

**MINUTES OF THE STATE LEVEL SANCTIONING COMMITTEE (SLSC) MEETING
OF WATERSHED DEVELOPMENT COMPONENT OF PRADHAN MANTRI KRISHI
SINCHAYEE YOJANA (WDC-PMKSY) HELD AT 10.30AM ON 17.09.2025 IN THE
MANAS CONFERENCE HALL, 3RD FLOOR, LOK SEWA BHAWAN, JANATA
BHAWAN, DISPUR, GUWAHATI-06**

List of the members present in the meeting is annexed herewith.

The State Level Sanctioning Committee(SLSC) meeting on Watershed Development Component of Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana (WDC-PMKSY) was held in the Manas Conference Hall, 3rd Floor, Lok Sewa Bhawan, Janata Bhawan, Dispur, Guwahati-06 under the Chairmanship of Dr.Ravi Kota, IAS, Chief Secretary, Govt. of Assam and Chairman, SLSC.

At the outset the Member Secretary,SLSC welcomed all the members present in the meeting and apprised the house about the purpose of the meeting. He asked the Chief Executive Officer,SLNA to begin with a presentation as per the agenda.

Further, with the permission of the Chair, the CEO,SLNA proceeded with a Power Point Presentation.

1. Action taken report on last SLSC Meeting held on 9th June 2025:

i) In the last SLSC meeting held on 9th June, 2025, the house approved 16 nos. of additional Springs with an amount of Rs. 1.12 Cr. in three (3) hilly districts i.e Karbi Anglong, West Karbi Anglong and Dima Hasao.

The proposal have been submitted to DoLR, Gol and the implementation of work will be completed within this financial year 2025-26 after receiving 2nd tranche of funds from DoLR, Gol.

ii) It was also suggested in the last meeting that statistical reports on spring water discharge and water quality should be compiled.

SLNA collected statistical reports on spring water discharge and water quality and presented to the house.

iii) It was recommended that groundwater levels be regularly monitored and the source of groundwater be identified to determine whether it originates from a confined or unconfined aquifer.

CEO emphasis that the process of monitoring of groundwater is going on in 3 hill districts of Assam.

2. Status of ongoing WDC-PMKSY 2.0 projects

a) Physical Progress:

The CEO, SLNA apprised the house that the following achievements have been made till date under 31 nos WDC-PMSY projects:

- Water Harvesting Structure newly created and rejuvenated : 962 Nos.
- Area brought under Plantation (Horticulture and Afforestation) : 821.28 Ha
- Area Covered with Soil and Moisture conservation activities : 12828.73 Ha.
- Additional Area brought under Protective Irrigation : 11521.41 Ha.
- Area of Degraded Land covered and Rainfed area developed : 46,754.485 Ha.
- Vegetative Engineering Structures:-
 - Earthen Checks : 48883.59 Cubic meter
 - Loose Boulders : 30512.77 Cubic meter
 - Gabion Structure : 7215.06 Cubic meter
 - Irrigation/Drainage Channel: 151666.81 Rmt
- Self Help Group (SHG) benefitted under Livelihood activity: 4597 Nos.
- Beneficiaries have been benefitted under Production System: 7133 Nos.
- Employment Generated: 24,30,310 mandays
- Farmers Benefitted: 1,50,200 Nos.

- Springshed Rejuvenated: 143 Nos.

The Chairman, SLSC, emphasised the importance of physical targets and advised to set targets for the achievements and complete the targeted works within the stipulated timeframe.

b) Financial Progress:

The CEO, SLNA, also apprised that in 31 watershed projects under WDC-PMKSY 2.0, out of the total project cost of Rs. 310.60 Cr, a total fund of Rs. 270.41 Cr (Central and State share) received. An amount of Rs. 32.50 Cr, which had lapsed in SNA-SPARSH, was refunded after on-boarding on SNA-SPARSH and interest refunded amounts to Rs. 1.45 Cr. Expenditure incurred is Rs. 232.83 Cr and the unspent balance is Rs. 5.08 Cr.

3. Proposal for Approval of DPRs for additional projects

The proposal for approval of DPRs for five (5) additional projects was placed before the house for the districts of Nagaon, Morigaon, Hojai, Sonitpur, and Lakhimpur, covering treatable area of 19,640 Ha with a project cost of Rs. 43.21 Cr.

Sl no	District/Project Name	Nos. of projects	No. of Micro-watersheds	Area proposed (Ha)	Cost of the Project (Rs. 22000/Ha) (Rs. in Cr.)
1	Nagaon-WDC-2/2025-26 (Chapanala)	1	3	3900	8.58
2	Morigaon-WDC-02/2024-25 (Kopili)	1	3	4000	8.80
3	Hojai-WDC-02/2024-25 (Dimaru)	1	3	3900	8.58
4	Sonitpur-WDC-02/2024-25 (Dikarai)	1	4	3900	8.58
5	Lakhimpur-WDC-02/2024-25 (Rongajan)	1	4	3940	8.67
TOTAL		5	17	19640	43.21

4. Proposal for Approval of Action Plan during 2025-26 for additional five (5) projects

The proposal for implementation of activities during 2025-26 under the heads of Entry Point Activities (EPA) and Natural Resource Management (NRM) was placed before the house as follows:

Sl. No.	Name of Project	Entry Point Activities (EPA)		Natural Resource Management (NRM)	
		Phy. (Nos.)	Fin. (In Lakh)	Phy. (Nos.)	Fin. (In Lakh)
1	Nagaon-II / 2025-26 (Chapanala) WDC-PMKSY 2.0	3	17.16	18	176.96
2	Morigaon-II / 2025-26 (Kapili) WDC-PMKSY 2.0	4	17.60	19	193.60
3	Hojai-II / 2025-26 (Dimaru) WDC-PMKSY 2.0	4	17.16	15	177.32
4	Sonitpur-II / 2025-26 (Dikarai) WDC-PMKSY 2.0	3	17.16	15	230.50
5	Lakhimpur-II / 2025-26 (Rangajan) WDC-PMKSY 2.0	4	17.336	16	321.416
Total		18	86.416	83	1099.796

The Head wise plan for implementation during 2025-26 is as below:

Sl.No	Head	Amount (in Lakhs)
1	Entry Point Activities (EPA)	86.416
2	Natural Resource Management (NRM)	1099.796
3	Administrative	130.020
4	Capacity Building	46.400
Total		1359.632

5. Any other matter from the chair

Further, the Chairman, SLSC, advised that all the 31 ongoing projects be completed within the stipulated timeline fixed by the Government of India. He directed that resource mobilization for the additional projects be initiated forthwith and that implementation works commence without delay.

The Chairman further stressed that proper monitoring and systematic reporting of Soil and Moisture Conservation measures, degraded land covered, and rainfed areas developed be ensured and duly recorded.

He also emphasised the involvement of Gram Panchayats to facilitate smooth and effective implementation of the projects.

After threadbare discussion, the House approved the DPRs and Action Plan amounting to Rs. 1359.632 lakhs for the financial year 2025-26 for five additional projects of Nagaon, Morigaon, Hojai, Sonitpur, and Lakhimpur.

The meeting ended with vote of thanks from the chair.


(Dr. Ravi Kota, IAS)
Chief Secretary, Assam
&
Chairman, SLSC, PMKSY

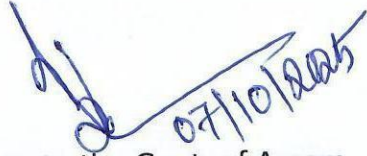
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Dated, Guwahati the 17th September, 2025

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1. The Secretary, Coordination to the Chief Secretary, Assam for kind information.
2. The Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Irrigation/Water Resource/ Soil Conservation/Panchayat & Rural Development/Environment & Forests/ Public Health Engineering Departments, Dispur for kind information.
3. The Joint Secretary(WM), DoLR, GoI for kind information.
4. The Chief Executive Officer, State Level Nodal Agency, WDC-PMKSY, Bhumi Sangrakshan Bhawan, R.G. Baruah Road, Guwahati-5 for kind information.
5. The Regional Director of Central Ground Water Board, Betkuchi, Guwahati, 781035 for kind information.
6. The Director of Agriculture, Assam, Krishi Bhawan, Khanapara-22 for kind information.
7. The Director of Horticulture & Food Processing, Krishi Bhawan Campus, Khanapara – 22 for kind information.
8. The Chief Engineer, Agriculture, Krishi Bhawan campus, Khanapara, Guwahati-22 for kind information.

9. The Chief Engineer, Public Health Engineering Department, Hengerabari, Guwahati-36 for kind information.
10. The Chief Engineer, Water Resources Department, Basistha Chariali, Guwahati-29 for kind information.
11. The Chief Engineer, Irrigation Department, Chandmari, Guwahati-3 for kind information.
12. The Director, NERIWALM, Dolabari, Tezpur, Assam-784027 for kind information.
13. The Joint Registrar, Assam Agricultural University (Department of Agricultural Engineering), Khanapara, Guwahati-22 for kind information.
14. The North East Development Consortium (NEDC), Centre for Microfinance and Livelihood, 5th floor, Divine Plaza, G.S. Road, Super Market, Dispur for kind information.
15. PS to the Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Agriculture Department & Chairman, SLNA, WDC-PMKSY, Assam, Dispur, Guwahati-06 for kind information.

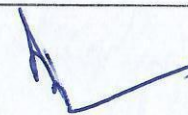
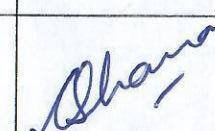

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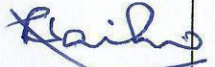
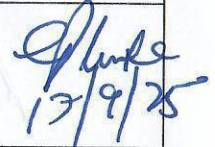
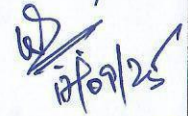
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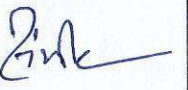
STATE LEVEL SANCTION COMMITTEE MEETING (SLSC)

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