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S. No.	Area	Villages	TOTAL FAMILIES									
			SC	ST	BC	OC	MIN	Total	Male	Female	Total	
GUNTUR												
1	Bollapalli	22	1,582	1,957	328	227	7	4,101	9,505	9,263	18,768	
2	Chilakaluripet	21	1,678	865	505	147	312	3,507	5,914	5,423	11,337	
3	Gutlapalli	25	602	1,994	1,212	415	149	4,372	9,607	8,870	18,477	
4	Piduguralla	12	2,269	710	1,928	450	521	5,878	12,118	11,860	23,978	
5	Vinukonda	10	842	112	1,012	1,567	22	3,555	6,912	6,723	13,635	
	Total	90	6,973	5,638	4,985	2,806	1,011	21,413	44,056	42,139	86,195	
PRAKASAM												
6	Markapur	15	1,107	10	883	557	55	2,612	5,832	5,560	11,392	
7	Ongole	34	6,634	546	3,806	5,056	-	16,042	32,312	32,650	64,962	
8	Vetapalem	16	69	417	1,617	230	17	2,350	4,026	3,930	7,956	
9	Pullalacheruvu	7	819	191	1,437	495	-	2,942	6,005	5,608	11,613	
	Total	72	8,629	1,164	7,743	6,338	72	23,946	48,175	47,748	95,923	
KRISHNA												
10	Avanigadda	8	83	12	1,945	15	-	2,055	3,366	3,213	6,579	
	Total:	8	83	12	1,945	15	-	2,055	3,366	3,213	6,579	
ODISHA												
11	Ganjam	2	85	-	57	2	-	144	304	305	609	
	Total:	2	85	-	57	2	-	144	304	305	609	
	Grand Total	172	15,770	6,814	14,730	9,161	1,083	47,558	95,901	93,405	189,306	
	Percentage:		33.16	14.33	30.97	19.26	2.28		50.66	49.34		

SC - Scheduled Caste; ST - Scheduled Tribe; BC - Backward Caste; OC - Other Castes; MIN - Minorities

AN OVERVIEW OF THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

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FOREWORD

We are determined to end poverty and hunger, in all their forms and dimensions, and to ensure that all human beings can fulfil their potential in dignity and equality and in a healthy environment. At the United Nations Sustainable Development Summit on 25 September 2015, world leaders adopted the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, which includes a set of 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) to end poverty, fight inequality and injustice, and tackle climate change by 2030.

Mahatma Gandhi had once said, "One must care about the world one will not see". Indeed, humanity has progressed when it has collectively risen to its obligation to the world and responsibility to the future. Seventy years after the end of a tragic war and birth

of a new hope for our age, we are meeting to chart a course for our humanity and our planet. I consider this a very important summit and thank UN Secretary General for organizing it. I am pleased that elimination of poverty in all forms everywhere is at the top of our goals. Addressing the needs of 1.3 billion poor people in the world is not merely a question of their survival and dignity or our moral responsibility. It is a vital necessity for ensuring peaceful, sustainable and just world.

Sri Narendra Modi, Hon'ble Prime Minister of India

There has been a paradigm shift in the development sector over the years especially after the introduction of Corporate Social Responsibility in the Companies Act. On the other hand, Government of India and the State Governments have started giving greater emphasis on public-private-partnership and making the local community as a partner to attain greater result in each and every programme. But, in practical terms, it is revolving around a few individuals in the actual execution. As a result, the gap between the rich and poor is remaining either the same over the years or even further widening.

In this scenario, ASSIST has gone through various development initiatives in its target villages during the year 2015-16 with the primary objective of bringing change in the living conditions of poor families of this region. This change may be of isolative nature in the beginning but the constant efforts would move them towards wider perspective in order to bring greater results and sustenance.

ASSIST continued to give greater emphasis on Socio-Educational Development in the village through the constant sensitisation, promotion and strengthening of people's organisations, child development, primary health care and women empowerment. This is the basic foundation to go for the infrastructure and economic development in a village. It implies the People's Organisation promoted as a part of this development phase comes up with the necessity of infrastructure and economic development activities in that particular village. ASSIST facilitates the development process in a village so that these activities emerge as a result of this process and not forced on them by the external pressure to ensure the sustainability of those activities.

This report elaborates these efforts through our various programmes.

JASHTI RANGA RAO
Operational Director



CORPORATE PARTNERSHIP

"Everything is connected to everything else" is often called the First Law of Ecology. Helping human society to prosper in the 21st century requires that we recognize the importance of living in balance with our physical environment and treating each other with dignity and equity. "The future belongs to those who understand that doing more with less is compassionate, prosperous and enduring and thus more intelligent, even competitive." (Paul Hawken)

Governments, activists, and the media have become adept at holding companies to account for the social consequences of their actions. In response, corporate social responsibility has emerged as an inescapable priority for business leaders. As evidenced, CSR has gone through evolutions over the past many years. India's biggest companies have practiced philanthropy for decades but giving has been "sporadic," and has not aided development according to the government. Corporations are undergoing a drastic transformation from "sporadically pumping in money here or there, leaving no significant impact behind" to formulating projects with predefined outcomes and systems for measuring progress and results. The last decade of the twentieth century witnessed a swing away from charity and traditional philanthropy towards more direct engagement of business in mainstream development and concern for disadvantaged groups in the society. This has been driven both internally by corporate will and externally by increased governmental and public expectations. In India, as in the rest of the world, there is a growing realisation that business cannot succeed in a society which fails. An ideal CSR has both ethical and philosophical.

The corporate participation in the national development is sharply increased due to the present Government policies, many others are yet to realise the priority of CSR in the social and economic perspective. It is reported that only medium and large corporate houses are involved in CSR activities, that too in selected geographical areas. This issue builds a case for more companies to be brought under the CSR domain. To address the issue of reaching out to wider geographical areas, the involvement of small and medium enterprises (SMEs) in the CSR domain will be essential. It is also found that many CSR initiatives and programs are taken up in urban areas and localities. As a result, the impact of such projects does not reach the needy and the poor in the rural areas where 65% population lives.

K.S.R. MURTHY

Executive Director

The success of CSR programme depends not only on the volume of corporate contributions but also the planning and implementation. Engaging efficient human resources to manage the CSR activities at the company level is one of the difficult tasks for many in the present scenario of increased corporate participation on one side. Whereas the other side non-availability of well organised Non-governmental Organisations in remote and rural areas that can assess and identify real needs of the community and work along with companies to ensure successful implementation of CSR activities is again a gigantic task. Selection of capable and experienced NGO is essential to transform the actions towards sustainable community development.

ASSIST has well experienced and committed human resources to enter into partnership with many prestigious national and international corporates. We are working with Philip Morris International (PMI), GE, ITC, Godfrey Phillips India (GPI), United Breweries Limited (UBL), etc.

All the corporates working in partnership with ASSIST have been doing great effort for the achievement of business goals with social responsibility practices. From responsive activities to sustainable initiatives, the corporates with whom ASSIST partnered have clearly exhibited their ability to make a significant difference in the society and improve the overall quality of life. The issues addressed by ASSIST, such as "Promotion of fair Agriculture Labour Practices" with PMI, "Provision of essential rural infrastructure for comfortable living" with GE, "Improvement of sanitation in rural areas" with ITC, Improving the living conditions of women and farmers leading for comprehensive development" with GPI and "Provision of safe drinking water in rural areas" with UBL, have already made significant difference in the villages.

ASSIST looks forward to serve more and more people and communities under the CSR.



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SENSITISATION



The field staff does awareness generation through the constant house visits, group meetings and mass meetings to create positive mindset on the development of people. ASSIST developed a cultural team, which is the most effective tool to sensitise people.

This team consisting of 10 professional artists including singers, dancers and actors have given 190 performances in the villages during the year on various aspects mentioned below. The show goes for 2 to 3 hours with different performances to draw the attention of the audience on the problems and consequences and how to overcome them with the appropriate solutions for their betterment.



A few of the case studies are captured here for example:

B. Vijayalakshmi aged 14 years got married to G Nagalakshmaiah aged 20 years in Ravulapuram village in Guntur District during the summer when the schools are closed on vacation. The matter came to the members of the Village Development Society after the marriage took place. They summoned both the parties and enquired about the matter and took serious decision by convincing the parents that they should not continue as couple till they get sufficient age for their future. Accordingly, the parents continued the studies of both the children. Now, Vijayalakshmi is studying 10th class in N.V. Memorial School in Ravulapuram while Nagalakshmaiah is doing final year graduation in Krishnaveni Degree College at Vinukonda by residing in the hostel.

In Ramapuram of Guntur District, the family of Shaik Nasar Vali and Husainbi had a differently abled boy. Later, the head of the family passed away and the burden had fallen on Husainbi alone. In addition to this boy, they have one more boy and girl. While the boy had never gone to school since he used to be on bed all the time, other boy and girl used to go to school. But, after the demise of their father, as mother was going for work, both the boy and girl got discontinued to look after the differently abled boy at home. As a result of sensitisation activities, especially the mass rally conducted in their village, the mother realised the need and importance of education and brought their grandfather to be at home with the children so that all of them can go to school having realised the importance



S. No.	Area	Issue	No. of Camps Organised
1	Chilakaluripet	Sanitation, Child labour, Health and Hygiene	16
2	Gutlapalli	Child Rights & Right to Education Act	24
3	Vinukonda	Sanitation, Water and hygiene	51
4	Markapur	Child labour, Peoples Organisation & hygiene	16
5	Ongole	Women and Child & Health	15
6	Vetapalem	Revitalising Weavers	27
7	Ranga Reddy and Sanga Reddy Districts	Water, Sanitation and Hygiene	41
Total			190

S. No	Area	Issue	No. of Wall Paintings Exhibited
1	Avanigadda	CCDP	25
2	Vinukonda	Sanitation	84
3	Ongole	Child Trafficking	30
4	Chilakaluripet	Sanitation	28
Total			167

of education.

In Ravulapuram BC Colony of Guntur District, Ravu Manikanta s/o Pedda Husain had discontinued his studies last year in the end of 4th class when he lost his father. Since then, he has been supporting his mother to go for field work and to add income to the family. But, he was very active in the class and school and he was also the leader of Child Forum. After having seen the cultural programme and

other awareness generation activities, his mother realised that she should not spoil the future of her son. Accordingly, Manikanta was admitted back into the school in 5th class in September 2015. Since then, he has been active in the Child Forum and he also brought two more drop-out children back into the school as well.



PEOPLE'S ORGANISATIONS



As a result of sensitisation campaign, the community starts feeling that their development is basically in their hands. They have also identified disunity and groups among themselves as the major root cause for their underdevelopment. At this juncture, ASSIST facilitates the formation of Village Development Society with all the families of the community as members keeping aside their social and political differences aside for the development of their community. Accordingly, a committee representing all the categories of people in that particular community – elders, women and youth – is promoted as the governing body to strive for their own development.

Efforts were continued to strengthen these Village Development Societies, organised leadership training camps enlightening them on their roles and responsibilities and various Government programmes to capacitate them sufficiently to liaison with the Village Panchayats and Government Departments to get their entitlements under various sectors.





115 are formerly registered as Village Development Societies (VDS) with all the families of that particular community as members. These societies are active not only in executing the activities but also in taking them further and ensuring the proper utilisation and maintenance of the activities executed on their own and with the support of ASSIST and the local Government as well. They meet regularly once a month and problems are discussed, solutions derived and steps taken to overcome the problems. Societies have also started taking active role on the following developmental aspects:

Promoting the children in the age group of 6-14 to go for schooling regularly;

Strictly ensuring that child marriages do not take place in their respective communities;

Immunisation and health care measures for children, pregnant women and mothers;

Promoting institutional deliveries for the safety of mother and child;

Availing the various welfare and developmental programmes of the local Government and ensuring they reach the real needy people in their respective communities;

A few of the results achieved by these Village Development Societies are as follows:

B. Koteswara Rao of Remidicherla in Guntur District got married to Vagi Bhai of Gandiganumala four years ago. They have two female children earlier and third female child was born in November 2014. Koteswara Rao and his parents got discouraged with three female children and wanted to get rid of at least the third child as it is too heavy to take care of three female children. The third female child of 5 months was sold for Rs. 20,000- while the mother had gone to fetch the water from the well. When the mother has realised the matter, she questioned her husband and in-laws and all of them have beaten her stating that they have all the right. Then, she went to her native place and informed the matter to her parents and they got the support of local Self-Help Group, who stood with her to file a police case. After having fought the matter with the local police for three days, the child was traced in Guntur town and later she was brought back to the village after a week. Village committee has taken the matter very seriously and warned the family members if such a situation repeats serious action will be taken. They got the assurance from the family members that they will take utmost care of both the mother and three children and finally the child was handed over to the parents. The family got united again after



having withdrawn the case and they are living happily.

In Gangupalli Thanda of Guntur District, with the land donated by the local community leader, the local Government has constructed new school building at the entrance of the village and the primary school started functioning. But sanitary facilities were not provided to the school. When the matter was raised in the Child Forums, it was decided to take the matter to the Child Protection Committee and to take it to the notice of higher authorities. Accordingly, the matter was discussed in the Child Protection Committee meeting and the committee made a written representation to the Mandal Education Officer through the Village President. The committee members had pursued the matter by taking it to the notice of authorities in the weekly Grievance Cell and succeeded in getting the sanction of sanitary block to this primary school. Finally, the new sanitary block is getting ready as a result of the efforts made by the CPC members.

In Kanumalacheruvu of Guntur District, the family of Palem Kotaiah and Ramana had three children – one boy and two girls. Both the elders (one boy and one girl) got married and living separately. Their younger daughter has discontinued her

studies at the age of 15 years in Intermediate (11th class) due to their financial conditions. Her mother Ramana, being an active leader of Self-Help Groups, attended the training camp this year and realised the opportunities available for adolescents to take up vocational training courses based on their interest. She felt that she could send her daughter for this vocational training though she could not continue her studies. Accordingly, she admitted her in the Vocational Training Centre of ASSIST in Piduguralla and she became perfect in Fashion Designing in six months. After this training, she had established a small shop in her home having purchased a sewing machine. Now, she is getting an average monthly income of 6,000 INR. The parents are extremely happy with this development and they are confident to get good match as well.

The following table describes the works carried by 265 such societies during the year on their own. The total value of these works came to INR 73,644,920, of which the villagers contribution has been INR 12,489,818.



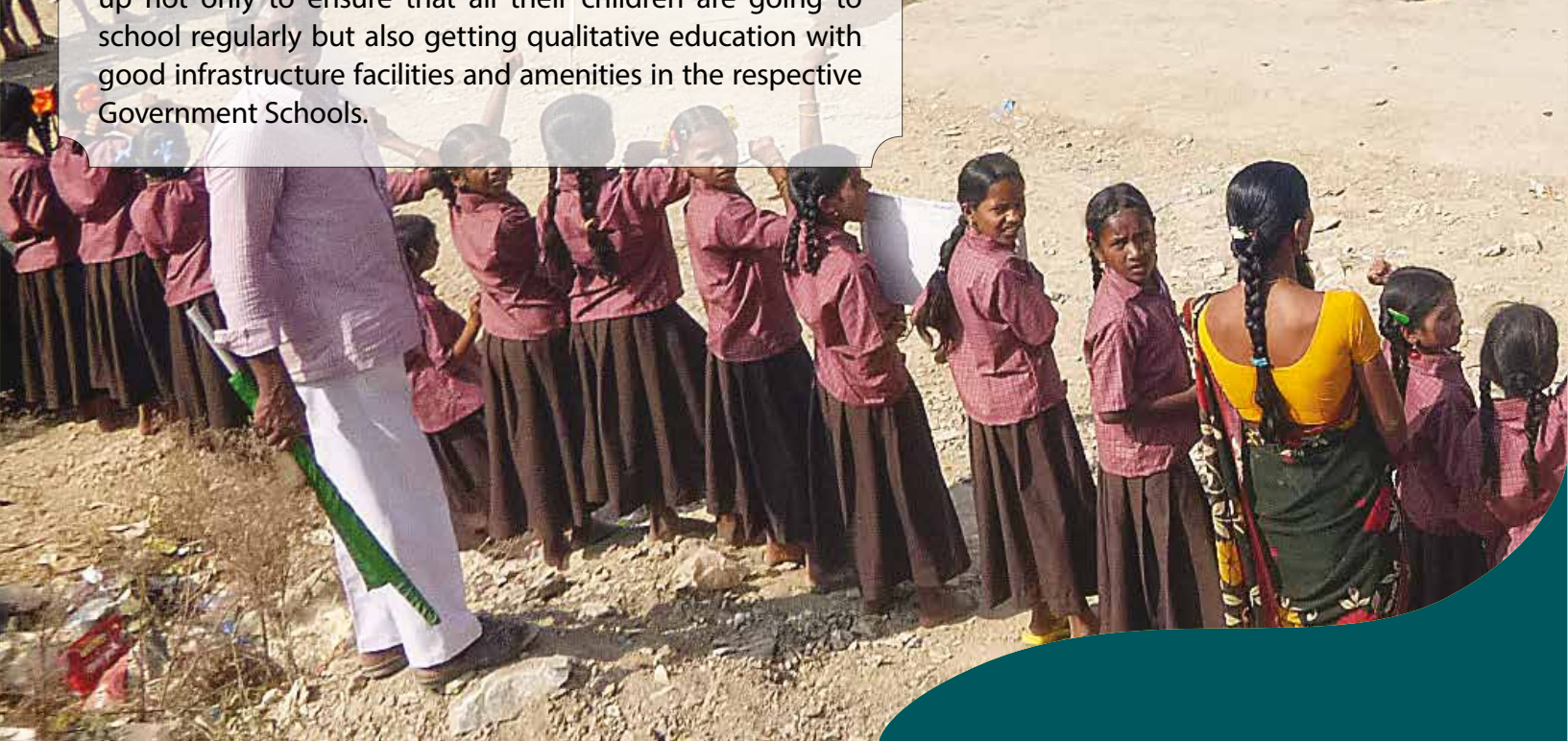


S. No.	Activity	Bollapalli	Chilikaluripet	Guttapalli	Piduguralla	Vinukonda	Markapur	Ongole	Vetapalem	Pullalacheruvu	Avanigadda	Telangana	Others	Total	Appr. Value INR	Local Resources INR
1	Road formation	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	400,000	40,000
2	School Infrastructure development	-	-	-	2	-	8	8	2	3	-	28	-	51	7,890,000	1,183,500
3	Provision of Bore wells	-	-	3	-	-	11	-	7	5	-	-	-	26	350,000	35,000
4	Housing	-	-	10	-	-	40	-	-	-	62	-	-	112	22,400,000	5,500,000
5	Individual Latrines	6	7	-	3	4	9	7	1	-	1	-	-	38	34,374,000	4,124,880
6	Reverse Osmosis Plants	-	-	-	-	-	2	4	3	-	-	-	1	10	3,000,000	750,000
7	Provision of Soil to Agriculture land	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	7	4,024,920	603,738
8	Provision of Community Dust bins	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	4	116,000	5,800
9	Provision of individual Dust bins	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	4	370,000	18,500
10	Pipeline for drinking water	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	300,000	30,000
11	Fixation of Spun pipes to Drainages	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	700,000	140,000
12	Construction of Drainages	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	400,000	40,000
Total:		6	7	21	5	4	70	39	13	8	63	28	1	265	73,644,920	12,489,818

CHILD DEVELOPMENT



Through the series of training camps to capacitate the community leaders to lead the People's Organisations effectively towards their sustainable development, the greater emphasis is drawn towards concentrating on child development. These leaders are made conscious that their development is in the hands of future generation and they have to ensure all the children of school going age in the community go for schooling compulsorily. They have realised over the years that their lives have been same like their parents, grandparents and great grandparents, but they do not want their children to live in the same way – they want their children to lead a better and respected life in the society. Accordingly, all the People's Organisations including Village Development Societies, Self-Help Groups and Mutually Aided Cooperative Thrift and Credit Societies are geared up not only to ensure that all their children are going to school regularly but also getting qualitative education with good infrastructure facilities and amenities in the respective Government Schools.





Results of the efforts made by these People's Organisations along with the field staff of ASSIST can be seen as follows:

2,359 children in the age group of 3-5 got enrolled in the Government Anganwadi (Pre-school) or in the Balwadi centres promoted by ASSIST and are getting ready to go for Primary Schooling;

1,383 children having attained 5 years of age got admitted in Primary Schools and are going to school regularly;

666 non-school going children in the age group of 6-14 were motivated and enrolled back in the respective schools and continuing their studies with constant monitoring;

32,164 children in the age group of 6-14 coming to 94.65% are going to school regularly and continuing their studies;

2,105 children studying in the Government Schools were supported with the provision of note books and school bags to encourage them in studies;

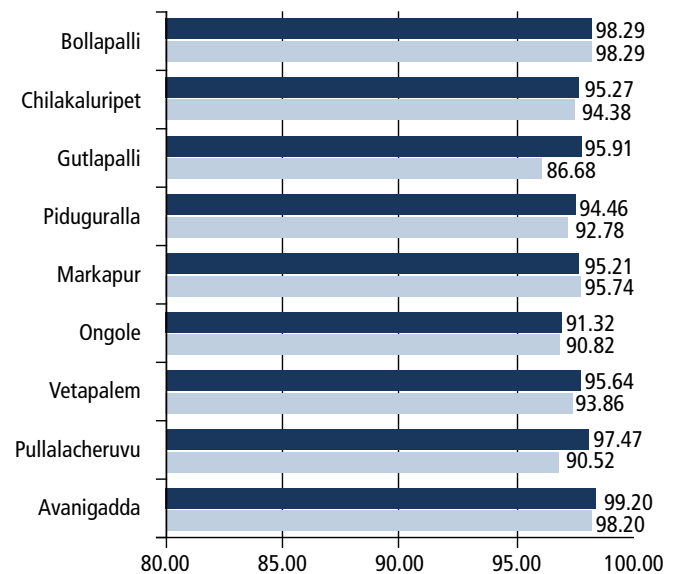
533 vulnerable children in the age group of 6-14 were supported with boarding and lodging facilities (Piduguralla, Markapur and Bollapalli) in

addition to schooling, provision of clothing, note books, school bags, games material and medical aid to enable them to continue their studies;

ASSIST has starting working in Bahadurpura of Hyderabad with the School Development ProgrammetostrengthentheSchoolManagement Committees eventually to improve the quality of education in the Government Schools.

Area-wise details of school going children are given in the below graph:

Status of 6-14 Children School going



■ As on 31st March 2016
 ■ As on 1st April 2015



SCHOOL INFRASTRUCTURE

S. No	Village	School	Additions
GUNTUR DISTRICT:			
1.	Vitamrajupalli	Primary School	New Sanitation, RO Plant, Sports & Playing material, Landscape, path way development, compound wall, gated wall, Painting, Tree plantation and Desk benches
2.	Vinkonda	Model High School	Library
		Kasthurba Gandhi Balika Vidhyalayam	Library
3.	Brahmanapalli	High school	Provision of Desk benches
4.	Morjampadu	High school	Provision of Desk benches
PRAKASAM DISTRICT:			
5.	Marripalem	High School	New Sanitation
6.	Marripalem	Primary School	New Sanitation
7.	Ananthavaram	Primary School	New Sanitation
8.	Kattakindapalli	Primary School	New Sanitation and Land levelling
9.	Nayudupalli	Primary School	New Sanitation
10.	Nayudupalli SC	Primary School	New Sanitation
11.	Ambapuram	Primary School	New Sanitation
12.	Gurralamadugu	Primary School	Additional class room
13.	Marrivemula	High School	New Sanitation and RO Plant
14.	Pullalacheruvu	High School	New Sanitation and RO Plant
15.	Pidikitivanipalli	High School	New Sanitation and RO Plant
16.	Epurupalem	Anganwadi Centre	New Sanitation
17.	Kukkalavaripalem	Primary School	Renovation of School Sanitation
18.	Mulakaluru	Primary School	New Sanitation, Kitchen room, RO Plant, Sports & Playing material, Landscape, path way development, compound wall, gated wall, painting, tree plantations and garden raising and Desk benches
19.	Bodhanampadu	Upper Primary School	Class rooms renovation, New Sanitation, RO Plant, Sports & Playing material, Landscape, path way development, compound wall, gated wall, painting, tree plantations and garden raising, study and learning material and Desk benches
20.	Darsi	High School	Dining hall, RO Plant, Sports & Playing material, Landscape, path way development, compound wall, gated wall, painting, tree plantations and garden raising, Library, cloths washing & drying facility and Desk benches
21.	Pernamitta	High School	New Sanitation, Kitchen room, RO Plant, Sports & Playing material, Landscape, path way development, compound wall, gated wall, painting, tree plantations and garden raising and Desk benches
22.	Pernamitta	Primary School	Class rooms renovation, New Sanitation, RO Plant, Sports & Playing material, Landscape, path way development, compound wall, gated wall, painting, tree plantations and garden raising, study and learning material and Desk benches





S. No	Village	School	Additions
23.	Mukthinthalapadu	Pre-school	School renovation
TELANGANA:			
24.	Valigonda	High School	Renovation of School Sanitation and Rain water harvesting structure
25.	Tekula Somaram	High School	Renovation of School Sanitation and Rain water harvesting structure
26.	Sangem	High School	Renovation of School Sanitation and Rain water harvesting structure
27.	Gokaram	High School	Renovation of School Sanitation and Rain water harvesting structure
28.	Vemulakonda	High School	Renovation of School Sanitation and Rain water harvesting structure
29.	Velvarthi	High School	Renovation of School Sanitation and Rain water harvesting structure
30.	Indriyal	High school	New Sanitation and RO Plant
31.	Koyyalagudem	High school	New Sanitation and RO Plant
32.	Peerpal Pahad	High school	RO Plant
33.	Devalamma Nagarm	High school	New Sanitation and RO Plant
34.	Choutuppal	High school	New Sanitation and RO Plant
35.	Aroor	High School	Renovation of School Sanitation and Rain water harvesting structure
36.	Puligella	High School	Renovation of School Sanitation and Rain water harvesting structure
37.	Aloor	High School	Renovation of School Sanitation and Water Tank Installed
38.	Manneguda	High School	Renovation of School Sanitation and Water Tank Installed
39.	Vikarabad	High School	Renovation of School Sanitation and Water Tank Installed
40.	Kotagadi	High School	Renovation of School Sanitation and Water Tank Installed
41.	Pudur	High School	Renovation of School Sanitation and Water Tank Installed
42.	Pedaumenthal	High School	Renovation of School Sanitation and Water Tank Installed
43.	Koukuntla	High School	Renovation of School Sanitation and Water Tank Installed
44.	Pedamadaram	High School	Renovation of School Sanitation and Water Tank Installed
45.	Chityal	High School	Renovation of School Sanitation and Water Tank Installed
46.	Antharam	High School	Renovation of School Sanitation and Water Tank Installed
47.	Angadichityampalli	High School	Renovation of School Sanitation and Water Tank Installed
48.	Sangareddy	High School	Renovation of School Sanitation, Building repair, Painting and Dust bins
49.	Manikonda	High School	Provision of Desk benches
50.	Yousufguda	High School	New Bore well, New Toilet, School furniture
51.	YMCA, Hyderabad	High School	Renovation of Sanitation, School furniture, Painting



Some of the notable achievements in this area are given below for example:

Attitudinal change brought among the children and their parents on their education in Yarraveni Chenchu Colony in Guntur District is a notable achievement of this project. In spite of the pathetic conditions of people living in this most neglected colony, the children started learning alphabets and developing good habits and culture through the Transitional Education Centre. Transitional Education Centre in Yarraveni Chenchu Colony with mid-day meal provision has changed the mind-set of the villagers and they realised the importance of education. One could see the comparative behavioural change among the children as a result of this centre and the children look neat and tidy. Mid-day meal provided to 15 old age people along with the children is a major boost-up for the improved health status not only among the children but also among the old people. Having realised the importance of education, the members of Village Development Society are demanding the Government for the allotment of Primary School in their colony.

Advocacy and lobbying made with the teachers and other Government officials have added value to improve the quality of education in the Government schools. Though the results are not achieved fully, the atmosphere is created to enhance the quality of education with the increased presence of teachers, good attendance of the children, appropriate methods of teaching, adequate teaching and learning material and better learning environment.



WOMEN EMPOWERMENT



As part of giving equal importance for women in the formation of Village Development Societies, self-help group movement is further strengthened by ASSIST not to limit themselves only for savings and credit but also to strive for their rights and to demand their share at decision making level both at the family and community levels. The main concentration during the year has been rejuvenating the self-help group movement in the operational areas of Andhra Pradesh as there has been discontinuation of these groups after the State bifurcation on the election promise given towards waiver of loans taken by women through these groups. Efforts had been by the field staff to continue the functioning of these groups through the regular savings, internal lending and maintaining records and registers.



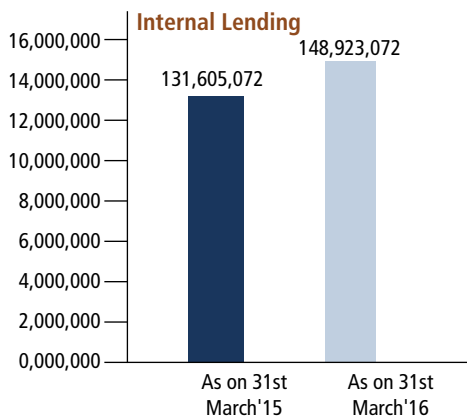
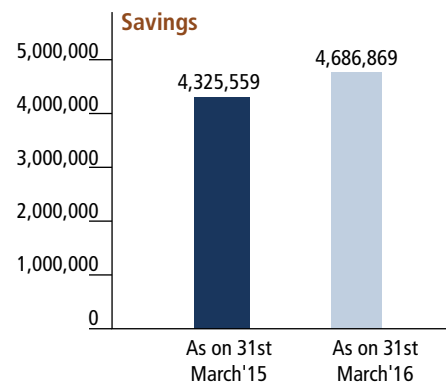
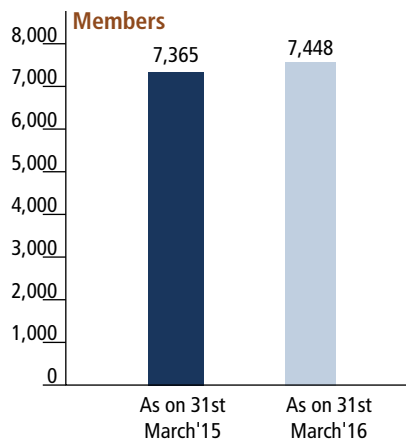
Accordingly, the results of the efforts made in this direction can be seen as follows:

10 new groups consisting of 96 members got promoted during the year and started savings and internal lending;

712 groups consisting of 7,132 members got streamlined with the regular savings, internal lending, periodic meetings and maintenance of records and registers and became active;

117 groups were successful in developing linkages with the financial institutions and obtained credit during the year;

157 groups obtained support from the local Government to scale-up their activities in the group and to go for viable income generation activities;



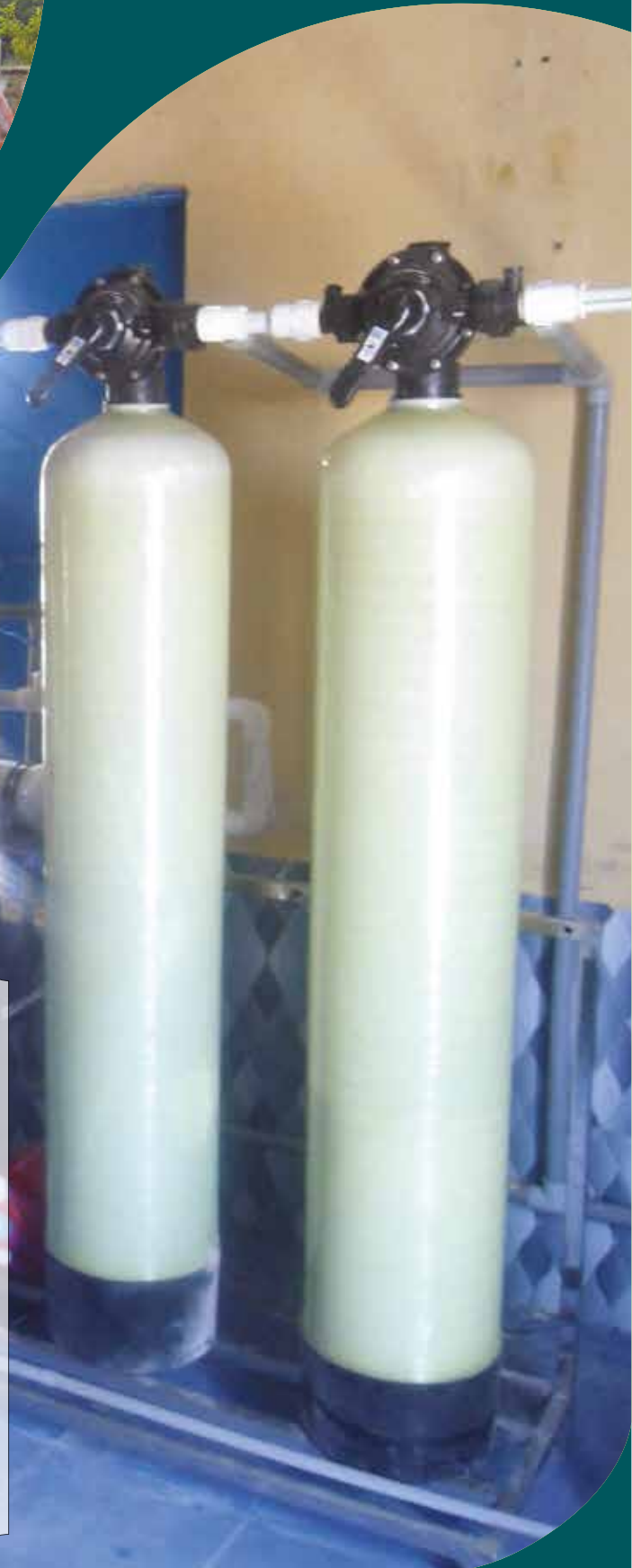
DETAILS OF MACTS

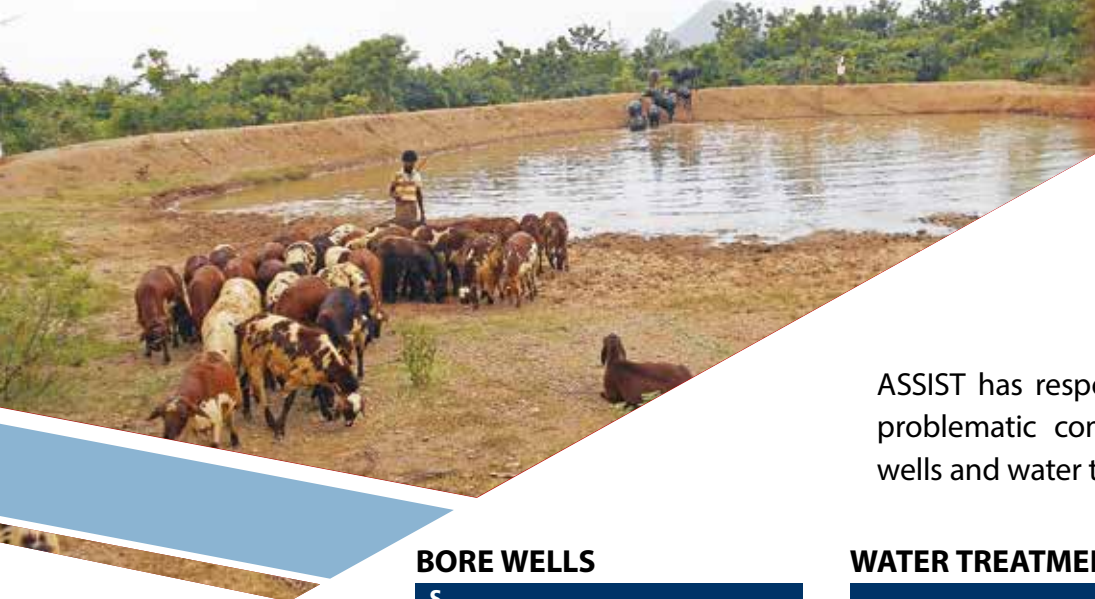
S.No.	Area	MACTS	Place	As on 1st April 2015			Additions During the year			Refunds during the year			As on 31st March 2016		
				Members	Savings	Internal Lending	Members	Savings	Internal Lending	Members	Savings	Internal Lending	Members	Savings	Internal Lending
1	Yadlapadu	Adarsha	Nadendla	354	-	9,425,500	-	-	-	-	-	354	-	9,425,500	
2	Yadlapadu	Prathibha	Yadlapadu	308	575,305	14,166,500	-	-	-	-	-	308	575,305	14,166,500	
3	Yadlapadu	Pragathi	K.N.Palem	327	197,893	6,045,200	-	-	-	-	-	327	197,893	6,045,200	
4	Ballikurava	Naveena	Ballikurava	490	545,412	4,595,500	-	-	-	-	-	490	545,412	4,595,500	
5	Ballikurava	Cheyutha	Santhamagalur	332	165,145	1,066,929	-	-	-	-	-	332	165,145	1,066,929	
6	Martur	Mahila Dairy	Martur	1,689	-	19,553,527	-	-	-	-	-	1,689	-	19,553,527	
7	Piduguralla	Prasanti	Maruthi Nagar	679	874,800	24,031,000	56	147,400	8,460,000	-	-	735	1,022,200	32,491,000	
8	Piduguralla	Chaitanya	Mallavolu	430	495,400	12,015,000	17	110,600	4,260,000	-	-	447	606,000	16,275,000	
9	Piduguralla	Pragathi	Janapadu	517	331,400	12,586,000	16	104,400	4,238,000	6	5,200	527	430,600	16,824,000	
10	Piduguralla	Novodaya	P.Ganesunipadu	393	15,800	425,250	-	-	-	-	-	393	15,800	425,250	
11	Vetapalem	Ushodaya	Vetapalem	232	150,540	8,158,270	-	1,590	60,000	-	-	232	152,130	8,218,270	
12	Vetapalem	Maa Pragathi	Tarakaramanagar	182	72,215	3,404,114	-	-	-	-	-	182	72,215	3,404,114	
13	Vetapalem	Prathuyusha	Desaipet	385	359,294	4,229,500	-	2,520	-	-	-	385	361,814	4,229,500	
14	Vetapalem	Ankamma	Kukkalaripalem	144	60,000	600,000	-	-	300,000	-	-	144	60,000	900,000	
15	Kondapi	Maa Cheyutha	Dasireddypalem	210	100,150	3,602,300	-	-	-	-	-	210	100,150	3,602,300	
16	Kondapi	Mitra	Kattavaripaelm	331	119,325	4,056,482	-	-	-	-	-	331	119,325	4,056,482	
17	Avanigadda	Adarsha	Elachetladibba	362	262,880	3,644,000	-	-	-	-	-	362	262,880	3,644,000	
Total				7,365	4,325,559	131,605,072	89	366,510	17,318,000	6	5,200	7,448	4,686,869	148,923,072	

WATER AND SANITATION



All over the World, Water and Sanitation have become the most concentrated areas of action having realised the scarcity of water and importance of hygienic environment for the well- being of the society. Government of India called for purification of Rivers and water recharging structures in addition to the greater stress on the concept of Swachh Bharat (Clean India) to promote attitudinal change among the general public and hygienic living environment.





ASSIST has responded to the need of water in the problematic communities and has provided bore wells and water treatment plants as follows:

BORE WELLS

S. No.	Area	Number
1	Gutlapalli	3
2	Markapur	10
3	Vetapalem	7
4	Pullalacheruvu	5
Total		25

WATER TREATMENT PLANTS

Area	Village	Capacity
Markapur	1. Manginapudi	500 LPH
	2. Jagannadhapuram	500 LPH
Ongole	3. Marellavaripalem	1000 LPH
	4. Bodhanampadu	1000 LPH
	5. Viswanath Tobaccos	250 LPH
Vetapalem	6. Kambhampadu	1000 LPH
	7. Thotavaripalem	1000 LPH
	8. Bhavanarushipet	500 LPH
Vijayanagaram	9. Vigneswara Colony	500 LPH
	10. Peda Kondraajupalem	500 LPH

WATER HARVESTING:

Gandiganumala Watershed was completed this year, which was started in 2013 by conducting PRA (Participatory Rural Appraisal) Exercise among the target population to enable them to understand on the water, land and other natural resources available in their village and in their fields. Based on this, the villagers have developed an action plan for the years and the works agreed to be executed by the villagers based on the needs and priorities. Existing check dams, percolation tanks and other water storage resources have been restored primarily. Later, new check dams, percolation tanks and farm ponds were developed to enhance the water storage capacities in the watershed area. In order to arrest the soil erosion, contour bunding, stone checks and rock fill dams were developed wherever feasible. Uncultivated wasteland in the watershed area was renovated and brought under cultivation by removing the thorny bushes, land levelling and deep ploughing. Initially, these lands were cultivated with agro-forestry so that the land could be used for other crops subsequently.

The impact of this watershed is clearly visible in this year with the availability of water in the bore wells while the bore wells in the surrounding villages got dried up in the year due to drought conditions.



SANITATION:

ASSIST has concentrated on improving the environmental sanitary conditions in the target villages of ASSIST through the formation and strengthening of Health and Sanitation Committees, sensitisation of the target population on the need and importance of household toilets, construction of household toilets and strengthening infrastructure and creating child and parent friendly environment in the Government Schools. In tune with the call given by the Government of India and the State Government for the construction of household toilets, ASSIST has taken up the massive programme of the construction of latrine-cum-bathroom by matching the additional amount along with the amount provided by the Government. Accordingly, ASSIST was successful not only in the construction of 1,982 household toilets during the year but also ensuring the proper utilisation and maintenance of these toilets having sensitised the target families prior to the construction and community-based monitoring mechanism with the frequent monitoring by the field staff as well.

S. No.	Area	Number
1	Bollapalli	318
2	Chilakaluripet	1,091
3	Piduguralla	36
4	Vinukonda	177
5	Markapur	192
6	Ongole	121
7	Vetapalem	30
8	Avanigadda	17
Total		1,982

In addition to household sanitation, under Swachh Bharat Programme, ASSIST extended support to the local Panchayats to improve the environmental sanitary conditions in 30 villages in operational areas of ASSIST.

Impact realised on water and sanitation works:

Drinking water sources renovated in 5 villages last year are very useful in this year due to the failure of monsoon rains and the drought conditions, and the communities appreciated the value of the efforts. Communities are using these sources for various purposes: drinking water for livestock and farmers are using it for cultivating their crops and for growing seedlings.

In Sholayapalem of Guntur District, the villagers suffered for a long time with water-borne diseases as the water used to get stagnated in the middle of the village on the roads resulting in breeding of mosquitos and even the water used to enter into some of the low-lying houses. Due to the works executed, the situation has completely changed and water is getting drained away. The villagers are extremely happy with this intervention as their health condition is improved and at the same time even the heavy rains do not trouble them anymore. Similar situation has occurred in Nehru Nagar Thanda, Ravulapuram and Gandiganumala villages.



SOCIAL HOUSING



Infrastructure development interventions both at the household level and community level are the most needed ones and they act as instruments for their development. But, since they are highly expensive activities and hence ASSIST tries to extend only matching assistance after the respective communities have tapped the local Government resources and invested their share based on their capability. In this perspective, ASSIST aims to reach the real needy people under this programme as there is a danger that the Government sanctions may be availed by the well-off.





Government of Andhra Pradesh did not release the housing policy after the State bifurcation and no sanction of new houses was given during the year under review. Accordingly, ASSIST has concentrated its efforts to complete the incomplete houses already supported by the Government of Andhra Pradesh and to support the vulnerable families with financial support to construct the houses on their own even in the absence of Government support.

The support extended for the construction of 36 houses in Yarraveni Chenchu Colony of Guntur District without Government sanction acted as an incentive for these people to strive hard for the development of their habitation. They worked

day and night to clear the surroundings and spent number of days for the construction of their houses.

In Edurumondi island of Nagayalanka Mandal, Krishna District, 62 houses constructed with the support of the local Government and left unfinished were completed with plastering, flooring and other finishing works.

Similarly, in Manginapudi of Donakonda Mandal, Prakasam District, 40 incomplete houses were completed with plastering, flooring and other finishing works.



SKILL DEVELOPMENT



Skill building can be viewed as an instrument to improve the effectiveness and contribution of labour to the overall production. It is as an important ingredient to push the production possibility frontier outward and to take growth rate of the economy to a higher trajectory. Skill building could also be seen as an instrument to empower the individual and improve his/her social acceptance or value. India is giving greater attention on skill development with the increasing population of youth compared to other Countries. It is well known phenomena that major percentage of workers are still in the unorganised sector. This implies they lack competence.



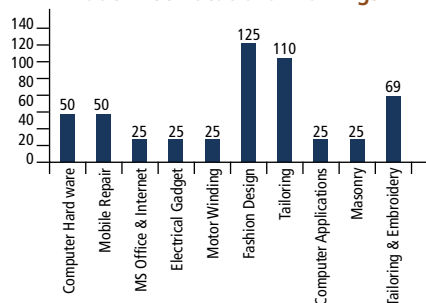


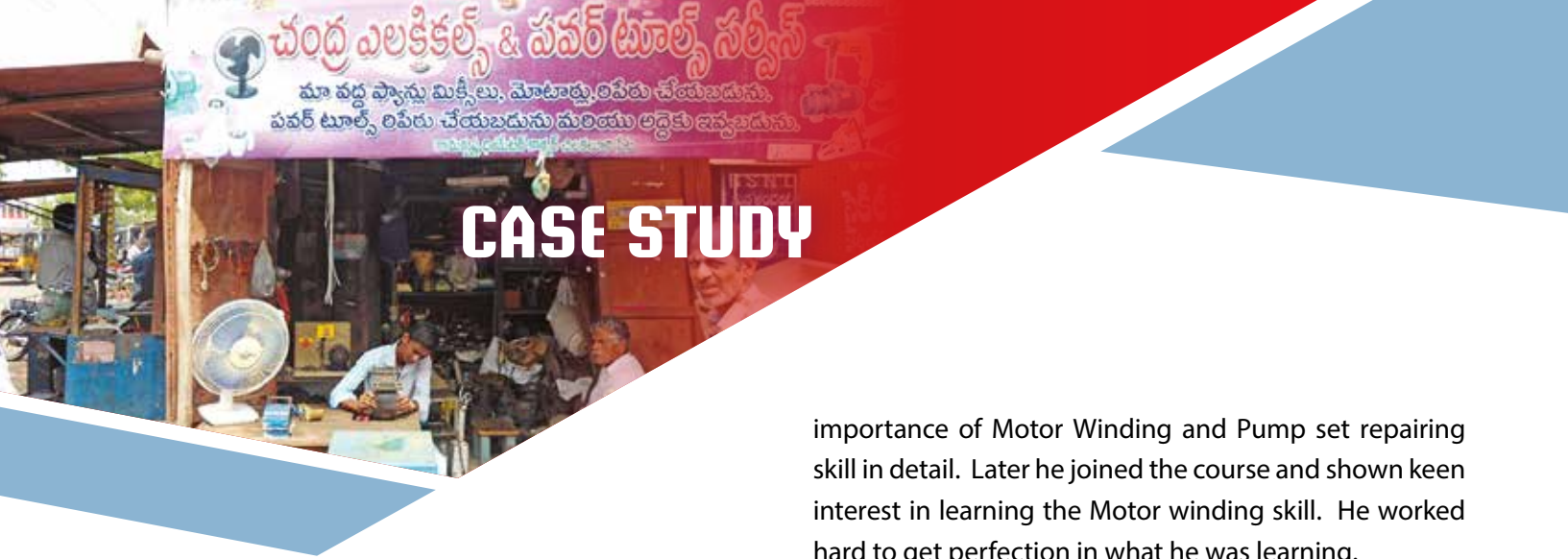
S. No.	Area	Issue	No. of Camps Organised
1	Chilakaluripet	Computer Hardware & Net working	50
		Mobile Repair	25
		MS Office & Internet	25
		Electrical Gadget repairing	25
		Motor winding & Pump set repairing	25
		Fashion Design	25
2	Piduguralla	Computer Applications	25
		Mobile Repair	25
		Fashion Design	25
		Tailoring	110
		Masonry	25
3	Ongole	Tailoring & Embroidery	69
4	Vetapalem	Fashion Design	75
Total			529

Hence, ASSIST conducts a periodic study in the operational areas to identify the need and demand of human resources in a particular trade, availability of raw material pertaining to that trade and market potential in that specific area. Based on this study, ASSIST gives greater emphasis on skill training and upgradation apart from the basic skills on procurement of raw material, marketing the finished produce or extending the services based on that particular skill and finally managerial skill to enhance the profit margin.

ASSIST has established full-fledged vocational training centres in various operational areas to extend the residential training for over 200 male and female candidates at a time. During the year under review, 529 candidates were given training in various trades as mentioned below for a period of 6 months mostly and in some skills for a period of 3 months. 75% of these candidates have either established their own work units or service centres or obtained jobs in various establishments. Majority of the candidates have established the work units or service centres with the loan provided by the Mutually Aided Cooperative Thrift and Credit Society (MACTS) promoted by ASSIST in their region.

Trade Wise Vocational Trainings





CASE STUDY

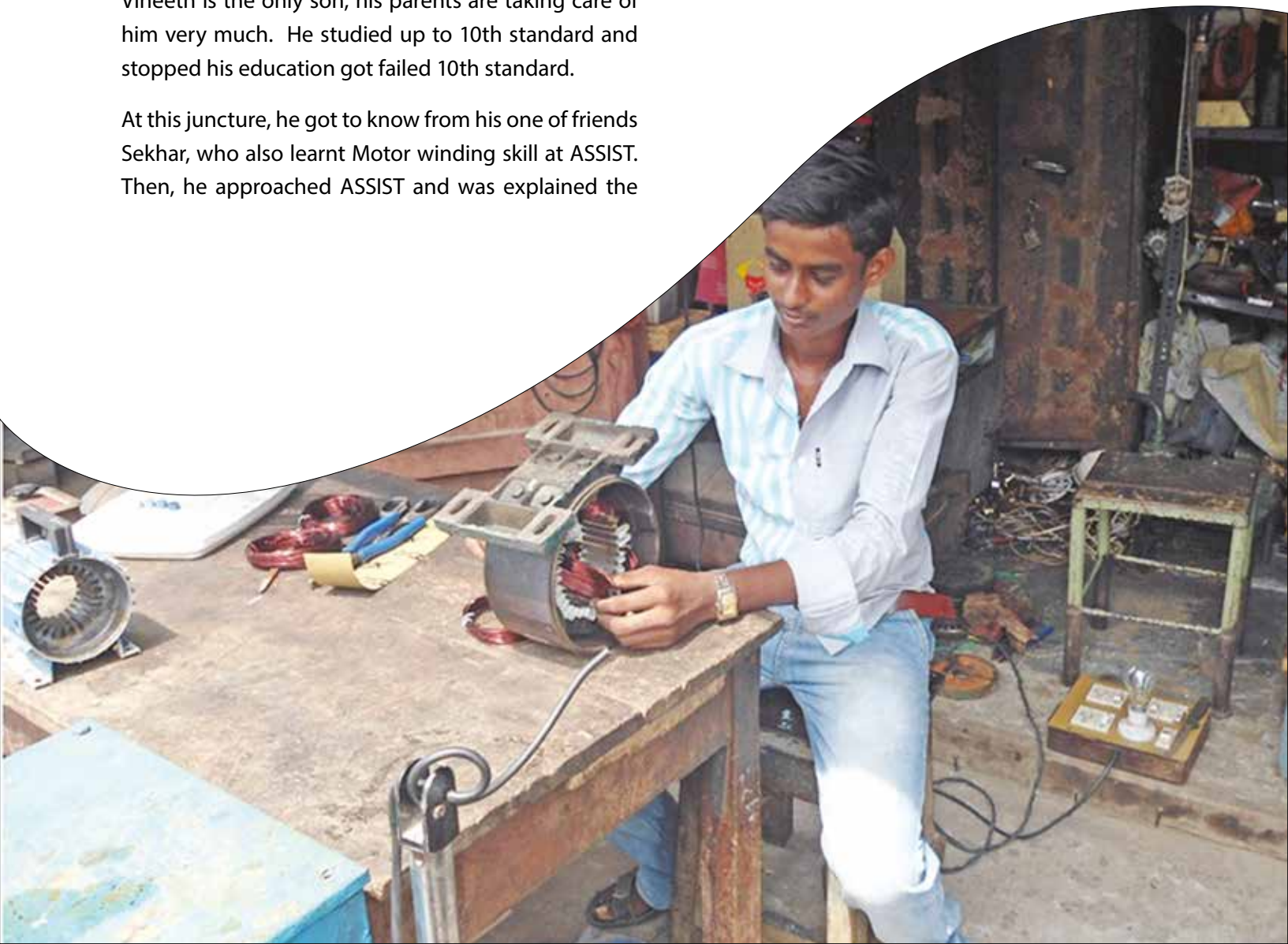
ESDP in Motor Winding Skill:

Vineeth is living in Chintapalli Padu village of Eddanapudi Mandal, Prakasam District along with his family members. His parents are Agricultural labourers. They own one acre of land and have their own house. They have constructed house with the assistance provided by ASSIST organisation. He had one sister who demised after got married. Since, Vineeth is the only son, his parents are taking care of him very much. He studied up to 10th standard and stopped his education got failed 10th standard.

At this juncture, he got to know from his one of friends Sekhar, who also learnt Motor winding skill at ASSIST. Then, he approached ASSIST and was explained the

importance of Motor Winding and Pump set repairing skill in detail. Later he joined the course and shown keen interest in learning the Motor winding skill. He worked hard to get perfection in what he was learning.

After completion of training, he joined in Singh Motor Winding shop located at Guntur. Since, he is residing in Chilakaluripet, he used to go Guntur by bus daily. Here, he underwent three months apprentice and got good practical knowledge. After successful completion as an apprentice, he is currently working in Chandra Electricals, Chilakaluripet getting Rs. 3,500/- per month.





CASE STUDY

Irla Suresh s/o Veeraswamy and Rama Tulasamma has been residing in Maruti Nagar for the past 20 years. This family got migrated from Konanki Village and since then living on quarry work for all these years. The family has eight children and six of them got married. One of sons passed away due to the accident in the quarry. Suresh is the eighth and last child of the family. Due to financial constraints, both the parents used to bring their eighth child Suresh as well for the quarry work.

While both father and mother are engaged in the quarry works, Suresh also used to attend the works in the quarry. In the process, he used to get beaten by the stones often. Being the youngest child, both the parents are affectionate towards him and they take utmost care of him. But, if they leave him at home, he is getting spoiled by roaming around the streets with other children. Hence, the parents most often opted to take him for quarry work.


ASSIST Field Workers have identified this child as non-schooling one and found that he is one of the never enrolled child. The field workers have spoken to the child and parents as well several times trying to enlighten them on the need and importance of education. But, their efforts were not successful. After several efforts, the house visit made by the Community Organiser followed by the cultural camp in the village previous night has yielded good result. Both the parents were shaken with the skit played by the cultural team narrating the problems faced by that particular family.

Accordingly, they said they have decided to admit their youngest son Suresh in the local School.

The Community Organiser has taken immediate steps and admitted Suresh in the 1st class in ASSIST Transitional Education Centre located in Maruti Nagar. But, he was not regular to the school, especially in the beginning. The Community Organiser had to make special efforts to ensure that he is coming to the school regularly. Sometimes, he had to be forced to come to the school. With strenuous efforts, Suresh has completed 5th class and got admitted in 6th class in the Government School. Slowly, he got interested in studies and he was determined to go for higher studies to have bright future for him and for the family as well.

But, the family conditions did not support him. By that time, his parents became old as he is the eighth child. Both the parents could not continue to go for work. As a consequence, Suresh was forced to discontinue his studies and started breadwinner of the family. By the time, Suresh has also crossed 14 years of age. Having seen the interest generated by him towards studies, the field workers of ASSIST motivated him to go for vocational training so that he would have better livelihood options. Among the various skills opted by ASSIST, he got interested in masonry skill and joined in this course. But, the parents did not support him at this time as they lose his earnings. But, the field workers of ASSIST had convinced them stating that it is only for three months and after the training he could earn more having the skill in his hand. The situation forced Suresh to concentrate on the skill with greater determination as he felt responsible to take care of his old parents.

Now, Suresh has become professional in masonry and he has work all the 365 days. He feels he is independent having mastered the skill. He is earning a minimum of 350 INR per day. He is so grateful to ASSIST as the vocational training made him to lead a respectable life in the society with pride and dignity. His parents are extremely happy as well.



ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT



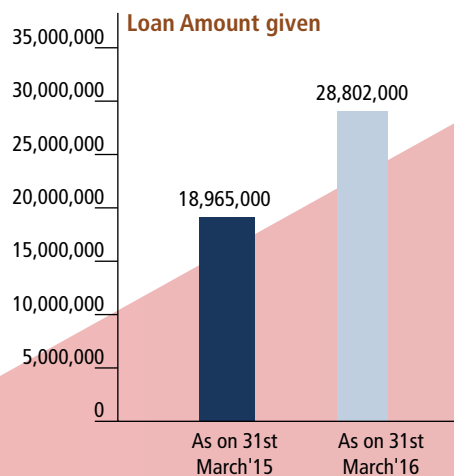
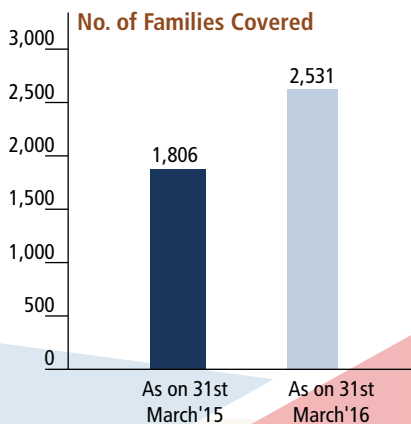
This is the most crucial and vital intervention for the development of any individual or a family or a community. This is given significance after the successful functioning of People's Organisation and active role of that particular family or community in educational development interventions. These are given greater focus in view of the sustenance of the income generation activity planned for that particular family or community. Community feasibility study is the essential tool used by ASSIST to derive the feasible income generation interventions for that family based on the land and human resources including skills, capacities and capabilities of that particular person(s).



ASSIST is proud to state that it could changes the lives of 4,743 families and educated them to take a variety of income generation activities as can be seen below.

S. No	Category	SHGs	MACTS	MICRO CREDIT	Total
1	Sheep & Goat	210	63	45	318
2	Milk Business	105	30	1	136
3	Mutton & Fish Business	38	58	4	100
4	Fruits Business	34	64	5	103
5	Vegetable vending	72	54	14	140
6	Canteen	23	36	12	71
7	Petty Shop	78	101	33	212
8	Cloth Business	74	61	24	159
9	Sewing Machines	81	78	46	205
10	Rice Business	32	-	1	33
11	Auto Repairs	12	81	8	101
12	Fancy Goods	43	-	12	55
13	Basket Making	36	-	1	37
14	Maggam work	-	4	10	14
15	Quarry Business	-	-	20	20
16	Iron Scrap Business	18	21	4	43
17	Cycles	10	-	3	13
18	Housing	57	40	1	98
19	Grinder Business	27	4	1	32
20	Cashew Nuts Business	21	-	1	22
21	Health	-	86	4	90
22	Education	-	139	8	147
23	Sanitation	-	51	-	51
24	Soda Business	-	19	-	19

S. No	Category	SHGs	MACTS	MICRO CREDIT	Total
25	Tarpaulin sheets	12	83	1	96
26	Chappal Business	-	-	1	1
27	Bangles	-	-	1	1
28	Coconut Business	-	-	1	1
29	Tanning Business	-	-	1	1
30	Steel Business	-	-	14	14
31	Rats Basket Making	-	-	31	31
32	Cole Business	-	-	1	1
33	Fish Nets	-	-	4	4
34	Casio	-	-	1	1
35	Hair Business	4	-	2	6
36	Tailoring shop	9	-	6	15
37	Computer	-	-	2	2
38	Beauty Parlour	-	-	2	2
39	Meals leaves	-	-	1	1
40	Dairy Units	-	-	2	2
41	Bricks Units	-	-	2	2
42	Foot wear	-	-	13	13
43	Fish Business	-	-	1	1
44	Welding shop	-	-	1	1
45	Battery shop	-	-	1	1
46	Photostat	-	-	1	1
47	Milch Animals	592	245	377	1,214
48	Agriculture	624	270	218	1,112
Total		2,212	1,588	943	4,743



IMPROVEMENT IN SUPPORTING OF LIVELIHOOD PROMOTION (FROM 1.04.2015 TO 31.03.2016)

Sl. No.	MACTS / AREAS	No. of SHGs Covered		No. of Families Covered		Loan Given Amount INR		Types of Loan											
		No. of SHGs Covered		No. of Families Covered		INR		Non-Farm Enterprises		Animal Husbandry		Agriculture							
		2014-15	2015-16	2014-15	2015-16	2014-15	2015-16	No. of Loans	Amount INR	No. of Loans	Amount INR	No. of Loans	Amount INR						
1	Chaitanya	-	-	342	437	3,275,000	4,260,000	185	238	1,705,000	2,270,000	59	92	590,000	920,000	98	107	980,000	1,070,000
2	Novodaya	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	Pragathi	-	-	347	387	3,470,000	4,310,000	196	242	1,960,000	2,725,000	81	86	810,000	926,000	70	59	700,000	659,000
4	Prasanti	-	-	681	730	6,745,000	8,460,000	559	589	5,525,000	6,345,000	52	67	520,000	1,005,000	70	74	700,000	1,110,000
5	Ankamma	-	-	15	30	150,000	300,000	7	-	70,000	-	3	-	30,000	-	2	30	20,000	300,000
6	Maa Pragathi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Prathyusha	2	-	13	4	120,000	60,000	13	4	120,000	60,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Ushodaya	-	-	6	-	60,000	-	6	-	60,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	AMMPMACS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total		2	-	1,404	1,588	13,820,000	17,390,000	966	1,073	9,440,000	11,400,000	195	245	1,950,000	2,851,000	240	270	2,400,000	3,139,000
1	Ballikurava	-	-	107	111	2,405,000	1,557,000	15	59	140,000	803,000	87	47	800,000	698,000	5	5	75,000	56,000
2	Bollapali	-	-	4	115	60,000	1,314,000	1	59	15,000	664,000	3	43	45,000	505,000	-	13	-	145,000
3	Gutlapalli	-	-	93	219	1,405,000	2,490,000	-	9	-	105,000	93	92	1,405,000	960,000	-	118	-	1,425,000
4	Ongole	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Piduguralla	-	-	124	121	760,000	1,110,000	97	77	490,000	670,000	27	44	270,000	440,000	-	-	-	-
6	Pudur	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7	Uppugunduru	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	Vetapalem	-	-	74	63	515,000	1,132,000	74	63	515,000	1,132,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	Avanigadda	-	-	-	15	-	224,000	-	12	-	184,000	-	3	-	40,000	-	-	-	-
10	Markapur	-	-	-	40	-	715,000	-	21	-	440,000	-	12	-	165,000	-	7	-	110,000
11	Martur	-	-	-	259	-	2,870,000	-	48	-	480,000	-	136	-	1,265,000	-	75	-	1,125,000
Total		-	-	402	943	5,145,000	11,412,000	187	348	1,160,000	4,478,000	210	377	2,520,000	4,073,000	5	218	75,000	2,861,000
Grand Total		2	-	1,806	2,531	18,965,000	28,802,000	1,153	1,421	10,600,000	15,878,000	405	622	4,470,000	6,924,000	245	488	2,475,000	6,000,000

AUDITOR'S REPORT



REPORT OF THE AUDITORS TO THE MEMBERS

We have audited the attached Balance Sheet of ASSIST as 31st March, 2016, Income and Expenditure Account and also Receipts and Payments Account for the year 2015-16. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Society's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in India. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the Financial Statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the Financial Statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by the management, as well as evaluating the overall Financial Statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the assets and liabilities arising from cash transactions of ASSIST at 31.03.2016 and of the revenue collected and expenses paid during the year then ended on the cash receipts and disbursements basis as described in Note 1 of the Schedule – VI.

- (1) We have obtained all the information and explanations, which, to the best of our knowledge and belief, were necessary for the purpose of our audit.
- (2) In our opinion, proper books of accounts as required by law have been kept by the Society so far as appears from our examination of those books.
- (3) The Balance Sheet and Income and Expenditure Account dealt with by this Report are in agreement with the books of accounts.
- (4) In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the said accounts read together with the Significant Accounting Policies and Notes give the information required by the Indian Societies Registration Act XXI of 1860 in the manner so required and give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India:
 - a) In the case of the Balance Sheet, the State of affairs of the Society as 31st March, 2016, and
 - b) In the case of the Income and Expenditure Account, of the excess of Expenditure over Income of the Society for the year ended on that date.

PLACE : CHILAKALURIPET

DATE : 12.08.2016

For JAWAHAR AND ASSOCIATES

CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

FRN. 001281S

Sd/-

(K. PRABHAKAR)

PARTNER

MEM.NO 26041

BALANCE SHEET AS ON	31st March 2016 INR	31st March 2015 INR
LIABILITIES		
Capital Fund	20,688,206	25,184,919
Donor Agencies Account	19,000,154	11,467,892
Loan Funds	2,588,726	388,123
TOTAL	42,277,086	37,040,934
ASSETS		
Fixed Assets	16,291,224	15,669,955
Current Assets, Loans & Advances	25,985,862	21,370,979
TOTAL	42,277,086	37,040,934

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED	31st March 2016 INR	31st March 2015 INR
INCOME		
Donations and Grants	1,325,511	3,089,567
Interest and other Income	278,488	791,122
Profit on Sale of Assets	-	-
Excess of Expenditure over Income	4,589,313	5,256,110
TOTAL	6,193,312	9,136,799
EXPENDITURE		
Projects	3,358,213	7,037,998
Interest and Administration	1,293,721	901,570
Depreciation	1,541,378	1,197,231
TOTAL	6,193,312	9,136,799

Accounting Policies and Notes to Accounts form part of accounts

PLACE : CHILAKALURIPET

DATE : 12.08.2016

For JAWAHAR AND ASSOCIATES
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS
FRN. 001281S

Sd/-
PRESIDENT

Sd/-
DIRECTOR

Sd/-
(K. PRABHAKAR)
PARTNER
MEM.NO 26041

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED	31st March 2016 INR	31st March 2015 INR
RECEIPTS		
Opening balances	16,230,383	18,601,924
Donations and Grants	133,685,290	97,027,961
Interest and other Income	1,834,007	2,346,497
Loans and Advances Received & Recovered	5,883,430	2,808,372
TOTAL	157,633,110	120,784,754
PAYMENTS		
Projects	133,360,815	100,795,981
Interest and Administration	1,293,721	901,570
Loans and Advances Given & Refunded	3,956,988	1,329,686
Fixed Assets	2,797,647	1,527,135
Closing balances	16,223,939	16,230,383
TOTAL	157,633,110	120,784,754

I. DISCLOSURE OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES :

1. Revenue Recognition: The Society follows cash basis of accounting for all financial transactions and therefore income is recognised as and when the contributions are received. The society may need to refund the contributions received from certain agencies, if the same is not utilised for the sanctioned purpose as per the agreement.
 2. FIXED ASSETS AND DEPRECIATION :
 - a) Fixed Assets are accounted at cost including freight, installation charges, duties, taxes, insurance and other incidental charges thereon.
 - b) Depreciation on fixed assets is charged at the rates prescribed by the Income Tax Act on written down value method.
 3. RETIREMENT BENEFITS :

Provident Fund : Society's contribution to Provident Fund is recognised on cash basis.
 4. GOVERNMENT GRANTS :

The grants in aid and the expenditure on projects are shown in the Receipts and Payments Account. Unexpended grants in aid at the end of the year are shown as Liability.
 5. Materials issued to the villagers for various construction purposes are treated as materials consumed during the year.
 6. There are no contingent liabilities.
 7. ACCOUNTING FOR TAXES ON INCOME :

Accounting standard 22 on accounting for taxes on income is not applicable to this Society as this society's income is exempt under the Income Tax Act 1961.
- II.**
1. Interest Received under Receipts and Payments account includes interest received on staff Loans.
 2. Previous year figures are re-grouped wherever necessary.

1. Salary and benefits of the Head of the NGO :

NAME	BENEFITS	AMOUNT. INR
Mr. JASHTI RANGA RAO	Basic	10,000.00
	D.A.	15,000.00
	H.R.A.	10,000.00
	F.T.A.	8,000.00
	SPECIAL	7,000.00
	TOTAL	50,000.00

2. Staff Remuneration (Gross annual salary + benefits) in Rupees :**INR**

Highest Salary Paid (Mr. J. Ranga Rao, Director)	600,000.00	per annum
Lowest Salary Paid (K.Siyonu Kumari, Balwadi Teacher)	55,680.00	per annum

3. All remuneration and reimbursements to Board member :**Nil****4. Distribution of staff according to salary levels :**

Slab of gross salary per month (in Rs.) plus benefits paid to staff	Male staff	Female staff	Total staff
Less than 5,000	2	2	4
5,000 - 10,000	42	35	77
10,000 - 25,000	31	11	42
Above 25,000	4	1	5
Total	79	49	128

5. Total cost of international travel by all personnel : (including volunteers)

Name & Designation	Destination	Purpose	Gross Expenses INR	Sponsored by external organisation
Nil	---	---	---	---

6. Total cost of National travel by all personnel : (including volunteers)**INR 9,140/-**

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FUTURE THRUST

ASSIST is aware of the paradigm shift in the development sector with the inflow of corporate social responsibility funding possibilities. However, the corporates are taking time to understand the development process followed by ASSIST over the years.

Hence, the main task before us is to educate the corporates to realise the need and importance of following a systematic development process in a community to attain Sustainable Development Goals (SDG). It implies the staff of ASSIST at all levels need to be capacitated to face this challenge. This can be made possible through constant internal and external trainings.

ASSIST has to open the avenues for retail on-line fund raising by improving the systems and human resources since there is a major decline in institutional funding possibilities. We are strengthening our documentation and marketing skills in order to gear up to avail the new sources of funds.










ASSIST is also geared up to the challenge of widening the skill development programmes with our adequate infrastructure facilities sensing a wide spread need among the growing number of adolescents and youth.

PARTNERS IN PROGRESS

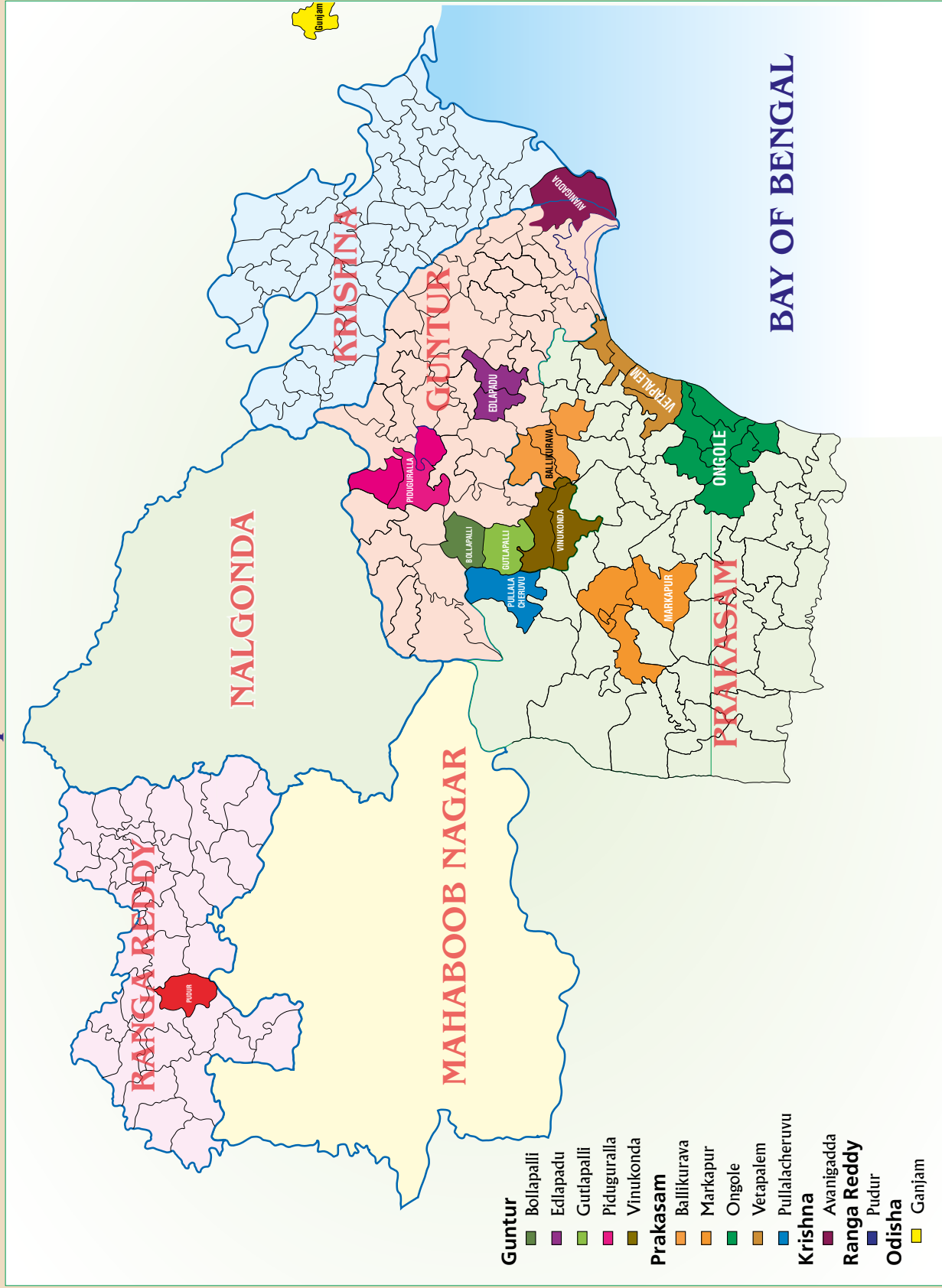
No.	AGENCY	PROGRAMME
1	AGNESE SPIAZZI, ITALY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Child Sponsorship Programme
2	CAF INDIA, NEW DELHI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sanitation for Education
3	DELOITTE CONSULTING INDIA PVT. LTD., HYDERABAD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Desk Benches for Govt. Schools
4	DISTRICT MEDICAL & HEALTH, GUNTUR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Urban Health Centre, Purushottamapatnam
5	DKA, AUSTRIA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Revitalising Traditional Handloom Weavers in Chirala Region • Protecting Women and Girl Children from trafficking in 30 villages around Tangutur Area
6	END OF POVERTY FOUNDATION, THE NETHERLANDS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bore Wells • Water Plants • Equipment for cultural team • Piduguralla Vocational Training Centre
7	ENGINEERS WITHOUT BORDERS, USA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Solar installation in Chakicherla Peda Pattapupalem
8	FEMI, THE NETHERLANDS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Comprehensive Community Development Programme, Kukkalavaripalem • Community Organisation Project, Markapur • Community Development Works
9	FONDAZIONE SAN ZENO ONLUS, ITALY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Housing, Yerravenichenchu Colony
10	GE, HYDERABAD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strengthening the water and sanitation facilities in the selected 8 Government high schools of Valigonda mandal, Nalgonda Dt.
11	GE VOLUNTEERS, HYDERABAD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Water Plants
12	GIVE INDIA, MUMBAI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Child Sponsorship Programme • Provision of Safe Drinking Water • Sanitary Installation in a school • General Fund
13	GLOBAL GIVING, USA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community Development Works
14	GLOCHEM INDUSTRIES LTD., HYDERABAD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strengthening School Infrastructure
15	GODFREY PHILLIPS INDIA LIMITED, NEW DELHI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improving the lives of women tobacco graders in Ongole Area
16	INSIEME SI PUO, ITALY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Child Sponsorship Programme
17	ITC-MSK, KOLKATA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Promotion of Household & School Toilets to Improve the Environmental & Sanitary conditions in Vinukonda and Chilakaluripet Areas, Guntur District
18	KFB, AUSTRIA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Protecting Women and Girl Children from Trafficking in 30 tobacco growing villages in Tangutur, Jarugumalli and Kondepi Mandals of Prakasam District
19	MANDAL DEVELOPMENT OFFICES, GUNTUR DISTRICT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Household Toilets
20	MICRO SEMI, HYDERABAD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Malkaram School Development
21	MISSION BAMBINI FOUNDATION, ITALY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Distance Adoption Programme - Vetapalem, Markapur, Bollapalli, Nehrunagar and Dande colony • Household Toilets
22	NI-MSME, HYDERABAD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vocational Training

No.	AGENCY	PROGRAMME
23	PHILIP MORRIS, SWITZERLAND	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prevention and Elimination of Child Labour in Tobacco Growing Region of Vinukonda • Baseline study for piloting the grievance mechanism in 10 Tobacco Growing Communities in Vinukonda Area
24	PLAN INDIA, NEW DELHI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Empowerment of Children through Sports • Heat Wave Response
25	ROTARY CLUB OF BERRI, AUSTRALIA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Housing Programme
26	RRDF, THE NETHERLANDS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Comprehensive Community Development Programme in Elachetladibba and Nachugunta of Krishna District
27	SONNENHAUS, GERMANY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community Based Innovations to Reduce Child Labour through Education in coastal habitations of Prakasam District
28	SYNCHRONY INTERNATIONAL SERVICES, HYDERABAD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strengthening 3 Government High Schools in Hyderabad • Setting up English language lab for RDF School in Kalleda • Organising spoken English summer camp in Hyderabad • Construction of Class Room in Kalleda school • Set up English Lab in Kalleda school
29	THE ADM CAPITAL FOUNDATION, HONG KONG	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Piduguralla Vocational Training Centre
30	THE DISTRICT COLLECTOR, GUNTUR DISTRICT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Balahitha Special Schools
31	THE KADOORIE CHARITABLE FOUNDATION, HONG KONG	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Promoting Child Rights to Education and Capacity Building for 25 villages in Guntur District • Comprehensive Community Development Programme, Yerraveni Chenchu Colony
32	UMMI, ITALY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Watershed Projects, Gandiganumala
33	UNITED BREWERIES LTD., BENGALURU	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provision of Safe drinking water to the people around the breweries in Telangana • School Infrastructure Development
34	UNITED WAY BENGALURU	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Phailin Disaster Rehabilitation Works
35	UNITED WAY HYDERABAD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Water and Sanitation in Schools Phailin Cyclone Disaster Response Programme • Improving Learning abilities of underserved children of Government schools in Bahadurpura Mandal
36	UNITED WAY INDIA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Livelihood Restoration of Fishermen affected by Hudhud • Hudhud Rehabilitation (Water Plant)
37	UNITED WAY MUMBAI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Desk Benches for Government Schools
38	WEWORLD, ITALY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Combating the problem of child labour and promoting education in Piduguralla Region of Guntur District
39	ZERO KAP, THE NETHERLANDS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Micro Credit

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

S.	Name & Address No.	Sex	Occupation	Position in the Board
	1. Rtn. Ravi Vadlamani Chartered Accountant M/S. Umamaheswara Rao &Co., Main Road, Brodipet, Guntur-522002 Mobile: 9848132565	M	Chartered Accountant	PRESIDENT
	2. Fr. Antony Santiago S/o Santiago Village Reconstruction Organisation (VRO) C- 198, By pass Road, Pedakakani – 522509	M	Social Worker	VICE PRESIDENT
	3. Fr. N. Bala Showraiah S/o Anthaiah Bishop House, Ring Road Guntur - 522007 Mobilel :9959766334	M	Parish Priest RCM Church	EXECUTIVE SECRETARY
	4. Mr.N.V. Subbaiah Chowdary S/o Pattabhi Sitaramaiah 8/56 Lawyerpet Extension Ongole – 523 001 Tel: 08592 – 234297 / 224297 Mobile: 9440075174	M	Advocate	JOINT SECRETARY
	5. Mrs. Tella Naga Harshitha W/o Dr. Sathyam Babu Suhani Nagar, Chilakaluripet-522616 Tel: 08647 – 254362 (O) 252871 Mobile: 9959953655	F	Doctor	TREASURER
	6. Mrs. G. Sarojini W/o Dr. G. Ranga Rao Manju Nursing Home Chilakaluripet – 522616 Tel: 08647 – 254333 Mobile: 9390017729	F	Social Worker	MEMBER
	7. Mr. K. Anji Babu S/o Venkata Narayana Pandariapuram, Chilakaluripet - 522616 Tel: 08647 –254778 Mobile: 9849638244	M	Social Worker	MEMBER
	8. Mr. T. Venkata Rayalu S/o Rama Kotaiah Retired Principal Pandariapuram, Chilakaluripet – 522616 Tel: 08647 – 253420 Mobile: 9010024297	M	Social Worker	MEMBER
	9. Mrs. Ginjupalli Suseela W/o G. Venkata Giri No. 23-2-13, Sai Towers, 9th Line, Pandariapuram, Chilakaluripet- 522616 Tel: 08647 253853, Mobile: 9010093797	F	Social Worker	MEMBER

Our Operational Area...





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