

National Convention on Social Security for Unorganized Workers

MINUTES OF THE MEETING

Meeting of local committee was held at Ram Gopal Maheshwari Hall, Hindi Mor Bhavan, Sitabuldi, Nagpur on 8.10.2006 at 3 p.m. The following issues were discussed and the decisions taken.

In this meeting the Executive Director of CEC, New Delhi Mr. J. John and Shri. Shubash Bhatnagar for NCC-USW were especially present. Other following members were present -

- Shri. R.K. Malviya- Chief Functionary , NIWCYD, NAGPUR
- Ms. Swati Zade- YUVA, Nagpur
- Shri. S.M. Bhonsle- Social Activists
- Shri. Parag Sunkar- NAFRE, Nagpur
- Shri. Deepak Valde- IYSW
- Shri. Shashikant V. Dange- NFFPFW
- Mr. Mecanzy- YUYA, Mumbai
- Shri. Mohan Kothekar- SOI
- Ms. Kavita Dhabhare- Flight India, Nagpur
- Shri. Kannake– Adivasi Vikas Parishad, Nagpur
- Shri. Vilas Shende– Mure Memorial Hospital, Nagpur
- Shri. Gadre- Anganwadi Worker Union
- Shri. Santosh Khovare – NIWCYD, PACS Wing
- Shri. Vijay Chinchkhede- VMBM, Nagpur

Shri. R.K. Malviya opened discussion with formal introduction of guests from New Delhi. Later the self introduction was done by participants. Purpose of the meeting and

issues were briefed by R.K. Malviya and the preparation regarding logistics and convention preparations were put up.

1. Accommodation for 425 occupants was done near the convention hall. This arrangement of hotel accommodation and boarding place was jointly visited by J. John and Shubhas Bhatanagar with R.K. Malviya and Shubhas Bhosle before lunch.
2. They were satisfied and also gave some suggestions regarding accommodation of three persons in double occupancy rooms in case of emergency.
3. The group visited conference venue and saw arrangements for convention and group meetings.
4. The dinning hall and other arrangement were also visited and accepted.

After the narration by R.K. Malviya, J. John and Bhatanagar highlighted the theme of convention and expectations. They have also suggested formation of local committees for management and other arrangements.

The logistic committee was formed with following members -

- Shri. Parag Sunkar
- Shri. Kothekar
- Shri. U.S. Kannake
- Shri. Shubhash Bhonsle.
- Ms. Kavita Dhambhare
- Mr. Gadre

It was decided to meet on 10th October 2006 at 5.30 pm. at Tidke Vidyalaya and finalize the committees on food and catering, transport, publicity and media, etc. R.K. Malviya will attend this meeting as local coordinator.

The local reception committee and local standing committee has been formed with following members :

- Shri. R.K. Malviya- NIWCYD, Nagpur
- Shri. Parag Sunkar- NAFRE, Nagpur
- Ms. Bharti Azad– Yuva, Nagpur
- Shri. S.M. Bhonsle – Social Activists
- Shri. Deepak Valde- IYSW
- Shri. Vilas Shende – Mure Memorial Hospital, Nagpur
- Shri. Mohan Kothekar- SOI
- Ms. Kavita Dhabhare- Flight India, Nagpur
- Shri. Kannake– Adivasi Vikas Parishad, Nagpur
- Shri. Gadre- Anganwadi Worker Union.

More members will be co-opted in the next meeting.

Discussion was held regarding formation of other committees. The members unanimously suggested that, for this meeting will be held on 16th October 2006 at More Bhavan at 3 p.m.. The committees will be formed and responsibilities will be assigned to team leaders. Volunteers will also be selected.

Organizing committee : Venue cleanliness, hall arrangement, accommodations, catering arrangement, distribution of kits, culture programme arrangement, banner, poster display in city etc.

Secretariate arrangement : The secretariat for co-ordination has been is at National Institute of Women, Child and Youth Development, Plot No. 14, Layout No. 4, Jaiprakash Nagar, Nagpur 440 025. Shri. R.K. Malviya said during the period of convention the secretarial will be shifted to the convention hall.

It is also suggested that local group will do following work -

- Contacting five resource persons to invite them and ensure their participation in the interaction sessions.
- Constitute report committee for three days reporting in English and Hindi.

- The Nagpur group will also try to prepare a paper on issue and status of unorganized sector in Maharashtra, MP and Chhattisgarh.
- It is also decided the Nagpur groups will take responsibility of Press conference on Oct. 25th evening about convention. The press release will be prepared by CEC, New Delhi.
- One tribal culture programme will be organized from Baiga tribal culture group Dist. Dindori, MP – NIWCYD has taken the responsibility of this programme.
- One cultural programme of street play should be arranged.
- Films on unorganized sector should be shown.

In the next meeting, the committee will finalize the list of local NGOs and individuals and send invitation.

The meeting ended at 5.45 pm after thanking all members.

R.K. Malviya