

GODHAN NYAY YOJNA: PILLAR OF RURAL ECONOMY**Deekaram Shesh**

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Godhan Nyay Yojana is an ambitious scheme of the Government of Chhattisgarh. Conservation and promotion of Narva, Garva, Ghuruva and Bari under this Suraji village scheme of the state, encouraging organic agriculture, creating new employment opportunities at rural and urban level, along with cow rearing and cow protection, cattle rearers Providing economic benefits, improving the fertility of the land is the main objective. Under this scheme, vermin-compost and other products are prepared from the stored cow dung by setting up cow dung in the entire state. Establishment of Gauthan, cow dung purchase, self. Special training is provided by the state government in relation to the management of the help group, training of the group, cow dung processing, preparation of vermin-compost, packaging, marketing, implementation of the scheme, financial arrangements, settlement of disputes. At present, rapid industrialization, environmental pollution, maximum use of chemical fertilizers, affected human health and agriculture land fertility this scheme can prove effective from the point of view of prevention and protection from various diseases caused by production of milk and consumption of food items.

Keywords: Narwa, Garwa, Ghuruwa, Badi, Gouthan, Gobar, Suraji.

INTRODUCTION

Agriculture has been a major sector of the Indian economy since ancient times. Agriculture is the biggest source of national income of a developing country like India, the main means of employment and livelihood, the basis of industrial development, commerce and foreign trade. It is the backbone of the Indian economy and the key to development. Chhattisgarh is an agricultural state. Here most of the population lives in the village, where the main source of income of the people is agriculture. Due to paddy being the main crop of the state, it is also called the rice bowl (Dhan ka katora). Agriculture is the main pillar of the economy. With the coming of Green Revolution, on the one hand, due to the use of modern agricultural machines, chemical fertilizers, pesticides in agriculture, the food crisis has been removed and buffer Stocks increase in the production of crops. On the other hand, environmental pollution,

water pollution, air pollution, nutrients in food items. Health problems have also arisen due to the lack of elements.

Therefore, in view of the above, the 'Godhan Nyay Yojana' run by the Government of Chhattisgarh is not only a scheme but also the basis of the life cycle. This scheme has been started by Chhattisgarh government on 20-07-2022 in Chhattisgarh's popular traditional festival 'Hareli'. This is an important scheme to strength of the rural economy. There are many benefits of this scheme. This scheme is beneficial for all sections and people of the society. Under this scheme, along with encouraging organic farming, creating new employment opportunities at rural and urban level, promoting animal husbandry and animal protection, as well as making cattle herders financially self-sufficient. Animal husbandry will be promoted through this scheme, children will get calcium from milk obtained from cattle, children will not be malnourished, economic condition will be strengthened, standard of living will increase, unemployment percentage will decrease due to employment of people. Under the 'Godhan Nyaya Yojana', the government buys cattle dung from farmers and cattle rearers at the rate of Rs 2 per kg, after purchase, the cow dung is converted into vermicompost and other products by women self-help group members, which is sold to farmers as organic fertilizer at Rs.10 per kg. Electricity can be supplied to homes through cow dung gas plant obtained from cow dung. It is a renewable energy source, the use of which does not cause any harm to the environment. Different types of schemes are being run by the Central and State Governments to upgrade agriculture and make farmers financially capable, to raise the standard of living. Among them Godhan Nyay Yojana is a different and most important scheme which has many benefits.

Protection and promotion of livestock, protection of crop and environment is being done through Godhan Nyaya Yojana. Income to villagers and cattle herders from the sale of cattle dung, and by the manufacture of vermicompost and super compost and other products, women self-help groups have got employment. This has increased the economic development of the farmers. Organic farming has been encouraged. The use of vermicompost and super compost manure has improved the quality and fertility of food grains and reduced the cost of cultivation, the benefits of which are directly being received by the farmers. Better results have been obtained from the use of vermin-compost in agriculture, those who want to do dairy business or do cow rearing, their work has become easier with the Godhan Nyay Yojana, as well as they get additional income from the sale of cow dung. Worship materials,

medicines and paints are being made from cow dung and urine obtained from cattle, by selling which economic benefits are being received.

OBJECTIVE

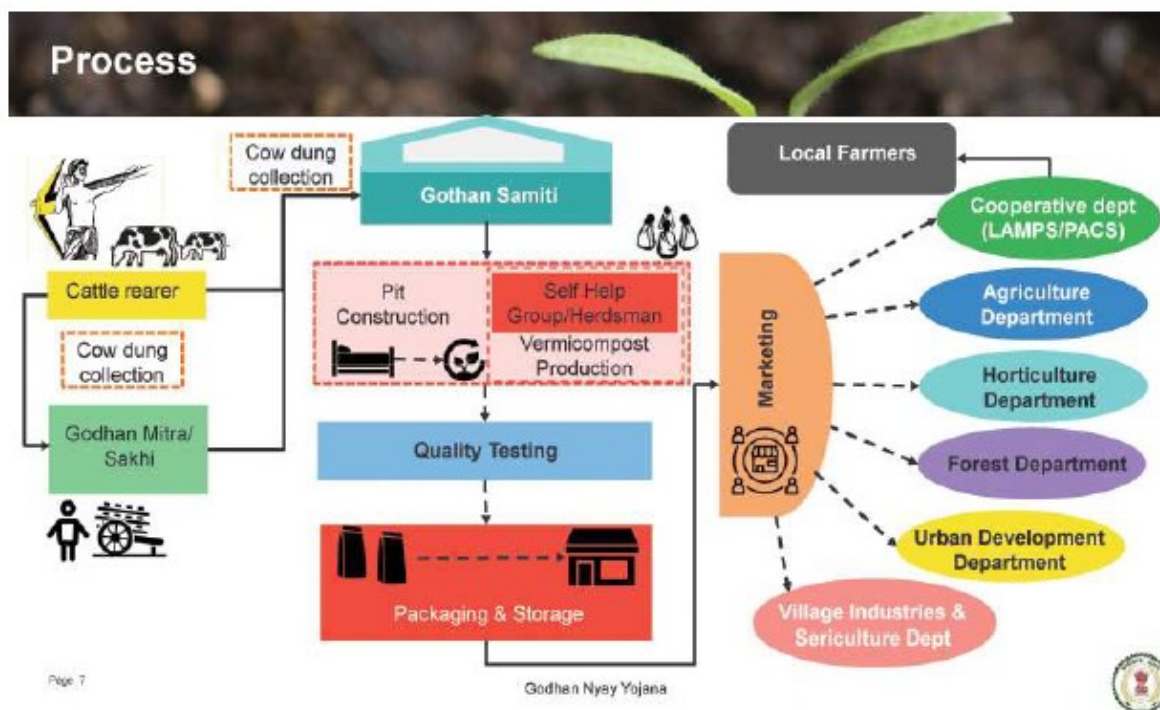
Objectives of this research are as below



METHODOLOGY

This research was based on Secondary data, as collected on government website, magazine, e-library, e-content. Gauthan are two types Model Gauthan and General Gauthan. In Model Gauthan may be available every necessary and requirement items but in general Gauthan there are not necessary.

Process of the Scheme :- The whole process of Godhan Nyaya Yojana can be easily understood through flowchart. The procedural information of economic development starting from animal husbandry is given in this flowchart.



Benefits of Godhan Nyay Yojana

- Animal husbandry will get a professional form through the GodhanNyayYojana.
- Cows will get the right amount of fodder.
- Accidents with animals will be stopped and problem of stray animals on roads will be solved.
- The economic condition of farmers and cattle reares will improve in the CG state.
- Dirt will be removed from the state and cow dung will be used to make manure.
- Gaudhan Nyay Yojna, cow dung will be used to generate electricity.

Implementation of Godhan Nyay Yojana in urban areas :- After the success of the Godhan Nyaya Yojana in rural areas, the main objective of implementing this scheme in urban areas is to control stray animals on the road with an integrated system, availability of high quality organic manure for fields and farms, model of urban cleanliness. Along with strengthening the environmental protection, the waste has to be disposed of by scientific methods to prevent diseases caused by the waste emitted in animal husbandry.

For the economic and social upliftment of urban poor families working in the scheme, purchase of cow dung and sale of quality vermicompost made from cow dung in urban areas and GauthanSamiti has to be made self-sufficient. Economy in the implementation of this plan and maximum utilization of the capacity of available infrastructure, reduction in capital expenditure, from the point of view of other arrangements, funded by the Swachh Bharat

Mission implemented in the body, will prove to be helpful in carrying out the clean city, a state-promoted mission.

IMPORTANCE

Gauthan, the focal point of this scheme, gave momentum to its multi-faceted works. The sequel to this is seen in the form of the GodhanNyayaYojana, in which the state government buys cow dung from the cowherds at Rs.2 per kg. Recently, the state government has started the process of buying cow urine at the rate of Rs.4 per litre. Under this scheme, skill development, employment generation, organic farming has been promoted in place of harmful chemicals in Chhattisgarh along with this, its positive impact has also been seen in women, landless and cow herding families lives in rural areas.

Women are getting exposed to new skills – Vermicompost and supercompost manure and Jeevamrit and Brahmastra insecticide are prepared from cow urine by women self-help groups in thousands of Gauthans of Chhattisgarh from the cow dung purchased under the Compost Revolution scheme. Vermi compost is sold through societies at the rate of Rs 10 per kg. These efforts have made women aware of new skills. Along with this, people have also been given a great opportunity for healthy nutritious food through organic produce.

Farmers distanced themselves from chemical fertilizers - More than this, the farmers of Chhattisgarh are bringing the sound of compost revolution bypassing chemical fertilizers which have harmful side effects. This is helping to solve the impending chemical fertilizer crisis in the country.

Unique initiative to generate electricity from cow dung and make natural paint – An innovative initiative has been taken to generate electricity from cow dung and make natural paint in Gothans of Chhattisgarh. AnMoU has been signed between Kumarappa National Paper Institute Jaipur, Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises, Government of India's Khadi and Village Industries Board and Chhattisgarh GauSevaAayog for making natural paint from cow dung. Natural paint and putty is being manufactured from cow dung in Hirapur- JarwaiGauthan near Raipur.

Employment opportunities for women and landless families - New opportunities for income and employment - GodhanNyayaYojana has emerged as a model of economic empowerment in villages. This has created new income and employment opportunities for people in rural areas, especially women and landless families. Among those earning additional income by selling cow dung, 45.19 percent are women.

SPECIAL EFFECT

- The Prime Minister of India Shri Narendra Modi has praised the Godhan Nyay Yojana. He also informed about the benefits of this scheme in the NITI Aayog meeting. He said Chhattisgarh's Godhan Nyay Yojana, is in the interest of farmers. The vermicompost prepared from cow dung helps in increasing crop productivity, an official statement of the state government claimed.
- The Standing Committee on Agriculture Affairs at the Center praised this scheme. The committee has also recommended to implement the scheme in the whole country.
- A tableau (Jhanki) of Godhan Nyay Yojana was presented on the 73rd Republic Day, which was highly appreciated.
- Former R.B.I. Governor Raghuram Rajan Appreciating the Gauthan and Godhan Nyaya Yojana, he said that this scheme is the best bottom up approach in the country.
- Till now in 2022, there are 192000 registered and 102232 benefited cattle herders. Under the scheme vermin compost is being sold to the farmers at the rate of Rs.8 per kg. Vermin Compost has been launched under the name of Godhan Vermi Compost.
- Women self-help groups (SHGs) are making and selling products like cow dung wood, kanda, organic incense and incense sticks, cow dung paint, matchsticks, pots, due to which they are getting economic benefits.
- Godhan Nyay Yojana is looking forward to rapidly strengthen the rural system by promoting dairy business and organic farming while improving the environment.

SUGGESTION

Godhan Nyay Yojana is an important scheme. Farmers, unemployed, women groups, environment have benefited from this scheme. It is well known that different types of schemes are started by the government, but due to non-implementation properly and administrative inaction, the schemes are closed. Godhan Nyay Yojana will prove to be a millstone in strengthening the rural economy. Therefore, not only from the government level, but also from the general public, it is expected that in order to strengthen their own economic condition, ensure their participation in the implementation of the government scheme, so that along with the economic development of the per capita, the GDP of the state and the country also increases. There can be growth, because the development of the country is possible only through its own development.

The main suggestions for the implementation of this scheme are as follows:-

- Maximum people and farmers should be brought under this scheme.
- Arrangements should be made for cow dung collection at various places.
- This scheme should be publicized among as many people as possible.
- Such arrangements should be made that people get their wages on time.
- Promotion and sale of the importance of Compost made from this, So that the farmers and the government can be benefited.

CONCLUSION

The Godhan Nyaya Yojana has given momentum to its multi-faceted works. The scheme has affected a wide area of rural environment. The rural economy has been strengthened, its importance has been underlined and through this there have been vast opportunities for employment and development in rural areas. Empowerment of women, protection of the environment, protection of cattle, protection of natural fertility of the land, food processing and nutritious diet have been strengthened. Various commercial items are being created by processing cow dung. Sales are being done through business portals like as Amazon, which is promoting business. Thus, it can be said that the Godhan Nyay Yojana will yield far-reaching results in the coming times.

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