Minutes of the meeting of the Expert Committee held on 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept, 2017 in National School of Drama, New Delhi under the Scheme of Building Grants, including Studio Theatres.

A meeting of the Expert Committee under the Scheme of Building Grants including Studio Theatre was held under the Chairpersonship of Ms. Sujata Prasad, Additional Secretary, Ministry of Culture during 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept. 2017 at National School of Drama, New Delhi to consider proposals received from various organizations for financial assistance under the Scheme. The list of expert members present in the meeting is as Annexure.

- 2. At the outset Chairperson welcomed all the members of the committee and briefed them about the salient features of various provisions of the Building Grant Scheme under which the proposals included in the agenda were required to be examined by the Expert Committee members. The Chairman emphasized to examine the proposals scrupulously in terms of the guidelines of the Scheme.
- 3. The expert Committee considered and examined each proposal individually before taking a decision and recommended the following 39 proposals for financial assistance under the scheme:-

SI. No.	Name of the Organization	Subject of Proposed Project	Estimated project cost indicated by applicant organisation	Amount of Assistance sought by the Applicant Organization	Grant-in-aid recommend ed by the Expert Committee	Expert Committee's remarks
ARU	INACHAL PRADES	SH				
1.	BUI Welfare Society, Daporijo, Upper Subansiri, Arunanchal Pradesh- 791122	Equipment Grant	₹40,00,000/-	₹24,00,000/-	₹24,00,000/-	The committee approved the estimated cost of Rs.40 lakh and grant sanctioned 60% of the estimated cost.
2.	Abotani Ashram Welfare Association, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh	Construction of Building & Equipment Grant	₹80,00,000/-	₹25,00,000/-	₹25,00,000/-	-
ASS	AM					
3.	Vivekananda Kendra Institute of Culture Riverside Uzanbazar, M.G. Road, Guwahati Assam 781001	Renovation & reinforcemen t of Building including Studio Theatre	₹61,87,200/-	₹55,68,480/-	₹18,00,000/-	The Committee approves the project having good evidence of their work.



SI.	Name of the	Subject of		<b>-</b>	Grant-in-aid	Expert
No.		Proposed Project	Estimated project cost indicated by applicant organisation	Amount of Assistance sought by the Applicant Organization	recommend ed by the Expert Committee	Committee's remarks
4.	Barak Valley Welfare Development Society , Ram Krishna Mission Road, Silchar, Cachar, Assam -788007	New Construction of Building Studio Theatre	₹33,15,000/-	₹29,83,500/-	₹19,80,000/-	The Committee approved ₹19.80 lakhs for the Building grant, but they have to give their Cultural evidence.
DEL						
5.	Taori Trust, 261B, DDA Flats, Jhilmil Colony, Shahdara, Delhi	Construction Building & Equipment Grant	₹1,04,61,625/-	₹73,91,625/-	₹12,50,000/-	The Committee approved the equipment grant subject to provide the evidence of Cultural activities like card, brochure, photos of the activities.
6.	Sawuthan, M-1, Ashoka Apartment, Ranjit Nagar, Commercial Complex, Delhi- 110008	Equipment Grant	₹8,58,200/-	₹5,14,920/-	₹2,50,000/-	The committee approved and are satisfied with the papers or documents.
HAR	YANA					
7.	Brilliant Education Trust. H.No.90, Shastri Colony, Yamunanagar, Haryana	New Construction of Building Studio Theatre	₹64,40,500/-	₹25,00,000/-	₹25,00,000/-	The Committee satisfied with the proposal and documents furnished.
8.	Shri Kanshi Ram Welfare,851, Sec 9, Karnal, Haryana	New Construction of Building Studio Theatre	-{65,00,000/-	₹30,00,000/-	₹25,00,000/-	The Committee approved ₹50.00 Lakh as project cost and grant sanctioned 60% of the total cost which is maximum ₹25.00 lakh.



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9.	People Welfare Educational Trust,Village- Gorgarh, Tehsil- Indri, Karnal, Haryana	New Construction of Building Studio Theatre	₹66,15,000/-	₹25,00,000/-	₹25,00,000/-	The Committee approved ₹50.00 Lakh as project cost and grant sanctioned ₹25.00 lakh subject to the conditions that Ground Floor hall height to be kept 14" minimum and the hall and premises will be specifically used for Cultural Purpose.
	ACHAL PRADESH					
10.	Dev Bhumy Educational Trust, Sec-70, Mohali, Himachal Pradesh	Equipment Grant	₹42,93,400/-	₹25,00,000/-	₹22,00,000/-	The Committee approved and sanctioned ₹22.00 lakh and satisfied with the work.
11.	Maa Saraswati Educational Trust, Kala Amb, distt- Sirmour, Himachal Pradesh	New Construction of Building Studio Theatre	₹70,00,000/-	₹25,00,000/-	₹25,00,000/-	The basic cost of the construction approved is ₹55.00 lakh. 60% or maximum ₹25.00 lakh sanctioned, subject to the condition that building would be specifically used for cultural purpose.
	NATAKA					1.0
12.	Sharada Stree Samaja Trust, Chamarajpet, Bangalore, Karnataka	Construction of Centenary Building	₹5,00,00,000/-	₹50,00,000/-	₹22,50,000/-	-



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13.	Karnataka Sahitya Sangh, Bidar, Karnataka- 585401	Renovation/U pgradation/ modernisation /extension of building.		₹36,00,000/-	₹25,00,000/-	Committee approved the project.
14.	Reliance Education Society, Talikot, q.Muddabihai, Distt. Bijapur, Karnataka- 586214	Construction of Theatre or Auditorium for school	₹1,00,00,000/-	Maximum	₹10,00,000/-	-
15.	VRC Academy of Music & Dance, Sinasandra, Begur Hobli, Karnataka- 560068	Equipment Grant	₹34,54,350/-	₹33,00,000/-	₹20,00,000/-	The Committee feels that the group is good, active in the field of performing arts therefore recommends ₹20.00 lakh.
16.	Kailasa Kaladhara Cultural and Charitable Trust, East End Bangalore, Karnataka	Equipment Grant	₹27,22,725/-	₹26,00,000/-	₹6,00,000/-	The committee feels that the group is good, active training institute working in the field of performing arts therefore recommends ₹6.00 Lakh.
MAN	IPUR					
17.	The Foundation for Rural Area Development Association (FRDA), Senapatt, Manipur-795002	Construction of Cultural Hall.	₹46,94,708/-	₹24,99,932/-	₹25,00,000/-	The Committee feels that the organization has to ensure that construction work has to be carried out as per the submitted plans. On that basis, it can be sanctioned as per budgetary provisions. Organisation has also to submit evidences of cultural activities.

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18.	Manipuri Theatre Academy, Wangoi Bazaar, Imphal West, Manipur-795009	Equipment Grant	₹53,36,507/-	MAXIMUM	₹3,50,000/-	The Committee approved 2014 equipment grant file.
19.	Phojng Awang Chaning Lairembi Association, Imphal West Distt. Manipur- 795001	Construction of Cultural Hall.	₹46,80,708/-	₹24,92,923/-	₹24,00,000/-	The Committee approved ₹40.00 lakh as project cost and amount sanctioned 60% of ₹40.00 Lakh subject to organisation will provide: (i) Detailed estimates of electrical and plumbing. (ii) Additional evidence of Cultural Activity.
20.	The Integrated Cultural Society, Champanagar Village, Jiribam, Imphal, Manipur-795001	New Construction of Building & Studio Theatre.	₹41,91,504.43/-	₹25,00,000/-	₹24,00,000/-	The committee approved project cost as₹40.00 lakh and grant sanctioned 60% of project cost.
21.	Regional Centre for Cultural Heritage, Yairipok Bamon Leikai, P.O. & P.S. Yairipok, Thoubai Distt., Manipur-795149.	Construction of Hall with Auditorium for training and rehersal.	₹51,78,460/-	₹31,07,076/-	₹15,75,000/-	-
22.	Meetei Traditional Dance Teaching School & Performing Centre, Lalmbug Makhong Takhellambam Lweikai, RIMS Road, Imphal, Manipur – 795001.	Equipment Grant	₹4,95,000/-	₹3,71,250/-	₹1,75,000/-	. <b>-</b>

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23.	Thoubal District Art and Culture Development Association, Wabagai, P.O Kakching, Thoubal Manipur 795103,	Equipment Grant	₹9,40,000/-	₹4,70,000/-	₹2,50,000/-	-
24.	Kanglei Sheishaklon Shindamshang (KSS), Palace Comppund, Mahaballi, Mamang, Imphal East, Manipur, 795001	Equipment Grant	₹10,33,100/-	₹5,16,550/-	₹2,00,000/-	-
25.	Fulling Cultural Organisation, Keishamthong Kabui, Po- Imphal, Manipur - 795001,	Equipment Grant	₹8,94,500/-	₹4,47,250/-	₹2,00,000/-	-
26.	NT Theatre , Keishamthong Laishom Leirak, Imphal, Manipur – 795001	Equipment Grant	₹47,34,000/-	75% of Total estimated Budget	₹18,00,000/-	Good group working in the field of performing arts so committee recommends ₹18 Lakhs.
27.	Guru Sanaton Apunba Hari Sankritana Neinashang, Sagolband Mabudhou Mantri Leikai, Imphal, Manipur - 795001	Equipment Grant	₹9,21,500/-	₹4,60,750/-	₹4,00,000/-	The organization is well activated in the field of performing arts therefore the committee recommends the grant of Rs.4 Lakhs.
28.	North-East Cultural Forum, Langol Ningthou Leikai Imphal, Manipur – 795004.	Construction of Building	₹89,19,464/-	Not Mentioned	₹20,00,000/-	The committee feels they are doing good work, should be supported.



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29.	The Grace Cottage Cultural and Educational Development Foundation, Kakching Makha Leikai Lauyai Lambi, Manipur - 795103	Construction of Building	₹1,01,92,406/-	Not Mentioned	₹25,00,000/-	The committee approves, this organization has good work and proper paper work, should be supported.
30.	Tribal Art and Culture Development Organisation, Laijang Village Churachandpur, Dist Imphal, Manipur	Equipment Grant	₹10,39,800/-	₹5,19,900/-	₹4,00,000/-	Good group working in the field of performing arts, therefore the committee recommends Rs.4 Lakhs for the project.
	IARASHTRA					
32.	Sant Dnaneshwar Sarvajanik Vachnalaya, At+Po- Gugdal, Tq: Ahemedpur, Dist.: Latur, Maharashtra, 413515. Shikshan Sahakar Maharshi Bhagwanrao Nagargoje Bahuudheshiya Shikshan Prasarak Mandal,	Equipment Grant  Equipment Grant	₹9,10,468/- ₹8,86,916/-	₹5,46,281/-	₹4,00,000/-	Group working in rural area for promotion of performing arts therefore committee recommends Rs.3 lakhs for the project.  The organization is well activated in the field of performing arts therefore the committee recommended s the grant of
	At+Po- Hagdal, Ahemedpur, Dist. Latur, Maharashtra – 413515.					Rs.4 Lakhs.
ODIS	HA					
33.	Sadhana At- Achyutapur, Po- Garhrupas, Dist- Puri, Odisha 752110	Equipment Grant	₹3,70,000/-	₹1,26,117/-	₹2,50,000/-	The amount can be sanctioned on furnishing the proof of activities like, Brochures, invitation card or photographs and press clippings.

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34.	Mirabai Kalabikash Kendra AT - Tolankabereni, PO - Balibo, PS : Bhuban, Dist : Dhenkanal, Odisha 759017	New Construction of Purchase of built-up space & Equipment	₹47,64,300/-	95% of Estimated Cost	₹25,00,000/-	The committee feels that if the organization can bear the matching share of 40 %, then the project can be supported within budgetary provisions.
PON	DICHERRY					
35.	Adishakti Laboratory for Theatre Art Research Adwaitam, 8 Appavou Nagar, Vazhakulam, Pondicherry 605012	Renovation and Equipment Grant	₹23,25,000/-	₹23,25,000/-	₹13,95,000/-	The committee stands on the previous comments. If the organization can bear the matching share amount, then MoC is willing to support the projects.
36.	Thalai-K-Kol, 2 first Street, Laxmi Nagar Lawspet, Pondicherry, 6005008,	Equipment Grant	₹23,79,000/-	₹11,89,500/-	₹10,00,000/-	Group is very active in the field of performing arts, therefore the committee recommends Rs.10 Lakhs for the project.
WES	T BENGAL					
37.	Rangakarmee, 200, Prince Anwar Shah Road, Kolkata, West Bengal- 700045	Construction of Studio Theatre	₹49,91,328.50/-	-∕000'00'≨	₹21,00,000/-	The committee feels that the total estimate of Rs.49 lakhs is on higher side and the submitted estimate has several unexplained areas. The cost can be taken as Rs.35 lakhs whose matching share will have to be borne by the organization.



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38.	Madol - Indian Tribal Art & Cultural Society, 79/4B, A.J.C. Bose Road, Kolkata, West Bengal - 700014	Equipment Grant	₹28,59,466/-	₹24,50,000/-	₹15,00,000/-	Good Group. Active the field of Performing Art, therefore committee recommend Rs.15 Lakhs.
39.	Shohan, 7A, Telipara Lane, Kolkata, West Bengal - 700004,	Equipment Grant	₹14,99,633/-	₹7,40,000/-	₹7,40,000/-	Good work, very good group working in the field of performing arts so committee recommended 7 Lakhs 40 thousand.

4. The Expert Committee also considered the remaining 40 proposals and felt that they were devoid of merit and hence did not recommend them for grant of financial assistance:-

SI. No.	Name of the Organization	Subject of Proposed Project	Expert Committee's remarks
1.	Dakshin Dinajpur Deshbandhu Rural Development Society Vill- Tapan, Po+Ps- Tapan. Dist- Dakshin Dinajpur West Bengal-733127	New construction of purchase of a built up space	The committee retains its earlier view. However, if the organization furnishes requisite documents, the case may be reviewed in future meeting. (Previous comments) The group is not a cultural body, it does lots of social work in its last three years. It has not done any cultural activities. Project is not very well explained and not submitted drawings of the project. Therefore the committee feels that the proposal should not be considered under the present scheme.
2.	Gramin Mahila Bahhudeshiya Sevabhavi Sanstha, Undri C/o- Sau. Rajabhai S. Dhanage, Undri, Tq Mukhed, dist- Nanded Maharashtra	New construction of multipurpose cultural Hall	The committee retains its earlier view. However, if the organization furnishes requisite documents, the case may be reviewed in future meeting. (Previous comments) The organisation is not a cultural organisation. They have not submitted any cultural evidence to prove its credibility in culture. Therefore the committee has rejected the file.
3.	People's Socio-Cultural Organisatin (PESCO) Ningomthong Nongmeikapam Leirak, P.O. Singjamei, Imphal East Manipur	Equipment Grant	The committee retains its views. However if the organization furnishes requisite documents, the case may be reviewed in future meeting.  (Previous comments)  Cultural Profile is too weak.

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SI. No.	Name of the Organization	Subject of Proposed Project	Expert Committee's remarks
4.	Sahitya Seva Samiti H/o- Kakching Chumnangpat, Thoubal Manipur	Equipment Grant	The committee retains its views. However if the organization furnishes requisite documents, the case may be reviewed in future meeting.
5.	Vindhya Vashini Memorial Foundation Shahtoli, Danapur, Patna Bihar	Equipment Grant	The committee feels that there is no evidence of cultural activities which include performance seminar etc.
6.	Vishal Kala Niketan Vill+Po- Bheldi Bazar, Dist- Saran Bihar	Equipment Grant	Committee holds decision of earlier meeting. Drawing incorporating. Committee observations to be resubmitted.  (Previous comments) As far as the name is concerned it seems to be a cultural body but its main emphasis is on rural development and their empowerment. There are hardly cultural activities they are doing. They have asked for aid of Rs.2.50 lacs for purchase of equipment but the equipment list is attached is very vague and without match of understanding. They have no idea of prices of equipments and also thereby the committee feels that the project should be outright rejected.
7.	Mirror Plot No432/2993, Ganesh Mandap Chhak, Jharpada, Bhubaneshwarm Dis- Khurda Orissa	Equipment Grant	The present committee stand for its previous comments. The organization has to give proof of their activities in a proper way. (Previous Remarks) It is related to a new group not very well known. It has some theatrical activities and they have got salary grant this year only. The committee feels that it is very early for them to ask for equipment grant and does not deserve assistance from Ministry.
8.	Karmakshetra Educational Foundation C/o Darpana Academy of Performing Arts Usmanpura Ahemdabad Gujarat-380013	Building Grant	The committee feels that if organization can produce detailed plan and BOQ, the project can be supported within budgetary provisions.
9.	Bhartiya Jan Jagriti Seva Trust Vill+Po- Boarijor, Dist- Godda Jharkhand-814133	Equipment Grant	Previous view of committee holds (Previous Remarks) The committee found the file virtually the same BR(BG)46 and have been done by the same CA (NDSKA & Associate, Chartered Accountants) and equipments list are also virtually the same. Thereby theses are needs to be black-listed. The committee rejects the file.



SI. No.	Name of the Organization	Subject of Proposed Project	Expert Committee's remarks
10.	Shri Chakradhar Kathak Kalyan Kendra Jamat Para, Nr. Bank of India, Rajnandgaon Chhattisgarh-494441	Building Grant	Not recommended by committee. Previous view of committee holds. (Previous Comments) The organization has submitted the project for a new construction. The total estimated cost is Rs.1,34,76,000/- and they are asking for the assistance of Rs. 80,85,600/  As per the scheme, the maximum amount of assistance can be Rs. 25,00,000/-, Therefore the committee has suggested to rework on the entire project along with the matching share part of the organization
11.	Acts' Ministries, Acts' Mission Centre At : Saldanga, PO: Singai Jomuna, PS : Keshiary, Dist : Paschim Medinipur West Bengal-721133	Building & Equipment Grant	If the organization can work on the plans ability of the performance space and re-submit, then the case may be reviewed. Otherwise committee retains earlier view.
12.	Ashirwad Rangmandal, Kaliasthan Chowk, Near Rotary Blood Bank, Begusarai, Bihar, 851101	Equipment Grant	The organization should resubmit accurate details of the equipments, so that the case may be reviewed otherwise previews view holds. (Previous comments) The group is a cultural functioning body. The group has asked for grant for lighting equipment and generator. There are not details of equipment brands and proper prices. The list is totally vague somewhere makes out of the total amount. Lack of details, the committee feels that the case should be rejected.
13.	Manipuri Nat Sangeet Ashram (MNSA), Kongba Dhobi Lampak, P.O. Imphal, East Distt., Manipur - 795001	Construction of Cultural Hall	Committee holds decision of earlier meeting. Drawing incorporating. Committee observations to be resubmitted. (Previous comments) Culturally active group. Stage depth is only 8ft. Height of the building is too less. Not suitable for auditorium purpose. They have also incorporated the office are in the auditorium is only 70 ft. thereby project not found workable. Therefore, they are advised to resubmit the revised drawings.
14.	Shri Satya Sai Shiksha Evam Gramya Vikas Sansthan, B-48, Moti Kunj Extension, Mathura, UP-281001	Construction of Cultural Auditorium	Proper drawings to be submitted, showing auditorium height etc. to justify the cost estimate provided earlier the case may then be reviewed.



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No.		Proposed Project	
15.	Lairenkabi Youth Dramatic Union, Lairenkabi, Kangchup Road, Imphal West P.O. Lamsang, Manipur -795146	New Construction of Cultural Hall	The file was placed in earlier two meetings. The committee had advised organization to submit details but the organization has submitted old details repeatedly and is subject to rejection.
16.	Dev Bhumi Lok Kala Society RZI-138, old Som Bazar, Mahavir Enclave,Palam, New Delhi New Delhi 110045		The attached drawing of residential building with bedrooms does not qualify as a performance venue for cultural intent, file rejected.
17.	Savitri Seva Sansthan C/o- Shashi Bhushan Tiwari, Tari Mohalla, Po- Ara, Dist- Bhojpur Bihar 802301	Equipment Grant	No evidence of cultural activity in the documents submitted.
18.	Deen Seva Ashram Vill+PO- Fatehpur, Ps- Belchhi, Dist- Patna Bihar 803211	Equipment Grant	The Objective of the organization does not seem to have indications of cultural activity of any kind.
19.	Gaurav Jan Kalyan Sansthan Chowkhandipar, Biharsharif, Dist- Nalanda Bihar 803101	Equipment Grant	No evidence of cultural activity.
20.	Nongkrem Youth Development Association Dist Nongkrem East Khasi Hill, Shillong Meghalaya 793015	Equipment Grant	The deficiency list has not been successfully amended, and many points not addressed yet.
21.	Kulbi Shong Shong Tribal Cultural Centre, Sandang Shenba Maring Village Senapati Distt. P.O. Singjamei, P.S. Iriblung, Manipur -795008	Construction of new building	The committee feels that the submitted plan is not reflecting in the BOQ hence suggested for rejection.
22.	Santhigiri, Plot No.23 & 24, Sector-6, Pushp Vihar, Saket, New Delhi-110017	New Construction of purchase of a built-up space.	To be decided later. The Committee feels that everything is alright but larger plans with visible dimensions are required for final scrutiny.
23.	Jaikisan Shikshan Prasarak Mandal, Undri (PM), Shri Shivajirao N. Dhanage, At + PO Undri (PM), Tq. Mukhed, Dist - Nanded, (MS) Maharashtra	Building Grant	The Committee feels this organization is not for culture. It seems that it is more for education department. As they are talking more education in academics than cultural activities.
24.	Kalamandalam, 7/2B, Dover Lane, Kolkata. West Bengal - 700029,	Building Grant	To be decided later after submission of approved plans. Committee feels that the organization resubmit the proposal with approved plans.
25.	The Nata Sangeet Academy and Research Centre, Yaiskul Janmasthan, Imphal West District Manipur, 795001	Building Grant	To be decided after submission of evidences of cultural activities. The Committee feels that the evidences of cultural activities will have to be submitted by the organization and the file can be put up again in the next meeting.
26.	Ashoka Shikshan Prasark Mandal, Yashodhan Nagar, Parbhani (M.S.) Maharashtra	Equipment Grant	The committee feels there is no trace of any cultural activity it seems it not for the culture, it is more for the educational purposes. No work in the field of culture.

SI.	Name of the Organization	Subject of	Expert Committee's remarks
No.		Proposed Project	
27.	Rilum Multipurpose Society, Nongkrem East Khasi Hill, Shilong, Meghalaya - 793015	Equipment Grant	The project lacks the merit of the scheme; therefore the committee rejects the proposal.
28.	Society for Promotion of Dance, D-43, Alpha-1st, Gr. Noida, U.P. 201306	Building Grant	Committee feels that they should furnish more cultural evidence like invitation Cards, press clipping, photos of performances.
29.	Ballapadavu Swargeeya Narayana Upadhyaya Samsmarana Sangeetha Prathisthanam, Narayaneeyam Music Campus, Ballapadavu, Po- Kumbdaje Kasaragod, Kerala – 671551	Building Grant	The committee feels they deserved the support but they have to furnish the cultural activities report for give the copy of cards, press clipping, invitations cards, photos etc.
30.	Eastern Thang-Ta Organisation; Tangkham Maning Leikai, Imphal, Manipur	Equipment Grant	The committee feels that the equipment sought by the organization does not related to the activities of the organization and also not permissible under scheme.
31.	Sudhindra Nritya Kalaniketana (R.), No. 502, 8th Main, 3rd Cross, Vijaynagar Bangalore, Karnataka	Equipment Grant	The committee has found that that financial credibility of the group is not sufficient enough to provide the matching share, which is amounting Rs.12 Lakhs as per their cost estimate, therefore the committee reject the file.
32.	Natya Vriksha, B-45, Gulmohar Park, New Delhi, Delhi	Building Grant/Equipment Grant	The committee found that the plans and BOQ submitted are of a residential unit. Request to resend the same for a cultural building, if any culturally, the organization finds very sound.
33.	Lokkalyan Sevabhavi Sanstha, A/p Rokada Savargaon, Tq. Ahemedpur Dist Latur, Maharashtra 413515	Equipment Grant	The project looks similar with the file no. MH(BG)11. The credibility of the project is doubtful and committee feels that these kind of organisation should be blacklisted.
34.	Shree Swami Samarth Education Society, C/o Nandkumar Nalandwar, At Post Vanjarwada Tq. Jalkot Distt. Latur, Maharashtra 4135532	Equipment Grant	Committee went to the file in detail and found that the group has represented certain facts which were relating to the group and play performed by one of the members and he intimated the group that the facts given on the file are totally wrong and after that the details of all the lists submitted were also studied and it was found that all the costs are without understanding of actually the market prices. The committee feels that the project should be outrightly rejected.
35.	Meemansa Foundation, C/o Sameeksha Office, Late Kusumtai Chavan Marg, Behind Hotel OM, Shivajinagar, Nanded, Maharashtra 431602	Equipment Grant	The project looks similar with the file no. MH(BG)09. The credibility of the project is doubtful and committee feels that these kind of organisation should be blacklisted.

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36.	Sant Dnyaneshwar Mauli Bahuudeshiya Sevabhavi Sanstha, Rui Shri Maulamwas Sopan Tukaram, At-Rui, Tq- Ahmedpur, Dist-Latur, Maharashtra 413515	Equipment Grant	All five files are similar and non- functional organisations, even the details of equipments are same. The committee rather suggests that all five organisations should be black-listed from any Ministry for the Grant.
37.	Bahujan Hitaya Bahujan Sukhaya Bahuudheshiya Prasarak Mandal Sri Navnath Surnar, Surnar Nivas, Karad Nagar, Ahmedpur, Latur, Maharashtra 413512	Equipment Grant	-do-
38.	Krushani Bahuudeshiya Sevabhavi Sanstha Shri Suryawanshi Tryambak Digambar, AT+PO- Davanagaon, Dist-Latur, Maharashtra	Equipment Grant	-do-
39.	Maharana Pratap Singh Bahuudheshiya Sevabhavi Shikshan Sanstha Kokangaon, Ahmedpur, Latur, Maharashtra 413515	Equipment Grant	-do-
40.	Shri Krishna Gramotthan Samiti, Village Sabjit Ka Pura, Tehsil Kailarash, Dist:Morena Madhya Pradesh	Equipment Grant	-do- ·

- 5. The Committee also observed that despite uploading the status of deficient proposals/applications on the web page of NSD, Delhi and requesting the concerned organisations to remove the deficiencies by submitting the requisite papers/documents, several applications/proposals are still found to be incomplete. As many applications were submitted during year 2014-15 and are pending for a long time, many documents would have lost their relevance and become outdated. Therefore, it has been recommended that all such applications/proposals stand not recommended and all such applicant organisations are required to submit fresh applications if they want to consider their proposal in future.
- 6. The Meeting ended with vote of thanks to the Chair.

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## **ANNEXURE**

## **LIST OF PARTICIPANTS**

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