

Role Of MGNREGA In Rural Development: With Special Reference To Block Pattan, District Baramulla of J&K.

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Abstract:

This paper examines the rural development by MGNREGA. The author selects eleven villages in block Pattan of district Baramulla. Majority of masses of these Halqa said that the working of MGNREGA has effected on their social life especially on economic development. They said that MGNREGA connects their road connectivity and develop their Drainage system very well. So they are thankful to the administration of MGNREGA.

Key words: MGNREGA, Baramulla

Introduction:

Evolving the design of the wage employment programmes to more effectively fight poverty, the Central Government formulated the National Rural Employment Guarantee Act (MGNREGA) in 2005. With its legal framework and rights-based approach, MGNREGA provides employment to those who demand it and is a paradigm shift from earlier programmes. Notified on September 7, 2005, MGNREGA aims at enhancing livelihood security by providing at least one hundred days of guaranteed wage employment in a financial year to every rural household whose adult members volunteer to do unskilled manual work. The Act covered 200 districts in its first phase, implemented on February 2, 2006, and was extended

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to 130 additional districts in 2007-2008. All the remaining rural areas have been notified with effect from April 1, 2008.

Salient features of the Act:

- **Right based Framework:** For adult members of a rural household willing to do unskilled manual work.
- **Time bound Guarantee:** 15 days for provision of employment, else unemployment Allowance up to 100 days in a financial year per household, depending on the actual demand.
- **Labour Intensive Works:** 60:40 wage and material ratio for permissible works; no contractors/machinery.
- **Decentralized Planning:** Gram Sabhas to recommend works At least 50% of works by Gram Panchayats for execution Principal role of PRIs in planning, monitoring and implementation.
- **Work site facilities:** Crèche, drinking water, first aid and shade provided at worksites.
- **Women empowerment:** At least one-third of beneficiaries should be women.
- **Transparency & Accountability:** Proactive disclosure through Social Audits,
Grievance Redressal Mechanism.

Implementation

Under Sec 3, States are responsible for providing work in accordance with the Scheme. Under Sec 4, every state government is required to make a scheme for providing not less than 100 days of guaranteed employment in a financial year, to those who demand work.

Funding

Central Government -100% of wages for unskilled manual work, 75% of material cost of the schemes including payment of wages to skilled and semiskilled workers.

State Government- 25% of material including payment of wages to skilled and semi- skilled workers cost. 100% of unemployment allowance by state government.

Research methodology:

Both primary and secondary sources of material has been used in the collection of data on MGNREGA in general in the district Baramulla for an in-depth study in block Pattan has been selected out of twelve(12) blocks of district Baramulla. Thus the study was confined in eleven (11) Halqa Panchayat i.e., Andergam, Buran Zangam, Chanderseer, Dangerpora, Goshbugh, Lolipora, Nillah Palpora, Takya Tapper, Tilgam, Wanigam Payeen, and Wussan.

Development in Block Pattan:

LIST OF WORKS TAKEN UP UNDER MGNREGA FOR THE YEAR 2015-16
BLOCK PATTAN

Table no: 1

Panchayat Halqa Andergam							
Name of the work	ward	Connectivity	Estimated Cost	Wage	Mtrl	Total Expenditure	Final Status
R. M.	A	Road from Saif ud din Malik to Railway Track	1.42	0.989	0.408	1.397	WD
R. M.	B	Road from	0.6	0.337	0.262	0.599	WD

		Numbal Buth to Nalla Balkhul					
R. M.	C	Road from Syed Wali Mohd to High School	0.60	0.2	0.4	0.6	WD
R. M.	D	Inner Links at Idd Ghah Mohalla	0.68	0.51	0.17	0.68	WD
Total			3.30	2.036	1.24	3.276	

Andergam Halqa is the part of block Pattan. It consists of four Panchayat wards. The total estimated cost for road connectivity was three lakh thirty thousand rupees and expenditure cost was three lakh twenty seven thousand rupees only. Three thousand rupees were lapsed.

Table no: 2

Panchayat Halqa Buran Zangam							
Name of the work	ward	Connectivity	Estimated Cost	Wage	Mtrl	Total Expenditure	Final Status
R. M.	A	road from Trikoulbal to Tang at Rather Mohalla Buran	1.00	0.51	0.458	0.968	WD
R. M.	B	Inner Links from H/O; Ahad Ganiee, Assad Ganiee, Akbar Ganiee at Ganieepora	0.60	0.418	0.18	0.594	WD
R. M.	C	Inner Links from Gh Mohi ud din	0.60	0.353	0.00	0.599	WD

		to Raamzan Lone at Zangam					
R. M.	D	Links from Mohd Ramzan. Ab. Hamid, Ab. Rashid & Others Buran Zangam B	0.60	0.407	0.18	0.586	WD
Total			2.80	1.688	0.813	2.740	

Buran Zangam Halqa is the part of block Pattan. It consists of four Panchayat wards. The total estimated cost for road connectivity was two lakh eighty thousand rupees and expenditure cost was two lakh seventyfour thousand rupees only. Six thousand rupees were lapsed.

Table no: 3

Panchayat Halqa Chanderseer							
Name of the work	ward	Connectivity	Estimated Cost	Wage	Mtrl	Total Expenditure	Final Status
R. M.	A	road from Teeli Tankay tp Khadam Bridge at Chanderseer	0.50	0.274	0.22	0.499	WD
R. M.	B	road from mobile tower to L/o Khazir Mohd Hajam at Dardpora	1.50	0.365	0.08	0.445	WD
Total			2.00	0.639	0.30	0.944	

Chanderseer Halqa is the part of block Pattan. It consists of two Panchayat wards. The total estimated cost for road connectivity was two lakh rupees and expenditure cost was ninety four thousand rupees only. One lakh six thousand rupees were lapsed.

Table no: 4

Panchayat Halqa Dangerpora							
Name of the work	ward	Connectivity	Estimated Cost	Wage	Mtrl	Total Expenditure	Final Status
R. M.	A	Drain from Manzwani to Khan at Warpora Guwa	0.50	0	0	0	Drop
R. M.	B	road from Reshi Nagh to Arra at Guwa	0.50	0.279	0.015	0.015	WD
Total			1.00	0.279	0.015	0.015	

Dangerpora Halqa is the part of block Pattan. It consists of two Panchayat wards. The total estimated cost for road connectivity was one lakh rupees and expenditure cost was fifteen thousand rupees only. Eighty five thousand rupees were lapsed.

Table no: 5

Panchayat Halqa Goshbugh							
Name of the work	ward	Connectivity	Estimated Cost	Wage	Mtrl	Total Expenditure	Final Status
R. M.	A	road from L/O; Sonaullah Parray to Higher Secondary at Goshbugh	0.60	0.422	0.178	0.60	WD
Total			0.60	0.422	0.178	0.60	

Goshbugh Halqa is the part of block Pattan. It consists of one Panchayat wards. The total estimated cost for road connectivity was sixty thousand rupees and expenditure cost was sixty thousand rupees only. No amount was lapsed.

Table no: 6

Panchayat Halqa Lolipora							
Name of the work	ward	Connectivity	Estimated Cost	Wage	Mtrl	Total Expenditure	Final Status
R. M.	A	road from H/O; Ab. Majeed Hurra to Naid Buth at Loolipora	1.50	0.659	0.841	1.5	WD
R.M.	B	Inner Links at Mir Mohalla Loolipora Ph I	0.60	0.229	0.2	0.429	WD
R.M.	C	road BWO Solling from Ab. Gani Wani to L/O; Ab. Khaliq Wani at Loolipora	1.00	0.425	0.57	0.995	WD
R.M.	D	road from main road to H/O; Mohd Yousf Wani at Loolipora	0.60	0.13	0.36	0.49	WD
Total			3.70	1.44	1.97	3.414	

Lolipora Halqa is the part of block Pattan. It consists of four Panchayat wards. The total estimated cost for road connectivity was three lakh seventy thousand rupees and expenditure cost was three lakh forty four thousand rupees only. Thirty thousand rupees amount were lapsed.

Table no: 7

Panchayat Halqa Nillah Palpora							
Name of the work	Ward	Connectivity	Estimated Cost	Wage	Mtrl	Total Expenditure	Final Status
R. M.	A	Link road from Mohd Ashraf Yatoo to Wali Mohd Shikari onwards New Colony Palpora	0.60	0.389	0.21	0.599	WD
Total			0.60	0.389	0.21	0.599	

Nillah Palpora Halqa is the part of block Pattan. It consists of one Panchayat wards. The total estimated cost for road connectivity was seventy nine thousand rupees and expenditure cost was sixty thousand rupees only. No amount was lapsed.

Table no: 8

Panchayat Halqa Takya Tapper							
Name of the work	Ward	Connectivity	Estimated Cost	Wage	Mtrl	Total Expenditure	Final Status
R. M.	A	Inner Links at Pamposh Colony Takya Tapper	1.01	0.066	0.269	0.966	WD
R. M.	B	Path from H/O; Zahoor Ahmad Wani to Javid Ahmad Wani at Tapper Pyn	0.60	0.262	0.33	0.599	WD
R. M.	C	road from NHW to Bustyampora at Takya Tapper	3.53	2.388	1.131	3.519	WD

		Ph II					
Total			5.14	2.716	1.73	5.084	

Takya Tapper Halqa is the part of block Pattan. It consists of three Panchayat wards. The total estimated cost for road connectivity was five lakh fourteen thousand rupees and expenditure cost was five lakh rupees only. Fourteen thousand rupees amount were lapsed.

Table no: 9

Panchayat Halqa Tilgam							
Name of the work	Ward	Connectivity	Estimated Cost	Wage	Mtrl	Total Expenditure	Final Status
R. M.	A	road BWO earth cutting from Mujgund to Khargam with 2 No culverts	2.00	0.564	0.431	1.904	WD
R.M.	B	road from Lone Masjid to Chopan Mohalla at Tilgam B	1.00	0.326	0.093	0.895	WD
R.M.	C	road with R Wall from Buss stand to H/O; Ali Mohd Rather at Tilgam B	1.50	0.461	0.408	1.499	WD
Total			4.40	1.351	0.932	4.298	

Tilgam Halqa is the part of block Pattan. It consists of three Panchayat wards. The total estimated cost for road connectivity was four lakh forty

thousand rupees and expenditure cost was four lakh twenty nine thousand rupees only. Eleven thousand rupees amount were lapsed.

Table no:10

Panchayat Halqa Wanigam Payeen							
Name of the work	Ward	Connectivity	Estimated Cost	Wage	Mtrl	Total Expenditure	Final Status
R. M.	A	Imp. Of Inner Links at Khambyar Ph I	0.60	0.43	0.17	0.6	WD
R.M.	B	Imp. Of Inner Links at Khambyar Ph II	0.60	0.46	0.14	0.6	WD
Total			1.20	0.89	0.31	1.20	

Wanigam Payeen Halqa is the part of block Pattan. It consists of two Panchayat wards. The total estimated cost for road connectivity was one lakh twenty thousand rupees and expenditure cost was one lakh twenty thousand rupees only. No amount was lapsed.

Table no: 11

Panchayat Halqa Wussan							
Name of the work	Ward	Connectivity	Estimated Cost	Wage	Mtrl	Total Expenditure	Final Status
R. M.	A	road from Main road to H/O; Ab. Rashid Bhat at Aglar	2.00	0.897	1.099	1.996	WD
R.M.	B	Road from main Road to Khazir Mohd Wani at Aglar	1.00	0.571	0.429	1.00	WD

R.M.	C	Imp. Of innerlinks Road at Noor Bagh New Colony	1.00	0.559	0.313	0.872	WD
Total			4.00	2.027	1.841	3.868	

Wussan Halqa is the part of block Pattan. It consists of three Panchayat wards. The total estimated cost for road connectivity was four lakh rupees and expenditure cost was three lakh eighty six thousand rupees only. Fourteen thousand rupees amount were lapsed.

Conclusion:

The study concludes that, there has been significant increase in the level of road making and drainage maintenance provided under this programme from its implementation in this district Baramulla till now. As far as works breakup is concerned rural connectivity like road and drainage making have been given priority in terms of their order in year 2015-16. The people are satisfied with the working of MGNREGA on the road and drainage making in their villages. So as per the working of the MGNREGA it has been uplifted the life style of the people in the rural India.

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