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from the desk of the Chairman

I take this great opportunity to welcome you on behalf of “BASUDHA TRUST OF INDIA” and convey my sincere gratitude for your benevolent co-operation that shaped the trust in a sound footing. With great pleasure I submit the Annual Report 2023-2024. During the last few years ‘BASUDHA’ reached to a height of credible trust. From a humble beginning, the trust successfully implemented several need-based programmes for empowering communities & creating opportunities for the under privileged in areas of Education, Training & Health. The area of operation spread over two districts such as: Cuttack & Deogarh districts, focusing on the poorest of the poor in disadvantaged and remote villages.

Having worked closely in participatory manner with the rural and tribal communities, ‘Basudha’ has gained confidence and expertise that prompts it to reach out to larger areas. During the year, we have noticed significant improvements in the work culture and in spite of many obstacles and financial constraint; we have met our responsible assignments and with the targeted beneficiaries timely with a spirit of dedication and development.

I on behalf of the Board of Trustees thanks to all of our staffs & volunteers whose contributions can never be ignored. We can never forget the co-operation and active involvement of the local youths and people. I convey my gratefulness to them.

My sincere thanks to the District Administrations of the noted districts, generous persons and all like-minded people, our advisers, Mass Media, Electronic Media, who associated with Basudha for implementation of different programmes.

Wishing the co-operation again

With regards,

Sd/-

Dharitri Mahapatra

Chairman-Cum-Managing Trustee

Basudha Trust of India

MISSION :

To strengthen the social security, economic independence and knowledge base and confidence of distressed families and marginalized community for a better life.

व्रत :

दलितपरिवार और अबहलितसमाज का सामाजिकनिरपता, आर्थिकस्वतंत्रता और गुणात्मकज्ञान और आत्मविश्वासमजबूतकरना ।

दूरदृष्टि :

स्वयंसंपूर्णसोयुक्तसमाजजहांग्रामांचल कागरीबसेगरीबतरमहिला, दलितऔरआदिवासी, सम्मानमर्यादा, सुयोगज्ञानऔरउन्नतिकाहिसेदारीप्रतिष्ठा ताकरना ।

VISION :

To establish a self-reliant exploitation free society in which every rural poorest women, dalit and tribal enjoy equal dignity, opportunity, knowledge and share of development..

लक्ष्य :

सभीकेलिएसेवा।

GOAL :

To serve all.

THRUST AREAS

- **Awareness campaign :**
 - (a) Awareness on COVID - 19
 - (b) Awareness on rights of the CWSN & persons with Disability
 - (c) Awareness programme about Niramaya Health Card.
- **Community Organization :**
 - (a) Formation and strengthening of CBOs like Mahila Samiti, Youth groups, Kishan Club and Meena Club for adolescents girls.
- **Child Development :**
 - (a) Child health & nutrition.
 - (b) Child education (girl)
 - (c) Protection child labour.
- **Women Empowerment :**
 - (a) Education-Literacy.
 - (b) Vocation - Entrepreneurship.
 - (c) Empowerment through Civil and Human Rights Education.
 - (d) Caretaking of Women Elderly Persons.
- **Health and Sanitation :**
 - (a) Water Sanitation & Hygiene
 - (b) Nutrition for Women & Children
 - (c) Indigenous System of Medication
- **Agriculture :**
 - (a) Propagation of Appropriate Technology.
 - (b) Dry land Farming
 - (c) Grain / Seed Bank Promotion.
 - (d) Care taking of Cattle resources
 - (e) Promotion of Kitchen Garden.
 - (f) Promotion of Bio-agricultural produce.
- **Rehabilitation :**
 - (a) Skill Development Training for Disable persons
- **Emergency Action :**
 - (a) Relief & Rehabilitation
 - (b) Disaster Preparedness (Community Based)

Aims and Objectives :

1. To undertake programmes for fulfillment of basic needs like food, cloths, education, health, home, drinking water, electricity, communication etc. in an easy, smooth and comfortable manner for economically backward and weaker section persons of the society.
2. To open reading rooms, libraries, study centers, training centers for under graduate, post graduate, professional studies on its own or issue franchise.
3. To promote self employment through KVIC, NCDC, DIC, SSI, APICOL, NABARD, CAPART, HARD as well as other central and state govt. agencies and developmental project among economically backwards, SHG, weaker community, unemployed artisans, professionals by implementing support assistance, negotiation, arrangement of facilities along with the support of assistance, negotiation, arrangement of facilities along with the support of science and technology.
4. To set up institutions with programmes for rehabilitation of distressed helpless and BPL sections, shelter homes for old age persons orphans, short stay homes, hostels for working women, community centers, care and treatment clinics, mobile dispensaries for welfare of weaker community.
5. To undertake programmes for eradication of child labour, child & women exploitation, women torture, dowry system, use of tobacco, wine & drug, prostitutions, dropouts, violation of human rights, blind beliefs, superstitions, narrow-minded casteism dogmas or religion, language, anti-socialism, corruption, violation of traffic rules, use of chemical fertilizer & pesticides, polythene & chemicals to provide safety and to live in peace and discipline in the society.
6. To establish, promote, set-up, run, maintain, assist, finance support, aid to or help in the setting up of and maintaining and /or running schools for nursery, primary, secondary and higher education including management, information technology and all type of technical education, computer science, engineering, medical colleges and pharmaceutical sciences, systems engineering and architectural, operation research O & M analysis, AMIE, Law and Mass communication`s MBA, MCA, ICA, ICWAI, ICS, Bed, BCA, M.Phil, Ph.D and professional advanced studies of any kind & other allied subjects on all India basis and all such institutions can admit students either directly or through JEE, OPECA, AIEEE by appointing reputed consultants or through its own cell on all India basis.
7. To establish promote, set-up, run, maintain, assist, finance, support aid to or running training schools and other institutions in the field of job oriented, vocational and professional degree, diploma and certificate courses in collaboration with Central / State Government, National Council of Vocational Training (NCVT), National Council of Teachers Education (NCTE) and such other allied institutions or directly as autonomous Institution.

8. To grant, pay or give scholarships, stipends, prizes, rewards, allowances & other financial assistance or help in cash or kind to students with a view to help them in prosecuting their studies in schools, colleges, educational institutions, technical institutions, art schools, institutions of teaching commercial and other arts including teaching of cultural arts or other training, research or educational works in India or abroad which include doctoral and post doctoral programme.
9. To, organize, encourage and initiate socio-economic programmes by poverty alleviation, rehabilitation and social awareness through non-government voluntary organizations with the help of trust to develop Human Resources.
10. To promote any charitable purpose for the benefits of the inhabitants of India including the relief of poverty, distress & suffering and to attempt total human development and social transformation in the underdeveloped, poverty stricken and neglected rural and urban pockets / areas in India.
11. To establish, promote, set up or help in the setting up, maintaining and / or running of schools, care centers, crèches, orphanages, old age homes, short stay homes, destitute homes, widow homes, houses for the poor or other establishments for relief and help to the poor, old infirm & destitutions.
12. To open, found, establish, promote, set up, run, maintain, assist, finance, support and aid to schools, colleges, training and vocational centers / institutions, lecture halls, boarding, hostels, libraries, reading rooms, sports, arts and leisure centers / complexes and other establishments and initiatives for advancement of education and knowledge, science and technology, sports, arts and culture etc. and other useful subjects that enable the needy to lead decent human life.
13. To open, establish, promote, set up, run, maintain, finance, support and aid or help in setting up, maintain and / or running hospitals, charitable dispensaries, drug de-addiction centers, hostels and other similar institutions / centers for rendering or providing medical service/ relief and aid to the suffering humanities or for research, and institutions for promotion of research education for new medical science / health promotion.
14. To promote better health and nutritional status among the needy and poor and promote Ayurvedic, Homeopathic and Naturopathic medicines and treatment practices for sustainable health care as well as to undertake special projects / programmes / camps for medicinal plants blood donation camps, eye camps, integrated health services, control of STD, HIV / AIDS, Malaria, TB, Anemia, Waterborne diseases, blindness and other diseases for improving health of the poor.
15. To provide, and render help and assistance in cash or kind to poor and destitute, widows and other needy people for relief of their sufferings.

16. To create awareness and initiate appropriate actions for employment & income generation, self reliance, sustainable development, protection of human rights, environment protection, socio-economic, educational and civic sense.
17. To create awareness on various government / non-government schemes / programs meant for socio-economic and cultural development of the poor and to collaborate with the government departments and other agencies for effective implementation of poverty alleviation, income generation and welfare / developmental programs for realization of basic rights and entitlements by the poor.
18. To take all necessary steps / initiatives for socio-economic, educational and cultural development of the tribes / indigenous people and work for protection and promotion of their rights, their lives and livelihood.
19. To organize meetings, workshops, trainings, seminars, discussions, conventions, conferences, camps, games, exchange-programs, developmental education programs, demonstrations, exhibitions, symposia and other such programmes on social and developmental issues for furtherance of the said objects of the said objects of the Trust.
20. To disseminate information regarding the aim, objects and activities of the trust & to edit, print, publish, exhibit and circulate books, booklets, posters and leaflets etc. and open, run and maintain libraries, documentation and resource centers for furtherance of the objects of the Trust.
21. To help the poor communities in mobilizing self - sustainable developmental organizations and to build up an institutional base for capacity building of the weaker sections including scheduled castes, scheduled Tribes, minorities women as well as young educated professionals, community based organizations and small NGOs in order to development processes.
22. To provide stipend, fellowship and other support services to the needy social activities, unemployed youths and students are including the children of social workers and persons belonging to disadvantaged communities and disseminate information and educational materials to them with regards to accelerating their academic growth, employment and self - sufficiency.
23. To implement Central Sector Scheme of Free Coaching for SC, OBC & Minority students enable them for employment in Government, Public & Private Sector.
24. To do all other lawful things as may be incidental or conducive to the attainment of the above objects of the Trust.

1. Identification of Intellectual Disability persons :

By the help of volunteers & Board of Trustees have done a massive door to door visit and the expertise staffs of disability field also have been associated with us to identify the Intellectual persons with disability and the Intellectual children with disabilities from different blocks of Cuttack district & Puri districts. 375 Nos. of beneficiaries have been identified and out of 375 Nos. our trust have enrolled 70 Nos. of children with Intellectual disability in our Therapeutic centre.



2. Rehabilitative / Therapeutic Service Prog. for I.D & Senior Citizens :

Basudha Trust of India had conducted Rehabilitative and Therapeutic Services at Mahanadi Vihar, Cuttack under Cuttack Municipal Corporation from its own sources where children with Intellectual Disabilities (Mental Retardation, Cerebral Palsy, Autism, Multiple Disability) were getting the services from our centre within the financial year 2023-2024. Physiotherapist, Occupational therapist, Speech Therapist, Social worker & Care Giver had been engaged with this unit.



This year 225 Nos. of children with Intellectual Disabilities have been availed these services. Basudha Trust of India with a mission to mainstream all special groups to enable them to co-exist in community with dignity and with all natural and special rights.

3. Women Empowerment Programme :

Women Empowerment is the catchword of the day. This is because of the years of old tradition of suppression and exploitation of women by men both in organized and in unorganized sectors of the society. The women are found to be neglected at all spheres of life.

Empowering women, facilitating them to procure their rights and enabling them to lead a respectful and decent life have been the focus areas of Basudha. During the reporting period the following activities were conducted for development & empowerment of the women in rural areas.



Basudha has formed 35 Nos. of self-Help Groups within the “Basti” areas of Cuttack Municipal corporation area. These SHGs are like mini economic units managed by one democratically elected body from among the members. All most all the groups are now linked to financial agencies like nationalized banks and credit linkage facilities have been coordinated to all the groups and they have started their income generating activities during the reporting period.

4. Elderly Widow Welfare Programme :

Basudha has opened a Centre for the Elderly widow persons at Mahanadi Vihar, Cuttack under Cuttack Municipal area & providing recreational facilities to 35 Nos. of elderly widow women. Each and every month last Sunday, the volunteers of Basudha arranging medical check-up of the senior widow women.

5. Special school for Mental Retarded children:

Basudha Trust of India is continuing a Special School at Deogarh, since the year 2018-2019 with a strength of 30 Nos. of children with Intellectual Disability in day care basis. Professionals from special education field have been engaged & the organization is managing this unit with much financial hardship. Board of Trustees contribution and Donation of the general public is the only source to maintain the Institution. As per the guideline of SSEPD Department the special school is unable to apply for any Government Aid only due to the non-available of RPWD Registration Certificate.

