF through the help from Romtan Singh Accountant RNBA and secondly policies of the organization i.e HR policy, Assets management policy, travel policy, internal control policy, sexual harassment policy, environment policy, child and women policy, HIV policy, cost analysis policy etc which were implemented during the reporting period. The internal Staff Welfare Fund (Monthly INR. 500 contribution, equivalent contributed by the organization) which I had initiated as a benefit to all our staff was very much appreciated by the employees as they received their savings for each staff to a tune of Rs. 15000 +. I had to close this account as they moved in to EPF.

During the reporting period we could take up small interventions in two districts (Jiribam and Tamenglong, Manipur) with four small projects. The "Environment Development and Management Program through RNBA/EED covers 5 villages of Tamenglong district Manipur, Revival of Cotton Farming and culture through GGF in 10 villages of Tousem block, Tamenglong district, Rural Haat construction at Sibilong and Kaimai of Tousem block, Tamenglong district, FPO projects in Jiribam and Tamenglong and Skills training under NABARD. We focused on empowerment, Livelihood, Marketing, Natural Resource Management and protection of women and child rights in the Tousem block, Tamenglong and Jiribam districts of Manipur.

As you glance through the reports, you would realize that many things have been able to complete with our trained staff. I am proud to say we have achieved much during the year.

I place on record Mr. Dimgong Rongmei Secretary, Relief & Development Department RNBA who worked more than 10 years as Director of PESCH, for his dedicated work and enthusiasm for the organization. Through him the organization reached this level.

I thank also to Armstrong Pame IAS, DC Tamenglong for his constructive guidance, support and encouraging to me and my staff to do development work in the district.

I also thank to P.Boicha Meitei DDM NABARD Tamenglong for his positive support in shouldering development program under NABARD.

I thank also to Malemnganba Chinglei IAS, DC Jiribam for his support in organizing career counselling for school children and awareness on drug abuse, early marriage, domestic violence and child trafficking issue in the Jiribam district.

Let me also thank each and every one of you, RNBA development staff, SHGs and VDCs of project villages, David Gandhi of Aben who came from Pune to revived SALT model in the area and Youth club and student union of the area for your support and cooperation in fulfilling the organization given responsibility.

I too thank all the Partners in Development, both from India and abroad for all the resources you provide in realizing the mission of the Organization.

Sd/

Namkhinlung Pamei
Director, PESCH

Director
People's Education Society for Social Change
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From the Coordinator's Desk

As a developmental organisation People's Endeavour for Social Change (PESCH) has been working earnestly for the last 20 years to uplift the less privilege people in our region with focus on participation of the youth and women. The rift between the privileged and underprivileged section of the people is growing fast in this 21st century. This create a sense superiority and inferiority complex in the mind of the people which bring social diversity in the society.

There are millions of needy people in the world which need support specifically in the sector of education, socio-economic, socio-politics, health and mental well-being. Today we all felt the needs to help them out within our capability such as sharing knowledge, moral support and in cash or kind, whatever it can be. While writing this message I just recollect the commanding words of Jesus once said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful but the labourers are few". We have plenty of tasks to achieve in our lifetime whereas most of us are confined only to our personal chores. As a development worker I felt a very challenging responsibility working to bring a change to the individual and the community as a whole. It is not an easy task to achieve our goal. It is a team work. We need constant support from every single individuals in our endeavour toward bringing a change in our society, state, nation and the world as a whole.

Last but not the least, I hope it will touch the heart of everyone who go through this Annual Report (2019-2020) publication of People's Endeavour for Social Change (PESCH) in contributing some changes at least in our society.

Sd/
D. Puanthunlung
Coordinator, Bread for the World,
People's Endeavour for Social Change (PESCH).


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Programs of PESCH:

1. Environment Development and Management Programs covering 16 villages in Tousem Sub-Division, Tamenglong District Manipur, 2 village in Jiribam district Manipur and 4 villages in Cachar district of Assam supported by Bread for the World. Around 1911 families out of 2248 are covered. The target group are small and marginal farmers. Women and the poorest groups are the main target group of the program. Around 2700 women are the SHG members across the villages. The annual average income of the target households is around 80,000.
2. System of Rice Intensification (SRI) covering 15 villages in Jiribam district of Manipur with 2600 farmers supported by Tata Trusts. Small and marginal farmers are the target group of the program.
3. Diversion based irrigation (DBI) 1 village in Jiribam district and 1 village in Tousem Sub-division Tamenglong district of Manipur supported by Tata Trusts. Around 150 families are covered with the program. They are also the small and marginal farmers.
4. People Empowerment for Accessing Rights to livelihood (PEARL) covering 13 villages in Nungba Sub-division Tamenglong district, Manipur supported by Indo-Global Social Service Society (IGSSS). Around 1700 families with 3400 people are covering in the project.
5. Promotion of Indigenous cotton covered 10 villages of Tousem sub-division supported by Global Greengrants fund (GGF). Around 220 women SHGs members are covered in the project.
6. Repairing/renovation of Govt. school building and quality education project covered Aben village supported by One Time At A School (OSAAT).
7. Education survey and training on RTE was covered 30 villages of Tamenglong district supported by ASER Pratham Education Foundation.
8. NABARD supported programs Skilled Training, Micro-Spices Solar drier installation, Biomass heat drier installation, Rural Haat and promotion of Farmers Producer Company covered 57 SHGs and 978 members.

Organization Structure:

The structure of PESCH is as follows:

General body > Executive Board > programs and administrative staff > supporting staff.

There are 8 regular staff and 4 volunteers working in the organization of which 5 is women and 7 men.

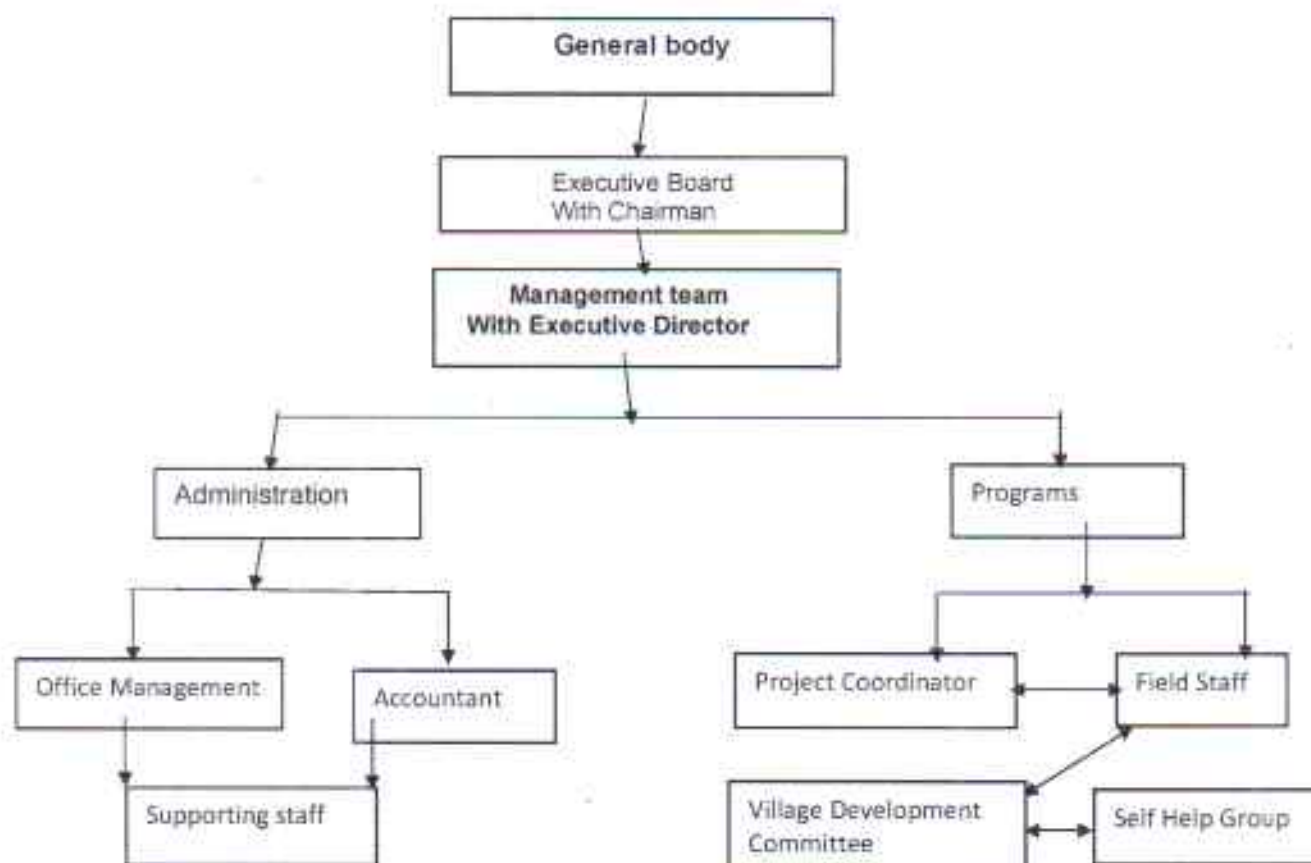
Executive Responsibility of the Project is vested as follows: -

- Executive Board of PESCH- Managing Director and Team.
- Field level team at the District level.



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ORGANISATIONAL STRUCTURE



Members of Governing Board of Organization/ Trust/Society:

Sl. No	Name	Organizational role (if any)	Background	Address	Contact No
1	Keigapou Rongmei	Chairperson	Pastor	Ramgaizang Cachar Assam	7005230371
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3	Athui Rongmei	Treasurer	Pastor	New Alipur, Jiribam	8974008257
4	Jacob Kamei	Member	Social worker	Oinamlong, Tousem Tamenglong	8131025059
5	Rev. Poukham	Member	Pastor	Kamranga, Jiribam	9383356978
6	Miujinliu	Member	Area women leader	Bidyanagar, Jiribam	9599534898
7	Aluna Rongmei	Member	SHG federation leader	Namdailong, Cachar Assam	8974197702
8	AG. Dinbui	Member	Social worker	Kamranga, Jiribam	7005360026
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Project wise progress and activities

A). Improve Quality and Dignity of Human Life(Brot/RNBA)

1. Background:

The Project titled: "Improve Quality and Dignity of Human Life New phase-I" is a sixth year programme (April 2017 – March 2024) aiming at empowering people through formation of people's organization, thereby promoting a people's movement towards socio-economic independence. It is implemented in the 5 villages of Tousem block, Tamenglong district, Manipur.

2. Programme implementation status

PESCH has been engaged in both socio-economic and political empowerment of the people especially the women through effective network and federations in all the circle of Tousem block Tamenglong and Jiribam districts of Manipur. Improve Quality and Dignity of Human Life supported by Bread for the world through RNBA is one of its major programme during this new phase-I. PESCH successfully implement the development activities in all the 5 villages covering 718 households and 897 beneficiaries.

Sl.No	Name of District	Name of Block	No. of Village included	No. of household included	No. of Women SHG included
1	Tamenglong	Tousem	5 villages	718 Households	17 SHGs

3. Key Activities

A. Training Programmes carried out

To update the people and community with latest development knowledge and concepts, PESCH has introduced various subjects/issue-based capacity building training programmes to generate awareness for the community leaders and the group members. We are encouraging people to develop their knowledge through capacity building training organized both in the villages as well as in the PESCH office. During the year, PESCH has introduced following trainings towards the up-gradation of the people both socially and economically in order to lead their life in a smooth and better way. Through various trainings, programmes and events the people of target area have become more knowledgeable and able to manage themselves.

Sl.No	Topic	No. of trainings	No. of villages	No. of participants		
				Male	Female	Total
1	Observation of days	10	5 villages	153	237	390
2	Sports Promotion through supply of Equipments	5	5	50	64	114
3	Sports Day (at PIO)	3	5	391	410	801
4	Awareness raising on rights, right holders, duty bearers (meeting/ rally/ play...)	10	5	84	259	343
5	Trainings on Rights and Entitlements for Youth and Community leaders	7	3	102	301	403
6	Annual Social audit	11	5	113	219	332
7	Interface meetings with VA/Govt	3	3	12	5	17
8	Cross-learning/ evaluation/Exposure visits	2	0	23	34	57



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9	Entitlement, Employment and Skill Mapping for youth, women and men	2	5	112	115	227
10	Regular engagements/ monthly meeting at VDC	3	5	27	29	56
11	IEC Materials (poster/booklets/wall painting/flex)	3	0	245 copies distributed to the farmers of 5 project villages		
12	Stakeholder Consultation at PIO	1	0	15	39	54
13	Awareness raising and informed advocacy (about the right affected and environmental implications) around mega projects	1	0	20	15	35
14	Gender Base Trainings (NGO)	5	5	77	152	229
15	Youth- Skill Development Training	3	5	5	10	15
16	Trainings of SHGs	6	5	391	410	801
17	Meeting/Community Mobilization	2	5	16	19	35
18	Training of PO	4	5	52	59	111
19	Training of Farmers/target groups	14	5	188	323	511
20	Market Linkages Meeting	3	5	50	120	170

B. Beneficiaries supported

Sl. No	Name of activity	No. of village	No. of household	No. of beneficiaries
1	Youth Skill training on Piggery, Poultry and handicraft	5	10	10
2	Loan to Women SHG on entrepreneurship	5	10	10
3	Regeneration of local forest food through SHG	5	5	5
4	Cultivation of Traditional crops-sticky maize, black rice, indigenous brown cotton, tapioca etc	5	225	225
5	Agro-Biodiversity Conservation (Seed Bank)	5	5	5
6	Seed fair cum Food festival	5	3	3
7	Homestead system(Tree+Livestock+Crops)	5	10	10
8	Horticulture system for small farmers(SALT) System	5	47	47
9	Wetland system for small farmers	1	1	1
10	Composting for small farmers	5	10	10
11	Water Resource Development	1	1	1
	Total	5	327	327

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District Consumer for Social Change
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4. There is economic change in the project village after the project intervention. Many women who are not practice vegetable garden have been started cultivation of vegetable garden in their own and through PESCH support program. It created available of green vegetable and increase of food basket as they cultivate like mushroom, red potato and radish which was not in the project village. It also make increased income to the women SHG members.
5. Five (5) SHGs of Kaimai and Oinamlong villages continue to practice Mushroom plantation in their homestead which increased intake of nutritious food after they received training from PESCH. This is the indicator of increased items in the Food basket of the family.
6. There is high expect of increased income in the project village after 5 years as per the assessment of project progress. More than 600 households of the project villages who are direct and indirect beneficiaries were practice SALT system of farming. Many fruit tree like orange, parkia, lemon, banana, vegetables and livestock were introduced in their SALT farm. People of the project village have now more focus on SALT farming or integrated farming system.

Ecological Changes:

1. Under forest food regeneration activity more than 2000 indigenous wild food plants, trees and medicinal plants were either newly planted or regenerated in five forests of four project villages. Now there wild food will be increased and available in particular forest and many endangered species will have protection from extinction.
2. 17 SHGs have registered in Biodiversity Register (Eco club) are forming now women ecological protection committee and start mobilizing preserving trees and wild life.
3. The latest change to our project activity is introduction of Chain saw machine in felling trees by village folk in one project village. One person can cut down a number of trees in a season. There are engaged in this work to support their livelihood. The need of the hour is to provide other livelihood option in time or else only few big trees will be left in the forests of our region soon.

***E. Important lessons learned during the reporting period**

1. People have shown great interest in horticulture, cash crop cultivation and Forest food regeneration activities. They have reduced in working in the Jhum cultivation. This change is the impact of the various Brot project activities.
2. Another important lesson learnt during the reporting period is 35 girl under 10 year have registered in SSY scheme. This will benefit the girl child and bring gender equality.
3. Women SHGs have developed the culture of helping each other in need and practicing group activity like group farming of traditional crops during our intervention. This shows the good result of working together in the community which will enhance peace and harmony.


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Project for Sustainable Social Change
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F. Activity Description and Photos

1. Sport Day

The 3rd Sports Meet of People's Endeavour for Social Change

The 3rd Sport Meet of People's Endeavour for Social Change (PESCH) was conducted at Kaimai village on February 7th, 2020. There were altogether 77 players comprising 60 women, 91 men from five project villages namely Nungkao, Oinamlomng, Kaimai, Sibilong and Chingkao who participated the Sport Meet.

The Inaugural and Opening ceremony was led by Mrs Sarita Pamei, Secretary Gailaphuam SHG, Oinamlong village. Firstly candle lighting was done by Dr Florence Dangmei, (CMO, 87 Bn CRPF) the Chief Guest of the Sport event. The Welcome speech and Key note address was given by Mr Namkhinlung Pamei, Director People's Endeavour for Social Change (PESCH). He expressed his happiness to all the players, audience and the dignitaries for their contribution in organising the Sport Meet. He also highlighted the aim and objectives of the event. He wish the sport meet will bring more peace and harmony among the people of the participating villages. In the second place Dr. Florence Dangmei, Chief Quest expressed gratitude to PESCH for honouring her in the Sport Meet. She encourage all the players and spectators to maintain healthy life and involved in different games and sport apart from schooling. She said that we can excel in various fields if we struggle hard in our life. The youth both male and female should work and take active part in moulding the family and the community.

Then Sport event started with women/youth volley ball match followed by Men/youth volley ball and football match. In the final women volley match Gailaphuam SHG, Oinamlong village become the champion team and the first runner up was taken by a combined team of Chuncham SHG, Tidai SHG and Naithau SHG of Sibilong village. In the final men volley ball match Kaimai youth club emerged victorious over Sibilong Youth club. And in the women Mini Marathon race Ms Gathaoliu Gangmei of Kaimai village become the winner and Ms Precilla Pamei of Nungkao village was the first runner up. In the cultural dance competition a combined dance troupe namely Chuncham SHG, Tidai SHG and Naithau SHG of Sibilong village got the first prize and Gailaphuam SHG of Oinamlong village got the second prize. At last the Sport meet concluded with prize distribution to the winning teams and individuals which was handed by Mr Namkhinlung Pamei, Director People's Endeavour for Social Change (PESCH).



Namkhinlung Pamei
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2. Day Observation.

A one day Youth Day was observed at Namdailong, Cachar Assam in collaboration with PESCH and Namdailong Baptist Youth Fellowship on October 26, 2019 at the Youth office. There altogether 19 male and 9 female from three project villages i.e Nungkao, Kaimai, Oinamlong and the host Namdailong village attended the youth day observation. Mr. Dimboi Riamei Secretary, Namdailong Baptist Youth Fellowship led the program. Mr. Namkhinlung Pamei, Director People's Endeavour for Social Change (PESCH) is the Chief Guest of the Youth Day observation. In the first place he expressed gratitude for the cooperation given by the youth in organizing this auspicious day. He exhorted the youth to come forward and served the society. The period of youth is the golden time of having maximum strength and knowledge. Therefore it is the right time to work for the community, he stressed. The youth day observation program was continued with outdoor games and sports played by both men and women. And the youth day observation concluded in the evening with word of thanks expressed by Mr. Chingkhupou Kamei, President Namdailong Baptist Youth Fellowship.

National Women's Day was observed on the date of 13th February 2020 at Oinamlong village under Brot project. The program started with an opening prayer pronounced by Mr. Gaibilung Gangmei, pastor of Shalom Baptist Church, Oinamlong which was followed by keynote address on women's day by G. Gaihlamliu, Coordinator. She mentioned the reason of observing National Women's Day by narrating the story of Sarojini Naidu, the most powerful and outspoken woman who was the India's first women governor and independence activist. Moreover she said that both men and women are equal in the eye of law and right to education. She further said that women need to be educate in order to have good family and society. She mentioned the quote of Napoleon Bonaparte, "Give me good mothers and I shall give you a great nation" and Thomas Edison quote "My mother was the making of me. She was so true and so sure of me, I felt that I had someone to live for-someone I must not disappoint. The memory of my mother will always be a blessing to me". She further explained that like Edison's mother who made her son genius, every women possess the different blessing and special gift from God to change the world. The program proceeded further by speech competition on the topic of "Women Roles and Responsibility in the Family and Society". In the said competition, Sarita Panmei, secretary of Gaila Phum SHG got the 1st prize and Adimliu Gangmei of Taudai SHG in the 2nd place. Altogether 34 participants attended in the program where 3 male and 31 are female. The program ended by distribution of prizes and refreshment thereafter.

The World Wild Life Day was observed on March 3, 2020 at the house of Ms. Namnganliu house Kaimai village. It was participated by 15 men and 22 women which include leaders of SHGs, Church and Youth club members. The resource person D. Puanthanlung Coordinator said World Wild Life Day is observed to celebrate and raise awareness of the world wild fauna and flora and recognized the importance role of the cities in ensuring international trade does not threaten the survival of the species. Some of the importance points to be noted are below.

1. Importance of Wild life to human and other living beings: Bees and birds play an important role in pollination which help enhancing production. If there is no bees and birds or very the production rate our crops and forest vegetable and fruit will be very


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less. The excreta of animal and birds add fertility to the soil. The presence of different species of animal and also maintain ecological balance.

2. Steps to conserve Wild life and biodiversity: Firstly we need to have a minute meeting on the importance of animal and birds at the village level. Secondly we have to pass a resolution to have a protected forest and then identify a forest. A committee will be formed to manage the protected forest. There should be restriction of hunting in this forest. They can consult Govt. line department or any other Non-government agency for support.
3. Discussion on existing Wild life in the forest of Kaimai village and listing of endangered animals. There was brief discussion on the existing wild life status of the Kaimai forests. The endangered species identified were as follows: 1. Monkey 2. Deer 3. Flying squirrel 4. Hornbill
4. Drawing of village forests map: Two forests were mapped of which one has the potential for protected forest.
5. Conservation plan: In the last part of the training it is agreed to have conservation plan soon in the village.



3. Awareness raising on Rights and Entitlement for Youth and Community leaders.

A One Day awareness program on Agriculture and MSME Loan was conducted at Chingkao Church office on 11th October, 2019. In the said meeting 44 people attended out of which 25 are female and 19 are male. The program started with keynote address and highlighting the schedule by G.Gaihiamlu, coordinator and followed by welcome address by Mr.Kadilung, Village Chairman, of Chingkao. During the meeting the resource person Namkhinlung Pamei, Director of PESCH, speaks on the topic of Agriculture and MSME loan. He continued to say that as per District Level Review Committee Tamenglong Credit Ratio Plan, PESCH NGO have entrusted by the bankers and the chairman/ Deputy Commissioner Tamenglong to select 10 SHG in Tousem Sub- Division for Agriculture and MSME Loan. Accordingly PESCH has selected 5 SHGs from project villages namely 1). Gaila Phuum SHG, Oinamlong for poultry 2). Peace SHG, Kaimai for poultry 3). Tidai Phuum SHG, Sibilong for piggery 4). Chungai SHG, Chingkao for goatry 5). Evergreen SHG, Chingkao for piggery. So PESCH has given



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awareness on Agriculture and MSME loan for Evergreen SHG and Chungai SHG Chingkao on 11th October 2019.

4. Awareness Raising on Mega project

A One day Community Awareness meeting was conducted on 4th March 2020 at Nungkao-iii Baptist Church office on the topic of Mega projects. The meeting was attended by 5 men and 27 women. The objectives of the meeting was to make aware of the advantages and disadvantages of the development projects in the villages. The development projects coming up are namely Construction of roads (four lane), Power grid, Railway construction, Oil exploration, construction of towers etc. These projects has vastly affected more than 20 acres of land around the project villages in the Tamenglong District of Manipur.

The meeting started by highlighting the program by G.Gaihlamliu and welcome speech from Precilla Pamei, VDC secretary. During the meeting the Resource persons Mr. Ditung Kuame, CEO (PESCH) Farmer's producer Organisation (FPO) speaks about the objectives, advantages and disadvantages of development projects. The advantages are availability of infrastructure, employment, wages earning, compensation, etc. On the other hand the disadvantages are destroying of natural resources, i.e. forest, aquatic living beings like fish, crab, and snail, submerge of agricultural land. The Resource persons also speak on the rights of people, right to protect their land and right to claim compensation from the Government. They also appeal the village folks to prepare strategies to protect the natural valuable natural resources for sustainable livelihood. The meeting was attended by 32 participants of which 5 are male and 27 are female.



5. Training on Rights and Entitlement

As part of the Brot/PESCH Project program we have conducted Training on Rights and Entitlement on the topic "Van Dhan Vikas Yojana". The program is being conducted at Kaimai Village on 9th, February 2020. The meeting was attended by 53 women and 16 men from 4 project villages namely Nungkao, Oinamlong, Kaimai and Sibilong. The meeting started with a prayer by Mrs Kajeigailiu, Peace SHG president which was followed by welcome address from Chingluang, Village authority Chairman and keynote address by Namkhinlung Pamei, C/F PESCH. The Resource person Mr. M.Romeo Singh, Lecturer of Jiribam Higher Secondary School, Manipur speaks on the scheme of Van Dhan Vikas Yojana. He continue to say that under Van Dhan Vikas yojana, 10 Self Help Groups of 30 Tribal gatherers is constituted for providing skills up gradation and capacity building training and setting up of primary processing and value addition facility. He also says that this activity has strong linkage to women's financial empowerment as most Minor Forest Producer (MFPs) are collected and used/sold by women. He concluded by saying that this scheme will be important milestone in

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economic development of tribal involved in collection of MFPs by helping them in optimum utilization of natural resources and provide sustainable MFP-based livelihood in MFP-rich districts. The program come to end after interaction hour led by resource person and heavy refreshment follows thereafter.



6. Annual Social Audit

People's Endeavour for Social Change (PESCH) has conducted a One Day Social Audit was conducted at Nungkao-iii village on March, 2020. The participants include members and leaders from Church, Village Authority, Youth Club and Self Help Groups. The meeting was facilitated by Miss. Ajikmei, President Rani Foundation. All together 12 male and 20 female participated the meeting. The agenda of the meeting were on the various activities implemented in the village in last one year, like number of beneficiaries of Traditional crops, Horticulture system, Homestead system, Seed bank compost making, Meeting/Trainings and Awareness programs supported by Brot/PESCH. The amount received by the Self Help Groups and individual beneficiaries were discussed in details during the meeting. We also discussed whether the activities are implemented according to the project guidelines or not. The current status of all the SHGS are also updated in the meeting. It is found that all the fund received by the Groups and beneficiaries are utilized properly according to the guidelines though some of the activities are not up to the expectation. The meeting concluded with words of appreciation expressed by Mr. Kadisin Kamei, VDC secretary to PESCH, SHGs, beneficiaries, and to all the public whose support and cooperation help in implementing the activities effectively.

7. Interface Meeting

The meeting was chaired by Armstrong Pame IAS, DC Tamenglong and Moderator by Premchandra LDM Tamenglong. The meeting was participated from different departments of the district i.e P.Boicha DDM NABARD, Tonsing Manager UBI Bazar Branch, Kajatgai ADM Tamenglong, Achan Sharon Manager RBI Imphal, Ph. Khangmeidun GM DIC Tamenglong, SP. Lovejoy DAO Agriculture dept, Weiyapam Assistant Manager UBI Tamenglong branch, Dinimang Manager Canara Bank, Liankhansuan Samte Manager SBI Tamei branch, Namkhinlung Pamei Director, PESCH, Ditung Kuame, CEO PESCH. It was attended by 5 male and 1 female.

Resolution NO.1: DEEDS: The house discussed and resolved to sanction 10 loan on DEEDs from Rs.10 lac under the support of NABARD.

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Resolution No. 2 SHG credit linkage: The house resolved to release 10 loans of piggery/goatary/poultry to SHGs through PESCH from the three banks of Tamenglong within March, April and May consecutively.

Resolution No.3 Rural Haat: The house with the permission from the chair resolved to construct Rural Haat at Katang Beukam through PESCH under the support of NABARD.

Resolution No.4 Springshed Project: With need base assessment from the chair, the house ask NABARD to support Springshed project for Njukok Tousem Sub-division through PESCH.

The house passed unanimously to seat next meeting in the month of June 2020 at same hall.



8. Cross Learning Program

Under the initiative of People's Endeavour for Social Change (PESCH) a Cross Learning program of Self Help Group (SHG) was conducted at Silchar, Assam from November 11 to 12, 2019. Altogether 20 women and 4 men from 17 SHGs and 2 VDC secretaries of five villages participated the program. During the said program we have visited ABC Poultry farm at Nagatila, Silchar Assam. The SHGs women interact with the proprietor of the poultry farm on rearing of chicks and its management. The women are very much motivated seeing the well managed big poultry farm. They have decided to start such poultry farm in their respective villages to enhance their livelihood. We also have a meeting with the Manager of Life Insurance Corporation (LIC) on Micro insurance and some other new policies at the office in Silchar. The Manager explained in details the work of the LIC to the meeting participants. The SHGs women are impressed with the works of the LIC which benefit the people particularly the poor. They have learnt the importance of LIC. Some of the SHGs women have earlier joined Bhagya Lakshmi Plan and some have decided to join soon during the meeting.



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9. Stakeholder Consultation at PIO

A one day Consultation with Village Authority, Pei and Church was conducted at Kaimai village on 17th October, 2019 as part of the Brot/RNBA/PESCH program. The meeting was attended by leaders of the Village Authority, Pei and Church and SHG women. The meeting participants were 15 men and 39 women. Firstly Mr. Ningthui Gangmei, Elder and V/A member share the present scenario of the land use and ownership in the village. Later Mr. Chingluang Kamei V/A Chairman speaks on the 1. Present land use tenure by SHG and beneficiaries of Horticulture, Homestead and forest food regeneration program and 2. Land recommendation of SHG and beneficiaries by Village Authority. The Kaimai Village Authority has so far issued Land Recommendation certificates to 8 Horticulture beneficiaries, one wetland beneficiary, 1 Homestead system beneficiary and 1 Forest food regeneration activity undertaken by Mercy SHG in the last three years. The Pei and Church leaders expressed appreciation to the Village Authority for their Land Recommendation issued to the beneficiaries and SHGs. All the Consultation participants also share on the present land use system in the Kaimai and other Rongmei villages.

At the conclusion part of the consultation some important resolutions were passed to ensure sustainability of land use by the SHG women, single women and farmers in the village.



10. Youth Skill Development Training

We have conducted 5 days of training on Piggery and poultry at Ramgaizang Baptist Church, Women society office from 23rd-27th November 2019. The training program was attended by 9 SHG women from members from five project villages. The program started with an opening prayer led by K. Laungam, Head deacon and followed by keynote address of the program by D. Puanthanlung, Senior Coordinator. The program continue by a speech from the resource person, Dr. Jerry R. Joute, Lakhapur Block Veterinary officer, Fulertal on the topic of Piggery and poultry. She said that Pig farming is very easy in all domesticated animal and easy in feeding because even the kitchen waste can be feed. Moreover it is the only domestic animal giving two times of farrowing in a year and it is also one of the best for landless people for it doesn't require big patch of land. She also mentioned some popular pig farms in Assam. It is a subsidiary occupation with a small investment for landless farmers to get additional income. The following are the important points a farmer must know before rearing of pig.

After 2 days of vaccination we should go for vitamins supplement as the birds will be weak after vaccine and the dose is 5mm in chill water to 100 birds.

The program was end up with words of thanks from G. Gaihiamlu, Coordinator followed by closing prayer by Mr. Guigapou, home Evangelist and lunch thereafter.

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11. Training of SHG

A One Day Training of SHG on Banana Chips Making was conducted at Kaimai on 24th October 2019. The training was attended by 22 female and 8 men. The program started with an opening prayer by Miss Namnganliu, member Mercy SHG. The welcome address and key note of the program was given by G.Gaihiamlu, Coordinator. The training proceed further by a speech from the resource person Mrs Jekim Daime, SHG member of Aben village. She firstly highlighted the materials and ingredients needed for preparation of banana chips. Slicer, raw mature banana, slotted ladle, big frying pan are the materials and the ingredients are refined oil, turmeric powder, salt and chilli powder. She further continued by explaining the procedure of banana chips making.



12.Meeting/Community Mobilization

Farmers Mobilization meeting: The Farmers Mobilisation meeting on Farmers Producer Organization (FPO) was held at Kaimai vilge on 25th October 2019. The meeting was attended by 17 women and 15 men from Kaimai and Oinamlong village. The Resource person Mrs Jekim Pame is a SALT farmer from Aben village. She explained how people will work in a farmer producer organization. The organization being registered under the cooperative society will obtained FSSAI certificate of local products from the concerned department. The farmers of about 300 from 5 village will be members in the organization. They will collect local products like fruits, sticky rice, chili, medicinal and aromatic plants, broom, etc. do some basic processing and value addition and sell in systematic way. The collective work has more advantages in selling the available local products in reasonable prices. The products will be sell in nearby markets and far off markets.

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13. Training of Producer organization (P.O)

A one Day Bee keeping training was conducted at Chingkao (old) village on March 8, 2019. The training was attended by 15 men and 18 women. The Resource person Khuangongpou Kamei, PESCH Staff give the details method of Bee keeping and its economic benefits.

The transplantation of the plants varies from plant to plant. So based on the experience of the farmer and expertise the sapling should be transplanted at the right time.

14. Cultivation of Traditional Crops

Under this program we have supported 55 beneficiaries for 9 SHGs in four project villages during 6th six months period. Some of the common crops to be cultivated are Sticky rice, Black-bluish maize and Taro. The fund was supported on 17th and 18th March 2020 in the individual beneficiaries Bank Account. The SHGs who got supported from traditional crops are given below along with their number of beneficiaries:



15. Seed Fair cum Food Mela

As per Action plan of Brot/PESCH activity we have conducted the 3rd Seed Fair cum Food Festival on February 8th, 2020 at Kaimai village. It was attended by about 45 SHGs women members and 17 men from the villages of Kaimai, Sibilong, Oinamlong, Nungkao and Chingkao. The program was led by Miss Ramthailu Panmei, Secretary Taudai SHG of Oinamlong village. In the first part, Mr D. Puanthanlung Coordinator, PESCH give the Keynote

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address of event. He highlighted the aim, objectives and goal of the Seed Fair cum Food Mela. The Resource person Mr Chingkhiumgam Kamei, Coordinator RNBA speak on the importance of indigenous crops. The local crops are more nutritious and generally organic in nature. He advised the village folk to plant more crops for consumption and selling as well to increase income. The organic products has the highest demand in the markets and better to avoid plantation of hybrid crop species. There is fast emerging of hybrid species everywhere for increased productivity for food sufficiency. In such situation we should preserve and promote our indigenous nutritious crops. We should also expose our valued crops to other places. At last he express his appreciation to all the participants especially the SHG women members for being part of the program. The program concluded with vote of thanks expressed by Mr Ningthui Gangmei a village elder.



16. Water Resource Development

Under Brod/PESCH/RNBA program, PESCH has supported Water resource development Chingkao village. The fund was supported to Evergreen SHG through their Bank Account. An intake measuring 8 feet long and 3 feet high was constructed at the water source. And a reservoir was constructed near the paddy field. It will be able to irrigate 3 acres of paddy field for 3 households and drinking water for 10 households. The maintenance is done VDC and Evergreen SHG. The sustainability of water use in the village is availability of water at the source throughout the year.



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17. Training of Farmers/target groups

As part of the BroU/PESCH capacity building program we organised One day Farmers training on Integrated Farming system in the Rural haat, Sibilong village on November 15, 2019. Altogether 31 women and 12 men attended the training program from the project villages of Sibilong, Kaimai, Oinamlong and Nungkao. The Resource person Mr Ditung Kuame, Coordinator, PESCH speaks on the basic steps and the importance of Integrated Farming system. The components of the farm will include different plants like vegetables, cash crops, fruit trees and livestock.



B). National Agricultural Bank and Rural Development (NABARD)

1. Rural Haat Sibilong

1. Introduction:

The Project "Rural Haat Sibilong" was funded by NABARD Regional office Manipur and contributions made by the DC Tamenglong and participating communities. The Project was approved and issued sanction No.NB.MNR/494/OFDD/Rural Haat Sibilong/2018-19 on 28 January 2019 and it was inaugurated by Mr. Tadinang Gangmei ADC Member of Oinamlong Segment Tamenglong in the presence of P.Boicha DDM NABARD on 18th November 2019. The project experienced initial delays due to organisational and institutional constraints. There were three instalment phases first in the month of March 2019, second in the month of July 2019 and third after the inauguration of the haat (Dec 2019). The haat was built to help rural people market their products effectively.

For the successful exploration of rural markets, a basic requirement is infrastructure. The absence of such infrastructure is aggravating the distribution challenges in rural Tamenglong of India. Due to scattered(geographically),small size of population, remoteness, poor connectivity, low per capita disposable incomes, acute dependent on shifting cultivation the people of Sibilong areas are opportunity of market connectivity since from the last 40 decades. But a Rural haat, is an open-air market that serves as a trading outlet for consumers in rural areas, it opened the eyes of rural people of Sibilong to promote trading converting them into small towns. They have now opportunity of selling anything from fresh vegetables, fruits, garments, groceries, agricultural inputs and equipment, consumer expendables and set of spurious products in their local market(Rural Haat). There are 5700 peoples from 5 project villages, CRPF, Manipur police, Railway construction companies and National Highway No.37 visitors who can



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sell their products and buy. These could be a regular platform to reach out to rural consumers. Branded products like hill broom, smokeless king chillisales at Rural haat Sibilong, pointing to the opportunity that awaits big brand marketers through SFURTI project under Jiri-Barak Farmers Producer Company under the implementing agency of PESCH. The crucial issue for the marketers is understanding from where and how sellers at these haat source the goods can be a good beginning. Haat sellers mostly sale their local products only and there is great challenge of more sellers than buyers. The major advantage it offers to marketers is touch and feel experience and communication in local language to the rural consumers.

Specifications of the haat

Length of the haat	: 43 ft with double storey
Wide of the haat	: 16 ft with double storey.
Store room	: 1.5 (L) x 1.8 (B) x 1.25 m (H) and chimney height is 1.5 m
Platform length	: 43 ft in the first floor and 10 ft in the ground floor
Toilet	: 1 toilet attached with bath room
Drinking water	: One 500 syntax installation with pipe connection for toilet
Electric installation	: 1 ceiling fan, 4 bulk and 2 showcase point
Boundary Fencing	: Bore wire fencing with wood pillars
Vendor seating capacity	: 30 vendors in the first floor and 10 in the ground floor
Market day	: Thursday of every week
Name of the Haat	: Ahu Kaithian Barak Sibilong
Products sale in the Haat	: King chilli(Smoke and smokeless, orange, vegetables, millets, fruit juice, gooseberry, bamboo shoot, local fish, essentials items, Handicraft products and hill broom
Haat Management committee	: SHGs (Tidai SHG, Chuncham SHG, Naithau SHG and Nzeipui phuam SHG).
No.of village participate in selling products	: Sibilong, Chingkhonglong, Longjuan, Tongtao and Kambiron
Buyers of the products	: Passengers, CRPF, Police, IRB, Railway construction Companies, traders from Jiribam, traders from Nungba and villagers.

2. About the Rural Haat Sibilong:

2.1.Location: Rural Haat sponsored by Regional Office NABARD Manipur have been constructed at Sibilong(Siguilong) village is situated at the western part of Tamenlong District, Tousem Block, Manipur. It is 100 km away from sub Division headquarter Tousem and 85 km away from District headquarte. The biggest river in the state called Barak River is passing with NH.37 Bridge. There is half km from the Jadonang Railway substation which is going to be function after the completion of the Jiri Tupul railway line. Sibilong(Siguilong) village is famous in King chilli ,orange medicinal plants & aromatic in its forest. Sibilong King chilli is well known by the traders of Imphal and it is high demand in imphal market because of the quality of chilli. Sibilong orange growers got 1st and 2nd prizes in the state orange festival of Tamenglong 2017 and got 2nd in 2015 and 3rd in 20

2.2.Objective of the project:

The Sibilong(Siguilong) village is a junction for neighbouring villages namely , Chingkhonlong, Tongtao, Longjon, Nungkao Upper, Kaimai, Oinamlong and Kambiron. The three villages Chingkhonlong, Longjon and Tongtao can reach Sibilong

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by water route (boat) through Barak river. The Target site of Haat is situated near the Central Reserve Police Force (CRPF) out post of NH-37 near barak river bridge and 500 meters away from Haipou Jadonnang Railway substation. There is source of water from river near the proposed Haat. It will make comfort to the travelers if we have haat in the area as hundred of vehicles from light to heavy pass through the village. As there is security check post before entering the barak bridge, vehicle take stop near the proposed haat.

2.3. Implementation structure:

The project had a three instalment phase based on formation of Rural Haat Monitoring Committee(RHMC), approval from district authority and community before the release of first instalment. After received of district administration contribution and community the second phase instalment was released to the implementing organization and then after inauguration of haat the third instalment amount was released.

2.4. Basic Structure /facilities for the Village Haats

The basic structure /facilities which may provide at these village Haats are as under:- a. Open raised platforms b. Store room c. Toilets d. Drinking water facility through installation of syntax. e. Drains f. Boundary wall /fence g. Parking space h. Electric connection.

- 2.5. **Utilization of Fund** Funds was released in the following pattern by NABARD and raised local contribution through phase wise for the creation of Rural Haat Sibilong for an amount of 12,36,500 which NABARD Rs. 10,00,000(Ten lakh) and local contribution 2,36,500(Two lakh Thirty six thousand five hundred). The following were the amount received and expend in the construction of Rural Haat Sibilong.

Instalments wise	NABARD	Local contribution(Man day wage value)	Local Cash/materials contribution	Total Amount
First Instalment	300000	40800	25000	365800
Second Instalment	400000	53200	7500	460700
Third instalment	300000	60000	50000	410000
Grand-Total	10,00,000	1,54,000	82,500	12,36,500

2.6. Maintenance and Management

A Rural Haat Management Committee may be constituted for management and maintenance of Village Haats which may comprise of Chuncham SHG president, Secretary, Naithau SHG president, secretary, Tidai SHG president, secretary and Nzeipui phuam president, secretary, VDC secretary of Sibilong and village authority representatives of Chingkhonglong, Tongtao, Longuan and Kambiron. Haats should generate sufficient resources to meeting the recurring expenses through levy of user fee etc. The Committee will pass a resolution to maintain the Haats through levying suitable charges/fees. The collection and allotment of stalls will be the responsibility of the Management Committee which will maintain the village Haats from the rental income and other fees/funds collected from the village Haats. The expansion of Village Haats may be considered from surplus funds.

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Permanent shops and other facilities for the village Haats may be planned from these funds.

2.7. Allotment of Stalls

About 70% of space may be allotted to SHG members and 30% of space may be allowed to be given to others who will pay suitable charges/fees. Self Help Groups will not be charged any rent or nominal rent in comparison to others for using space in Village Haats. The allotment should not be permanent in nature to allow for new entrants. The space can be rotated between different villages for a fixed number of days in each year. They should also not be allowed to avail the facility for a period exceeding the total number of days prescribed for this purpose.

2.8. Monitoring:

People's Endeavour for Social Change (PESCH) will primarily be responsible to monitor the progress of such haats periodically. The concerned NGO will collect information on sale of product, functioning of these haats and furnish the report to NABARD every month or quarterly in Progress Report (MPR/QPR) and on MIS, when it becomes operational.

3. PEOPLE'S PREFERENCE:

Villagers visiting Haat are most interested in purchasing grocery items, as every item is available at the best cheapest price. Traveller visiting Haat are most interested in purchasing local vegetables, fruits and handicraft products. As for the convenience of the people, haat market day have been fixing on Thursday of every week as Friday is the bazar day at Jiribam. The reason for the preference of grocery items is that mostly the villagers are engaged in agricultural occupation, due to which they can easily sell their own products through the Haats.



4. Achievement:

4.1. The Project has been successfully implemented according to the Project guideline and budget. Every Thursday women SHGs and some individual sell their products in the rotation system instructed by the Management Committee. First week: Chingkhonglong and Sibilong part-I, second week: Sibilong part-II and Tongtao, Third week: Kambiron and Sibilong barak bridge point area and four week: Others vendors like CRPF, Railway companies and traders from Jiribam. The committee


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decided Rs.40 for non SHG member per month as charge and ground floor for hotel per month as 300 in quarterly rotation system.

4.2. Electric drier Machine: MOMA supported electric drier machine for king chilli and the smokeless king chilli was brought to the market and sale to the passengers. So, now the haat become a unique market as smokeless king chilli have been produced in this market only in the district and in the state as a whole.

4.3. Under the SHG credit linkage program, Tidai SHG of Sibilong got loan Rs. 2, 50,000 from United Bank of Tamenglong Bazar branch under district credit plan of 2019-20 of Tamenglong district. Now, SHG of Sibilong have credit linkage with bank and scale up their business.



4.4. Participation of Sangai festival 2019 and orange festival Tamenglong 2019

Tidai SHGs of Sibilong participated Sangai festival in 2019 and and orange festival Tamenglong 2019 and can sale their handicraft products and Nzeipuiphuam SHG in orange festival Tamenglong and sale their orange. SHGs of Sibilong collected products from others area and sale in the Rural Haat(Ahu kaithian) Sibilong and even to larger market Imphal.

5. **Sustainability plan:** Indicating the likely continuation of net benefits from a development intervention beyond the phase of external funding support. It also includes an assessment of the likelihood that actual and anticipated results will be resilient beyond the project's life.

5.1. Mela: The Haat Management Committee decided to organize one mela every year in the winter/harvest season to encourage visitors and vendors the importance of haat and its sustainability

5.2. With approval from PESCH and Village Authority 50/50 share as grant decided to purchase sugarcane/orange/lemon juice machine for the vendors fixing using charge Rs. 30 per day.

5.3. Maintenance charge: The committee resolved to reserve 30 % of annual income of haat for repairing and beautiful of Ahu Kaithian Barak.

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5.4. The Committee also decided to give rent of ground floor for SHG group only for quarter wise rotation system @ Rs.300 for grocery shop or hotel.

6. **Best Lesson learned:** After interaction and feedback from the two participants of vendors, they said that "We are very happy to get this kind of opportunity to showcase our products and sale our products in our area which is only our long dream".

1. They shared among the items they sold were bamboo shoot dry, roselle leaf dry, orange, king chilli fresh and dry with smokeless, millet are the best demand items by visitors.
2. They shared that well preparation in regard of items packaging (Name of SHG, date of packaging, weight, amount, photo, uses) should be clear.
3. Price high of dry king chilli is one the reason they could not able to sold all. So, making reasonable price is important for quick selling of products they shared.

2.Skill Development Training on Bee Beeping:

Skill Development Training on Bee Keeping was conducted at Nungkao/Luangkao – 3 village on August 21 – 25, 2019. Sponsored by: NABARD, Tamenglong District, Implemented by: People's Endeavour for Social Change

Target villages: Kaimai, Sibilong, Chingkhonglong, Oinamlong, Nungkao, New Kaiphundai, Rangkekiulong, Longchai, Chingkao, Thaucham

Target Beneficiaries: 35 farmers, 10 youths

Objectives of the training:

1. Need analysis have been done among the target groups in the target villages on the designed training before selection of trainees. We select the interested and committed trainees for relevance training accordingly. The participants will be from school drop outs, educated unemployment youths and interested farmers
2. Local Advisory Board will be formed during or after the training
3. Setting up of 5 successful units in 5 target villages
4. No. of 20 persons to be employed and sustainable of the units after establishment

5. Honey bee festival to be organize in 2020

A five (5) days Skill Development Training on Bee Keeping for farmers was conducted at Nungkao-3 village from 21 – 25 August 2019 which was sponsored by Bread for the world (Brot) and RNBA. Altogether 43 persons from five villages namely Nungkao, Kaimai, Sibilong, Oinamlong and Hillghat participated in the training program. On the first day inaugural program was graced by Mr Majajinangkamei, Village Authority member and registration of training participants were done. The welcome and key note address was given by NamkhinlungPamei, Director People's Endeavour for Social Change. The Resource person HuiemRajen Kumar Singh speaks in details on the biology of bee and its economic importance. He then taught the training on how to make beehives, honey harvesting and catching of swarming bees during the five days program. He also taught on management of bee colony.

After the training a local Advisory Board was formed to monitor the bee keeping units. The following are the board members selected during the meeting.

1. P. Boicha, DDM NABAARD Tamenglong District
2. Jiten Singh, UBI Jiribam
3. Ramkung Kamei DIC, Tamenglong
4. NamkhinlungPamei, PESCH


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5. Namguigai V/A Chairman, Nungkao
6. Jacob Kamei, Asst. Pastor Oinamlong.

Two bee unit one at Nungkao-3 (Mr Kadisin house) and one at Kaimai (Mr Simon house) is set up. The other units will be set up soon at rest of the villages.

Bee keeping training Photo



3. Farmer's Producer Organization

Activities:

- A. Membership Drive: Membership drive was carried out in 3 different villages, and so far 350 members were enrolled. 200 members contributed their share of Rs. 500/- per head.
- B. Marketing: As a trial a finished product of hill brooms was collected from the farmers and sale at Rural Haat Sibilong market. Some farmers from the project villages do Bee keeping and started harvest the honey, pack in the bottle and sale it locally. So far Rs. 5000 has been accumulated from the sale of the product.
- C. Board Members training: one training on roles & responsibilities for 10 Board members conducted on 17th February 2020 at PESCH office facilitated by Namkhinlung Pamei Director PESCH
- D. CEO and POPI training: one training on Concept of FPO and objectives was conducted for the CEO and POPI leaders by Namkhinlung Pamei at PESCH office on 20th February 2020.
- E. Registration: Digital signature for 10 board members is completed and submitted for DIN and CIN number and waiting for reply from the office.
- F. Office: Jiri-Barak Farmers Producer Company Limited office is separately installed with 1 table, 3 chairs, 1 steel cupboard and office sign board.
- G. Handholding support by POPI: Handholding support in writing cash book, ledger and record maintenance was conducted for Board directors and CEO on 12th March 2020 at FPO Office Kamranga

C).Global Greengrants Fund(GGF)

1. Meeting with SHGs on Promotion of Indigenous cotton

On: 21st March 2020 Venue: Sibilong

Organised by: People's Endeavour for Social Change(PESCH)

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As part of the Global Green Grant Fund (GGF) Project program we have conducted Training on promotion of Indigenous Cotton. The program is being conducted at Kaiphundai village on 21st March (Saturday) 2020. The meeting was attended by 33 women where all of them are member of SHGs and 4 men. The meeting started with a prayer pronounced by Mr. Gaichiandin, VDC member which was followed by welcome address from Mr. Meithailung, VDC secretary. The Resource person Mr. Namkhinlung Pamei, Director of People's Endeavour for Social Change (PESCH) speaks on the topic revival of indigenous cotton farming and its importance. He says that brown cotton is very unique as it needs no dyeing and it is grown only some parts of the globe compared to white variety. He encouraged the participants by saying that through this cotton farming we can manufacture all types of clothes and it is free from chemicals. The program come to end after interaction hour led by resource person and vote of thanks from Khiulingliu, president of Tidai Phum SHG.

Training photo:



2. Meeting with SHGs on Promotion of Indigenous cotton

On: 19th March 2020 Venue: New Kaiphundai

Organised by: People's Endeavour for Social Change (PESCH)

Supported by: Global Green Grant Fund (GGF)

As part of the Global Green Grant Fund (GGF) Project program we have conducted Training on promotion of Indigenous Cotton. The program is being conducted at New Kaiphundai village on 19th March (Thursday) 2020. The meeting was attended by 27 women where all of them are member of SHGs and 2 men. The meeting started with a prayer pronounced by Mrs Pougakliu, president of Himdai Phum SHG which was followed by welcome address from Mrs. Tabitha, secretary of Peace SHG. The Resource person Mr. Namkhinlung Pamei, Director of People's Endeavour for Social Change (PESCH) speaks on the topic revival of indigenous cotton farming and its importance. He says that brown cotton is very unique as it needs no dyeing and it is grown only some parts of the globe compared to white variety. He encouraged the participants by saying that through this cotton farming we can manufacture all types of clothes and it is free from chemicals. The program come to end after interaction hour led by resource person and refreshment follows thereafter. Women Day.

3. Meeting with SHGs on Promotion of Indigenous cotton

On: 19th May 2020 Venue: Njukok

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Supported by: Global Green Grant Fund (GGF)

As part of the Global Green Grant Fund (GGF) Project program we have conducted Training on promotion of Indigenous Cotton. The program is being conducted at Njukok village on 19th May 2020. The meeting was attended by 16 women where all of them are member of SHGs. The meeting started with a prayer pronounced by Mrs Lamhale, president of Lucky SHG which was followed by welcome address from Mrs.Hungeile secretary of Suisam SHG. The Resource person Mr. Namkhinlung Pamei, Director of People's Endeavour for Social Change (PESCH) speaks on the topic revival of indigenous cotton farming and its importance. He says that brown cotton is very unique as it needs no dyeing and it is grown only some parts of the globe compared to white variety. He encouraged the participants by saying that through this cotton farming we can manufacture all types of clothes and it is free from chemicals. The program come to end after interaction hour led by resource person and refreshment follows thereafter.

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D).Beti Bachao Beti Padhao (BBBP) and PMGKY program under DRDA Tamenglong and Jiribam

1. Beti Bachao Beti padhao scheme for girl student who stayed in rent or hostel in Jiribam during national wide lock down

PESCH with the initiatives from Armstrong Pame IAS, DC Tamenglong and Additional Deputy Commissioner Jiribam district of Manipur, 1000 menstrual pad kits for poor girl students was distributed in Jiribam on 20th, 14 March 2020 and Tousem sub-division Tamenglong district on 15th, 16th, 17th March 2020 during covid-19 national wide lock down. The campaign was taken under the theme "Bleed with pride" which is done to remove any taboos about menstruation and also supply the girls who otherwise has no resources to afford good quality ones.

During lock down many girl student coming down from Tamenglong to jiribam could not go back to their home village, they were facing shortage of food and financial. As Jiribam is small district, menstrual stay free was not available in the shop and pharmacy due to lock down. So, girl facing problems of living hygienic way and health problems. Looking such situation, PESCH approached to the Government officials of Tamenglong and Jiribam and they supported Moon Catcher Pad kits under Beti Bachao Beti Padhao program.



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The Moon Catcher pad kits provides free reusable, washable menstrual pad kits" that can be worn without underwear for girls. These pads provide a way for girls to stay at home during lock down while menstruating, giving them a greater chance of healthy hygiene. It benefited to 1000 girls from Jiribam students from Jiribam and Tousem blocks of Manipur and Cachar Assam



Awareness to 50 girls of New Allpur Jiribam on



Menstrual pad kits distributed to 30 girls New Allpur



Menstrual pad kits distributed to Tousem 80 girls



Menstrual pad kits distributed to 35 girls at Aben



Awareness given to UBS students by DC Tamenglong



Menstrual pad kits distributed to girls Longchai

2. Prime Minister Garib Kalyan Yojana scheme

We PESCH approached to the Chief Minister Manipur through online internet www.tengbung.in for providing relief rice for the poorest people of Jiribam who are facing shortage of rice and other essential commodities during lockdown. The Manipur chief Minister handled the issued by providing 50 quintal of rice for people of Jiribam and student of Tamenglong district who stayed in Jiribam. More than 240 poor family of Jiribam and students coming down from Tamenglong and stayed in rent or hostel during national wide lock down of India to fight corona virus were benefited.


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Name of student benefited PMGKY rice who were staying in Jiribam during national wide lock down by the Govt. of India.

SL NO	NAME	VILLAGE	Name of school	Standard	Items received
1	LANGUANGCHUNG KAMEI	LUANGBA	Hill Cross English School	1	10 kg of rice
2	BLISS KAMEI	SIGUILUANG	Hill Cross English School	1	10 kg of rice
3	BIBI GANGMEI	NEW ALIPOUR	Hill Cross English School	1	10 kg of rice
4	JABEZ GANGMEI	NEW ALIPOUR	Hill Cross English School	1	10 kg of rice
5	POULUNGTHAI KAMEI	NEW ALIPOUR	Hill Cross English School	1	10 kg of rice
6	HEISINLUNG GANGMEI	SIGUILUANG	Hill Cross English School	1	10 kg of rice
7	MOSES PAMEI	LUANGCHAI	Hill Cross English School	1	10 kg of rice
8	GAITHUILIU	KAIPHUNDAI	Hill Cross English School	1	10 kg of rice
9	JENEFER GANGMEI	KAIPHUNDAI	Hill Cross English School	2	10 kg of rice



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10	ENOCH PAMEI	LUANGCHAI	Hill Cross English School	2	10 kg of rice
11	TATHUILUNG	LUANGKAO	Hill Cross English School	2	10 kg of rice
12	GANGUANGLIU KAMEI	NEW ALIPOUR	Hill Cross English School	2	10 kg of rice
13	GAISINTHUI	KAIPHUNDAI	Hill Cross English School	2	10 kg of rice
14	TINGTHUILUNG RONGMEI	NEW ALIPOUR	Hill Cross English School	4	10 kg of rice
15	KEJIA GANGMEI	KAMBIRON	Hill Cross English School	4	10 kg of rice
16	PUNGCHIULIU	KAIPHUNDAI	Hill Cross English School	4	10 kg of rice
17	SUAIHIAMTHUA NLIU	SIGUILUANG	Hill Cross English School	4	10 kg of rice
18	GAIREILIU	LUANGKAO	Hill Cross English School	4	10 kg of rice
19	DAMCHUILUNG RONGMEI	KARULUANG	Hill Cross English School	4	10 kg of rice
20	GAISINLIU PAMEI	LUANGCHAI	Hill Cross English School	5	10 kg of rice
21	GAIKHUANLIU GANGMEI	KAIPHUNDAI	Hill Cross English School	5	10 kg of rice
22	HAPPYSON PAMEI	LUANGCHAI	Hill Cross English School	5	10 kg of rice
23	LUKHUANLIU DANGMEI	KAMBIRON	Hill Cross English School	5	10 kg of rice
24	KAKHANCHIULIU GONMEI	SIGUILUANG	Hill Cross English School	5	10 kg of rice
25	MANILUNG PAMEI	KARULUANG	Hill Cross English School	5	10 kg of rice
26	G GANMEI	NEW ALIPOUR	Hill Cross English School	6	10 kg of rice
27	GAISINGAM PAMEI	LUANGCHAI	Hill Cross English School	6	10 kg of rice
28	KHANGDUAKLU NG RONGMEI	RANI COLONY	Hill Cross English School	6	10 kg of rice
29	KAKALUNG PAMEI	LUANGCHAI	Blooming English school	6	10 kg of rice
30	POUNGAMLUNG GANGMEI	NEW ALIPOUR	Blooming English school	6	10 kg of rice


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31	G ANMOL KAMEI	LUNGREIJANG	Blooming English school	6	10 kg of rice
32	MONIKA KAMEI	KAIPHUNDAI	Blooming English school	6	10 kg of rice
33	SHANTILIU KAMEI	KARULUANG	Blooming English school	6	10 kg of rice
34	GAIDINGLUNG	RANI COLONY	Blooming English school	6	10 kg of rice
35	JOHNAS KAMEI	NEW ALIPOUR	Blooming English school	6	10 kg of rice
36	KARIUGAN RONGMEI	KARULUANG	Blooming English school	6	10 kg of rice
37	KABIGAILIU PAMEI	RANI COLONY	Blooming English school	6	10 kg of rice
38	NEILATHUILIU PAMEI	KAIMAI	Blooming English school	6	10 kg of rice
39	LUNGSHIMPOU KAMEI	KARULUANG	Blooming English school	7	10 kg of rice
40	M ROSE	KAIPHUNDAI	Blooming English school	7	10 kg of rice
41	MONICA GANGMEI	LUANGKAO	Blooming English school	7	10 kg of rice
42	GAIJINLIU KAMEI	LUANGKAO	Blooming English school	7	10 kg of rice
43	KARIANGLIU	KAMBIRON	Blooming English school	7	10 kg of rice
44	NIAMKHUANLIU	KAIPHUNDAI	Blooming English school	7	10 kg of rice
45	KUMAR RONGMEI	NEW ALIPOUR	Blooming English school	7	10 kg of rice
46	SIMEON DAIMEI	KAMBIRON	Blooming English school	7	10 kg of rice
47	NGAMRANGPOU	RANI COLONY	Blooming English school	7	10 kg of rice
48	LANCHUNGLIU	RANI COLONY	Blooming English school	7	10 kg of rice
49	JOYSON KAMEI	CHINGKAO	Jiribam Model High School	7	10 kg of rice
50	KUNGTHUILIU	RANGKLAKIULU ANG	Jiribam Model High School	7	10 kg of rice
51	COROLIN	KAIMAI	Jiribam Model High School	8	10 kg of rice
52	JANGTHAIPOU PAMEI	LUANGCHAI	Jiribam Model High School	8	10 kg of rice
53	MERCY RONGMEI	NEW ALIPOUR	Jiribam Model High School	8	10 kg of rice



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54	ROSELIN GANGMEI	KAIMAI	Jiribam Model High School	8	10 kg of rice
55	NAMLABUANLIU PAMEI	LUANGKAO	Jiribam Model High School	8	10 kg of rice
56	MARY RONGMEI	RANI COLONY	Jiribam Model High School	8	10 kg of rice
57	POUJUANLUNG KAMEI	SIGUILUANG	Jiribam Model High School	8	10 kg of rice
58	GAILINLIU GANGMEI	NEW ALIPOUR	Jiribam Model High School	8	10 kg of rice
59	LUNGANGPOU	KARULUANG	Jiribam Model High School	8	10 kg of rice
60	LANSINGLIU GANGMEI	LUANGKAO	Jiribam Model High School	8	10 kg of rice
61	BENJIMIN	OINAMLUANG	Jiribam Model High School	8	10 kg of rice
62	RACHUNLIU	KAIPHUNDAI	Jiribam Model High School	8	10 kg of rice
63	RINGAMDIN RONGMEI	NEW ALIPOUR	Jiribam Model High School	8	10 kg of rice
64	JIANTHUILIU	OINAMLUANG	Jiribam Model High School	8	10 kg of rice
65	GAIKANDIU	NAMDAILUANG	Jiribam Model High School	8	10 kg of rice
66	NINGTHUNGPOU	OINAMLUANG	Jiribam Model High School	8	10 kg of rice
67	KARINZAI KAMEI	RANI COLONY	Jiribam Model High School	8	10 kg of rice
68	JOHNY MALANGMEI	LUANGKAO	Jiribam Model High School	9	10 kg of rice
69	GUANLOUNGAM PAMEI	LUANGCHAI	Jiribam Model High School	9	10 kg of rice
70	SIAMRUAILUNG GANGMEI	KAIPHUNDAI	Jiribam Model High School	9	10 kg of rice
71	ALIMEI KMEI	NEW ALIPOUR	Jiribam Model High School	9	10 kg of rice
72	MEIJIRIANGLIU RONGMEI	NAMDAILUANG	Jiribam Model High School	9	10 kg of rice
73	NAMDIJIN RONGMEI	NAMDAILUANG	Jiribam Model High School	9	10 kg of rice
74	GAIRINGLIU GANGMEI	OINAMLUANG	Jiribam Model High School	9	10 kg of rice

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75	KABILUNG RUANGMEI	OINAMLUANG	Jiribam Model High School	9	10 kg of rice
76	KUNGLANLIU KAMEI	SIGUILUANG	Jiribam Model High School	9	10 kg of rice
77	NATHANIEL KAMEI	LUANGCHAI	Jiribam Model High School	9	10 kg of rice
78	KAMBUICHUNGLIU	CHINGKAO	Jiribam Model High School	9	10 kg of rice
79	TIGANLIU	KAMBIRON	Jiribam Model High School	9	10 kg of rice
80	HENRY RONGMEI	NAMDAILUANG	Jiribam Model High School	9	10 kg of rice
81	LUDIA KAMEI	CHINGKAO	Jiribam Model High School	9	10 kg of rice
82	KHUANTHAILUNG KAMEI	CHINGKAO	Jiribam Model High School	9	10 kg of rice
83	THAILUNGPOU RONGMEI	KAIPHUNDAI	Jiribam Model High School	9	10 kg of rice
84	JENNY KAMEI	SIGUILUANG	Jiribam Model High School	9	10 kg of rice
85	TITHUILIU GANGMEI	KAMBIRON	Jiribam Model High School	9	10 kg of rice
86	PEILINLIU RONGMEI	KARULUANG	Jiribam Model High School	9	10 kg of rice
87	GAIRANLIU PANMEI	LUANGKAO	Jiribam Model High School	9	10 kg of rice
88	POURIANGTHUAN PANMEI	NAMDAILUANG	Jiribam Model High School	9	10 kg of rice
89	KINTHANLUNG GANGMEI	KAIMAI	Jiribam Model High School	9	10 kg of rice
90	LUNGLIMANG GANGMEI	LUANGCHAI	Jiribam Model High School	10	10 kg of rice
91	CHINGHIAMANG PAMEI	LUANGCHAI	Jiribam Model High School	10	10 kg of rice
92	PUANTHANLIU KAMEI	KAIPHUNDAI	Jiribam Model High School	10	10 kg of rice
93	NAMTHANBUAN LIU	KAIPHUANDAI	Jiribam Model High School	10	10 kg of rice
94	LUCY KAMEI	SIGUILUANG	Jiribam Model High School	10	10 kg of rice



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95	NAMPHUNCHUN GLIU	KAIPHUNDAI	Jiribam Model High School	10	10 kg of rice
96	CHINGKHIURILIU	KAIPHUNDAI	Jiribam Model High School	10	10 kg of rice
97	KANDUAKLIU	OINAMLONG	Jiribam Model High School	10	10 kg of rice
98	KACHANGTHAILI U	KAIPHUNDAI	Jiribam Model High School	10	10 kg of rice
99	THUANDAILUNG	NEW ALIPUR	Jiribam Model High School	10	10 kg of rice

E). Awareness on women and child rights

1) Women rights program.

On 24th Nov 2019 with ICDS workers Bidynagar and PESCH conducted domestic violence issues and women rights at JNN conference hall Jiribam. In the meeting 27 persons of Bidyanagar women participated. On 12th and 15th February 2020 awareness meeting on women rights on land was conducted at Chingkao and Oinamlong village Tousem Sub-Division, Tamenglong. In the meetings 45 women and church leaders participated.



Awareness meeting on domestic violence



Women rights awareness at Chingkao



Women land rights meeting

2) Awareness on early Marriage

The awareness on early marriage was conducted in Jiribam Higher Secondary on 13 April 2019 and Aben Junior High School Tousem on 15 May 2019 as part of an student career counselling program aimed at facilitating access to specialised protection and other welfare services for rented and hosteller who are coming down to Jiribam from Tamenglong district for schooling. In the program 30 to 40 students attended. Resource Person Ajikna Kamei Counselor from Kendra Vidyalaya Kakching and Usha Gandhi presently staying at Aben who came to Aben from Pune with her husband David Gandhi through PESCH for promotion of SALT farming model alternative jhum(Shifting) cultivation which was practiced since forefathers time in the area. They talked on the existing government acts for women and way of parents support in sending their children to school.

Through the awareness program students have learned about their rights and obligations in India and regularize their legal status by providing information and awareness sessions, individual financial, legal, and psycho-social support through case management activities, and by referring vulnerable cases to government institutions and local partner organisations.

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Awareness at Secondary school Jiribam



Awareness at Aben junior high school

F). CRBP project under RNBA at New Kaiphundai

First training cum meeting on Integrated Fruit plantation

On dated 16 June 2019, People's Endeavour for Social Change (PESCH) conducted a training on Integrated Fruit Plantation. In the training 25 farmers from 21 households participated. In the training Namkhinlung Pamei Director, PESCH shared on integrated fruit plantation system which is applicable in the region. How to Plant of Areca, parkia, lemon was shared in the training.

After the training, action plan for practical training on SALT model have been fixed on 22/06/2019. During the meeting money was distributed to all the 19 households for purchasing Areca nursery and rice. 50 nursery plants each of Areca were distributed to 4 persons by PESCH.

Second training conducted by PESCH at New Kaiphundai

Practical training on SALT farming at New Kaiphundai under CRBP project RNBA was conducted by PESCH on 22/06/2019 at New kaiphundai. In the training Mr. Meiringam Daime of Aben, expert farmer of SALT farming was resource person. The farmers and the Resource person team visited farm site and carried out practical on contour line making by A-Frame for soil and water conservation. Plantation of nitrogen fixing plant(Hedgerows or pigeon peas), how to dig pit, pruning, mulching, trenching and compost pit making were taught.

1. We suggest the farmers to plant Areca, lemon, parkia, drumstick, goose berry, betel leaf and other wild fruits in their farm as long term plan
2. We suggest for medium plan to grow banana, papaya, pigeon pea
3. We suggested for cultivation of vegetables, ginger, turmeric, mushroom, wild vegetable etc as short term plan
4. We also suggested for livestock rearing like goatry in their farm
5. We asked farmers for bee keeping in their farm for pollination. In the training 23 farmers attended. We hope it will bring change the life of the people in the near future.



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Third Training Conducted by PESCH

As a follow up programme, PESCH team visited 13 farm site of 13 households on 27/06/2019 and 4 farm site on 5/7/2019. On 21 August 2019, PESCH conducted bee training at Nungkao and in that training 2 persons namely, Duandi Gangmei and Isaac Gangmei participated.



As per the monitoring visit report of PESCH staff and Farmers of New Kaiphundai the following details nursery plants and rice were received by 19 farmers/household.

Sl.No	Name of head of the household	Rice received per household in KG	Areca nursery plant received per household	Area of farm in acre
1	Tajanang Gangmei	50	800	3
2	Pouhak Gangmei	50	800	2
2	Athui Kamei	50	800	3
3	Pousinrei kamei	50	800	3
4	Thuijinang Kamei	50	800	3
5	Agui Meiringmei	50	800	3
6	Aman Gangmei	50	800	3
7	Levi Gangmei	50	800	2
8	Keisungpou Gangmei	50	800	3
9	Radi Gangmei	50	800	3
10	Pougailung Gangmei	50	800	3
11	Kunclinang Gangmei	50	800	3
12	Pouduanrei Gangmei	50	800	3
13	Gaisaenglung Gangmei	50	800	3
14	Jianthaolung Gangmei	50	800	3
15	Ninguanglung Gangmei	50	800	3

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16	Suaihiamlung Gangmei	50	800	3
17	Etiakim Gangmei	50	800	3
18	Chunguangliu Kamei	50	800	3
19	Luningchuihu Kamei	50	800	3
	Total	1000	16000	58

G). ASER 2019 Findings of Tamenglong and Jiribam district Manipur

In 2019, ASER survey was conducted at the age group 14 to 18. In Tamenglong 10 villages and 5 villages in Jiribam was conducted by PESCH as district partner. ASER 2019 is the first ever ASER survey for age group 14 to 18. It was Conducted in September 2019.

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT PATTERNS

At the all India level, there is a small shift towards government schools. As compared to data from ASER 2018, data from ASER 2019 (September 2019) show a small shift in enrollment from private to government schools, across all grades and among both girls and boys. The proportion of boys enrolled in government schools rose from 62.8% in 2018 to 66.4% in 2019. Similarly, the proportion of girls enrolled in government schools rose from 70% to 73% during the same period. In Manipur, the shift in enrollment remained from government schools to private schools. The proportion of boys enrolled in private schools increased from 73.6% in 2018 to 86.6% in 2019. For girls, the enrollment in private schools in Manipur increased from 70.7% in 2018 to 87.4% in 2019.

In Tamenglong and Jiribam many young children yet to get admission in school. ASER 2019 shows that while the proportion of children not currently enrolled for the 2019 school year is higher than the equivalent figures for 2018, for most age groups these differences are small.

HOUSEHOLD RESOURCES

Among enrolled children in Jiribam, more than 60% live in families and Tamenglong more than 40% with at least one smartphone. This proportion has increased enormously in the last two years, from 36.5% to 61.8% among enrolled children. The percentage point increase is similar in households of children enrolled in government and private schools. In Manipur, the availability of smartphones in the households has increased from 53.4% in 2018 to 84.3% in 2019.

In Tamenglong more than 40% children and in Jiribam more than 80% have textbooks for their current grade. This proportion is higher among students enrolled in government schools (84.1%) than in private schools (72.2%). In Manipur, 97.5% of children had the textbooks for their current grade available with them, far above the national average.

HOME SUPPORT FOR LEARNING

ASER 2019 data shows that regardless of parents' education level, families invest significant effort in supporting children's learning.


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In Tamenglong and Jiribam almost three quarters of all children receive some form of learning support from family members. Notably, even among children whose neither parent has studied beyond primary school, family members do provide support. Older siblings play an important role in providing learning support to children in these households.

Children in lower grades get more family support than in higher ones. Similarly, children with more educated parents receive more family support than those with less educated parents. For example, 54.8% of children whose parents had completed Std V or less received some form of family support, as compared to 89.4% of children whose parents had studied beyond Std IX.

H).Case Study

1. Case study:

From Middlemen to Rural Haat (Market Linkage)

Introduction: Sibilong is a Rongmei village of 139 households with total population of 834 is located nearby the NH-37 that is Imphal- Jiribam road. Their chief occupation are Shifting cultivation, King chili and Orange farming. The principal products of the village are King chili and orange. The nearest markets are Nungba, 25 km away and Jiribam which is 75 km away from the village. There is no passenger vehicle service in the village. They are predominantly poor as observed from Baseline data income and as evidence from the present village living standard.

Earlier Scenario

The village folk use to sell their products particularly dried King chili and Orange to the middlemen who directly come to the village. The other products from the Jhum field and forest are sold at the nearest markets and some of them sell in their small shops nearby the NH-37. As there is difficulties in transportation to the nearest markets this practice is considered as the best option for them.

The Changing Scenario

As part of BroT/RNBA/PESCH program we conducted a one day Seed Fair cum Food Mela at Sibilong on December 3 and 4, 2018. In this auspicious occasion various dignitaries from Govt. Departments and Agencies namely Autonomous District Council, ICAR and Manipur Organic Mission Agency (MOMA) participated. Finding difficulties in marketing the local organic products, PESCH approached to DDM NABARD Tamenglong for market shed in Sibilong village. Finding the situation NABARD official felt the need of marketing facilities in the vicinity they sanction to PESCH for construction of Rural Haat called "Ahu Kaithian" at the village in 2019 with a fund of 10,00,000 (10 Lakh.) under PESCH as Implementing agency. Later MOMA installed a power generated Dryer Machine worth 17,00,500 (Seventeen lakhs and five hundred) in the same year. Under DRDA convergence, the Deputy Commissioner of Tamenglong, Armstrong Pame also funded Rs. 50,000 (Fifty thousand) in aid of Rural Haat construction. The Rural Haat started functioning since November 2019. As a result three (3) SHGs women under BroT/RNBA/PESCH and farmers of Sibilong could sell 50 percent of their products in the Rural Haat located in the village. Presently another Rural Haat is under construction at Kaimai village. The Sibilong farmers are now started producing Smokeless dried King Chili and Bamboo shoot. The three SHGs namely Tidaiphuam SHG, Chuncham SHG and Naithaiphuam SHG could sell a total of 1500 piece of Orange, 1400 Kg of dried King Chili and 300 ready-made Broom. Now the


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farmers started producing dried Smokeless King Chili for the first time from the Dryer machine which was not practice earlier.

As per their Sales Record the increased sales of products and income of the 3 SHGs can be seen in data table listed here under.

Sr. No.	Name of products	Quantity		Sales Price	
		Previous	Current	Previous	Current
1	Orange	1500 piece	2000 piece	Rs.7/ piece	Rs.9/ piece
2	Smoked King Chili	700 Kg	900 Kg	Rs.850/ piece	Rs.900/piece
3	Smokeless dried King Chili	Nil	500 Kg	Nil	Rs.1050/Kg
4	Broom	3000 Kg	3000 Kg	Rs.10/Kg	Rs. 50/bundle
5	Other products (Jhum field and forest)			Rs.2000 (all products income)	Rs.2500 (all products income)
			Total received annually	809000	Rs. 15,03000
				Net increased	Rs. 6,94,000

Moreover the other 3 SHGs and an individual of project villages also access credit linkages (SHG Loan) to United Bank of India (UBI) and Canara Bank of Tamenglong. The products of the loan activities will be sell in the Rural Haat of Sibilong and Kaimai villages.

The Loan amount and its activities are listed below.

Sr No.	Name of SHG	Village	Activity	Loan Amount	Name of Bank
1	Tidai SHG	Sibilong	Piggery	2,50000 (Two lakhs and fifty thousand)	Canara Bank, Tamenglong Branch
2	Peace SHG	Kaimai	Poultry	2,50000 (two lakh fifty thousand)	UBI Tamenglong Bazar branch
3	Gailaphuam SHG	Sibilong	Poultry	2,50000 (2 lakhs and fifty thousand)	UBI Tamenglong Bazar branch
4	Simon Gangmei (household head of Peace SHG)	Kaimai	Bee making box	2,00000 (2 lakhs)	UBI Tamenglong Main Bazar branch

Pictures of Rural Haat "Ahu Kathian" and SHGs Women selling their products, Sibilong village



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2. Case Study of Mrs. Thiukungliu Kamei, Oinamlong Village

Horticulture System: Plantation of Fruit plants and other crops

Introduction: Mrs.Thiukungliu Kamei (w/o Jacob Kamei) is a member of Chuncham SHG of Oinamlong village located nearby the NH-37. Her husband is the assistant pastor of Shalom Baptist church Oinamlong. The total members of the family is 13. The chief occupation of the family is Jhum (Shifting) cultivation and banana farming. Their main income come from the products of Jhum field, banana and forest. They belong to a poor family living under Below Poverty Line. During the Fifth Six months period (April-September 2019) Bro/RNBA/PESCH supported the family for Horticulture system.

Before and After PESCH Intervention Status

PESCH coordinator collected data from the said beneficiary and the increased in number of fruit plants and other crops in their farm are compiled and can be observed from the data below. Her annual income before PESCH intervention was only 30,000 approximately

Sr No.	Name of fruit plant/crop	No. of fruit plant/crop planted		
		Before intervention	PESCH	After PESCH intervention
1	Banana	600		1700
2	Orange	100		250
3	Pomegranate	60		30
4	Jackfruit	50		100
5	Gooseberry	50		30
6	Areca	Nil		1500
7	Parkia	60		100
8	Taro	30 kg		50 kg
9	Ginger	20 kg		30 kg
10	Potato	0		100 kg
11	Millet	0		10 kg
12	Inkhang	0		100 plants
13	Arikraeng	0		15 kg
14	Bee keeping	0		3 bee hive
15	Goat rearing	0		3 goat



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PESCH Intervention: PESCH supported under Brot activity homestead system Rs.15000. We PESCH brought her at Aben under cross learning visit activities with 10 SHGs members in 2018. We trained her SALT principle and steps. So, she is interested SALT model and applied in her farm. She asked PESCH to support banana nursery and Areca. PESCH provided 1500 nursery plants of areca and approached to ICAR Imphal for Banana nursery. ICAR provided 1700 banana nursery in low price.

Positive outcome : This outcome of the horticulture system activity has increased biomass production per unit of area of cultivation. This will be enhance the livelihood of the family. It will probably fulfil the objectives of the project activities. She have now increased income upto Rs. 65000 annually and it will be more after 4 years if areca and orange bear fruits.

Her next Plan: She said that after 5 years her farm will increase to 10 acres and plan 15000 areca and 2000 orange and 3000 banana in her farm.

Farm Pictures of Mrs.Thiukungliu Kamei Oinamlong village




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