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To
Mr. Sridhar Subramanian
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Sub: Quarterly Status Report from December 1, 2008 to February 28, 2009.

**Re: Project; Education and Health for Underprivileged Children.
Funding No. SWA08B00**

Dear Mr. Subramanian,

Hope you are keeping fine.

We are enclosing the above Status Report for your kind perusal.

As per instructions from Mrs. Shanta Kumar, Director, CVI, we have started providing tiffin for the students of our 3 schools from February, 2009.

Hope to hear from you soon.

With regards,

Sincerely yours

Shila Ghosh

President

Swayambhar NARI

C.C.: - Mrs. Shanta Kumar
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Budget Break up from December' 08 to February' 09

Personnel Cost **(for 3 Schools)**

| Heading | Quantity | Amount |
|---|-----------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1) Co-ordinator-cum-counsellor (Rs. 3,000 x 3 months) | 1 | Rs. 9,000.00 |
| 2) Teachers (for 3 Schools) (Rs. 1,000 x 4 x 3 months) | 4 | Rs. 12,000.00 |
| 3) Centre Assistants (Rs. 500 x 3 x 3 months) | 3 | Rs. 4,500.00 |
| 4) Teachers for special support session (coaching classes) (Rs. 1,000 x 4 x 3 months) | 4 | Rs. 12,000.00 |
| | | Total <u>Rs. 37,500.00</u> |

Programme Cost **(for 3 Schools)**

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|---|-----------------------------------|
| 1) Focus Group Discussion (FGD) | Rs. 1,200.00 |
| 2) Participatory Learning action (PLA) | Rs. 1,400.00 |
| 3) Books & copies for children Other necessary items | Rs. 1,267.00 |
| 4) Tiffin Charges for 3 schools (40 students each school) (120 students x Rs. 4.00 x 20 days in Feb' 09) | Rs. 9,600.00 |
| 5) Sensitization of Parents | Rs. 1,300.00 |
| 6) Health, Nutrition check up | Rs. 1,400.00 |
| 7) Sports & Cultural Activities | Rs. 1,404.00 |
| 8) Capacity Building Training for teachers | Rs. 7,000.00 |
| | Total <u>Rs. 24,571.00</u> |

Other Cost

| | |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1) Monthly Monitoring visit | Rs. 900.00 |
| 2) Organizational overhead | Rs. 1,925.00 |
| 3) Disremination | Rs. 1,600.00 |
| 4) Stationeries Communication | Rs. 3,042.00 |
| 5) Photo Documentation | Rs. 1,020.00 |
| | Total <u>Rs. 8,487.00</u> |

Summary of Cost

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|-------------------|----------------------------------|
| A) Personnel Cost | Rs. 37,500.00 |
| B) Programme Cost | Rs. 24,571.00 |
| C) Other Cost | Rs. 8,487.00 |
| | Total <u>Rs.70,558.00</u> |

(Rupees Seventy Thousand Five Hundred Fifty Eight Only)

C.C.: - Mrs. Shanta Kumar
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Report on Howrah School

December 2008

Morning Session

All the children of this session are little kids and beginners. There are 25 children who are escorted to and from the school by their guardians. The children are taught to recite rhymes, write down alphabets and memorize numerical tables.

Afternoon Session

The children have learnt to read and write Bengali and English alphabets. Some of them are also able to read out full sentences with spelling. In Arithmetic, the children are able to work out additions and subtractions. Some of them can also work our multiplications division and answer oral questions. They are also able to write figures up to 30 and recite multiplication tables up to

January 2009

Morning Session

There were further progress in all the subjects. However, there were more attention on sports, games and other cultural activities in this month.

Afternoon Session

In this session also sports, games and cultural activities were given more attention, thought studies were not neglected and updated further.

February 2009

The children are taught through a Joyful atmosphere to make the teaching interesting. The children are now free and comfortable. They are also reciting rhymes and numerical tables.

Afternoon Session

All the children have progressed a lot in all the subjects. They can read and write English and Bengali words and rhymes. In Arithmetic, they are now working our bigger addition subtraction and small multiplication and division. Some of their can spell the figures.

Extra Curricular Activities

Sports - The Annual Sports was held on the 19th January with great success. The guardians were present in large numbers and were extremely co-operative. The winners were given attractive prizes and everybody was felicitated with snacks and sweets. The event was jointly held by both the morning and afternoon school.

Cultural Activities - It was also a joint event of both the morning and afternoon schools. On the 1st January, a cultural function was held in which the students, the teachers and the guardians participated together, Netaji Birthday and Republic Day Celebrations were also held on the 23rd and 26th January respectively among great enthusiasm.

Special Support Session (Coaching Centre)

The coaching centre has become very popular in the locality. The students of this coaching class are doing very well in the evaluation tests and class examination and their guardians are really happy at the success of their words.

General Commence - It is really encouraging to find that the guardians have become very enthusiastic about the educations of their children. This has become possible due to regular interaction and discussion of the teachers with them.

Panditiva School

Centre: 13/16, Panditiva Anchalik Unnayan Samity,
Panditiva, Kolkata - 700029
West Bengal

Co-ordinator-cum-counsellor : Dhrubajyoti Choudhury

Name of the Teacher : MS. Rina Ghosh

Teacher for the special
support sessions : i) MS. Suchitra Kar
ii) MS. Anita Adhikary

Centre Assistant : MS. Pushpa Das (Shaw)

Report on Panditiya School

December 2008

Bengali – The Children have been taught to write down names, addresses along with alphabets and different words. Some of them have also learnt to write full sentences.

English – Some children are able to recite and write down rhymes. Other children have learnt to write English alphabets and different words.

Arithmetic – Children are learning numerical tables and write down numerical figures.

January 2009

Bengali – The children have progressed further in writing names, addresses, days, months and forming sentences.

English – In English also, the children have shown much improvement by learning and writing fresh rhymes, alphabets, words and sentences.

Arithmetic – The children have learnt more numerical tables and are now able to write down bigger numerical figures.

February 2009

Bengali – Special attention was given towards general knowledge among the students in addition to normal studies like reading and writing.

English – Teaching of English alphabet has been completed. The children are now able to identify and read the alphabet and write short words. They are also able to recite many rhymes.

Arithmetic – The children have advanced further in memorizing numerical table and work are small sums.

Extra Curricular Activities

In addition to normal studies, outdoor games and P.T. Exercises are held every day. Instructive studies are told to the children

Cultural Activities - Saraswati Puja was held on 31st January, 2009 with great enthusiasm.

Annual Sports – The Annual Sports was held in the school compound on the 20th January, 2009. It was a very successful event and the guardians actively co-operated with us.

Special Supported Session (Coaching Classes)

Coaching classes are held in a nearby club room thrice a week (Monday, Wednesday, Thursday) from 5.30 pm to 7.00 pm.

Bhangar School

Centre: Bhangar, 24 Parganas (S) Ramkrishna Pally
(Colony No.4) P.O.- B.Narayanpur,
P.S.- Bhangar

Co-ordinator-cum-counsellor : Dhrubajyoti Choudhury

Name of the Teacher : MS. Shukla Das

Centre Assistant : MS. Anita Ghosh

Report on Bhangar School

December 2008

Children of different ages are taught through different methods. The beginners were taught through games pictures, rhymes and drawing of lines. The older children were taught to read and write alphabets, draw pictures and recite rhymes in Bengali and English. In Arithmetic, they started memorizing numerical tables and doing little sums.

January 2009

Nearly all the children have learned to read and write in both Bengali and English. They could also spell and speak small English words. In Arithmetic, they made further progress in memorizing numerical tables and working out sum.

February 2009

Regular class test were held in all the subject to assess the progress of the children and the results were very satisfactory. All the children are now able to read and write in Bengali and English and work out and as small additions and subtraction.

Extra Curricular Activities

The children do P.T. Exercises regularly, recite rhymes and sing. They are given regular lesson to in hygiene, cleanliness and polite habits.

Cultural Activities

A successful get together was organized on 1st January, 2009. All the guardians, students and teachers of the school participated in this event with great enthusiasm.

Annual Sports

The Annual Sports of the school was held on the 13th January, 2009. The event was a great success.

General Comment

An extremely positive development has been the enthusiasm and interest shown by the guardians for the all round welfare of their children. The teachers regularly interact and discuss with them. Parents of the children travel a long distance to bring their children to school regularly. The school has earned a very good reputation on in the locality.

Special Note

A five years old boy, Achyut Gayen is simply outstanding. He is equally brilliant in studies as well as in Sports.

Special support session (Coaching Class)

A coaching centre has been started for the local school students. At present there are 35 students in the centre. The classes are heath from 4.00 pm. to 6.00 pm.