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Abstract

India's Scheduled Tribes (STs) are one of the most backward society, due to their socioeconomic backwardness. As per the census of 2011, the Scheduled Tribe population in India was 104.5 million; out of this 8.63% is the total schedule tribe population in India. In Maharashtra there are 10.5 million tribal populations in 2011, and it is 9.35 percent of the total population of the state. In the country, Maharashtra has the second largest tribal population, after only to Madhya Pradesh. There are as many as 47 tribes or tribal groups in Maharashtra. In Maharashtra total Sub-Plan area is 50,757 sq. kms., as against the total Geographical area of 3,07,713 sq. kms. Of the State. For the development and upliftment of tribal society implementation of Tribal Sub-Plan For implementing various schemes. Integrated Tribal Development Projects (ITDPs) were directly concentration of tribal people. This paper is related to only the primary information about TSP. The present research is based upon primary as well as secondary data.

Keywords: Tribal Sub-Plan, Tribal Development Projects, Tribal Schemes

Introduction:

From the past few decades government is trying to develop and uplift the live hood of the tribal people by providing various schemes and facilities to the tribal people. For micro planning and implementation of various schemes Tribal-Sub Plan concept was introduce. The Tribal-Sub Plan is a micro planning concept which is used for channelize the flow of benefits from government of India to development of tribal society in Maharashtra.

The main purpose of Tribal-Sub Plan is, to bridge the gap between other people and tribal people by providing them educational, health, housing and incomes generated opportunities and protect them against exploitation and oppression. The concept of Tribal-Sub Plan was introduced in the fifth five year plan (1974-1979) and it is implemented in 17 states and 2 union territories. After some day's the area of Tribal-Sub Plan were increased at the end of ninth five year plan (2002), 23 states and 2 union territories were covered. Tribal-Sub Plan area included in blocks or tehsils have more than 50% or more tribal population. The process of Tribal-Sub Plan is led by tribal development department of Maharashtra.

Objectives of the study:

1. To understand the Tribal-Sub Plan concept.
2. To study the planning and implementation system of Tribal-Sub Plan.
3. To study the implementation of the Tribal-Sub Plan at different levels, from state to village levels.

Research Methodology:

The present research paper is an attempt of exploratory research; this paper is based on the secondary data sourced from government publications, magazines, articles and media reports, national & international journals, and government departmental reports, publications from various websites which has been published on various aspects.

Population and Tribal-Sub Plan Area:

The Government of Maharashtra has started Integrated Tribal Development Project Offices (I.T.D.P.) in 1975-76. All the schemes and activities of Tribal-Sub Plan run by the project offices. There are 29 project offices in Maharashtra. 50,757 Sq. Kms. areas is the Tribal-Sub Plan area. This is 16.5% of the total geographical area of the state. The comparative data of the state's population and the tribal population of last five decades censuses are as given bellow.

| Year of Census | Total Population of State (lakh) | Total Tribal Population (lakh) | Trible Population Percentage |
|----------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1971 | 504.12 | 38.41 | 7.62 |
| 1981 | 627.84 | 57.72 | 9.19 |
| 1991 | 789.37 | 73.18 | 9.27 |
| 2001 | 968.79 | 85.77 | 8.85 |
| 2011 | 1123.74 | 105.10 | 9.35 |

Source: Annual Tribal Component Schemes -2018-19 Govt. of Maharashtra (Tribal Development Department)

Administration:

The Tribal Development Department was organized in 1992; the department has its own administration structure. The structure of the departmental administration is as follows:



Formulating Procedure of Tribal Sub-Plan:

The formation procedure of Tribal-Sub Plan followed by the planning department of the state. The Tribal Development Department used to allocate plan outlays to different administrative departments. As per the tribal population and their needs the department formulate outlays for TSP. The concerned departments also deciding the programmes and schemes to be taken for TSP. The separate funds allotted for implementation of schemes and programmes. As per the tribal area wise and the local and geographical area wise various planned schemes taken up.

The tribal area project administration, there was no attempt to formulate the schemes without local survey and consultation. Whatever the investment made by the department in the tribal area there were no more change in the poverty and other things as per compare to general population.

The annual outlays of T.S.P. as follows:-

(Rs in crore)

| Year | State plan outlay | Budgetable outlay | % of budgetable outlay | Outlay provided for T.S.P. | % of budgetable outlay of T.S.P. | Expenditure |
|---------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------|
| 2010-11 | 37917.00 | 37917.00 | 100.00 | 3374.35 | 8.90 | 2323.15 |
| 2011-12 | 41000.00 | 41000.00 | 100.00 | 3693.50 | 9.01 | 3106.00 |
| 2012-13 | 45000.00 | 45000.00 | 100.00 | 4005.00 | 8.9 | 3401.00 |
| 2013-14 | 49000.00 | 49000.00 | 100.00 | 4360.48 | 8.9 | 3979.42 |
| 2014-15 | 51222.54 | 51222.54 | 100.00 | 4814.92 | 9.40 | 4090.21 |
| 2015-16 | 54999.00 | 54999.00 | 100.00 | 5170.00 | 9.40 | 4562.55 |
| 2016-17 | 56997.00 | 56997.00 | 100.00 | 5357.71 | 9.40 | 4957.71 |
| 2017-18 | 77184.00 | 77184.00 | 100.00 | 6754.00 | 8.75 | 6162.93 |

Source: Annual Tribal Component Schemes -2018-19 Govt. of Maharashtra (Tribal Development Department)

The break-up of State Level outlays as decided is as follows:-

(Rs. in lakh)

| Sr. No. | Scheme / Program | Outlay for 2018-19 |
|---------------------------------|--|--------------------|
| STATE POOL LEVEL SCHEMES | | |
| 1 | Agricultural and allied Services | 6696.58 |
| 2 | Medium Irrigation | 1522.87 |
| 3 | Irrigational Developmental Corporation | 3477.13 |
| 4 | Industry Development | 1000.00 |
| 5 | Power Development | 71246.00 |
| 6 | Road Development | 30000.03 |
| 7 | Forest Tourism | 200.02 |
| 8 | General Education | 17770.83 |
| 9 | Technical Education/Higher Education | 1000.00 |
| 10 | Health | 2277.28 |
| 11 | Cooperation | 94000.00 |

| | | |
|--------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|
| 12 | Urban Development | 2000.00 |
| 13 | Home -Transport | 400.00 |
| 14 | Rural Development(WCD)/(RDD) | 7700.00 |
| 15 | Skill development | 235.00 |
| 16 | Tribal Development Department | 317542.12 |
| 17 | Social Welfare Department | 18226.00 |
| 18 | Social Welfare (W.&C.D.D) | 799.00 |
| Grand Total | | 576092.86 |

Source: Annual Tribal Component Schemes -2018-19 Govt. of Maharashtra (Tribal Development Department)

The Tribal Development Department has provided various master projects and schemes over the last five years. The schemes are Pradhan mantra Awas Yojana, Public Health, Water supply, Education, etc. as follows:

(Rs in lakh)

| Sr. No. | Projects / Schemes | 2014-15 | 2015-16 | 2016-17 | 2017-18 | 2018-19 |
|---------|-----------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 1 | PradhanMantriAwas Yojana | 18311.81 | 14445.68 | 26166.05 | 28470.00 | 27463.74 |
| 2 | Roads Developments | 66031.53 | 52013.89 | 53126.55 | 45644.00 | 49539.39 |
| 3 | Education | 3641.21 | 7045.43 | 7014.57 | 16883.80 | 19311.93 |
| 4 | Public Health | 27807.26 | 29318.67 | 28185.80 | 26693.01 | 25503.15 |
| 5 | Rural Water Supply | 13002.23 | 7379.62 | 6801.88 | 7570.15 | 7471.49 |
| 6 | PESA | ----- | 25850.00 | 26788.59 | 26788.59 | 26788.59 |
| 7 | Welfare Of Backward Classes (TDD) | 212793.81 | 276603.79 | 281187.76 | 433400.98 | 462279.91 |

Source: Annual Tribal Component Schemes -2018-19 Govt. of Maharashtra (Tribal Development Department)

Monitoring and Review:-

Government of Maharashtra has constituted 29 project offices level implementing committees, through these committees the monitoring and reviews are being done. In every committee there is a tribal member who is a member of legislative Assembly and the member of legislative Assembly will be the chairman of the committee. Other local well known

educated person included in the committee. The additional tribal commissioner is the vice chairman of the committee. The tribal member of the parliament is the special invitee. Some NGO's also the member of committee. Apart from this there is social welfare, women and child welfare committees and the respected zilha parishad are also invitees.

At the time of formation of project level plans these committees are involved in the planning process. The involvement of tribal people and tribal representatives are also involved in formation and implementation of TSP.

Conclusion:

As per the population based TSP can be formulated, and give close attention towards primitive tribal groups in the state. Apart from TSP the separate plan outlay prepare for the development primitive tribal groups. Only the figures are shown large on the record in implementation, but according as per the expenditure there are no expected development of tribal people. Government give more attention for the development of tribal people.

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