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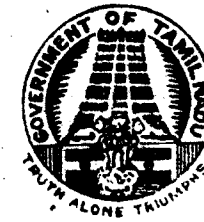
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PROJECT REPORT ON SITHERI TRIBAL DEVELOPMENT (DHARMAPURI DISTRICT)

INTRODUCTION

0-1 With the advent of the Fifth plan, a new concept of Tribal Development was initiated under the title 'Tribal Sub Plan'. This concept was based on Integrated area Development as a strategy to eliminate the development lag in tribal areas. In Dharmapuri district, the 'Sitheri Hills' was declared as integrated Tribal development project area by the union planning commission in January 1976 and the plan itself was on stream in the same year.

0-2 Being a part of the District which itself presented a picture of total backwardness with more than one third of its area as forest, the Sitheri Hills present a worst picture in the developmental map of our country. The Hill tribes living in the Sitheri ranges of this district are very backward when the people of the plains in this district themselves are backward.

0-3 Sitheri ranges form part of the Kalrayan ranges of the Eastern Ghates and are situated at an altitude between 3300 feet and 3400 feet above sea-level with its highest peak at 3980 feet known as 'Mottu Mallai'. The ranges lie between 11-45 and 12-10' of the northern latitude and 78-15' and 78-45' of the eastern longitude. It is bounded by Harur taluk of Dharmapuri District in the north, Kallakurichi taluk of South Arcot District on the East and South, and Salem to Jolarpet railway line on the west. The Hills are hardly 20 kilometres from Harur town, of Dharmapuri district, covering portions of Harur and Pappireddipatti blocks.

0-4 The terrain in the area is very slopy and undulating. Its annual rainfall is about 1076 mm comprising about 50% by southwest Monsoon 40% by North-east monsoon and about 10% by summer showers.

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Ref: Report of the Socio-Economic
Condition of the aboriginal tribes of
the province of Madras.

O-5 The inhabitants of this area are known as Malayalis and they have no ~~dis~~ distinct Morphological features. They are also called Kerala or Kerala gounders. There is a legend that they have come from Kanchipuram long ago and have settled here. In view of the proximity of the ranges to Marur town most of them of late, ~~are~~ having satisfactory 'Clothing habits'. The total tribal population living mainly in the hill ranges is scattered about in the 41 hill villages and numbering about 18875.

O-6 The people depend mainly on agriculture and they grow mostly dry crops like cholam, cumbu, ragi and pulses. They live in small families and joint family system is not very much in vogue. They are very backward, to some extent superstitious and economically down-trodden. Their main occupation being agriculture & their part time occupation is to work as labourers under the forest development schemes suited to their surroundings. The area lacks very much in communication and other minimum facilities under health education etc.

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PROJECT RESUME

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1-1 The people in the Eitheri area are economically down-trodden. A few of them have very little lands and the rest of them are landless poor. The total Geographical area is 44,338.59 hectares. Of this a major portion viz- 30,064.50 hectares account for reserve forest. Of the total cultivable area 300 hectares of land under irrigation and about 4070 hectares dry lands belong to the tribal people. About 2230 hectares account for grazing and ~~and~~ other waste lands and 3214.00 hectares ~~and~~ unfit for any purpose.

1-2 From the above, two points may be evident. One is the limited area available for cultivation and the other is the vast forest area in existence for exploitation. Therefore main strategy for the economic development of the area should be based on the maximum exploitation of these two resources by introducing modern method of agricultural practices by applying modern sophisticated crop production technology and vast forest investment schemes coupled with sheep-rearing, bee-keeping, dairying, bamboo basket making etc as subsidiary occupations. To exploit these fronts, there are many handicaps and hurdles viz. Lack of communication from one village to another which is at present mostly by winding up of foot paths; added to the poor illiteracy, prevalence of venereal diseases and also the very cold climate. So vast investments are necessary for economic uplift of this people on the production side in the following sectors.

1. Agriculture.
2. Soil Conservation
3. Animal Husbandry
4. Sheep-Rearing
5. Dairy Development
6. Forestry.
7. Co-operation

8. Marketing
9. Minor irrigation.
10. Village Industries

On the social side the following problems have to be tackled.

1. Improving communication.
2. Health and diseases
3. Literacy
4. Making available consumer articles at reasonable prices.

So the schemes to be formulated under the Integrated tribal development programme should be broad-based in providing the above infra-structures.

1-3 At present most of the people in the tribal area know dry farming in a primitive way. Hence high yielding varieties with modern tools have to be developed to increase the production. Secondly minor irrigation thro' sinking of wells and connecting them with power pumps should be the strategy to have assured water supply for increased production as the electricity facilities have been extended to many areas in these ranges. Thirdly, training the tribal farmers in the use of pesticides and chemical fertilisers should be introduced.

1-4 The terrain in the area is very slopy and undulating. Hence, Soil conservation scheme like, levelling, contour bundings, checkdams and allied works should be undertaken to impound the rainwater in the field to conserve the moisture of soil to produce more.

1-5 The availability of the vast grazing lands can be exploited by introducing sheep-rearing. So a maximum investment under sheep-rearing will definitely go a long way in the economic emancipation of the people.

1-6 A major portion of the hill area accounts for Reserve Forest. Thorny shrubs and bushes can be cleared and the useful forest trees, sandalwood trees, Bamboo trees, fruit trees etc. may be raised on them by providing employment to the local tribals then and there.

1-7 Village industries like bee-keeping, conserving fruits, bamboo basket making and its allied industries can be developed by utilising the forest produce in the hill area itself.

1-8 At present the tribals are very much indebted as shown in the annexure-IV to the plains-men who have advanced large sums on very high rate of interests, the magnitude of which could not be assessed. To relieve the poor tribals from the clutches of the Money lenders and also for various improved and developed agricultural practices, a vast credit structure with the interest of the tribals at best should also be organised. Raising the general economic position of tribals by various other measures towards the end would reduce the age long evil of this indebtedness among tribals. Creation of sufficient credit co-operative offering loans to tribals for productive and non-productive purposes in deserving cases would also ease the problem of indebtedness.

1-9 Further the tribals are highly exploited by plains tradesmen in marketing their agricultural produce (of which they have very little surplus at present) and also forest produce viz. Gallnuts and Tamarind, in order to provide all credit and better marketing facilities and supply of consumer articles etc. a 'IAMP' is an imperative need for the area.

1-10 The percentage of literacy is only 7% among the tribals. The particulars furnished in the Annexure-VII will give the exact picture of the prevailing condition on Education. Number of school going children is very small as compared to the number of children in the school going age. Much has to be done in the field of Education. A good number of pre-schools, balwadies and residential schools will have to be started to improve the percentage of literacy in the area. Since the children who are scattered about in small hamlets numbering 81 separated by long distances cannot trek their way to schools daily, the opening of new schools should invariably be on residential basis only, so that the children can stay and read.

1-11 Most of the children in the area suffer from malnutrition diseases due to vitamin 'A' deficiency and also suffer from protein-caloric Mal-nutrition (PCM). So, opening of more pre-schools and Balwadies is quite necessary.

1-12 The details of No. of hamlets having medical facilities at different distances is furnished in the Annexure V. As regards general health, health centres with attached Maternity Child Welfare Centres are quite essential.

1-13 Housing conditions of tribal populations are generally poor. The houses are made of mud-walls with forest grass for roofing. The entrance to the house is very low. No windows are provided to the houses. The details of the house holds in this area are furnished in the Annexure III. The present houses are not fit in view of the acute cold climate in this area. It is essential therefore that priority should be given to the housing. Problems of tribals and positive efforts have to be taken to provide each tribal house hold with modern living accommodation.

CHAPTER - II

PROBLEMS AND EARLIER ATTEMPTS

2-1- Before the introduction of I.T.D.P. Schemes under tribal sub-plan i.e. before the year 1976, very little has been done for the welfare of these tribals under normal plan programmes or under other departmental schemes. However attempts have been made by Forest Department and local bodies viz. Panchayat Unions which have only touched the fringe of the problem.

2-2 The Forest Department has laid certain kutchra roads to a length of about 20 Kilo-Metres in the fourth plan period, apart from maintaining a 25 Kilo-Metre road from Valladurai a plain village at the foot of the hill to Nochkuttai, a hill village - serving about half a dozen villages. The Panchayat Union, Harur and Pappireddipatti have opened schools in the following places:

1. Sitheri
2. Nochkuttai
3. Kalasapadi
4. Pereripudur
5. Selur
6. Allapalayam

2-3 Credit goes to the Electricity Department which has extended electricity for street lighting and domestic purposes in all the main villages (31 hamlets) in the ranges i.e. 75.4% of the hamlets were already communicated through Electricity in this Hill areas as done in the cities. This is a spectacular achievement.

2-4 The Health Department has been doing Malaria Surveillance work in the area. The Adi-Dravidar Welfare Department has constructed 26 pucca dwelling houses in the Sitheri main village,

which is in the midst of the Hill. The agriculture section of the Panchayat Union has distributed 2 hand-operated sprayers to the Panchayats in the area. However, the hill tribes residing in the plain villages at the foot of the ranges have received certain improved seeds for sowing now and then and also pesticides ^{at} concessional rates.

2-5 The Forest Department has undertaken certain forest planting programme in a sporadic way, here and there. About a dozen drinking water wells have been sunk by the Adi-Dravidar Welfare Department and 4 wells ~~recently~~ by the Panchayat Union for providing drinking water facilities to the tribals. This is also a satisfactory achievement.

2-6 There is a co-operative society at Sitheri embracing the entire hill range in its area of operation. The Society is functioning satisfactorily and its annual ~~in~~ turn-over is about a lakh of rupees. The satisfactory working of this society is the ample evidence of the good and honest nature of the people.

CHAPTER III

ACHIEVEMENTS UNDER TRIBAL SUB-PLAN

3-1 As already stated, the schemes of I.T.D.F. was implemented, under Tribal Sub-plan from the year 1976 onwards. The achievements under various sectors are as follows:

3-2 AGRICULTURE:

During 1976-77, a total allotment of Rs.15,275/- was provided for the implementation of Agricultural programmes.

- a) Under the distribution of Hybrid seeds a sum of Rs.945.15 was spent on Paddy and Millets, Rs.711.25 was spent on Pulses and Rs.50.00 was spent on vegetable seeds.
- b) Under the distribution of fruit seedlings Rs.1,249.70 was spent on coconut seedlings, about 500 Nos. of coconut seedlings were distributed.
- c) Under the plant protection chemicals distribution an amount of Rs.199.55 was spent and an area of 16 acres was covered. About 357 Nos. of Tribals were benefitted during this period.

3-2 (1) During 1977-78, a total amount of Rs.1,03,000 was allotted for the implementation of the programme.

- a) Under the distribution of seeds a sum of Rs.16,750/- was spent on improved paddy, Millets, Pulses, Vegetables and sunflower crops.

- b) Under the distribution of fruit plants a sum of Rs.625/- spent for distributing 365 Nos. of coconut seedlings.
- c) Under the distribution of Pesticides, worth of Rs.3,750/- plant protection chemicals were distributed.
- d) Under the distribution of Agricultural implements a sum of Rs.3,255/- was spent on 155 sets of crowbar and spade.
- e) For educating and imparting the improved Agricultural practices the tribals were given training for 3 days and were taken on Agricultural Tour to the State Seed Farms and Research Stations. A sum of Rs.14,650/- was incurred for the Agricultural Tour and training. About 1669 Tribals were benefitted during 1977-78.

3-2 (2) During 1978-79, a sum of Rs.59,000/- was allotted for the implementation of the following schemes:

- a) Under the distribution of improved Seeds a sum of Rs.12,385/- was spent on the paddy, Millets, Pulses, and Vegetable crop seeds (13,175)
- b) Under the distribution of fruit plants 9300 Nos. of coconut, Mango and other Economic plants were distributed involving an expenditure of Rs.11,625/-.
- c) Under the distribution of fertilizers a sum of Rs.3,000/- was spent to distribute 3500 Kgs. of complex 17:17:17 and Urea.

- d) Under the distribution of plant protection Chemicals Rs.7,585/- worth of Pesticides were distributed.
- e) Under the distribution of implements Rs.1,200/- was spent on crowbar, spades distribution.
- f) The improved Agricultural practices were demonstrated to the tribals by laying out 75 Nos. of demonstration plots involving a sum of Rs.7,500/- @ 100% subsidy under dry conditions.

3-2- (3) During 1979-80, a sum of Rs.67,000/- was allotted for implementation of the following schemes.

- a) Under the distribution of improved seeds a sum of Rs.15,745/- was spent on Paddy, Millets, pulses and vegetable seeds (11,830 Kgs) against the allotment of Rs.16,000/-
- b) Under the distribution of plants Rs.7,000/- Nos. distributed. The total financial allotment of Rs.9,000/- towards these schemes were fully spent.
- c) Under the distribution of fertilizers a quantity of 11,750 Kgs. of complex 17:17:17 and Urea were distributed involving an expenditure of Rs.9,870/- against the allotment of Rs.10,000/- .
- d) Under the distribution of implements 650 Nos. implement sets including crowbars, ^{spades} ~~spade~~ iron pon, levelling boards and hand operated sprayers were distributed to an amount of Rs.24,695/- against allotment of Rs.25,000/-.

During this year family oriented programme was tried, but much headway could not be taken up. About 650 Nos. of tribal families were benefitted through this schemes in this year.

3-3- SOIL CONSERVATION:

The Agricultural department has executed Soil Conservation work in Sitheri Hills from 1977-78 onwards. Construction of contour stone wall in dry lands and ^{land} bund levelling works in areas where irrigation facilities are available, are the soil conservation works executed in the hilly areas. The following are the detail of work done so far:

		1977-78	1978-79	1979-80
Contour Stone wall	Physical	54 Acre	43.45 Acre	60.94 Acre
	Financial	Rs.60,000/-	Rs.46,000/-	Rs.50,000/-
Land levelling	Physical	-	34.71 Acre	84.3 Acre
	Financial	-	Rs.29,000/-	Rs.55,000/-

3-4 ANIMAL HUSBANDRY:

The following are the yearwise achievements towards this sector.

3-4 (1) 1976-77

- 1) Amount sanctioned (G.O.Ms.898 Social Welfare Department dated 25.10.76) .. Rs. 89,400.00
- 2) Amount spent .. Rs. 66,917.25

DETAILS OF EXPENDITURE.

Sl. No. of Scheme	TARGET		ACCOMPLISHMENT	
	Physical	Financial	Physical	Financial
1. Distribution of 10 axes and 1 bul 50% subsidy.	100 Units.	60,000	99	60,000/-
2. Construction of building for Sub-Centre at Sitheri.	One	12,500	-	-
3. Staff quarters Sub-Centre at Sitheri.	One	9,500	-	-
4. Furniture for Sub-Centre.	-	5,000	-	4,976.25
5. Bull for insemination programme	One	1,500	-	1,495.50
6. Maintenance of grant for bull	-	900	-	446.00
TOTAL		89,400		66,917.25

The construction of Sub-Centre and quarters was shifted to Sittim village and the construction was completed and the building was occupied by the Animal Husbandry Department on 22.10.1979.

3-4 (2) 1977-78

- 1) Amount sanctioned as per G.O.
Ms.No.527 Social Welfare
Department dated 7.7.77. .. Rs. 2,79,500/-
- 2) Expenditure .. Rs. 2,00,187.15

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme.	TARGET		ACHIEVEMENT	
		Physical	Financial	Physical	Financial
1.	Distribution of Milch animals	70	5,250	204 Units diverted to sheep units.	1,02,000/-
2.	Poultry Units	70	7,000		
3.	Piggery Units	30	7,500		
4.	Sheep Units	70	35,000		
5.	Dispensary building.	One	35,000	-	5,929.00
6.	Quarters for staff.	One	40,000	-	12,563.00
7.	Furniture equipment and other charges.	-	27,500	-	22,226.46
8.	Diesel Jeep	One	55,000	One	53,057.54
9.	Pay and allowance	-	20,000	-	4,411.15
Total			2,32,250		2,00,187.15

3.4 (3) 1978-79

- 1) Amount sanctioned in G.O. Ms.No.424, Social Welfare Department dated 12.7.78. .. Rs. 1,20,000.00
- 2) Expenditure .. Rs. 1,64,822.67

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme.	TARGET		ACHIEVEMENT	
		Physical	Financial	Physical	Financial
1.	Distribution of sheep Units 50% subsidy at Rs.750/-	160	1,20,000	99	1,20,000.00
2.	Pay and T.A. of staff, Medicines maintenance of vehicle cost of fuel other expenditure etc.	-	-	-	44,822.67
Total					1,64,822.67

The remaining works are being carried out as spill over works.

3.4. (4) 1979-80:

- 1) Amount sanctioned in G.O. Ms.No.1175, Social Welfare Department dated 5.7.79 .. Rs. 2,05,000.00
- 2) Expenditure .. Rs. 2,41,180.00

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme.	TARGET		ACHIEVEMENT	
		Physical	Financial	Physical	Financial
1.	Distribution of sheep Units at 50% subsidy at Rs.750/-	156	1,17,000	121	1,17,000
2.	Distribution of Milch animals at 50% subsidy of Rs.750/-	78	58,000	58	58,500
3.	Distribution of bullocks Rs.500/-	60	30,000	36	30,000
4.	Pay and allowances of staff.	-	35,680	-	35,680
			2,40,680		2,41,180

The pending items on physical items are being carried out with the help of Dharmapuri Central Co-operative Bank Limited, Dharmapuri, as spill over works.

3-5 FORESTRY:

The following works were taken up and completed during 1976-77 to 1979-80.

3-5 (1) DURING 1976-77

No work was carried out for Tribal Development Scheme.

3-5 (2) 1977-78:

In this year, the Forest Department had taken up the following improvement works under Tribal Welfare Scheme.

a) Sinking well: A well was dug under this scheme for water supply. An amount of Rs.25,450/- was spent for the above work.

b) Construction of over head tank at Sitheri. This had benefitted about 500 people under this scheme. An amount of Rs.2,480/- was spent on this work.

c) Construction of Rest House at Sitheri. In G.O.Ms.No.323 Social Welfare Department dated 11.4.77 a Forest Rest House was sanctioned and the work completed during 1978-79. An amount of Rs.68,290/- was spent.

d) 50,000 Seedlings were raised for free distribution to the Tribal people of Sitheri Hill and an amount of Rs.16,420/- was spent. The seedlings were distributed to the tribal people free of cost.

3-5 (3) 1978-79:

In this year the scheme of raising bamboo plantation in an area of 25 Hectares bamboo plot at Sitheri was implemented. This scheme had given employment opportunities to a casual labourers of the tribals on a daily wages of Rs.4/- to Rs.5/- depending on the nature of work. This work was completed during 1978-79. An amount of Rs.22,544.46 was spent for this work.

During 1978-79 Rs.76,789/- was spent for carrying out the works in Sitheri Hills and 13,821 people were benefitted.

3-5 (4) 1979-80:

During this year the following works were taken up and carried out for implementing the scheme in Sitheri Hills.

1. Construction of Seed Store ^{shed} head at Sitheri.
2. Construction of Forester's quarters at Sitheri
3. Construction of Forester's quarters at Thumbal
4. Construction of Mazdoor Shed at Sitheri
5. Construction of Mazdoor Shed at Thuthobbi
6. Construction of Mazdoor Shed at Nochikuttai
7. Raising bamboo plantation over an area of 50 Hectares.

An amount of Rs.77,710/- was spent for the above work and 19960 numbers were benefitted

3-6 CO-OPERATION:

The existing village credit Society was converted as Sitheri Lamp Co-operative Society as per G.O.Ms.No.850 Co-operation Department dated 9.12.76. This is one of the sevensuch societies formed in the state. This Society came into being on 1.2.77. The progress of achievements in this sector from the year 1976-77 to 1979-80 are as follows:

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Financial Assistance sanctioned to Sitheri LAMP Co.op.Society
Year wise.

S.No.	Nature of Assistance	Amount sanctioned	Amount utilised
<u>1976-77</u>			
1.	Constructions of Codown Loan	15,000/-	15,000/-
2.	Subsidy	15,000/-	15,000/-
3.	Jeep subsidy	60,000/-	59,488.17
4.	Share Capital Assistance	50,000/-	50,000.00
5.	Managerial Subsidy	1,425/-	1,425.00
<u>1977-78</u>			
1.	Construction of Codown Loan	15,000/-	8,691.13
2.	Subsidy	15,000/-	11,214.70
3.	Managerial subsidy	1,425.00	1,425.00
4.	Interest subsidy central Co.op.Bank	9,425.00	9,425.00
5.	Subsidy for drivers Pay	2,669.00	2,669.00
6.	Risk fund subsidy	6,050.00	6,050.00
<u>1978-79</u>			
6.	Price fluctuation fund subsidy	1,000.00	1,000.00
7.	Managerial subsidy upto 13.2.78	4,613.35	4,613.35
8.	Risk fund subsidy	7,899.60	7,899.60
9.	Dharmapuri Central Co.op Bank Interest subsidy	202.00	202.00
10.	Managerial subsidy(14.2.79 to 13.5.79)	1,068.75	12,500.00
11.	Share capital subsidy	12,500.00	12,500.00
<u>1979-80</u>			
12.	Managerial subsidy(14.5.79 to 13.2.80)	3,206.25	3,206.25
13.	.do. 14.2.80 to 13.5.80	712.50	712.50
14.	Members share capital subsidy	20,000.00	20,000.00
15.	Risk fund subsidy	8,810.00	8,810.00
16.	To Dharmapuri Central Co.op Bank interest subsidy	12,270.75	12,270.75
17.	Price fluctuation fund subsidy	1,000.00	1,000.00
18.	Drivers pay 78.79	2,610.00	2,610.00

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19.	Drivers pay 79.80	3,120.00	3,120.00
20.	Vehicles Maintenance 78.79	1,600.00	1,600.00
21.	Managing Director quarters	48,500.00	48,500.00

3-7.

ELECTRICITY

Electrification of 8 Nos of tribal villages in Sitheri hills under ITDP has been taken up for execution during 1979.80 and the progress of achievement both physical and financial for the year 1979.80 is as follows.

	Physical	Financial
1979.80	Poles and other required materials to site besides the forest clearance for 1.5 Kms.	A sum of Rs.1.22 lakhs has been incurred as against the cost of the scheme Rs.7.06 lakhs

The spill over works are being carried out now.

3-8 IRRIGATION:

There is no scope in this area for major or medium irrigation in view of slopy hill ranges. So, Minor irrigation by wells is the only possibility. The water table in the area is by about 30 to 35 feet which is fairly high. It was proposed to have an irrigation well for an economic holding of about 2 acres of land. Five irrigation wells have been sunk during 1978-79 at a cost of Rs.7,000/- each with 50% subsidy. The subsidy amount of Rs.17,500/- has been adjusted and loan amount of Rs.17,500/- has been sanctioned by Land Development Bank to 5 tribal beneficiaries.

3-9 COMMUNICATION:

The Forest Department has laid certain kuccha roads to the length of 20 KMs in the fourth plan period apart from the maintenance funds of a 25 KM road from Vallikadurai to Nochikuttai serving about 6 villages.

The Government have granted administrative approval for the improvements of Hirur to Sitheri road via Vallimaadurai, Keeralipatti to the length of 25.80 KM and the plan proposals for an estimate of Rs.65.00 Lakhs were also sent to the Government and it is expected that funds will be allotted during VI Five Year Plan period and work will also be commenced.

N.B.: The Government have recently sanctioned this work for an revised estimate of Rs.65.0 Lakhs in G.O.Ms.No.295 Social Welfare Department dated 29.4.81 and the work was also commenced by the Divisional Engineer (Highways) Tribal area Development Works, Salem-7.

3-10 VIHAGE INDUSTRIES:

The Bee-Keeping Scheme is being implemented for the welfare of hill-tribes in Sitheri Hills, under this Sector, from the year 1976 onwards with a view to provide good potential for the development of Small Scale Industries. A detailed and clear account of Sector-wise details of both financial and physical targets and achievements in respect of this sector from the year 1976-77, 1977-78, 1978-79 1979-80 is as follows:

3-10 (1) 1976-77:

As per G.O.Ms.No.8/2, Government of Tamil Nadu Social Welfare Department dated 16.10.76, sanction was accorded for payment of Rs.28,200/- to 80 beneficiaries for purchase bee hives and other Bee-Keeping equipments (Rs.102.50 as subsidy to each 80 persons) amounting to Rs.8,200/- for tribal sub-plan and Rs.20,000/- as loan from Indian Bank, Dharmapuri Rs.250/- each to 80 beneficiaries. The subsidy amount of Rs.8,200/- was paid

to individuals on 31.3.77 and the loan portion of Rs.20,000/- was paid to individuals on 31.3.78. Thus 80 individuals were benefitted under this scheme.

3-10 (2) 1977-78:

In G.O.Ms.No.670, Social Welfare Department dated 22.9.77, sanction was accorded for payment of Rs.52,500/- to 75 beneficiaries for purchase of Bee-hives and other bee-keeping equipments Rs.350/- as subsidy to each 75 persons amounting to Rs.26,250/- from tribal sub-plan and Rs.26,250/- from Indian Bank, Dharmapuri and Rs.750/- each to 75 beneficiaries. The subsidy and loan amounts were paid on 27.3.1978. Thus totally 75 individuals were benefitted under this scheme.

3-10 (3) 1978-79:

During this year, the programme of imparting training the tribals in basket manufacturing units etc., was introduced and the Government have sanctioned Rs.22,200/- as subsidy for this scheme. Four batches of trainees at 20 each totalling to 80 persons undergone training imparted under this scheme and the entire subsidy amount of Rs.22,200/- was also fully utilised. On completion of this training, course, one bamboo basket Co-operative Society enrolling all these 80 trainees with other tribals totalling to 96 was started on 7.12.80. The Society is now working satisfactorily. Thus 96 tribals were benefitted under this scheme.

3-10 (4) 1979-80:

As per G.O.Ms.No.1183 dated 5.7.79 sanction was accorded for a sum of Rs.1,54,800/- towards the pay and allowances of 20 Bee Field-man for the work connected with colonisation of the Bee hives.

distributed during 1976-77 and 1977-78. This entire amount was fully utilised by Kandi Board towards the pay and allowances of 20 beneficiaries.

3-11 EDUCATION:

As it is felt that introduction of Residential type school alone in this area will be much useful in the field of Education, much attention has been paid in this point of view and No. of G.R. Schools were opened in different parts of this hilly area year by year. The detailed year-wise progress in this field is as follows:

3-11 (1) 1976-77:

One G.T.R. School at Vachathi has been sanctioned under Normal Development Schemes and the school started functioning in the year 1976 with 100 boarders and it is now functioning satisfactorily.

3-11 (2) 1979-80:

In this year, the Government have sanctioned to open and run two G.T.R. Schools vide G.O.Ms.434 dated 25.5.77 and these schools were opened in this year itself in S.Thathampatti and Maripalli villages with 50 boarders each.

3-11 (3) 1978-79:

In this year, the Government have accorded sanction for the opening of one more G.T.R. School vide G.O.Ms.No.432, Social Welfare Department dated 12.7.78 and it was located in Suriyakudi village. No. of boarders accommodated in this G.T.R. School is 50.

3-11-(4) 1979-80:

During this year, the Government have sanctioned one more G.T.R. School vide G.O.Ms.No.1199 Social Welfare Department dated 7.7.79 and it was located in Vayalthottam village with 50 No. of boarders.

3-12 MEDICAL.

The doctors of the headquarters Hospital at Dharmapuri occasionally visited the place for health checkup and offer medical facilities. A human dispensary has been ~~opened~~ opened at Sitheri at a cost of Rs.84,625/-. Medical Officer's quarters has been constructed at a cost of Rs.40,775/- The District Medical Officer, Dharmapuri is providing medicines from his stock.

3-13 SOCIAL WELFARE:

Under Tribal Development Scheme, Pre-schools are opened in the remote villages and run by this Department. The following are the achievements towards this sector.

3-13 (1) 1976-77:

No schemes were implemented under T.T.D.P. during this year.

3-13 (-) 1977-78:

During 1977-78, 6 Pre-schools were opened in the Tribal areas, for the first time. In each school feeding is being given to 70 children and 20 lactating mothers. The schools were started in the following places:

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|----------------|----------------|
| 1. Chitheri | 4. Annapalayan |
| 2. Nochikuttai | 5. Velanur |
| 3. Paraipudur | 6. Sitalangi. |

Through these school more than 240/- children and 120 lactating mothers were benefited. A sum of Rs.21,485/- has been incurred as expenditure during this year.

3-13- (3) 1978-79:

Four new schools were started in the following place: 1) Varadagounjanur 2) Manjuv 3) Vachatti, 4) Melvaluvathanda. 160 children and 80 lactating mothers are being benefited in the school through feeding programme. A sum of Rs.17,188/- has been incurred as expenditure for the above scheme.

3-13 (4) 1979-80:

5 Schools were started during this year in the following 5 villages:

- 1) Jakkampatti
- 2) Ajjampatti
- 3) Arasanathan
- 4) Malaitthangi
- 5) Sengaleri

200 children and 100 lactating and pregnant mothers are being benefitted through the schools. An expenditure of Rs.45,343/- has been incurred to implement the scheme during this year.

3-14 Rural Water Supply

(1) The schemes of Rural Water Supply under I.T.D.P. were introduced in this hilly area from the year 1978-79. During the year 1978-79, the Government have sanctioned works for 10 schemes of Rural Water supply (Vide G.O.Ms.No.430 Social Welfare Department dated 12.7.78). 7 schemes were executed out of this, and 3 schemes were deleted as the villages are already with good water facilities. The names of the villages and the No. of people benefitted through this scheme are as follows:-

	No. of people benefitted.
1. Sengampatti	215
2. Karapadi	156

	No. of people benefitted
3. Kolathambinatham	19
4. Vedapatti	32
5. Malaitthas	126
6. Velampur	540
7. Soriyakanni	84

So far about 1.13 lakhs were spent towards this scheme.

3-14 (2)

During the year 1979-89, the Government have extended this scheme to another 12 habitations of this hilly area (vide G.O.Ms.No. 1178 Social Welfare Department dated 5.7.79). The schemes were executed in the following villages and the No. of people benefitted under this scheme are also furnished as follows:

S1. No.	Name of the village.	No. of people benefitted.
1.	Thakkampatti	124
2.	Sakkirithambu	106
3.	Thongaimadu	194
4.	Velampatti	223
5.	Pudur	235
6.	Pereri	286
7.	Peria Valavu	104
8.	Alakur	115
9.	Sakkampatti	140
10.	Jalluthu	75
11.	Thakkalpatti	126
12.	Thalkadu	47

So far a sum of Rs.3,07,387.25 were spent towards this schemes for the welfare of tribals.

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CHAPTER IV

RESOURCES AND PERSPECTIVE FOR DEVELOPMENT

4 (1) The main resources for the plan will be the combined total outlay of the central and state sectors for the tribal development which comes to about Rs.556.27 lakhs. Of course, this will be supplemented with the usual community development Schemes which are extended to all areas, but now it will be concentrated in this tribal area, as done in the previous years.

4 (2) Apart from this, there will be some allotment under Drought Prone Area Programme which is implemented in this district since the third plan period it cannot be said the exact extent to which this will benefit the tribals. Also I.R.D.P. Schemes, and Self Sufficiency Programme are also implemented covering the parts of this area. Also institutional finances from Dairy Development, Agro Industries Corporation may not also be spectacular since the total tribal population may not command a large investment. So the main outlay will be the central and state sectors of Rs.556.27 lakhs. However apart from what has been provided for the tribal development in the Sub-plan for improvement of communication, it is but necessary that a huge investment under communication is an imperative need for this area for which so many schemes as listed in the VY Plan proposals were recommended for execution.

4 (3): The economic indicators as outlined previously will reveal the general backwardness of the area, in all spheres of economic and social conditions. Though the area is thinly ~~px~~ populated, the labour population is fairly proportionate to the district average with a good percentage of area

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for cultivation. The percentage of labour force is 15.5% while it is just 11 percent of the district average. The percapita availability of the land in respect of Silerhi Hills is 0.09 hectare whereas this value is 0.57 hectare for the whole Dharlapuri District i.e., the percapita availability of land in this area is far below that of the district average. This indicates the backwardness of the tribals relating to Agriculture. Hence much has to be done in the field of Agriculture for the maximum utilization of the land in this region with a view to improve the living condition of the tribals.

4 (4) The literacy percentage is hardly 7% which is far far below the state and the district averages. Therefore, literacy programme should cover the school-going children and also for the adults through Non-formal education. But now, in view of the limited resources under Sub-Plan, the elementary education will be tackled fully while non-formal education will be left to the general programme of the state.

4 (5) It is clear from the indicators that health amenities so far provided is not ~~sufficient~~ enough comparing to the total No. of tribes (18875) in this region of vast area of 9643 Sq.K.M. So detailed health programme should be launched to meet the minimum health needs of this area. So also under Veterinary the area has a Cattle population of about 34618 for which Veterinary facilities provided are also not enough to the need. So the provision of Veterinary facilities should be tackled in an extensive way comparable to the cattle population of the area.

4 (6) Under irrigation, the percentage of net area irrigated is 6.7 in respect of this area, when that of the entire District is 12.9. Hence the proportion of net area irrigated in the villages of this tribal sub-plan area is very low as compared to the corresponding figures for the District as a whole. So, certain irrigation schemes are necessary to bring the tribals on a par with the plainsmen. There are no scope for large or medium irrigation schemes while the potentialities for minor irrigation through other sources are considered and provision has been made in the VIth Plan proposals.

4 (7) The road mileage is practically 'Nil' in the area. Hence apart from going on the schemes sanctioned in the previous years, various new road schemes have to be implemented in a war-footing manner to connect the implementation of various schemes under various sectors in different area of this region.

4 (8) The per capita income of the District is only Rs.432/- which is the lowest in Tamilnadu. The sixth plan of the state aims at doubling this for this District which will also be far below the other district averages. So, in a backward district like Dharmapuri to increase the per capita annual income of a tribal will be very difficult task and it can only be in stages, fairly during a long span of time. So by the sub-plan, it is aimed only at a moderate ^{annual} growth, which cannot be assessed exactly.

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CHAPTER V

PROJECTS IN OUTLINE

G E N E R A L

5 (1) As already discussed in Chapter-IV the main strategy for the development of the area will be agriculture by adopting improved methods; under Animal Husbandry by developing the local stock to hybrid varieties by locating hybrid bulls, sheep-rearing by distribution of hybrid varieties of ewes and rams.

5 (2) A vast forest plantation schemes for which there is vast scope will be the main step-stone for providing employment opportunities for a vast number of under employed tribals of the area.

5 (3) In view of the limited scope for industrial development in the area only bee-keeping scheme is suggested. Under health services, it is planned to open sub-centres in different parts of this region.

AGRICULTURE:

5 (4) The investment in this sector is aimed at the supply of Perennial plants, hybrid variety of seeds, improved implements, introduction of chemical fertilizers and plant protection measures. The total investment in this field during the VI Five Year Plan will be Rs.13.28 lakhs.

SOIL CONSERVATION:

5 (5) Soil Conservation is a must to the various agricultural operations in the area in view of the undulating ^{broken} terrain. Construction of contour stone wall and land-levelling, will be taken up in a phased programme against an investment of Rs.7.65 lakhs.

ANIMAL HUSBANDRY:

5 (6) Animal wealth forms part of the tribal economy. An investment of Rs.20.46 lakhs will be made in this field during the VIth Five Year Plan period.

FORESTRY:

5 (7) There is vast scope for forest development scheme in this area which is having 32.9% of forest area to the total area of this hilly ranges. Such schemes will not only increase the national wealth, but also provide very good employment opportunities for the poor tribals, most of them are unemployed and under employed. Afforestation work, construction of stone-wall fencing, work relating to provide amenities for staff will be taken under this sector against a total investment of Rs.13.13 lakhs.

IRRIGATION:

5 (8) As already said, major and medium irrigation are out of use in this area. Standardisation of the existing channel is considered and against this work about Rs.0.70 lakhs will be invested.

RURAL WATER SUPPLY:

5 (9) The provision of protected water supply is dire need to this tribal area. 12 villages are which urgently required this facility will be provided with protected drinking water with an investment of Rs.11.40 lakhs.

CO-OPERATION:

5 (10) The tribal people are under the clutches of the money-lenders of the plains and they have been exploited considerably by them.

So as recommended by the 'BAUSA' Committee as well as 'Karthikeyan Committee', the 'IAMP' converted and enlarged from the existing credit society, which is doing satisfactory job is best suited to this area. This institution will not only offer all credit facilities to the tribals, but also cater to their domestic needs and also offer proper marketing facilities for the produce of the tribals. It is proposed to provide a subsidy of Rs.75,000/- to this society.

MEDICAL:

5 (11) As already discussed, for extending the medical facilities to the inner most villages of this hilly ranges, an investment of Rs.6.38 lakhs will be made.

VILLAGE INDUSTRIES:

5 (12) More investment in this sector will provide constant employment potential in this tribal area. In view of this, an investment of Rs.8.05 lakhs is proposed.

EDUCATION:

5 (13) Provision of residential school is considered and it is proposed to extent such facilities to the innermost villages in this hilly ranges. For that an investment of Rs.9.02 lakhs will be made.

HOUSING:

5 (14) The schemes against an investment of Rs.31.56 lakhs are proposed towards the provision of housing facilities to this tribal area.

SOCIAL WELFARE:

5 (15) Extending the facilities of Balwadi Education to other villages is considered during the plan period. The children, through these schools are being taught good habits and lesson from their childhood thus to enable them to become good people of the Nation. Against this schemes, an investment of Rs.2.99 lakhs is provided for.

COMMUNICATION:

5 (16) Any scheme for the development of the tribals cannot be achieved fully unless and until a proper communication from the plains is created with a net work of branch roads touching most of the hill hamlets. So communication is an imperative need, for which several schemes covering the maximum No. of habitations are proposed against a massive investment of Rs.426.20 lakhs.

Thus totally, the broad outlay of investments come to Rs.556.27 lakhs as follows:

	<u>Rs. in lakhs</u>
Agriculture	.. 13.28
Soil Conservation.	.. 7.65
Irrigation	.. 0.70
Communication	.. 426.20
Rural Water Supply	.. 11.40
Co-operation	.. 0.75
Electricity	.. 4.70
Medical	.. 6.38
Village Industries	.. 8.05
Animal Husbandry	.. 20.46
Social Education	.. 2.99
Forestry	.. 13.13
Housing	.. 31.56
Education	.. 9.02

	556.27

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AGRICULTURE

6 (1) The objectives of the Sixth Five Year Plan are to increase the yield per unit area by supplying production aids suited to the terrain so as to take the Tribals to take up their cultivation on modern line ultimately raising the Socia economic status of the hill tribes. For this, the following schemes are proposed to be taken up during sixth five year plan.

LAYING OUT DEMONSTRATION PLOTS:

6 (2) With a view to educate the tribals to adopt the latest technique on cultivation of crops, demonstration plots will be laid out in appropriate places. The use of improved seeds, fertilizers, and plant protection chemicals will be demonstrated to the tribals in sequence so that the tribal farmers would be infused with technical know-how of the crop production. This demonstrations have to be repeated as the tribals are illiterate. Each demonstration will be laid out in 0.50 acres and a sum of Rs.100/- per plot will be given as subsidy. Thus for a year 10 Nos. of plots will be demonstrated at Rs.100/- per plot for in 5 Acres. The same will be carried out for all these 5 years. The yearwise break up for this scheme will be as follows:

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Year	No. of plots.	Total area in acre.	Financial investment in lakhs.
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1980-81	10	5.00	0.01
1981-82	10	5.00	0.01
1982-83	10	5.00	0.01
1983-84	10	5.00	0.01
1984-85	10	5.00	0.01
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Total:	50	25.00	0.05
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DISTRIBUTION OF PERENNIAL PLANTS:

6 (3) Perennial crops like Mango, coconut, Acidlime etc., according to the suitability of the terrain will be distributed at Rs.50/- per acre. Totally about Rs.79,200/- will be invested for this scheme for 5 years. Year wise allotment is furnished in the statement appended.

DISTRIBUTION OF ANNUAL CROP SEEDS AND OTHER INPUTS

6 (4) The crop seeds and other inputs at Rs.100/- per acre will be distributed to tribal farmers covering 3600 acres of this area in 5 years. The year wise break-up will be as follows:-

Year	Area covered in acre.	Financial expenditure in lakhs.
1980-81	450	0.450
1981-82	585	0.585
1982-83	720	0.720
1983-84	855	0.855
1984-85	990	0.990
Total	3600	3.600

Totally Rs.3,60,000/- will be spent towards this scheme.

DISTRIBUTION OF CHEMICAL FERTILIZERS:

6 (5) Application of fertilizer is one of the vital factor which ultimately decide the yield of the crop-besides the application of the recommended barel dosage, the top dressing will be done in splitup does as per the recommendations for effective utilisation of fertilizers. Application of micronutrient mixture, a new innovation Gypsum to Groundnut

treatment of pulses seeds with bacterial culture etc., are some of the important aspects included under this programme. It is proposed to bring the area of 800 acres under fertilizer application at 100 per acre, and totally at a cost of Rs.0.80 lakhs. The year wise breakup particulars are furnished in the consolidated statement appended.

SUPPLY OF IMPLEMENTS:

6 (6) It is proposed to supply of Agricultural implements like plough, crowbars, mamatti, etc. at subsidised rates, not exceeding Rs.150/- per family covering 2400 families in these 5 years at a cost of Rs.3.60 lakhs. For yearwise particulars please see statement appended.

FARMERS TRAINING AND TOUR:

6 (7) It has also been programmed to conduct Agricultural tour and training classes for the tribals on modern method of crop cultivation so that the tribals can adopt modern practice of crop production and thereby get better yield and return. 500 farmers will be trained at 100 farmers per year, at a cost of Rs.20,000/- (at Rs.4,000/- per year) 250 farmers will be taken on Agricultural tours at 50 farmers at Rs.3,000/- per year totally benefitting 250 farmers at a cost of Rs.15,000/-.

PUBLICITY AND PROPAGANDA:

6 (8) Effective and Educative Methods of dissemination of research findings can be best done only by proper publicity and propaganda. Hence proper sign boards and boardings at vantage point enlightening the scheme activities will be ^{erected} ~~executed~~.

PROGRAMME UNDER INTEGRATED TRIBAL SUB-PLAN FOR THE SIXTH PLAN FOR SIEMENI-DIARMAPURI DISTRICT

1980-81 to 1984-85)					P. Physical Expenditure in lakhs per year					Remarks
1980-81	P	1981-82	P	1982-83	P	1983-84	P	1984-85		
1. Demonstration Plots 5. Ac (10 Nos)	0.015	5Ac (10 Nos)	0.015	5Ac. (10 Nos)	0.015	5Ac. (10 Nos)	0.015	5Ac. (10 Nos)	0.05	
2. Distribution of perennial plants at 50/-per acre	150	0.075	195	0.097	240	0.120	285	0.140	330	0.330
3. Distribution of annual crop seeds and other inputs at Rs.10/-	450	0.450	585	0.585	720	0.720	855	0.855	990	0.990
4. Distribution of fertiliz- ers and chemicals for perennial crops at Rs.100 per acre	100	0.100	130	0.130	160	0.160	190	0.190	220	0.220
5. Supply of implements at Rs.150/-per family	300	0.450	390	0.585	480	0.720	570	0.855	660	0.990
6. Farmers Training	100	0.150	100	0.040	100	0.040	100	0.040	100	0.040
7. Publicity and propaganda	0.100	0.100	..	0.100	..	0.100	..	0.100	..	0.100
8. Agril. tours	50	0.030	50	0.030	50	0.030	50	0.030	50	0.030
9. Staff and Amenities for staff	..	0.030	..	0.350	..	0.365	..	0.385	..	0.400
	1.585	1.927	2.265	2.605	3.110					

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Technical informations on package of practices for various horticultural crops will be passed on through publication on leaflets, pamphlets etc. A sum of Rs.0.500 lakhs will be provided for this purpose for an expenditure at Rs.0.100 lakhs per year.

STAFF AND AMENITIES FOR STAFF:

6 (a) The above schemes will be implemented by one horticultural officer assisted by three Demonstration Assistants, one watchman is also posted for office. About Rs.1.530 lakhs will be spent towards the staff pattern. A detailed statement of expenditure proposed is furnished in the separate statement enclosed.

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CONTOUR STONE WALLS:

LAND LEVELLING WORK:

STAFF AND AMENITIES FOR THE STAFF
FOR FIVE YEARS

Sl. No.	Details	Scale of Pay	1980-81	1981-82	1982-83	1983-84	1984-85
1.	Horticultural Officer 1 No.	600-750-890	12,000	12,600	13,200	14,000	14,700
		-40-1050					
2.	Demonstration Assistants 3 Nos.	250-5-330-10-400	15,600	16,400	17,200	18,100	19,000
3.	Watchman 1 No.	250-5-330-10-400	4,300	4,500	4,700	4,900	5,100
4.	Godown Rent 1 No.	..	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,200
5.	Other contingencies	..	100	100	00	100	100
	Total		33,200	34,800	36,000	38,300	40,100

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done usually by engaging bulldozer and cost of work comes up to Rs.1,000/- per acre. Totally 600 acres will be covered under this scheme at a cost of Rs.6.00 lakhs.

STAFF- PATTERN:

7 (4) For the effective implementation of the above soil conservation works, one post of Junior Engineer, with one technically qualified Sub Assistant to ~~assist~~ in survey and execution of work is essentially required. The assistance of two J.N.M.RS is also deployed in this field. The staff will work under the technical and administrative control of the Executive Engineer (Agricultural Engineering), Dharnapuri. The financial implications and the overall investments under these schemes are furnished in the statement appended.

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Statement showing expenditure on soil conservation schemes
Financial implication per year

1. One Junior Engineer (Pay Rs.525/-+ D.A.Rs.53/-+O.A.Rs.25/-+ T.E.Rs.160/-X12 months)	9,156.00
2. One Sub Assistant.(Pay Rs.450/-+ D.A.Rs.45/-+O.A.Rs.25/-+ T.E.Rs.100)	7,440.00
3. Two N.M.Rs. at Rs.6/- per day for individual(6 X 2 X 25 X 12)	3,600.00
4. Cost of furniture.	1,000-00
	21,196/- or
	21,200-00

Break up details of schools are given below:-

1980-81x	Contour Stone		Land levelling		Establishment Rs.
	Area (Ac)	Amount required Rs.	Area (Ac)	Amount required Rs.	
1980-81	60	60,000	0	40,000	21,200
1981-82	60	60,000	140	1,40,000	21,200
1982-83	60	60,000	140	1,40,000	21,200
1983.84	60	60,000	140	1,40,000	21,200
1984.85	60	60,000	140	1,40,000	21,200

CHAPTER VIII
IRRIGATION

8 (1) As already discussed, though major irrigation schemes are not possible for this hilly region, some minor irrigation works such as standardisation of the existing distributory channel are considered for this area and the following schemes are proposed to ensure irrigation facilities to the tribals. The financial implications are also noted against each as follows:

	<u>AMOUNT</u>
1) Standardisation of Distributory channel to Vachatti tank in Sitheri Hills of Harur Taluk	.. Rs. 20,600/-
2) Standardisation of Velanur anicut and supply channel in Harur Taluk	.. Rs. 50,000/-

TOTAL	.. Rs. 70,600/-

This schemes will be taken up in the year 1980-81.

There are no schemes on hand for the year 1981-82 to 1984-85.

CHAPTER IX
COMMUNICATION

9 (1) As already pointed out, the need for provision of communication for the development of the area is of utmost importance. The forest department has agreed for placing the existing Vallimadurai-Sitheri Kutcha Road, the only link to the ranges at the disposal of the highways department to make it an all weather road. This road will be the pipe-line, through which all ~~in~~ inputs have to be pumped into the sub-plan area. In G.O.Ms.No.1180 Social Welfare Department, dated 5.7.79, the work regarding the improvement of the road Harur to Sitheri (via) Vallimadurai was sanctioned for the year 1979-80. The work was not taken up during 1979-80 pending sanction of detailed estimate by the Chief Engineer (Highways and Rural Works), Madras. Now a special division for Tribal Development Scheme has been formed with headquarters at Salem. So the above work which was sanctioned in 1979-80 will be taken up in 1980-81 along with other works suggested as in the statement appended.

9 (2) Any scheme for the development of the tribals cannot be achieved fully unless and until a proper communication from the plains ^{is} created with a net-work of branch roads touching most of the hilly hamlets which are scattered here and there. So, communication is an imperative need, for which several schemes with a purpose to cover almost all the villages in this hilly ranges are proposed for execution in this Sixth Five Year Plan period.

DIVISION-(II) SPECIAL TRIBAL AREA DEVELOPMENT WORKS--SALEM CIRCLE: (II) GHAT ROAD CIRCLE
COIMBATORE INTEGRATED TRIBAL DEVELOPMENT PROJECT SUB PLAN FOR 1980-81 to
1985-86

(IMPROVEMENTS TO EXISTING ROADS)

Sl. No.	Name of Road.	Length in KM.	Improvements including Retaining walls and parapets	Metalling	Block Topping	C.D. works including V shaped drains.	Total (in lakhs)	Remarks
1-	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9
1980-81								
1.	Harur Sitheri road (via) Vallimadurai KM. 0/0-25-6	25.60	20.00	11.50	6.90	19.60	58.00	Inspection shed at Sitheri Hill and stores shed at Harur
2.	Sitheri to Mochikottai KM. 0/0-10/0	10.00	10.00	4.50	3.00	6.00	23.50	Rs. 1.00+0.50 lakhs respectively included
3.	Harur Sitheri road to Suriyakadai road KM 0/0-6/4	6.40	6.40	2.90	1.90	3.80	15.00	
Total		42.00	36.40	18.90	11.80	29.40	96.50+1.50=98.00	
1981-82								
1.	Suriyakadai road to Velampatty KM 0/0-5/0	5.00	2.50	1.50	1.00	3.00	8.00	
2.	Kattapatti Sitheri road KM 40/0-51=2	11.20	4.00	3.40	3.00	7.00	17.40	
3.	Sithilingi to S. Thattampatti road KM 0/0-6/0	6.00	9.00	1.80	1.20	10.50	22.50	
Total		22.20	15.50	6.70	5.20	20.50	47.90	

The details of the schemes are furnished in the statement appended.

9 (3) The execution of this work will be taken up depending upon the financial allotment made by the Government in the phased programme.

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1984-85

1. Kalnadu Mannur road KM 0/0-4/0		4.00	2.00	1.20	0.80	2.40	6.40
2. Mannur Mankadai road KM 0/0-6/0		6.00	3.00	1.80	1.20	3.60	9.60
3. Suriyadadai to Thokkal- patty road KM 0/0-3/0		3.00	1.50	0.90	0.60	1.80	4.80

Total		13.00	6.50	3.90	2.60	7.80	20.80
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1982-83

1. Maripalli Periyapat ti road KM 0/0-5/0		5.00	2.50	1.50	1.00	3.00	8.00
2. Periyapat ti to Manithikulampatti viz. Rangavalasu KM 0/0-4/0		4.00	2.00	1.20	0.80	2.40	6.40
3. Baيراناickampatty- Naripalli road to North Arcot Dist. Border viz. Sikkalur KM 0/0-6/4		6.40	3.20	2.50	1.30	3.80	10.80

Total		15.40	7.70	5.20	3.10	9.80	25.20
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1983-84

1. Kottapatty Avalor viz Kulathandi na tham KM 0/0 6/0		6.00	3.00	1.80	1.20	3.60	9.60
2. Selur Shanugapuram road KM 0/0-5/0		5.00	2.50	1.50	1.00	3.00	8.00
3. Shanugapuram Annapala- yam via Kulampatti KM 0/0-5/0		5.00	2.50	1.50	1.00	3.00	8.00
4. Improvements to Kottapatty to Theibal (via) Sithilingi Palakutai KM 0/0-16/0							
a. Kottapatti to Sithilingi via Theibal KM 0/0-7/0		7.00	3.50	2.10	1.40	6.00	13.00

New work included

b. Sithilingi to Palakutai KM 7/0-16/0		9.00	4.50	2.70	1.80	6.00	15.00
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Total		32.00	16.00	9.60	6.40	19.80	51.80
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cause way)

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
<u>1983-84</u>									
1. Kombai Sithuri road KM 0/0-4/8			4.80	7.20	1.50	1.00	6.00	15.70	
2. Velanur to Kottalodai (via) Thalakkuttai Mel thanda KM 0/0-5/8			5.80	8.70	1.80	1.20	6.80	18.50	
Total			10.60	15.90	3.30	2.20	12.80	34.20	

1984-85

1. Bairanaickampatty to Konheripatti (via) Singalari KM 0/0-5/0	5.00	2.50	1.50	1.00	3.00	8.00	Sub plan prepared based on integrated tribal Development programme for the year 1978-80		
2. Kattapatti Avelur to Kottalodai KM 0/0	1.60	0.80	0.50	0.50	0.50	2.30	but the rough cost estimate changed due to increase in the current schedule of rates.		
Total	6.60	3.30	2.00	1.50	3.50	10.30			

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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<u>1980-81</u>								
Forming and improving Kilaladu in Sithilingi (via) Naikuttai Velanur (KM 0/0-7/0)	7.00	10.00	3.20	2.10	8.30	24.60		
2. Sithuri to Kaladu KM 0/0-5/4	5.40	8.10	2.50	1.20	6.80	18.60		
Total	12.40	18.60	5.70	3.30	15.60	43.20		
<u>1981-82</u>								
1. Sithuri to Nochikuttai road to Kalasapadi (via) Alagur Sekkampatty KM 0/0-6/0	6.00	9.00	2.70	1.10	8.00	21.10		
2. Sithuri Nochikuttai road to Gundalwadurai (via) Malanankadai KM 0/0-6/0	6.00	9.00	2.70	1.40	8.00	21.10		
Total	12.00	18.00	5.40	2.30	16.00	42.20		
<u>1982-83</u>								
1. Nochikuttai Erulanakadal road KM 0/0-4/0	4.00	6.00	1.20	0.30	7.00	15.00		
e. Sithuri Nochikuttai road to Mangarai road 0/0-5/0	5.00	7.50	1.50	1.00	8.80	18.80		
3. S. Thathampattai to Kombai (via) Puduvalavu 0/0-5/0	5.00	7.50	1.50	1.00	8.80	18.80		
Total	14.00	21.00	4.20	2.30	24.60	52.60		

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FOR THE YEAR 1980--81

FOR THE YEAR 1981--82

FOR THE YEAR 1962-63

1.Selambi	150	30,000
2.Andipatti	150	30,000
3.Kathuripatti	250	30,000
4.Thadav. valasu	300	30,000
5.Suvanatham	25	30,000
6.Koluthambinatham	25	30,000

FOR THE YEAR 1983--84

1. Arumapalayam	90	30,000
2. Kalluthapatti	400	75,000
3. Nadupatti	400	75,000

		1,80,000

New Schemes

ABSTRACT

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Improving the Existing road-I	42.00	36.40	18.90	11.80	29.40	98.00	(96500+1.50)
New Formation	12.40	13.60	5.70	3.30	15.60	4320	
<u>1981-82</u>							
Improving the Existing road-1	22.20	15.50	6.70	5.20	20.50	57.90	
New Formation-I	12.00	18.00	5.40	2.80	16.00	42.20	
<u>1982-83</u>							
Improving the Existing road-1	15.40	7.70	5.20	3.10	9.20	25.20	
New Formation-II	14.00	21.00	4.20	2.80	24.60	52.60	
<u>1983-84</u>							
Improving the Existing road-1	32.00	16.00	9.60	6.40	19.80	51.80	
New Formation-II	10.60	15.90	3.30	2.20	12.80	34.20	
<u>1984.35</u>							
Improving the existing road-1	13.00	6.50	3.90	2.60	7.80	20.80	
New Formation-II	6.60	3.30	2.00	1.50	3.50	10.30	
<u>Grand Total</u>	180.20	153.90	65.10	41.70	143.60	426.20	

CHAPTER XI
COOPERATION

11(1) The "LAMP" Cooperative Society at Sitheri is marketing the agricultural produce of its members and the minor ~~fresh~~ produce. It has already constructed a godown at Sitheri to store the Agricultural produce and minor ~~fresh~~ produce. It has proposed to construct a godown at Selur branch at an estimated cost of Rs.40,000/- during 1980--81. The Society has been issuing crop loans and medium term loans to its member and there credit facilities are provided by the Dharmapuri Central Co-operative Bank. The Society has a jeep purchased on subsidy afforded by Government. The cost of maintenance of the jeep and the salary of the jeep driver are met by the Government. The expenditure towards maintenance of the jeep and the salary of the driver for 5 years from 1980--81 are estimated at Rs.15000/- and Rs.20,000/- respectively. The break up details are given below:

11(2) FOR THE YEAR 1980-81

1. Cost of construction of a godown at selur.	Rs.40,000/-
2. Maintenance of jeep	7,000/-
3. Salary of driver	4,000/-

Total	Rs.47,000/-

11(3) FOR THE YEAR 1982--83 and other years

	<u>1981-82</u>	<u>1982-83</u>	<u>1983-84</u>	<u>1984-85</u>
1. Maintenance of jeep	3000	3000	3000	3000
2. Salary of Jeep driver	4000	4000	4000	4000
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	7000	7000	7000	7000
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CHAPTER XII
ELECTRICITY

12(1) In their order No.1180(S.W.D.)dt.5.7.79 Government sanctioned the payment as subsidy to the Tamilnadu Electricity Board, 75% out of the total cash of Rs.7,06,000/- for electrification in Sitheri hills. The scheme could not be completed before 31.3.80 and hence the spill over of the amount has been included in the tribal sub plan for 1980--81. The expenditure to be incurred will be as follows.

<u>Cash of the</u>	<u>75% of the</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Amount to be</u>
<u>scheme</u>	<u>cash given as</u>	<u>already</u>	<u>spent in 1980-81</u>
	<u>subsidy by Govt.</u>	<u>incurred</u>	
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
7.06 Lakhs	5.925 Lakhs	1.22 Lakhs	4.705 Lakhs

12(2) With the completion of the above works this will be no tribal village in Sitheri hills (Tribal Sub Plan area) for electrification. Hence no annual tribal sub plan for 1981-82 onwards.

CHAPTER XIII

MEDICAL

13(1) In G.O.No.1177(S.W.D.)dt.5.7.79 Government sanctioned as allotment of Rs.1.00 lakhs during 1979--80 for construction of quarters for para medical staff attached to the Medical Dispensary at Sitheri. As the schedule of rates has gone high the work could not be taken up and the raised sanction of Government for Rs.2.70 has been sought in Collectors Office Ref.90478/79(L3) dt.10.1.80 for carrying the works in 1980--81.

13(2) Eventhough a Government Dispensary has been established at Sitheri, the tribal population living in the surrounding villages are not benefited for lack of conveyance facilities in reaching the dispensary. It is therefore proposed the afford medical facilities to the surrounding villages by opening sub centres at Vallimadurai, Nochikuttai, Kalasapadi and Suriyakadai. One A.N.M may be appointed in each sub centre to look after emergent cases and to guide the tribal public. The A.N.M may be paid some Special allowance for engaging a women servant at her choice to assist her in her duties.

13(3) The Medical Officer of the Government Dispensary at Sitheri may be provided with a jeep(4 wheel drive) to visit the proposed Sub Centres on the afternoon of a particular day of the week.

13(4) The expenditure involved over a period of 5 years commencing from 1980--81 are give below.

	<u>Recurring</u>	<u>Non-recurring</u>
<u>1980--81</u>		
Cost of construction of quarters for para medical staff of Medical Dispensary Sitheri.	...	2,70,000

<u>1981--82</u>	<u>Recurring</u>	<u>Non-recurring.</u>
1. Cost of one jeep (4 wheel drive)	---	60,000
2. Cost of construction of 4 sub centres-cum-residence at Rs.35000 x 4	---	1,40,000
3. Salaries of 4 ANMs at Rs.4605 per annum. 4605x4	18,420	---
4. Special allowances for engaging a woman servant at Rs.50/- p.m. 50x12x4	2,400	---
5. Furniture requipment for 4 sub centres at Rs.6000/- for each centres.	---	24,000
6. Medicines at Rs.2500/- per annum for 4 sub centres.	10,000	---
7. Cast of fuel for the jeep at 100 litres p.m. (Rs.5x100x12.	6,000	---
8. Maintenance charges for the jeep at Rs.1000/-per annum.	1,000	---
9. Salary of the driver Rs.350 x 12	4,200	---
	2,020	2,24,000
	<u>1982--83</u>	<u>1983-84</u> <u>1984-85</u>
1. Salary of 4 A.N.Ms.	18420	18420
2. Special Allowance for Woman Servant	2400	2400
3. Cost of Medicines	10000	10000
4. Cost of fuel for the jeep	6000	6000
5. Maintenance charges for the jeep	1000	1000
6. Salary of driver	4200	4200
Total	42020	42020

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CHAPTER XIV
VILLAGE INDUSTRIES

14(1) The Bee keeping scheme is implemented for the Welfare of hill tribes in the District from 1976-77 onwards. It is ascertained that potentials are available to accommodate 5000 bee-lives. The beneficiaries demand cent-per cent subsidy for the keeping as in given the Kalrayan hills. So the bee-keeping may be ordered on cent-per cent subsidy- A Senior Inspector with necessary subordinate staff has to be appointed to implement the scheme satisfactorily. It is also proposed to construct a building at Sitheri to procure honey from the bee-colonies and process them for marketing.

14(2) The following are the break up details of expenditure proposed.

	1980-81	1981-82	1982-83	1983-84	1984-85
1-Cost of 1000 bee lives (at Rs.1150/-per unit of 10 bee hive.	115000	115000	115000	115000	115000
2.Salary of one Senior Inspector at Rs.600/- p.m.x12	7200	7200	7200	7200	7200
3.Salary of one clerk at Rs.300x12	3600	3600	3600	3600	3600
4.Salary of four bee- field men at Rs.400/- each (400 x 4 x 12)	19200	19200	19200	19200	19200
5.Salary of one apiculturist at Rs.400x12.	4800	4800	4800	4800	4800
6.Contingencies	5200	5200	5200	5200	5200
7.Cost of one building to procure and process honey for marketing	30000	...	...	...	...
	185000	155000	155000	155000	155000
Recurring	40000	40000	40000	40000	40000
Non-recurring	145000	115000	115000	115000	115000
	185000	155000	155000	155000	155000

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CHAPTER XV.

ANIMAL HUSBANDRY

TRIBAL DEVELOPMENT SCHEMES SITHERI HILLS DHARMAPURI
DISTRICT SUB PLAN FOR 1980-81- 1984-1985.
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15.(1) Distribution of Sheep units:-

The Intensive Tribal Development Scheme was introduced for sheep rearing during 1976-77. 619 beneficiaries have so far been identified and loan sanctioned till date. As the tribal families are limited and as they are availing loans through other schemes also eligible beneficiaries are not available in large numbers. Hence it is proposed to distribute 25 units at 50% subsidy, each units consisting of 10 ewes + 1 Ram, at the cost of Rs.2,250/- per unit- Enhanced amount of Rs.2,250/- is proposed instead of the present loan of Rs. 2,000/- due to regular escalation of prices.

Year wise details given in the annexure.

15.(2) Distribution of Milch Animals:-

The Tribal Villages are located without proper road links. The Tamil Nadu Dairy Development Corporation have formed only three "Milk Producer Co-Operative Societies" in the tribal area. The scheme envisages linkage with milk producer Co-Operative Societies recovery of loan. During the year 1979-80 with much difficulty 78 beneficiaries were identified. Further Identification of beneficiaries is not possible. Hence it is proposed to select 25 beneficiaries each year during sub-plan.

Each cow or buffalo at the cost of Rs. 2,500/- with 50% subsidy is proposed against Rs. 1,500/- sanctioned at present as the market rate is going up day by day.

Year wise details given in the annexure.

15.(3). Distribution of Work Bullocks:

As explained above the eligible beneficiaries are limited in tribal areas. 60 beneficiaries have been identified during 1979-80 with such difficulty. Hence it is proposed to select 25 beneficiaries each year in the sub-plan. Each pair costing Rs. 1,500/- instead of Rs. 1,000/- now sanctioned is proposed now as it is found not sufficient to get a pair of work bullocks at present.

15.(4). ANIMAL HEALTH COVER:

1. Establishment of Veterinary Dispensary at Kottapatti

As the Tribal area is scattered stretching from Kombur to Sittilingi for about 80 K.M. at the foot of the hills, apart from the Villages located on Sitheri hills, the one Veterinary Dispensaries at Sitheri is quite insufficient to cover the tribal areas. As Kottapatti and Sittilingi are located far away from Harur without Veterinary facilities, it is proposed to have one Veterinary Dispensary at Kottapatti to have effect ^{Veterinary} Veterinary cover for that areas.

2. Establishment of Veterinary sub-Centre:

As explained above to cover the areas for effective Veterinary care establishment of Veterinary Sub centres in the following Villages are also suggested.

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| 1. Nochikuttai | 1980-81 |
| 2. Kombur | 1981-82 |
| 3. Naripalli | 1982-83 |
| 4. Vallimadurai | 1983-84 |
| 5. Shanmugapuram | 1984-85 |

15.(5) Introduction of Frozen Semen facilities:

As Frozen Semen is being introduced under Drought Prone Areas Programme in other areas of the District, the same is suggested for tribal area also, to have uniform cattle development activities in the district.

15.(6) Propaganda and Publicity.

Even though very many schemes are being introduced for the Tribals for raising their economic status they are yet to be educated intensively on all aspects. Only with Audio Visual Aids and repeated Mass Conduct Programme the tribals can be educated on very many aspects. Hence Establishment of the one propaganda units with all facilities as suggested under this sub-plan.

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1. Supply of sheep units (10+1) @ Rs. 2250/- with 50% Subsidy	25U	28,215	28,215	56,250
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2. Supply of which Animal cost of Rs.2000/- with 50% subsidy.	25	25,000	25,000	50,000
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3. Work Bullocks at				
Rs.1500/- per pairs 25	18,750	18,750		37,500
with 50% subsidy.				

4. One Veterinary Dispensary at Kottapatti with Quarters:

a. Site and Building	1	85,000	--	85,000
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b. Building for Vety. Assistant Surgeon quarters with site	1	55,000	--	55,000
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c. Building for Live stock Inspectors quarters with site	1	45,000	--	45,000
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d. Building for 2 attendant quarters with site	2	50,000	--	50,000
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c. Quarters for driver and operator 2	70,000	--	70,000
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f. Recurring:

a. Pay. D.A. TA& OA of Vety-Aest. Surgeon	1	12,000	---	12,000
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b. Pay. D.A. PA & CCA of Livestock Inspector	1	8,500	--	8,500
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d. Pay, D-A, T.A. & CCA for driver and operator.	10,000	..	10,000
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c. Maintenance of Vehicle and others.	15,000	..	15,000
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Non recurring:
for Vety-Dispensary.

1. Furnitures	10,000	..	10,000
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2. Medicines	10,000	..	10,000
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3. Registers and records	5,000	..	6,000
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5. One Sub-Centre at Nuchikuttai with Quarters:-

1. Site and Building with livestock Inspectors Quarters.	1	50,000	..	50,000
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RECURRING

Pay D.A. T.A. & OCA of Livestock Inspectors Gr. II	7,500	7,500
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- Non-recurring:

Non recurring:			
a. Furniture	3,000	..	3,000

b. Medicines	2,000	2,000
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Other Contingent	1,000	..	1,000
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• Frozen salmon Equipments with accessories.

For one Vty. Dispensary and one sub-Centre.	2	12,000	..	12,000
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Propaganda wing with Vanc

Projector, slide	1,02,000	.. 1,02,000
Projector, tank		

Projector tent,	1,02,000	1,02,000
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Camora, Walky-

Talky tap.

recorder with

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Recurring	63,000
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ITEMS	RECAPITULATING	9,000
Non-Expendable		6,44,750

Non-Recurring	6,44,750
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Tribal Development Scheme-Sitheri Hills-Dharmapuri
District Sub-Plan for 1981-82.

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Sl. No. of the Scheme	Physical Target	Financial Govt. Subsidy.	Financial Loan	Financial Total	Remarks
1. Supply of sheep units(10+1) @ Rs.2250/- with 50% subsidy.	25 U	28,125	28,125	56,250	
2. Supply of Milk Animal cost of Rs. 2000/-with 50% subsidy.	25	25,000	25,000	50,000	
3. Work Bullocks @ Rs.1500/- per pair with 50% subsidy.	25 pairs	18,750	18,750	37,500	
4. One Sub-Centre with Quarters at Kombur.					
a. Site and Building	1	50,000	..	50,000	
<u>Recurring</u>					
Pay for Kottapatti Vety Dispensary staff.	6	57,500	..	57,500	
Pay for sub-centre Livestock Inspector Gr. II (Nochikuttai & Kombur)	2	15,000	..	15,000	
Maintenance of Vehicle	1	15,000	..	15,000	
<u>Non-Recurring</u>					
a. Furniture for sub-centre Kombur	1	3,000	..	3,000	
b. Medicines for Vety. Dispensary Kottapatti & Sub-Centre.	3	14,000	..	14,000	
6. Frozen Semen-					
Vety-Dispensary Kottapatti and 2 sub-centres.	3	18,000	..	18,000	
		Recurring		87,500	
		Non-Recurring		2,28,750	
		<u>Total</u>		<u>3,16,250</u>	

Tribal Development Scheme Sitheri Hills-Dharmapuri
District Sub-Plan for 1982-1983.

Sl. No. of the scheme	Physical Target	Financial Govt. subsidy.	Financial Loan	Financial Total	Remarks
1-Supply of sheep units(10+1)@Rs. 2250/-with 50% subsidy	25U	28,125	28,125	56,250	
2. Supply of Milk Animals cost on Rs.2000/-with 50% subsidy	25	25,000	25,000	50,000	
3. Work Bullocks @ Rs.1500/- per pair with 50% subsidy.	25 pairs	18,750	18,750	37,500	
4. Sub-Centre with Quarters at Naripalli					
a. Site and Building	1	50,000	..	50,000	
<u>Recurring:</u>					
Pay for Kottapatti Vety. Dispensary staff	6	57,500	..	57,500	
Pay for 3 sub-centre Livestock Inspector Gr. II (Nochikuttai Kombur, Naripalli)	3	22,500	..	22,500	
Maintenance of Vehicles	1	15,000	..	15,000	
<u>Non-recurring</u>					
a. Furniture for sub-centre Naripalli	1	3,000	..	3,000	
b. Medicines for Vety. Dispensary Kottapatti & 3 sub-centre.	4	16,000	..	16,000	
<u>Frozen semen:</u>					
Vety-Dispensary Kottapatti & 3 sub-centre.	4	24,000	..	24,000	
		Recurring		75,000	
		Non-Recurring		2,36,750	

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Tribal Development Schemes-Sitheri Hills-Dharmapuri
District Sub-Plan for 1983-1984.

Sl. No.	Distribution of the Scheme.	Financial Implication				Remarks
		Physical Target	Govt. Subsidy.	Loan	Total	
1.	Supply of Sheep Units (10+1) at Rs.2250/- with 50% subsidy.	25U	28125	28125	56250	
2.	Supply of Milch Animals cost of Rs.2000/- with 50% subsidy.	25	25000	25000	50000	
3.	Work Bullocks @ Rs.1500/- per pair with 50% subsidy.	25 pairs	18750	18750	37500	
4.	One Sub-Centre with Quarters at Vallinadurai					
a.	Site and Building	1	50000	--	50000	
5.	Recurring					
	Pay for Kottapatti Vety. Dispensary Staff	6	57500	--	57500	
	Pay for four sub-centres Live stock Inspector/gr.II (Nochikuttai, Konbur, Naripalli, Vallinadurai)	4	30000	--	30000	
	Maintenance of Vehicle	1	15000	--	15000	
	Non-Recurring.					
a.	Furniture for sub. Centre Vallinadurai	1	3000	--	3000	
b.	Medicines for Vety. Dispensary, Kottapatti, and 4 Sub-Centres.	5	18000	--	18000	
6.	Frozen Semen:					
	Vety. Dispensary Kottapatti Sub-Centres.	5	30000	--	30000	
	Recurring			102500		
	Non-Recurring			244750		

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Tribal Development Scheme-Sitheri Hills-Dharmapuri
District Sub-Plan for 1984-1985.

Sl. No.	Distribution of the Scheme.	Physical target	Financial Implication			Remarks
			Govt. Subsidy.	Loan	Total	
1.	Subsidy of Sheep Units (10+1) at Rs.2250/- with 50% subsidy.	25U	28125	28125	56250	
2.	Supply of Milch Animals cost of Rs.2000/- with 50% subsidy.	25	25000	25000	50000	
3.	Work Bullocks at Rs.1500/- per pair with 50% subsidy	25 pairs	18750	18750	37500	
4.	One Sub-Centre with Quarters at Shanmugapuram.					
a.	Site and Building	1	50000	--	50000	
5.	Recurring:					
	Pay for Kottapatti Vety. Dispensary Staffs.	6	57500	--	57500	
	Pay for five sub-centres Livestock Inspectors Gr.II, (Nochikuttai, Konbur, Naripalli, Valli-Madurai, Shanmugapuram)	5	37500	--	37500	
	Maintenance of Vehicle	1	15000	--	15000	
	Non-Recurring:-					
a.	Furniture for sub. Centres Shanmugapuram.	1	3000	--	3000	
b.	Medicines for Vety. Dispensary, Kottapatti, and 5 Sub-Centres.	6	20000	--	20000	
6.	Frozen Semen:					
	Vety. Dispensary, Kottapatti and Five Sub-Centres.	6	36000	--	36000	
	Recurring			110000		
	Non-Recurring			252750		
	Total				362750	

CHAPTER XVI

SOCIAL EDUCATION

16.(1) To impart education & to provide nutrition to the children of the tribals at the nursery level, so far 5 pre-schools are opened and run by the Social Welfare Department, satisfactorily. Children at the age group of 2½-5 are admitted in these schools. These schools are functioning in two ways. In one stage, the Village ladies can left their children safely in the pre-schools and attend their labour work. Secondly through these schools the children are being taught good habits and lesson from their childhood thus to enable them to become good people of the nation. In each school a Balasevika is working at a consolidated Pay of Rs.185/-P.M. and she is assisted by an ayah. Feeding programme is also being implemented through these pre-schools with the help of the free supply of 'Balasahar' by care. ~~National~~ Triple Antigen injection were also given to the children through the health Department.

16.(2) During the plan period 1980-81 to 1981-85, 16 schools are proposed to be opened as shown below.

1980-81	2 School
1981-82	2 School
1982-83	3 School
1983-84	4 School
1984-85	5 School

Total 16 Schools

The financial implication for a school are as follows:-

Non-Recurring:

1. Kitchen and general equipments and furnitures.	Rs.2000/-
2. Educational equipments	Rs. 500/-

Total	Rs.2500/-

Recurring:

	Rs.
1. Non feeding 45 pairs per Boarder X 40 beneficiaries X 500 days.	540/-
2. Rent at Rs.50/- per month X 12	600/-
3. Contingencies at Rs.15/- per month X 12	180/-
4. Transport charges at Rs.10/- X 12	120/-
5. Pay of Balasevika at Rs.165/- and ayah at Rs.50/- per month (215 X 12)	2580/-

Total	Rs. 4020/-

The recurring expenditure in the plan period will be progressive for all the Schools including the existing 5 schools.

Year	Non-recurring	Recurring	Total
1980-81	2 X 2500 = 5000/-	7 X 4020 = 28,140/-	33,140/-
1981-82	2 X 2500 = 5000/-	9 X 4020 = 36,180/-	41,180/-
1982-83	3 X 2500 = 7500/-	12 X 4020 = 48,240/-	55,740/-
1983-84	4 X 2500 = 10000/-	16 X 4020 = 64,320/-	74,320/-
1984-85	5 X 2500 = 12500/-	21 X 4020 = 84,420/-	96,920/-

CHAPTER XVII
FORESTS.

- 17(1) Many are of the opinion that in Tharmapuri Dist. Chitteri hills is the only Region where the Malayali Tribal People are living. But there is one more range of hills called Vathalamalai, now almost a barren hill situated on the border of Tharmapuri and Harur Taluk, where ^{a small} population of Malayali Tribal People are living. This hill is situated partly in Tharmapuri Development Block and partly in Marappur Development Block. It consists of Reddihalli, Noolahalli, Ex-Estate Forests. Kadathur Block of Ex-Estate Forests Chinnahalli Ex-Estate Nallasahalli Ex-Estate Kendarahalli Ex-Estate, Vellolai Ex-Estate and Mookkanur Reserved Forests etc.
- 17(2) The following ^{are} the ~~same~~ of the small villages situated on this hill:-
1. Periyur with about 150 families.
 2. Chinnagadu with about 50 families.
 3. Palsilambu with about 100 families.
 4. Onduyakadu with about 25 families.
 5. Mannargodu with about 25 families.
 6. Naickanur with about 30 families.
 7. Karayalur with about 15 families.
- 17(3) The population in the above villages are Malayali hill tribes related to Chitteri Hill Tribal People. Total population may be about 1,500.
- 17(4) Apart from the above there are a few more small hill villages like Mathalanadu and Thiruvempadi where the people of the plains live.
- 17(5) All the above mentioned hill villages are cut off from the plains. There is no road facility to the above hill villages and as a result other facilities also have not reached these tribal people on this hill. They depend mostly on their fields and their poor livestock.

- 17(6) Though there is a school run to the Tharmapuri Panchayat Union, it requires maintenance and the Teachers who live there require Housing facility.
- 17(7) This hill range is devoid of tree growth. Taking up afforestation work will provide some small employment, opportunities besides improving the climatic factors around these hill villages and to the tribal people in due course.
- 17(8) There are no camping facilities on this hill for the staff engaged for implementing the plan proposals. There is scope for taking up large scale afforestation work in this hill range. Hence a convenient camping cum Tool shed is an absolute necessity.
- 17(9) The Total Extent of the ex-estate Forests on this hill range is more than 6000 Ha. Since the existing protection staff are otherwise engaged in their routine protection work and considering the vast scope of afforestation works that can be taken up into this scheme, one forester and one watchman are absolutely necessary for the successful implementation of the proposals in this region.
- 17(10) One tractor is also provided in the proposals for assisting the draughtsman for technical works, like preparing estimates and other works.
- 17(11) One Junior Assistant is provided for attending to the correspondence works. Hence the staff mentioned in the proposals is absolutely necessary.
- 17(12) The beneficiaries in respect of the scheme is furnished below:-
During 1979-80 18,960 Numbers were benefitted and 64,480 Nos. will be benefitted during 1980-81.
- 17(13) Giving due consideration to all these the following Plan Proposals from 1980-81 to 1984-85 are furnished:-

17(14). The proposals for each year has been divided into 2 parts namely part I dealing with the requirements for implementation in Vathalamal Hill of region in Dharmapuri and Morappur Ranges and Part II dealing with the requirements for implementation in Chithery Hilly region in Harur Range. The financial estimates is made based on the prevailing rates without taking into consideration the possible escalation of costs involved.

17(15) The provision for the employment of a forester at Chittery is necessary since he will also be carrying out ~~lot~~ lot of Sandalwood Extraction work every year under non-plan scheme providing vast scope of employment opportunities to the tribal people living in Chittery region.

PART.I.PERIYUR HILLS.
PROPOSALS FOR 1980-81.

For Works:-

I. Construction of camping-and stool shed at Periyur	30,000
II. Afforestation work in suitable locality with suitable species like, Tamarind or Bamboo or Eucalyptus Hibird or Sandal etc. over 50Ha. at Periyur Ha.	50,000
III. Construction of lot around Tamarind Bamboo and Sandal plantations in the above area over about 3000/-ET	21,000
Total	1,01,000

For Establishment:-

1. Forester. I.	
Pay Rs. 400/- per month for 12 months	Rs. 4,800.00
D.A. Rs. 40/- per month for 12 months.	480.00
R.S.I.A. Rs. 10/- per month for 12 months	120.00
W.A. Rs. 5/- per month for 12 months.	60.00
F.T.A. 25/Rs per month for 12 months.	300.00
Rs.	
Total:-	5,760.00

II. Reserve Watcher One.

Pay Rs. 25/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 3,000.00
D.A. Rs. 26/- per month for 12 months.	312.00
R. S.I.A. Rs. 10/- per month for 12 months.	120.00
W.A. Rs. 5/- per month for 12 months.	60.00

Total Rs. 3,492.00

Abstract.

For Forester	Rs. 5,760.00
For Reserve Watcher.	3,492.00

Total. Rs. 9,252.00 (or) 9300/-

Part. II.
IN CHITTERI HILLS

Spill Over Works to be carried out during 1980-81.

One store shed, 2 Foresters' Quarters and three mazdoor shed were sanctioned viz. G.O. Ms. No. 1375, S.W. Deptt., dated. 23.12.78, and G.O. Ms. No. 1176, Social Welfare Department, dated. 5.7.79. During 1979.80, due to frequent charges of Public works department SSR and ~~transfer~~ transfer of Range Officer, Harur who was implementing the scheme, the above works would not be taken in time and completed before 31.3.80. The works were completed upto basement level and further work is in progress. Hence the following amount is required for completing the works.

1. Construction of store shed at Chittiri	Rs. 30,000.00
2. Construction of Forester Quarter at Thumbal	Rs. 27,000.00
3. Construction of Foresters Quarters at Chitteri	Rs. 32,000.00
4. Construction of Mazdoor shed at Nochi-kuttai	Rs. 14,500.00
5. Construction of Mazdoor shed at Tholthukki.	12,500.00
6. Construction of mazdoor shed at Chitteri	Rs. 10,500.00

Total: Rs. 1,26,500.00

	Total Rs. 1,26,500.00
7. Construction of Stone wall fencing around 1979 bamboo plot in patty North beat (Arrears).	9,813.00

Total Rs.	1,35,313.00 (or)
	Rs. 1,35,300.00

Proposals of New works to be carried out in Sithery Hills during 1980-81.

1. Maintenance of Bamboo Plantation

During 1979-80, an extent of 48.00 Ha. Bamboo plot was raised under this scheme. The maintenance of this plot is required during this year. The scheme will be implemented at a cost of Rs. 7500/- at Rs. 150/- per ha.

2. Improvement of water supply in Sithery:-

There is no sufficient drinking water facilities to the Villagers of Chitteri Hills. During 1975-76, a well was dug at a cost of Rs. 25,000/- and an over head tank also constructed in Chitteri Hills. Laying a pipe line to a point upto the village will help providing better water supply facilities. This scheme will be implemented at a cost of Rs. 5000/- i.e., about 500 mts., of pipe is required.

3. Improvement of Chitteri Rest House:-

An amount of Rs. 10,000/- is required for purchased water heater and parting stones around the Forest Rest House.

4. Construction of Kitchen and Store shed and Out-House-cum-Bungalow Watchers Quarters:-

For Construction of a kitchen and Store room and an out house for the watchman at a cost of Rs. 3,0000/- was submitted to Government for sanction in chief Conservator of Forest's Rec. H2/15685/79-4 dated. 16.6.79 Collector's Rec. 11267/79(N3) dated. 7.2.79 due to increase of P.W.D. Ssr. both Labour and materials an amount of Rs. 40,000/- is required to implement the scheme.

For Establishment:-

For Forester:-

Pay Rs. 400/- per month for 12 months	Rs. 4,800.00
D. A. Rs. 40/- per month for 12 months	Rs. 480.00
R. S. I. A. 10/- per month for 12 months	Rs. 100.00
W. A. Rs. 5/- per month for 12 months	Rs. 60.00
F. T. A. Rs. 25/- per month for 12 months	Rs. 300.00

	Rs. 5,760.00

II. For Bungalow Watcher:-

Pay Rs. 250/- per month for 12 months	Rs. 3,000.00
D. A. Rs. 26/- per month for 12 months	Rs. 312.00
R. S. I. A. Rs. 10/- per month for 12 months	Rs. 120.00
W. A. Rs. 15/- per month for 12 months	Rs. 180.00

	Rs. 3,612.00

In respect of Bungalow Watcher Proposals was submitted to the Government by the Chief Conservator of Forests, Madras in Chief Conservator No. Rec. 1.2.15685/79-4 dated. 16.6.79 sanction is awaited.

General Office Work:-

1. For Junior Assistant:-

Pay Rs. 350/- per month for 12 months	Rs. 4,200.00
D. A. Rs. 35/- per month for 12 months	Rs. 420.00
H. R. A. Rs. 25/- per month for 12 months	Rs. 300.00

	Rs. 4,920.00

ii. For Tracker:-

Pay Rs. 325/- per month for 12 months	Rs. 3,900.00
D. A. Rs. 33/- per month for 12 months	Rs. 396.00
H. R. A. Rs. 25/- per month for 12 months	Rs. 300.00

	Rs. 4,596.00

ABSTRACT FOR 1980-81 FOR WORKS.

1. Spill Over Works:-

1. Construction of Stone shed at Chitteri	30,000.00
2. Construction of Foresters Quarters at Chitteri	32,000.00
3. Construction of Foresters Quarters at Thumhal	27,000.00
4. Construction of Mazdoor shed at Tholthokki.	12,500.00
5. Construction of mazdoor shed at Chitteri	10,500.00
6. Construction of mazdoor shed at Neehikutasai.	14,500.00
7. Construction of stone wall fencing around bamboo plot at Kottapatty	8,813.00

Total 1,35,313.00
(or)
1,35,300.00
Rs.-----

II. New Works:

1. Raising over 50Ha. Plantation in Periyur hills	50,000.00
2. Construction of Stone wall fencing around plantations	21,000.00
3. Construction of coupling-cum-mazdoor shed.	30,000.00
4. Maintenance of bamboo plot	75,000.00
5. Improvement towards supply in Sithery	5,000.00
6. Improvement of Chitteri Rest House	10,000.00
7. Construction of Kitchen and Store shed and an out house cum Bungalow watchers quarters	40,000.00

Total Rs. 1,63,500.00

iii For Establishment (Abstract)

For Foresters 2 Nos. Rs. 5760/-	Rs. 11,520.00
For Reserve Watcher at Rs. 3492/-	Rs. 3,492.00
For Bungalow watcher at Rs. 3612/-	Rs. 3,612.00
For Junior Assistant at Rs. 4920/-	Rs. 4,920.00
For Tracer at Rs. 4596/-	Rs. 4,596.00

Rs. 28,140.00

TOTAL ABSTRACT

For Works:

1. Spill over works	Rs. 1,35,300.00
2. New proposals.	Rs. 1,63,500.00
	Rs. 2,98,800.00

For Establishment:-

For Forester	Rs. 22,520.00
For Reserve Watcher	Rs. 3,492.00
For Bungalow Watcher.	Rs. 3,612.00
For Junior Assistant	Rs. 4,920.00
For tracer.	Rs. 4,596.00

Rs. 28,140.00

(or)

Rs. 28,500.00

ABSTRACT.

For Works	Rs. 2,98,800.00
For Establishment	Rs. 28,500.00

Grand Total Rs. 3,27,300.00

1981-1982.

PART I. PERIYUR (VATHLAMALAI) HILLS

For Works:

1. Afforestation work in suitable locality with suitable species like, Tamarind, Bamboo, Eucalyptus Hybrid and Sandal Odai etc., over 50 Ha. at Rs. 1000/- per Ha.	Rs. 50,000.00
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ii. Maintenance of 50Ha. 80-81. at Rs. 200/- per Ha.	Rs. 10,000.00
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iii. Construction of stone wall fencing around Tamarind bamboo, Eucalyptus Hybrid and sandal plots in the above area over about 3000MT if found necessary.	21,000.00
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Total Rs. 81,000.00

For Establishment (Continuation)

1. Forester.1.

Pay Rs.400/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 4,800.00
D.A.Rs.40/- per month for 12 months	Rs. 480.00
R.S.I.A.Rs.10/- per month for 12 months	Rs. 120.00
W. A.Rs.5/- per month for 12 months	Rs. 60.00
F.T. A.Rs.25/- per month for 12 months	Rs. 300.00

	Rs. 5,760.00
	(or)
	Rs. 5,800.00

2. Reserve Watcher One(Continuation)

Pay Rs.250/- per month for 12 months	Rs. 3,000.00
D.A.Rs.26/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 312.00
R.S.I.A.Rs.10/-per month for 12 months.	Rs. 120.00
W.A.Rs.5/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 60.00

	Rs. 3,492.00
	(or)
	Rs. 3,500.00

ABSTRACT

For Forester	Rs. 5,800.00
For Reserve Watcher	Rs. 3,500.00

Total	Rs. 9,300.00

LARP.II.SIPHERI HILLS

New Works:-

To provide quarters to the field, staff under this scheme following quarters are very important to abstract during 1981-82.

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1. One Quarters for the Forester of
Bairnaickenpatty Section at
Bairnaickenpatty including cost of land. Rs.50,000.00
2. One combined quarters for one Forest
Guard and one Reserve Watcher at Thumbal
or Suriyakadai including cost of land. Rs.65,000.00

ESTABLISHMENT

Forester(Continuation)

Pay Rs.400/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 4,800.00
D. A.Rs.40/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 480.00
R.S.I.A.Rs.10/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 120.00
W. A.Rs.5/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 60.00
F.T.A.Rs.25/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 300.00

	Rs. 5,760.00
	(or)
	Rs. 5,800.00

II-For Bungalow Watchers(Continuation)

Pay Rs. 250/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 3,000.00
D.A.Rs.26/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 312.00
R.S.I.A.Rs.10/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 120.00
W.A.Rs.15/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 180.00

	Rs. 3,546.00
	(or)
	Rs. 3,550.00

III.Office Works:

Tracer One(Continuation)

	Rs. 3,998.00
Pay Rs. 325/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 3,998.00
D.A.Rs.33/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 396.00
H.R.A.Rs.25/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 300.00

	Rs. 4,596.00

IV.Junior Assistant(Continuation)

Pay Rs.350/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 4,200.00
D.A.Rs.35/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 420.00
H.R.A.Rs.25/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 300.00

	Rs. 4,920.00

III. Construction of Reddihalli Beat Staff Quarters at Mistareddihalli including cost of land. 65,000.00

IV. Construction of stone wall fencing around Tamarind Bamboo, Eucalyptus Hybrid and Sandal plots in the above area over about 3000/- RMT if found necessary. 21,000.00

Total:- 1,46,000.00

For Establishment:-

I. Forester (Continuation):-
Pay Rs. 400/- per month for 12 months. 4,800.00
D.A. Rs. 40/- per month for 12 months. 480.00
R. S.I.A. Rs. 10/- per month for 12 months. 120.00
W.A. Rs. 5/- per month for 12 months. 60.00
F.T.A. Rs. 25/- per month for 12 months. 300.00

5,760.00

(or)

5,800.00

II. Reserve Watcher One (Continuation)

Pay Rs. 250/- per month for 12 months. 3,000.00
D.A. Rs. 26/- per month for 12 months. 312.00
R. S.I.A. Rs. 10/- per month for 12 months. 120.00
W.A. Rs. 5/- per month for 12 months. 60.00

3,492.00

(or)

3,500.00

ABSTRACT.

For forester Rs. 5,800.00
For Reserve Watcher. Rs. 3,500.00
Total. Rs. 9,300.00

ABSTRACT

Forester Rs. 5,800.00
Bungalow Watcher Rs. 3,550.00
Tracer Rs. 4,596.00
Junior Assistant Rs. 4,920.00

Rs. 18,866.00 (or)

Rs. 19,000.00

Total Abstract.

For Works Rs. 1,96,000.00

For Establishment.

For Foresters. Rs. 11,600.00
For Reserve Watcher Rs. 3,500.00
For Bungalow Watcher Rs. 3,550.00
For Tracer Rs. 4,596.00
For Junior Assistant Rs. 4,920.00

Rs. 28,166.00

(or)

Rs. 28,200.00

For Works Rs. 1,96,000.00

For Establishment Rs. 28,166.00

(or)

Rs. 28,200.00

Rs. 2,24,200.00

(or)

Rs. 2,25,000.00

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PROPOSALS FOR 1982-83.

Part. I. Periyur (Wathamalai) Hills.

For Works:

1. Afforestation work in suitable locality. with suitable species like, Tamarind, Bamboo or Eucalyptus Hybrid of Sandal 50,000.00

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ABSTRACT

For Works	Rs. 1,46,000.00
For Establishment	Rs. 9,300.00

	Rs. 1,55,300.00

PART II. FOR WORKS IN SINIERI HILLS

FOR 1982-83-

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Rs. P.

1. Construction of Beat Staff Quarters Kalnadu of Harur Range including cost of land. 65,000.00
2. Construction of Mookkanur Beat Staff Quarters at Kadathur including cost of land. 65,000.00

Total:- 1,30,000.00

For Establishment:

1. Forester One (Continuation)

Pay Rs. 400/- per month for 12 months.	4,800.00
D.A. Rs. 40/- per month for 12 months.	480.00
R. S.I.A. Rs. 10/- per month for 12 months.	120.00
W. A. Rs. 5/- per month for 12 months.	60.00
F.P.A. Rs. 25/- per month for 12 months.	300.00

	5,760.00
	(or)
	5,800.00

II. For Bungalow Watcher (Continuation)

Pay Rs. 250/- per month for 12 months.	3,000.00
D.A. Rs. 26/- per month for 12 months.	312.00
R.S.I.A. Rs. 10/- per month for 12 months.	120.00
W. A. Rs. 15/- per month for 12 months.	180.00

	3,612.00

III. Office Works:

1. Tracer One (Continuation)

Pay Rs. 325/- per month for 12 months.	3,900
D. A. Rs. 33/- per month for 12 months.	396
H.R.A. Rs. 25/- per , month for 12 months.	300

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2-Junior Assistant One (Continuation)

Pay Rs. 350/- per month for 12 months.	4,200.00
D.A. Rs. 35/- per month for 12 months.	420.00
H.R.A. Rs. 25/- per month for 12 months.	300.00

	4,920.00

ABSTRACT.

For Works.	Rs. 1,30,000.00
For Establishment.	Rs. 18,916.00

Total Rs. 1,48,916.00

(or)

Rs. 1,49,000.00

TOTAL ABSTRACT.

For Works Works.	Rs. 2,76,000.00
For Establishment.	Rs. 29,000.00

Grand Total. Rs. 3,05,000.00

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1983-84.

PART II. PERIYUR HILLS

1. For New Works:-

Afforestation work in suitable locality with suitable species like, Tamarind, Bamboo or Eucalyptus Hybrid or Sandal etc., over 50 Ha. at Rs. 1000/- per Ha. 50,000.00

2. Maintenance of older plots 50 Ha. 82-83 Plantations at Rs. 200/- per Ha. 10,000.00

3. Construction of one combined Quarters for one Forest Guard and one Reserve Watcher at Mitareddihalli (Noolahalli Beat Staff) including cost of land.

4. Construction of stone wall fencing around Tamarind or Bamboo or Eucalyptus Hybrid or Sandal etc., in the above area over about 3000/- RMT. 25,000.00

Total 1,69,500.00

(or)

1,70,000.00

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For Establishment:

1-Forests-1-(Continuation).

Pay Rs. 400/- per month for 12 months.	4,800.00
D.A.Rs.40/-per month for 12 months.	480.00
R.S.I.A.Rs.10/- per month for 12 months.	120.00
W.A.Rs.5/- per month for 12 months.	60.00
F.P.A.Rs.25/- for 12 months.	300.00

5,760.00

(or)

5,800.00

2.Reserve Watcher One(Continuation)

Pay Rs. 250/- per month for 12 months.	3,000.00
D. A.Rs.26/Rs per month for 12 months.	312.00
R. S.I.A.Rs.10/- per month for 12 months-	120.00
W.A.Rs.5/- for 12 months.	60.00

3,492.00

(or)

3,500.00

Abstract(Establishment)

For Forests.	Rs.5,800.00
For Reservation	Rs.3,500.00

Total 9,300.00

TOTAL ABSTRACT.

For Works.	Rs.1,70,000.00
For Establishment	Rs. 9,300.00

Grand Total Rs.1,79,300.00

1 ARP.II.SIPHERI HILLS

1. Construction of one combined quarters for Forest Guard and Reserve Watcher at Annapalayan(Harur Range) including cost of land. Rs. 84,500.00

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For Establishment

11 For Forester one (Continuation)

Pay Rs. 400/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 4,800.00
D.A.Rs.40/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 480.00
R.S.I.A.Rs.10/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 120.00
W.A.Rs.5/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 60.00
F.T.A.Rs.25/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 300.00

Rs. 5,760.00

(or)

Rs. 5,800.00

2. For Bungalow Watcher one (Continuation)

Pay Rs. 250/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 3,000.00
D.A.Rs.26/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 312.00
R. S.I.A.Rs.10/-per month for 12 months.	Rs. 120.00
W. A.Rs.15/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 180.00

Rs. 3,612.00

(or)

Rs. 3,600.00

ABSTRACT.

For Works.	Rs.84,500.00
For Establishment	Rs. 9,350.00

Rs.93,850.00

(or)

Rs.94,000.00

General Office Works:

1. Junior Assistant(Continuation)

Pay Rs. 350/-per month for 12 months.	Rs. 4,200.00
D.A.Rs.35/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 420.00
H.R.A.Rs.25/- per month for 12 months.	Rs- 300.00

Rs. 4,920.00

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ii. Tracer One (Continuation)

Pay Rs. 325/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 3,900.00
D. A. Rs. 33/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 396.00
H.R.A. Rs. 25/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 300.00

	Rs. 4,596.00

TOTAL

Junior Assistant	Rs. 4,920.00
Tracer.	Rs. 4,596.00

	Rs. 9,516.00

ABSTRACT.

For Works.	Rs. 2,54,500.00
(Establishment) (Abstract)	
For Foresters 2 Nos. at Rs. 5,800/-	Rs. 11,600.00
For Reserve Watcher Rs. 3,500/-	Rs. 3,500.00
For Bungalow Watcher Rs. 3,612/-	Rs. 3,612.00
For Junior Assistant Rs. 4,920/-	Rs. 4,920.00
For Tracer. Rs. 4,596/-	Rs. 4,596.00

	Rs. 28,228.00
	(or)
	Rs. 28,200.00

TOTAL ABSTRACT.

For Works.	Rs. 2,54,500.00
For Establishment.	Rs. 28,200.00

Grand Total	Rs. 2,82,700.00

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1984-85.

PERIYAR HILLS

New Works:-

1. Afforestation work in suitable locality with suitable species like, Tamarind or Bamboo or Eucalyptus Hybrid or Sandalwood over 50 Ha. Rs. 100/- per Ha.	Rs. 50,000.00

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2. Maintenance of Older plots for 83-84 plantations over 50 Ha. at Rs. 200/- per Ha.	10,000.00
3. Construction of one combined quarters for Forest Guard and Reserve Watcher at Thippireddihally (Dharmapuri Range)	65,000.00
4. Construction of stone wall fencing around the above plots (Tamarind Bamboo) Eucalyptus Hybrid or Sandalwood over 3000 RMT at Rs. 7/- if found necessary	21,000.00

Total:- 1,46,000.00

For Establishment:

1. Forester One (Continuation)

Pay Rs. 400/- per month for 12 months.	4,800.00
D. A. Rs. 40/- per month for 12 months.	480.00
R.S.I. A. Rs. 10/- per month for 12 months.	120.00
W.A. Rs. 5/- per month for 12 months.	60.00
F.T.A. Rs. 25/- per month for 12 months.	300.00

5,760.00

(or)

5,800.00

II. RESERVE WATCHER ONE (CONTINUATION)

Pay Rs. 250/- per month for 12 months.	3,000.00
D. A. Rs. 26/- per month for 12 months.	312.00
R.S.I. A. Rs. 10/- per month for 12 months.	120.00
W. A. Rs. 5/- per month for 12 months.	60.00

3,492.00

(or)

3,500.00

Abstract Establishment:-

For Forester	Rs. 5,800.00
For Reserve Watcher	Rs. 3,500.00

Total Rs. 9,300.00

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ABSTRACT.

For Work.	Rs. 1,46,000.00
For Establishment	Rs. 9,300.00
Grand Total	Rs. 1,55,300.00

PART. II. SIPHERI HILLS

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For Establishment:-

I. For One Forester (Continuation)

Pay Rs. 400/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 4,800.00
D. A. Rs. 40/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 480.00
R. S. I. A. Rs. 10/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 120.00
W. A. Rs. 5/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 60.00
F. T. A. Rs. 25/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 300.00

Rs. 5,760.00

(or)

Rs. 5,800.00

II. Bungalow Watcher (Continuation)

Pay Rs. 250/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 3,000.00
D. A. Rs. 26/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 312.00
R. S. I. A. Rs. 10/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 120.00
W. A. Rs. 15/- per month for 12 months.	Rs. 180.00

Rs. 3,612.00

ABSTRACT.

ESTABLISHMENT

For Forester.	Rs. 5,800.00
For Bungalow Watcher.	Rs. 3,612.00

Rs. 9,412.00

(or)

Rs. 9,500.00

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ABSTRACT.

For Works.

For Establishment.

Rs. 9,500.00

III. GENERAL (OFFICE WORK):

1. Junior Assistant One (Continuation)

Pay Rs. 350/- per month for 12 months. Rs. 4,200.00

D.A. Rs. 35/- per month for 12 months. Rs. 420.00

H.R.A. Rs. 25/- per month for 12 months. Rs. 300.00

Rs. 4,920.00

2. Tracer (Continuation)

Pay Rs. 325/- per month for 12 months. Rs. 3,900.00

D.A. Rs. 33/- per month for 12 months. Rs. 396.00

H.R.A. Rs. 25/- per month for 12 months. Rs. 300.00

Rs. 4,596.00

ABSTRACT.

Junior Assistant

Rs. 4,920.00

Tracer

Rs. 4,596.00

Total

Rs. 9,516.00

TOTAL ABSTRACT.

For Works.

Rs. 1,46,000.00

For Establishment.

Forsters 2 Nos. at Rs. 5,800.00

Rs. 11,600.00

Reserve Watcher 1 at Rs. 3,500/-

Rs. 3,500.00

Bungalow Watcher at Rs. 3,612/-

Rs. 3,612.00

Junior Assistant 1 at Rs. 4,920/-

Rs. 4,920.00

Tracer 1 at Rs. 4,596/-

Rs. 4,596.00

Rs. 28,198.00

(or)

Rs. 28,200.00

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ABSTRACT.

For Works.

Rs. 1,46,000.00

For Establishment

Rs. 28,200.00

Grand Total

Rs. 2,74,200.00

GENERAL ABSTRACT

Year.	Wrks.	Establishment.	Total.
1980-81	2,98,800	28,500	3,27,300
1981-82	1,96,000	28,200	2,24,200
1982-83	2,76,000	29,000	3,05,000
1983-84	2,54,500	28,200	2,82,700
1984-85	1,46,000	28,200	1,74,200
Total: 1-	11,71,300	1,42,100	13,13,400

CHAPTER. XVIII

HOUSING

As already pointed out, housing conditions of Tribal population in the Villages of Sitheri Hills are generally poor. Hence it is proposed to construct houses for tribals in a phased programme. It is proposed to construct houses to 6000. tribal families in the entire district in 10 years at 600 houses per year. As a first step, houses may be constructed for the tribal families in Sitheri Hills. In Adi Dravidar Welfare Department, a sum of Rs. 9000/- per house is allowed for construction of house by THHADCO in hill areas. Allotment may be given at this rate for construction of houses to tribals in Sitheri Hills area.

The work may be taken up in phased programme.

	<u>No. of houses.</u>	<u>Amount.</u>
1980-81	50	4,50,000
1981-82	60	5,40,000
1982-83	70	6,30,000
1983-84	80	7,20,000
1984-85	90	8,10,000
	<u>350</u>	<u>31,50,000</u>

CHAPTER XIX

EDUCATION.

18(1) There are already five residential schools functioning at the following places.

S. Thathampatti.
Naripalli
Suriyakadai
Vachatti
Vazhithottan

18(2) Besides opening more schools in the coming years, residential quarters have to be constructed for the teachers working in the existing school, since the teachers find it difficult to get suitable rented accommodation it is quite necessary to construct quarters for them. The number of teachers now working are as follows:-

S. Thathampatty	2
Suriyakadai	2
Naripalli	2
Vachatti	3
Vazhithottan	2

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18(3) The construction of residential schools has to be taken up in phased programme.

18(4) The financial implications will be as follows for each school.

Recurring grant:-

1. One Secondary Grade teacher-on-Warden Rs.350/- + Special Pay Rs.20/- + D. Rs.26/- + Regional allowance Rs.10/- Rs.406/- X 12)	4,872.00
2. One secondary grade teacher at Rs.350/- + D. Rs.26/- + Regional allowance of Rs.10/- =Rs.386/- X 12. months.	4,632.00
3. One Head cook at (Rs.265/- + D.A. Rs. 20/- Regional Allowance Rs.10/-) Rs.295 X12) months without meals.	3,540.00

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d) One Assistant Cook on Rs.55 X 12 months. (with staff meals)	660.00
e) One servant-cum-Watchman at Rs 250/- D.A. Rs.19/-+Regional allowance of Rs.10/- =Rs.279 X 12 months.	3348.00
f) Bedding at Rs. 30/- for 50 Boarders.	1500.00
g) Feeding charges for 50 boarders at Rs.40 X 5 X 10 months.	20000.00
h) Misc.Charges at Rs.1/- per Boarder per month for 50 boarders for 10 months.	500.00
	39052.00

(or)
Total:- 39100.00

Non-Recurring grant:-

a) Construction of building for the residential school	40,000/-
b) Vessels	2,000/-
c) Furniture	3,000/-

Total Rs- 45,000/-

The year-wise programme will be as follows:-
For the Year 1980-81.

	<u>Recurring.</u>	<u>Non-recurring.</u>
1. Spill over work of 79-80 (Residential school building Vazhaithottam)	--	38,000
2. Starting one Residential School at Pudukottai Saradu.	39,100	45,000
3. Construction of One Teachers' Quarters at S. Phathampatty.	--	30,000
Total.	39,100	1,13,000/-

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For the year 1981-82.

	<u>Recurring</u>	<u>Non-Recur- ring.</u>
1. Starting one Residential school at Nuchikulai	39,100	45,000
2. Construction of two teachers quarters one at Vachatti and the other at Neripalli.	--	60,000
Total:-	39,100	1,05,000/-

For the year 1982-83.

1. Starting one Residential school at Kalazapadi	39,100	45,000
2. Construction of 3 teachers w quarters at one each at Vazhai- thottam, Suriakadai and S. Ma- thampatti.	--	90,000
Total:-	39,100	1,35,000

For the year 1983-84

1. Opening and maintenance of one residential school at Valampatty.	39,100	45,000
2. Construction of 4 teachers Quarters at one each at Nari- palli and Vazhaithottam and two at Vachatti.	--	1,20,000
Total	39,100	1,65,000

For the Year 1984-85.

1. Opening and maintenance of three residential schools at Vathamalai, Chatteri.	78,100	90,000
2. Construction of quarters for 2 teachers for any of the schools (to be opened between 1980-81 to 83-84)	--	60,000
Total	78,100	1,50,000

ANNEXURE I.

GEOGRAPHY DETAILS OF SITHERI HILLS

1. Total area of the District : 9643 Sq. K.m.
2. I.T.D.P. Area : 188 Sq.k.m.
3. Latitude : 11° -45' to 12° 10'
4. Longitude : 78° -15' to 79° 45'
5. Percentage to total area of the District. : 1.95
6. No. of main villages covered in I. T.D.P. : 41
7. No. of village panchayats existing : 7
8. Total population : 18875
9. Percentage of Forest area to total area : 1.66

APPENDIX I

INTEGRATED TRIBAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME - SITHERI HILLS - DHARMAPURI DISTRICT.

Abstract of allotment required for the year from the sixth five year plan (i.e. from 1980-81 to 1984-85).

Sl. No.	Name of the Sector	1980-81		1981-82		1982-83		1983-84		1984-85	
		Recurring	Non-Recurring	Recurring	Non-Recurring	Recurring	Non-Recurring	Recurring	Non-Recurring	Recurring	Non-Recurring
1.	Agriculture	0.33	1.58	0.35	1.92	0.36	2.26	0.38	2.60	0.40	3.10
2.	Soil Conservation	0.21	1.00	0.21	1.40	0.21	1.40	0.21	1.40	0.21	1.40
3.	Irrigation	-	0.70	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4.	Communication	-	141.20	-	90.10	-	77.80	-	86.00	-	31.10
5.	Rural Water Supply	-	3.00	-	1.50	-	3.30	-	1.80	-	1.80
6.	Co-operation	0.07	0.40	0.07	-	0.07	-	0.07	0.07	0.07	-
7.	Electricity	-	4.70	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8.	Medical	-	2.70	0.42	2.00	0.42	-	0.42	-	0.42	-
9.	Village Industries	0.40	1.45	0.40	1.15	0.40	1.15	0.40	1.15	0.40	1.15
10.	Animal Husbandry	0.63	6.45	0.87	2.29	0.95	2.37	1.02	2.45	1.10	2.53
11.	Social Education	0.28	0.05	0.36	0.05	0.48	0.07	0.64	0.10	0.84	0.12
12.	Forestry	0.28	2.99	0.28	1.96	0.29	2.76	0.28	2.55	0.28	1.46
13.	Housing	-	4.50	-	3.46	-	6.30	-	7.20	-	8.10
14.	Education	0.39	1.13	0.39	1.05	0.39	1.35	0.39	1.65	0.78	1.50
TOTAL:		2.59	171.85	3.35	108.82	3.57	98.76	3.81	106.90	4.50	52.26

Total outlay for the Sixth Five Year Plan period .. Re. 556.27 Lakhs.

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ANNEXURE.II.

LAND UTILISATION PATTERN OF DISTRICT.

1. Name of the District. : 964300 Ha.
2. Percentage to total of

Net area sown on	:	43.0
Current fallows	:	4.0
Forests	:	32.9
Cultivable waste	:	1.1
3. Percentage of net area irrigated to net area sown :

For Dt.	12.9.
For Sitheri Hills.	6.77

ANNEXURE.II.A.

(per capita Land Particulars). -

Per Capita Land of Dharmapuri District 0.57. Ha.

Per Capita Land of Sitheri Hills : 0.09 Ha.

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ANNEXURE.III.

(AS PER T.B.M.S)

HOUSE HOLD DETAILS

1. Name of the area : Sitheri Hills
(Dharmapuri District)
2. No. of house holds : 1687
3. No. of Pucca houses owned by tribals : 38
by others : 5
4. No. of house holds.

S. T.	:	1620
S. C.	:	2
Others.	:	65
5. Population

S. T.	:	7884
S. C.	:	10
Others.	:	328
6. Percentage of house holds.

S. T.	:	96.03
S. C.	:	0.12
Others	:	3.85.
7. Size of the tribal hhs. : 4.87

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ANNEXURE IV

INDEBTEDNESS DETAILS.

NAME OF THE AREA : SITHERI HILLS.
(Dharmapuri District)

1. Total No. of tribal households : 1620

2. No. of indebted households:

a) to money lenders : 1143

b) to land lord : 27

c) to traders : 61

Total : 1231

3. Percentage of Indebtedness: 76%

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ANNEXURE V.

MEDICAL FACILITIES.

1. Name of the area : SITHERI HILLS.
(Dharmapuri District)

2. No. of hamlets having medical facilities at diff. distances.

	C-	SC.
0-1 K.M.	-	5
1-2 K.M.	-	-
2-3 K.M.	-	-
3-5 K.M.	-	-
5-10 K.M.	3	41
10-15 K.M.	4	7
15-20 K.M.	-	-
20 & above	58	52
Total	65	65

C-Curative

Sc- Sub-Centre.

ANNEXURE VI.

NUMBER OF LIVESTOCKS.

IN

THIS AREA

IN

SITHERI HILLS

1. Name of the area	: SITHERI HILLS
2. No. of Bullocks	: 4862
3. No. of cows	: 912
4. No. of Buffallows	: 10
5. No. of Goats	: 2338
6. No. of pigs	: 98
7. No. of Hares	: 6354
8. Others	: 3

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ANNEXURE VII

PARTICULARS OF SCHOOL GOING CHILDREN

1. Name of the area : SITHERI HILLS
(Dharmapuri District)

2. No. of Schools : 8

3. No. of children in school going age

0-6 : B 708

6-11 : G **615
B 666
B 622

11-16 : B 513
G 348

4. No. of School going children

0-6 : B 77

6-11 : G 70

6-11 ~~XXXXXX~~ : B 70
G 160

11-16 : B 117
B 61

5. Percentage of tribal children attending school all ages from

0-6 : B 10.88
G 11.38

6-11 : B 24.02
G 18.81

11-16 : B 11.81
G 2.59
0-16 : B 15.79
G 12.37

B-Boys.
G-Girls.



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