Headline: NSE Foundation partners with Ramanathapuram Administration for CSR initiatives

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The Hindu

NSE Foundation to implement programmes worth ₹19.39 crore

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The NSE Foundation, the CSR (Corporate Social Responsibility) arm of National Stock Exchange (NSE), India's leading stock exchange, has signed 'Statement of Intent' (SoI) with the district administration to improve quality of life of the people of the district through interventional programmes at a total cost of ₹19.39 crore.

After signing SoI with NITI Aayog for the transformation of four aspirational districts, including this district, identified by NITI Aayog, Ms Rema Mohan, CEO, NSE Foundation signed the SoI with Collector K. Veera Raghava Rao at a function here on Friday. The NSE Foundation proposed to make interventions in the areas of drinking water, sanitation, education and elder care, involving eight Non-Governmental Organisations (NGOs).

Addressing the function, Mr. Rao said the aspirational districts programme targeted the most backward districts for balanced growth and development. The programme aimed at reducing regional disparities and improving human and social indicators of the districts, he said.

"All steps are being taken to lift the district out of its backward status and put it in the path of development," he said.

Ms. Mohan said the NSE Foundation supported more than 50 projects in 10 States, covering 8.5 lakh people under the CSR activities of NSE. "We are committed to the transformation of this district by undertaking developmental programmes," she said. The programmes to be implemented by the NGOs would be reviewed by the Collector on regular basis, she said.

Green Rameswaram Trust would be the technical and knowledge partner, she added. Project Director, DRDA, D. Getzi Leema Amalini, Green Rameswaram Trust Secretary G. Vasudeo, Assistant Director, Panchayats, V. Kesavadasan and representatives of the NGOs were present.

https://www.thehindu.com/news/cities/Madurai/nse-foundation-to-implement-programmes-worth-1939-crore/article28591459.ece

India CSR

NSE Foundation helping 805,000 people under CSR

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Mumbai: National Stock Exchange (NSE) Foundation, a subsidiary of National Stock Exchange of India Ltd, aspires in helping the underprivileged sections of the population by improving their quality of life. The foundation is impacting around 805,000 beneficiaries across 10 States in India. The key focus areas for the NSE foundation are primary education, water, sanitation, hygiene, safe drinking water, and elder care, along with certain disaster relief and rehabilitation efforts.

The foundation identifies that economic well-being of the nation is linked with the social welfare of the community and hence focuses on improving the quality of life of its identified beneficiaries towards creating inclusive societies while meeting its social, economic and environmental responsibilities.

It has reached more than 100 districts through 56 projects across ten states including Rajasthan, Maharashtra, Kerala, Tamil Nadu, Telangana, West Bengal, Jharkhand, Bihar, Uttar Pradesh, and Madhya Pradesh.

The foundation has also commenced concentrated initiatives to implement impact-driven projects in four NITI Aayog recognized aspirational districts, Nandurbar (Maharashtra), Karauli (Rajasthan), Birbhum (West Bengal) and Ramanathapuram (Tamil Nadu).

Today (19 Jul), NSE Foundation has signed a Statement of Intent (SOI) with the Ramanathapuram district administration to undertake CSR activities.

K. Veera Raghava Rao, District Collector, Ramanathapuram, and Rema Mohan, CEO, NSE Foundation formalized the partnership through an SOI.

https://indiacsr.in/nse-foundation-helping-805000-people-under-csr/