



## Generating Demand for Effective Implementation of MVA Act 2019



A Committee Meeting on ‘Generating demand for effective implementation of Motor Vehicle Amendment 2019’, was held at Chittorgarh on April 25, 2022. CP Joshi, Member of Parliament, was the chief guest who opined that road users, lawmakers and law enforcers should work together to maintain road safety and management.

Jagdish Bairwa, RTO, while delivering the keynote address, stated that these new amendments are comprehensive and progressive. He mentioned that the entire licencing system had been made online to get a valid licence. Rajeev Joshi, DSP (Traffic), the Indian roads are unique. As it sees a heterogenous mix of vehicles and

pedestrians, which requires an extraordinary form of management, he also shared his experiences of the kind of responses he got from the traffic violators, especially helmets, seatbelts and jumping traffic lights.

Manish Sharma, District Transport Officer, highlighted the need to make officials aware of the rules and notifications of the Act. Madhu Sudan Sharma, CUTS, made a presentation on MVA Act 2019, its opportunities, challenges and the way forward. Gauhar Mehmood shared the objectives and Satyapal Singh and Madan Giri Goswami gave a vote of thanks. Over 85 stakeholder representatives participated in the event.

## From Organic to Chemical-Free Farming in Rajasthan



project will be implemented in 12 targeted districts and all seven divisions of Rajasthan for five years (2022-2026).

Gram Panchayat/Village-level Awareness Workshops were held in Chittorgarh, Bhilwara, Banswara and Pratnagarh districts of Rajasthan. The resource person discussed the importance of organic farming, the harmful effects of chemical-based farming and plastic use, and linkages with agricultural promotional schemes. A documentary on organic farming and sustainable practices was shown. A total of 445 farmers attended eight events.

With the support of the Swedish Society for Nature Conservation, CUTS implemented a project named “Developing a Culture of Sustainable Consumption and Lifestyle Through Promoting Organic Consumption and Production and Adopting Sustainable Consumption Practices by Engaging Consumers in the State of Rajasthan, India” (ProScop). This

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## Combating Child Labour in Rajasthan

CUTS, in partnership with World Vision India (WVI) and Vagdhara, has implemented a project entitled 'Strengthening Formal and Informal Systems and Structures as well as the Capacities of Vulnerable Children and Households to Reduce Child Labour in Banswara and Pratapgarh, Rajasthan.'

The project's objective is to reduce the incidences of harmful child labour by 50 percent by 2025 in the Suhagpura block of Pratapgarh district and Ghatol block of Banswara district of Rajasthan.

A training programme for Faith Leaders was held May 11-12, 2022. Four contents were covered with performing activities and games:

1. Addressing the past (my hope and dream for my family, most memorable childhood experience, signs of wholeness, brokenness and goodness);
2. Recognising the present (joy and pains, space for love and grace, reason for thanksgiving and opportunity for forgiveness);
3. Envisioning the future (defining moments, wise builders, determining our steps); and
4. Pursuing our dreams (engraved on the palms of hands, speaking blessings).



## Farmers' Formation and Promotion

CUTS undertook Farmers Producer Organisations (FPOs) project with the support from the Small Farmers Agribusiness Consortium (SFAC), National Bank for Agricultural and Rural Development (NABARD), and National Cooperative Development Corporation (NCDC) in Bharatpur, Chittorgarh and Banswara districts of Rajasthan. The aim is to facilitate sustainable income-oriented farming development, productivity, and effective capacity building to develop agriculture entrepreneurship skills.

Training of Board of Directors (BoDs) and Chief Executive Officers (CEOs) was held in the Pratapgarh district of Rajasthan. Mahender Dudi, District Development Manager NABARD, Madan Giri Goswami and Mohanlal Meghwal were the main resource persons. They delivered sessions on the importance of FPOs for small and marginal farmers, roles and responsibilities of CEOs and BoDs, statutory compliances, agriculture promotion schemes, etc. In open discussion, participants raised concerns about FPOs promotion and challenges.

## Consumer Awareness Programmes

Consumer Awareness Programmes were held in collaboration with the Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS) Jaipur at Chittorgarh on April 20, 2022, and at Bhilwara on April 21, 2022, respectively. The objective was to raise awareness of the Indian Standards Institute (ISI), Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI) or other certifications.

Representatives from Self Help Group, Farmers Producers Organisations, Retailers, Food inspector, District Supply Office, Dinesh Bhatnagar, ICDS, Neetu Joshi, Women Support Centre, Advocate Chandmal Garg, Disabled People Organisation, Students, Non-governmental Organisations, Community-based Organisations participated in Chittorgarh.

Prahlad Ray Vyas, Secretary, Consumer Rights Committee, and Suman Trivedi, Judicial Member, Permanent Lok Adalat, and Rajendra Meena, Officer BIS Jaipur, were resource persons of the programme in Bhilwara. A total of 118 consumers attended both events.





## Life Skills Education for Transformation

Three-day training on 'Life Skills Education for Transformation' was organised by World Vision India in collaboration with CUTS and Vaagdhara at Pratapgarh. The objective of the training was to create master trainers in LSET at the village level who will work continuously with the children and support them in learning life skills education.

The training sessions were full of enjoyment and games/activities. S Francis (Technical Specialist, Child Protection) facilitated the training. A total of 14 volunteers and project staff attended the training.

## Asha Kiran- A Ray of Hope

With the support of the Rotary India Literacy Mission, CUTS CHD undertook a project entitled 'Asha Kiran- A Ray of Hope (A programme to send children back to school). 10 teachers were appointed and trained by Rotary India Literacy Mission to send back 400 children to schools from socially and economically disadvantaged and vulnerable communities.



A Parent's Workshop was organised on June 14, 2022. The objective was to initiate a discussion with parents to ensure regular education of their children; give good education to their children at home; and how they can teach their children small concepts from household items when they are illiterate. A total of 50 parents attended.

## National Panchayati Raj Day Observed

National Panchayati Raj Day was observed at Gram Panchayat, Nahargarh, Chittorgarh, on April 24, 2022. The aim was to recognise *panchayats* as a system of self-governance, wherein the *panchayats* are responsible for delivering justice and ensuring the development of their villages.

The Day was celebrated in honour of the 73<sup>rd</sup> Constitutional Amendment Act in 1992; the representative shared the roles, responsibilities, achievements, concerns, and resolutions about *panchayats*. More than 32 people attended the event.



## Commemorating World Day Against Child Labour

World Day Against Child Labour was commemorated at Chittorgarh on June 12, 2022. Media personnel visited the field intervention area and asked the children, community persons, village-level Child Protection Committee members, and Programme Coordinator to discuss the root causes of child labour and the steps to curb it. The discussion was well covered in the media. On this Day, a rally was organised to promote awareness of child labour,

responsibility, and encouragement among children through various sports and games.

Another event was observed at *Kachi Basti Jodhras* to raise awareness of child labour and beggary issues. Parents were requested not to involve their children in labour and beggary and ask them to send their children to school regularly. A total of 40 children attended the event.



## Celebrating World Environment Day

**W**orld Environment Day was organised at Limbodi and Kataro ka Kheda villages of Pratapgarh district of Rajasthan on June 05, 2022. On the occasion, children planted saplings to impart two powerful messages about child labour-free India and the importance of planting trees. 65 children out of 10 children groups participated and made the event successful.



## REPRESENTATIONS

- Gauhar Mehmood and GC Jain gave a social security investment scheme presentation at Secretariat Jaipur on April 18 and June 29, 2022. Samit Sharma, IAS, Governing Secretary, Social Justice and Empowerment (SJ&E) Department; Directors from Child Development, Women Empowerment, SJ&E, Revenue Department, Jaipur Development Authority, and Local Self Government were part of the meeting.
- Gauhar Mehmood and Madan Giri Goswami attended a road safety meeting on a specific issue on Bal Vahini (school bus/auto etc.) organised by the RTO department on April 22, 2022. Preeti Jain chaired the meeting. Superintendent of Police, Chittorgarh, DSP (traffic), ARTO, DTO, Education Department, Representatives from Private schools, Auto Rickshaw Association, School Bus Operators, and Parents attended the meeting.
- Kamlesh Kumar Jangid, N.S. Choubisa and Gauhar Mehmood attended the BMZ review meeting on the Prevention of Child Labour project Pratapgarh on April 14, 2022, regarding progress, plan of action and financial aspects.
- Gauhar Mehmood and Kuldeep Panwar visited the office of the National Cooperative Development Corporation and NABARD, Jaipur, on April 19, 2022, to meet Sunil Kumar Chapola, Deputy Director and Suman Prabha, Assistant General Manager, to update about the project's progress and release the pending grants.
- Madan Giri Goswami, Gourav Chaturvedi and Madan Lal Keer attended State-level Consultation and Partner Orientation on Sustainable Consumption Activities under ProScop Project at Jaipur on April 13, 2022.
- Gauhar Mehmood attended Conference on FPO Promotion in New Delhi on April 21, 2022. The inaugural session of the conference was addressed by Neelkamal Darbari, Managing Director, SFAC; GR Chintala, Chairman NABARD; Abhilaksh Likhi, Additional Secretary, Agriculture and Vijaya Lakshmi Nadendla, Joint Secretary (Policy & Marketing), Agriculture. Union Agriculture Minister Narendra Singh Tomar was the chief guest and Union Minister of State for Agriculture Kailash Chaudhary was the guest of honour. About 200 Cluster Based Business Organisations attended the event.
- Rajbeer Yadav attended a programme on 'Governance, Management and Compliance aspects of FPOs for CBBOs/FPOs/POPIs/NGOs' at Bankers Institute of Rural Development (BIRD), Lucknow, during May 18-20, 2022.
- Kuldeep Panwar visited Bharatpur to attend an awareness meeting on farmers' mobilisation during May 12-13, 2022.
- Suresh Chandra Sharma visited Bharatpur to establish market linkages with FPOs to start input and output business operations and meetings with stakeholders to support FPOs in market linkage during June 14-17, 2022.
- Madan Giri Goswami, Gauhar Mehmood, Rajbeer Yadav, Mohan Lal Meghwal, and Madan Lal Keer attended the District Monitoring Committee Meeting held under the chairmanship of the District Collector in the relevant district. The team briefed about the progress of all blocks, challenges and solutions, and various topics covered, i.e. the importance of FPOs for small and marginal farmers, roles and responsibilities of CEOs and BoDs, statutory compliances, agriculture promotion schemes, etc.



- Prakash Chand Sharma, District Collector, Pratapgarh
- Gopal Lal Swarankar, Additional District Magistrate, Pratapgarh
- Arvind Kumar Pashwal, District Collector, Chittorgarh
- Shiv Kumar Nakate, District Collector, Bhilwara
- Tara Chand Meena, District Collector, Chittorgarh
- Aparna Gupta, Chief Executive Officer, District Council, Chittorgarh
- Sushil Kumar, Chief Executive Officer, District Council, Bharatpur
- Yogender Kanojiya, Chief Scientist, Krishi Vigyan Kendra
- Rajaram Sukhwai Deputy Director, Horticulture
- Shanker Lal Jat, Deputy Director, Agriculture
- Mushtaq Khan, Chief Medical and Health Officer, Bhilwara
- Dharamraj Pratihara, Deputy Director, Social Justice and Empowerment
- Mahender Dudi, Vishesh Meena and Rajesh Meena, District Development Managers, NABARD
- Shanker Lal Jat, Deputy Director, Agriculture. Deputy Director, ATMA
- Girish Pandey, Child Welfare Committee
- Jagdish Arora and TR Ameta, Assistant Director, Social Justice and Empowerment Department
- PS Kalra, Deputy Director, Marketing Board of Rajasthan

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## ब्लॉक स्तरीय हितधारकों की इंटरफेस बैठक में बालश्रम उन्मूलन पर चर्चा

**प्रतापगढ़.** कटस मानव विकास केंद्र एवं वर्ल्ड विजन इंडिया के संयुक्त तत्वाधान में प्रतापगढ़ में चलाई जाने वाली बाल श्रम उन्मूलन परियोजना के तहत ब्लाक स्तरीय बाल संरक्षण को लेकर इंटरफेस बैठक का आयोजन मंगलवार को सुहागपुर पंचायत समिति सभागार में किया गया। बैठक में सभी पंचायत समिति स्तरीय बाल संरक्षण समिति सदस्य, ग्रामस्तरीय बाल संरक्षण समिति एवं बाल संरक्षण से जुड़े

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**सड़क दुर्घटनाओं**

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जिले में बढ़ रहे सड़क हादसों और दुर्घटनाओं में हो रही मौतों को लेकर आज कदस द्वारा 2019 में पारित एमवीए एक्ट को लेकर चर्चा की और सड़क सुरक्षा जनजागृति

## ब्लॉक स्तरीय बाल संरक्षण समिति का भी पुनर्गठन



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 सभी भूमिका में हमें सहित रहना  
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 बच्चों के सर्वश्रेष्ठ विकास के

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**खबरों की दुनिया**

**विज्ञानोत्सव।** नट्स इन्टरनेशनल के संयोजन में कोलकाता नव्यौनी में विज्ञान उत्सव संसद सदस्य सड़क मुक्त सड़क की प्रथम बैठक मुख्य अतिथि सी.पी. जेनेरी, संसद को अध्यक्षता में शामिल किया गया। कार्यक्रम का उद्देश्य सड़क प्रभावितों के बीच जागरूकता को बढ़ावा देने, मोटर वाहन अभिनय 2019 और मोटर वाहन नियम 2020 की पालना करवाया, सड़क सुरक्षा, दुर्घटनाओं में मृत्यु को रोकना और वाहनधारकों के बीच का

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