
Subject: Re: National Forum | Proposed Food Security Act: Views of K R Venugopal [1 Attachment]

From: SAKTI (saktisrk@yahoo.com)

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Date: Thursday, June 17, 2010 10:58 AM

Dear Achutbhai

Supreme Court directed to cover PTGs with AAY. When Harsha Mander was here , myself , Prof Kodandaram, helping Court Commissioner ,met Sri K.Raju Principal Secretary Rural Development who is dealing with the Court case ..I focused on prioritizing implementation by beginning with PTGs . Since it is an identified group, Raju was convinced and organized a tele conference with Secretary Tribal Welfare and Commissioner Civil Supplies .But there is no improvement in the coverage. Moreover the Govt issued PDS cards left and right before the elections. After elections it went on the spree of weeding out the bogus cards. In this process many cards of Chenchu PTG were deleted on one or other count. I must mention here that one PTG Chenchu has been identified by GOI in '93 as a community undergoing starvation deaths. But so far the coverage of this group under food security is meager. This is the field reality.

Regards

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[Attachment(s) from achyut das included below]

Dear Friend,

Hello!

The entire country is debating on Food Security Act. There are many points and counterpoints.

I am forwarding a Paper prepared by Mr. K.R. Venugopal who had introduced the PDS Rice in Andhra Pradesh for the first time in the country. Besides, he was instrumental in restructuring the ICDS.

Please do send your comments.

Also forward it other friends interested in the debate,

With best wishes,

Achyut Das

----- Original Message -----

From: Basant Kar

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Subject: Proposed Food Security Act: Views of K R Venugopal

Dear Friends,

You must be aware about Mr K R Venugopal, Formerly Secretary to the Prime Minister and Special Rapporteur, National Human Rights Commission . Mr. Venugopal is known for his un-impeachable integrity and upright views on taking side of the most marginalised. He is known as Food Man in the country and was instrumental in rolling out Rs 2/KG of rice for the first time in AP and led ICDS restructuring. Please find a paper written by him which articulates his positions on proposed Food Security Act. Among others it talks about Food and Nutrition rights, food production including promotion of dry land agriculture.

In his own words he emphasises 'to build on some of the existing programmes, underpinned by an appropriate strategy for increased agricultural production, with a new emphasis on dry land agriculture'. The paper also talks about merger of Antodaya Anna Yojana and Annapurna Scheme and need for MNREGA resources allocated for construction of AWCs.

Most programmatically he suggests for 'a rational PDS: free food grains for the poorest of the poor; affordability for the other poor; and availability for the non-poor. Not a universal coverage.'

You may find the paper quite informative and rich with rational standpoints currently missing in proposed Food Security Act. It would be our pleasure to receive the feedback to the paper .This would firm up our advocacy agenda.

With best regards,

Basanta kumar kar
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