

**VISIT NOTES OF V.SRINIVAS IAS CHAIRMAN BOARD OF REVENUE  
FOR RAJASTHAN TO BUNDI KOTA, BARAN AND JHALAWAR  
DISTRICTS  
DATED MAY 10-11, 2018**

I undertook a 2 day visit, covering the Districts of Bundi, Kota, Baran and Jhalawar for inspections of collector offices at Baran and Jhalawar and the Nyay Aapke Dwar 2018 campaign.

**VILLAGE HATTIPURA, BUNDI TEHSIL**

I visited the Nyay Aapke Dwar Campaign at village Hattipura in Bundi Tehsil. The District Collector Bundi Shri Mahesh Chandra Sharma accompanied me to the camp. There were 500 villagers who participated in the Camp. I was appraised about the progress achieved by the 15 Departments who participated in the camp.

The District Collector Bundi informed me that the Nyay Aapke Dwar 2018 campaign in Bundi is progressing well and the district has planned 184 camps in 44 work days. 2 days pre-camp work is being taken up. Collector Bundi further added that he had attended camps in Hindoli Tehsil and Bundi Tehsil and would be attending camps in other tehsils also.

In the camp at Hattipura village, benefits under Ujwala scheme, Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana, MGNREGA job cards and abadi pattas were distributed. The camp was conducted by ADM (Ceiling) Smt. Mamata Tiwari. Due to water crisis, tanker supply had been commenced. The presence of Bankers and Business Correspondents gave the digital penetration to Rajasthan's villages a significant boost. The E-Mitra was also trained as the Digital Merchant. I requested intervention of District Collector Bundi is expediting mutations in cases of registration of sale deeds where a considerable pendency was observed.

**MEETING WITH DISTRICT BAR ASSOCIATION, KOTA**

I addressed the District Bar Association at Patel Conference Hall Kota. The District Collector Shri Gourav Goyal accompanied me to the meeting.

I informed the District Bar Association Kota of the steps taken by the Board of Revenue in improving the functioning of the Revenue Courts of Rajasthan. The 2 phase reforms included reforms in subordinate courts and reforms in the Board of Revenue – including digitalization initiatives, skill-building initiatives in workshops and quality judgment writing.

The advocates requested that the Nyay Aapke Dwar 2018 campaign may not take up contested cases in the field as the judicial process would not be completed in such cases and rushed decisions would necessitate further litigation in appellate courts. I assured that the contested cases u/s 53, 88 and 188 Rajasthan Tenancy Act 1955 would not be decided in Nyay Aapke Dwar 2018 campaign, but would be taken up in the court premises.

My visit to the Nyay Aapke Dwar campaign at Ramganj Mandi Tehsil was deferred as I had to prepone my visit to Baran by a day due to Chief Minister's visit to Baran district the next day.

### **INSPECTION OF COLLECTOR OFFICE, BARAN**

I inspected the District Collector Office at Baran, the first inspection conducted by a Chairman Board of Revenue since 1991 when the District was notified.

The District Collector Dr. S.P.Singh discussed the various initiatives that he had undertaken in the District. Baran district is listed in the 150 aspirational districts of India and is monitored on 49 parameters by the NITI Aayog. Senior Officials from NITI Aayog of the rank of Additional Secretary to Government of India are visiting Baran on a monthly basis. The Aspirational Districts Program seeks to monitor real time progress of aspirational districts with greater collaboration, convergence and competition focusing on a series of implementation measures.

The Utkarsh scheme for developing ICT infrastructure in schools was recognized as the best initiatives for year 2017-18 in India. The District Collector Baran deserves high commendation for his significant contribution to improving quality of education.

The revenue court work in SDO courts is quite heavy and I advised the District Collector to monitor the subordinate courts more closely. Due to preparations necessary for CM's visit to Baran on May 11, 2018, I had to defer my visit to Anta revenue camp.

The visit to Nyay Aapke Dwar campaign in Anta Tehsil, Baran district was not undertaken as the District administration was preparing for the Chief Minister's visit on May 11, 2018.

**Dated May 11, 2018 Friday**

### **INSPECTION OF DISTRICT COLLECTOR OFFICE, JHALAWAR**

The Jhalawar District Collector Dr. Jitendra Soni is a deeply committed, intensely motivated and incorruptible young colleague with a potential to contribute immensely to Nation Building. His career should be carefully nurtured to ensure he achieves his high potential.

The District Collector's office was well organized, addressing the key developmental concerns of the District. The revenue court work in Jhalawar district is well organized and disposal levels are good. The overall ambience of work was very positive. The sections were clean, well maintained and staff motivation levels high.

I addressed the District Bar Association Jhalawar attended by 50 advocates. The Bar association requested that the Revenue Appellate Authority should be headquartered at Jhalawar. Further they expressed concerns on the disposal of contested Section 88 suits in Nyay Aapke Dwar 2018 campaign without adhering

to the due judicial processes. I reassured them that the Revenue Courts would adhere to the judicial processes of the Civil Procedure Code 1908.

### **Visit to Nyay Aapke Dwar campaign at village Kanwalda, Tehsil Khanpur**

I attended the Nyay Aapke Dwar camp at Village Kanwalda Tehsil Khanpur. The District Collector Dr. Jitendra Soni accompanied me to the camp site. The camp was well attended with over 1000 villagers. There were 5 cases of mutual agreement for partition of holdings decided in the camp. 5 families received Ujwala gas connections. Children of 8 MGNREGA card holders received scholarships from Labor Department for pursuing higher education. 4 beneficiaries received benefits under the Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana. 832 applications were received by the Tehsildar Khanpur and 180 applications were received by SDO Khanpur. The Nyay Aapke Dwar 2018 camp at Village Kanwalda was organized with textbook perfection and was very successful.

### **Conclusion**

In the past 2 weeks of the revenue campaign, I have travelled 1700 kms covering 11 districts.

The Nyay Aapke Dwar 2018 campaign at the conclusion of 2 weeks is gaining momentum and benefitting a large number of people.

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