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# Formation and Strengthening of District Clean Energy Solutions Forum

Venue:Block Conference Hall , NamkumRanchi Participants:64



One day district level program under Race project was held at Hall, Ranchi.

The following were the objectives of the program

## **Objectives**

- To acquaint the participants about LEADS organization
- About Race project objectives and achievements.
- Experience sharing by youths
- Certificate Distribution and Kits to the youths

#### **Speakers**

Zila Parishad Member Rita Horo, Zila Parishad Member Bipin Toppo, Anjali Lakra, Director of Millet Mission, Manish Kr Singh clean energy expert, Shailesh Minz community mobilizer.

## **Discussion Points**

**Dharmendra Toppo** community mobilizer under RACE project welcomed the participants.

**Shailesh Minz**, of RACE project gave the participants brief description of LEADS organization was established in 2005 and is working in the field of education, health, farmers, women empowerment, clean energy. He also mentioned that LEADS staffs under Race Project are working in 4 districts namely Ranchi, Simdega, Gumla and Khunti. He mentioned specifically about Ranchi district and cited that it is working in Ranchi District of Namkum Block since last 4 years in the field of clean energy and bringing changes in the lives of villagers.

The discussion proceeded by Manish Kr Singh(clean energy expert) he gave brief description about the objectives of RACE project and its achievement

Clean Energy Solution (CES) are available, accessible and affordable to the rural tribal communities of Jharkhand. Specific objective Sensitise, aware and build capacity of duty bearers, CSOs, PRIs promote CES in 24 blocks of 4 districts in Jharkhand.Increased multiple stakeholder dialogues and advocacy on CES in 24 blocks of 4 districts in Jharkhand.Enhanced skills and Entrepreneurship environment in Clean Energy Sector.

He mentioned about the achievements of Ranchi District

■ KUSUM Scheme-52

- Drip Irrigation-41
- Biogas-02
- Solar Integrated Cook Stove-02
- Maintenance of Solar Water tank-117
- Street Play and Drama-87
- Wall Writing –83
- Solar powered Potter wheel-1
- Herbal medicine unit-1
- Spice manufacturing unit-1
- CES botique centre-1
- School Event-108
- Ujjwala Scheme-16
- Youth Skill Training-876
- LED Assembly Unit-01
- Common Service Centre-02
- Solar Sales and Service Centre-05
- Smokeless Chulha -1112
- Village clean energy committee-77
- Panchayat clean energy Committee -19

The discussion proceeded and Bipin Toppo Zila Parishad Member apprecipated the work of LEADS NGO in field of clean energy and mentioned about the positive impact of using smokeless chulha, LED Bulb.

**Anjali Lakra of Millet Mission** cited on the ill effects of using dibri and how the replacement with LED light has bring positive changes. She has constructed smokeless chulha at her house. In our Panchayat the youth were engaged in training of construction of smokeless chulha that is quite beneficial she also mentioned about eating millets and its benefits. She mentioned that LEADS NGO have provided 4 days training to the youths the youth can work in the village.

Rita Horo Zila Parishad Member mentioned that training is very important and integral part .

The youth shared the experience of 4 days residential training in which learnt several things electrical, solar based , financial training .

# Conclusion

One day workshop on clean energy was held in which participants were acquainted on usage of clean energy was very fruitful in which experiences was shared

#### Photos





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