

**Minutes of the Meeting of the Expert Committee held on 15th July, 2014
under the Scheme of Building Grants, including Studio Theatres.**

The meeting of the Expert Committee for the Scheme of Building Grants, including Studio Theatres was held under the Chairmanship of Shri K.K. Mittal, Additional Secretary on 15th July, 2014 to consider project proposals received under the scheme. A list of expert members present in the meeting is annexed.

2. Shri K.K. Mittal, Additional Secretary welcomed the members of the Committee and invited them to consider the agenda.

3. The Expert Committee considered 20 applications which were complete and supported with all documents as required under the scheme. The Committee examined each proposal individually before taking a decision and recommended the following 7 proposals for financial assistance under the scheme:-

Sl. No	Name Of Organization with Address	Subject of Proposed Project	Approved Project Cost	Grant Recommended
	Arunachal Pradesh			
1	Nyia-Ko-Society, Vill+Post- Deed.791120 Pistana Circle, Lower Subansiri District, Arunachal Pradesh	Building & Equipment- Construction of Cultural Hall including Studio Theatre at Deed, Lower Subsansiri Distt, Arunachal Pradesh	80,15,000/-	25,00,000/-

	Assam			
2	Srimanta Sankardev Krishti Bikash Kendra, Snkardev Nagar (the H.Q. of Hojai Civil Sub- Dvn.), P.O- Sankardev Nagar, Dist-Nagaon, Assam	Building & Equipment- Construction of Auditorium at Srimanta Sankardev Krishti Bikash Kendra, Snkardev Nagar, Nagaon, Assam	45,00,000/-	25,00,000/- subject to submission of revised drawings of the plan duly certified by Registered Architect.
	Kerala			
3	Fine Arts Society, Kuruppampady, Kera la-683545	Building & Equipment- Construction of Auditorium at Fine Arts Society, Kuruppampady, Kerala	43,00,000/-	25,00,000/- subject to submission of revised drawings of the plan duly certified by Registered Architect.
	Maharashtra			
4	Sanskar, 303, Chintamanin Park, Shashtrinagar, Near Bhawsar Chowk, PO-Taroda, Taluka & Distt-Nanded, Maharashtra- 431605	Equipment- Musical and Audio instruments	9,07,630/-	5,44,578/-
	Manipur			
5	Aryan Theatre, Sagolband Road, Imphal West, Manipur	Building - Construction of Aryan Theatre Sagolband Road, Imphal West, Manipur	78,35,062/-	25,00,000/- subject to submission of revised drawings of the plan duly certified by Registered Architect.
	Uttar Pradesh			
6	Shri Satya Sai Shiksha Evam Gramya vikas Sansthan, B-48, Moti Kunj Extension, Mathura, Uttar Pradesh	Equipment- Musical & lighting etc	5,05,500/-	2,50,000/-

West Bengal				
7	Barabari Srikrishna Seva Sangha, PO-Barabari(South), distt-Purba Mendinipur, West Bengal-721430	Building & Equipment- Construction of Studio Theatre Hall at Barabari Srikrishna Seva Sangha, Barabari(South), Purba Mendinipur, West Bengal. Purchase of Drama light, accessories, LCD TV etc.	36,81,918/-	22,09,151/-

4. The committee also considered the remaining 13 proposals and desired to have some additional information, as indicated in the remarks column. In case of certain proposals, the committee felt that they were devoid of merit and hence did not recommend them for grant of any financial assistance:-

Sl.No	Name Of Organization with Address	Subject of Proposed Project	Remarks/decision of the Expert Committee
Andhra Pradesh			
1	Rural Education and Action for Change(REACH), Flat No.203, Balaji towers, 510, Balaji colony, Tirupati-517502, Andhra Pradesh	Building	Rejected as the organization does not possess a predominantly cultural profile.
2	The Youngmen's Happy Club, 15-7B-2/2, Venkataratnapuram Behind Muncipal Office,Kakinada-533001, Andhra Pradesh	Equipment	It was observed that as proposed by the earlier committee a site visit had been undertaken by the Expert. The visit report reflects that the grant earlier availed by the organization has not been utilized as the project is still under construction, which is a clear violation of scheme guidelines and the organization is therefore ineligible for another grant under the scheme. The committee also observed that the accounts of the organization should be got inspected.

	Gujarat		
3	Dr.Nakadar Charitable Trust, N.B. Complex, Pir Bordi, At Post-Kadi, Ta-Kadi, Distt-Mehsana, Gujarat-382715	Building & Equipment	Rejected as the organization does not possess a predominantly cultural profile.
4	Bharatiya Vidya bhawan, Bhavan's Colege Campus, Nr. Cama Hotel, Ahmedabad-380001, Gujarat	Building & Equipment	Rejected as the drawings of the plan are not legible.
	Karnataka		
5	Shambhavi School of Dance, Shambhavi Street, Sun city Road, Kengeri Satelite Town, Bangalore, Karnataka	Building	The proposal may be resubmitted with a modified plan(signed by a registered architect), suitable for dance classes.
	Maharashtra		
6	Suyogini Sevabhavi Sanstha, At Post Ghatangra, Via-Ranisavargaon, Tq-Gangakhed, Distt-Parbhani, Maharashtra-431536	Building	As proposed by the previous expert committee a site visit may be made by Dr. (Mrs) Shailesh Srivastava, Expert.
	Manipur		
7	Youth Step Forward Centre(YSFC), Wangjing Bazar, P.O.Wangjing, Manipur-795148	Building	Sangeet Natak Academy may be asked to inspect the organization and submit a report about its cultural profile and activities.
8	Centre for United Brotherhood Association(CUBA),Phayen g, P.O Larnsang-795146, Manipur	Equipment	Rejected as it is a duplicate case and does not appear to be a serious proposal.
9	Sangai Foundation, Uripol Haobam Dewan Leikai, Imphal-795001, Manipur	Equipment	Rejected as it is a duplicate case and does not appear to be a serious proposal.
10	Manipur Upliftment Centre, Uchiwa Leirak Achouba, Imphal West, Manipur	Building & Equipment	Rejected as the organization does not possess a predominantly cultural profile.

	Odisha		
11	Palli Sanskruti Kala Parisad, At/Po-Tipuri, Via-Kanas, Distt-Puri, Odisha	Building & Equipment	Rejected as the organization does not possess a predominantly cultural profile.
12	Samajik Seva Sadan, Banjhikusum, PO-Mahisapat, Distt-Dhenkanal-759001	Building	Rejected as the organization does not possess a predominantly cultural profile.
	West Bengal		
13	Dhamnagar Radha Krishna Dham Seva Pratisthan, Vill-Dhamnagar, Po-Kundarali, Block-Baruipur, Dist-South 24 Parganas-743610, W.B.	Building & Equipment	Rejected as the organization does not possess a predominantly cultural profile.

The Meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the chair.

(K.K. Mittal)
Additional Secretary