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# CSR CAPSULE

## Signing of MOU between Skill Development Institute Guwahati and IL & FS

The MOU Signing ceremony between IL & FS and Skill Development Institute Guwahati, for engaging IL & FS Skills as training partner for Skill Development Institute, Guwahati (SDIG) was held at Narengi Club Auditorium, PHQ, Narengi, Guwahati on the 14th of June, 2018. Smti R S Borah, Director(Finance) graced the occasion along with, Shri Pranjit Deka, ED (HR & A). The MOU was signed by Shri A K Thakuria, CGM(Civil)Pipeline Department and Secretary, SDIG and Ms. Nivedita Borthakur, Regional Head, IL&FS in presence of Shri B K Mishra, CGM(PLS) and other Senior Officials of the Company.



SDIG was set up by major Oil & Gas PSUs led by OIL at Uttar Phulung, North Guwahati and was dedicated to the nation on the 8th of December, 2017 by Shri Sarbananda Sonowal, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Assam and Shri Dharmendra Pradhan, Hon'ble Union Minister for Petroleum & Natural Gas and Skill Development in presence of host of other dignitaries.

The institute has been set up to cater to the skilling needs of the youth of the entire North East region. The institute has become functional from the 24th of August 2017 with two courses namely, Industrial Electrician and Industrial Welder of duration Six (06) months each, in which two batches of about 60 students underwent training and more than 70% of them has already been successfully placed.

With the motto of introducing additional courses, Skill Development Institute, Guwahati has joined hands with Industrial Leasing & Financial Services Limited (IL & FS) which is India's one of the leading infrastructure development and Finance companies with a mandate for catalysing the development of infrastructure in a sustainable manner. IL & FS has been associated with Oil India Limited in carrying out many CSR activities in Dibrugarh, Tinsukia and Sibsagar Districts. Project Dikhya, Project Arogya and Project Swabhalamban are to name a few of such projects.



## 77 OIL Super 30 students qualify the 2018 IIT JEE (Advanced)

Under OIL Super 30, 77 students have cracked the IIT JEE (Advanced) this year. This is a very encouraging result under the project, 77 58 out of 148 students, who qualified for IIT JEE (Main), qualifying the prestigious IIT JEE (Advanced). OIL Super 30, which is one of the most impactful CSR projects of Oil India Limited (OIL) in the domain of Education, has once again attained success in its overall objective of



transforming the lives of underprivileged students, from the marginalised sections of the society. The OIL Super 30 project is wholly supported by Oil India Limited, India's second largest National Exploration & Production Company and is implemented by Centre for Social Responsibility and Leadership (CSRL), New Delhi, across 6 centres of Guwahati, Jorhat, Dibrugarh and Nagaon in Assam, Jodhpur in Rajasthan, and Itanagar in Arunachal Pradesh.

Today, the project has become a household name for the families, students and educationists, in the North Eastern region, as one of the best known CSR initiatives of Oil India Limited. The centre-wise results of the OIL Super 30 Project for 2018, are as under:

Sl. No.	Project Name	Location	Students enrolled	No. of students qualified in JEE Mains	No. of students qualified in JEE Advance
1	Oil India Super 30	Guwahati	30	26	13
2	Oil India Super 30	Jorhat	30	25	16
3	Oil India Super 30	Dibrugarh	31	22	08
4	Oil India Super 30	Jodhpur	30	30	24
5	Oil India Super 30	Itanagar	30	24	09
6	Oil India Super 30	Nagaon	30	21	07
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>181</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>77</b>

Oil India Limited had instituted the CSR project, OIL Super 30, in 2010, with its first centre at Guwahati. Under the project across 6 centres, each year, 180 students (with 30 students in each centre) of economically disadvantaged families are provided 11 months free residential coaching for IIT-JEE & other Engineering entrance examinations. With the help received from the project, students have attained admissions in various prestigious Engineering institutes like IIT, ISRO, NIT, State Engineering colleges, etc. and in leading Medical institutes, since 2011.

### **OIL Super 30 Orientation programme:**

Officials from Public Affairs Deptt FHQ visited OIL Super 30 Dibrugarh Centre on 03.07.2018 to attend the orientation programme for the incoming students to ensure their smooth intake; familiarize with the institution's facilities, norms and cultures; apprise them regarding OIL's contribution to the project under Corporate Social Responsibility.

Along with the students, parents' interaction also took place and they were informed about how prestigious it is for their children to get into OIL Super 30 and they should constantly motivate them throughout the coaching period to boost their confidence so that they perform well at the end of the year. Support from parents is equally important for the success of these students at Super 30.

Through audio and video aid, students & parents were apprised regarding the OIL Super 30 project and in general about various CSR initiatives of OIL. Parents of few students shared their thoughts and expressed their gratitude towards OIL for proving such an opportunity to their children.



## CLEAN ENERGY & FUEL EFFICIENT PROGRAMME

### Distribution of 3000 Nos. of Fuel Efficient Chulhas with Chimney in 6 Tea Garden Villages of Upper Assam Under CSR Project OIL URJA of Oil India Limited

Under OIL's CSR initiative, Project *OIL Urja*, OIL has provided Fuel Efficient Chulha (Cook stoves) with Chimney in 6 Tea Garden villages of its operational areas in Baghjan, Dighulturung & Nalini of Tinsukia District & Thanai, Balijan & Mukalbari of Dibrugarh District of Upper Assam targeting a total of 3000 nos. of households and approximately 15000 nos. of beneficiaries of the Tea Gardens in a span of 1 year (12 months) at a total project cost of Rs. 1,38,44,000/- (Rupees One Crore Thirty-Eight Lakh Forty-Four Thousand only). A valedictory function was held in Dighulturung Tea Estate (Tinsukia) & Balijan Tea Estate (Dibrugarh) to mark the successful completion of the project on 5<sup>th</sup> July 2018 that was attended by Shri Dilip K Bhuyan (General Manager-Public Affairs Deptt) and other Senior Officials of OIL & IIE, Tea Garden Managers Shri B S Saklani (Dighulturung TE), Shri Amitabh Baruah (Balijan TE) and the beneficiaries from Tea garden. Earlier, on 21st May, 2018 a similar valedictory function was held at Guwahati where Shi Pranjit Deka, Executive Director (HR&A), OIL graced the function as Chief Guest. The project is being implemented by Indian Institute of Entrepreneurship (IIE) Guwahati.

Approximately 15000+ tea garden workers have been benefitted from this programme of which 5017 are children and 7814 are women members of the community. Most of these beneficiaries are from the lowest income category with a monthly average income of less than Rs.3500/-. This project also helped to create 20 tea garden youths to develop as entrepreneurs with skill in Chulha & chimney making through training and capacity building.

The aim of this project has been to create a clean energy environment in the tea garden community by ensuring reduction of consumption of firewood and increase of the disposable income of the tea tribe community by reducing procurement of fuel wood for their cooking. It has been able to achieve the same through creating an enabling environment among tea garden community to adopt clean energy solutions



through better informative beneficiary groups about clean energy practices related to cooking, improve health of women by reducing drudgery and reduction in kitchen air pollution.

It was shared in the event that this was the first time that the especially prepared chimney was installed in the kitchen of the beneficiaries which helped to create a smoke-free environment in the otherwise firewood smoke-filled kitchen. This unit helped in the reduction of cooking time, reducing kitchen air pollution and most importantly lead to the reduction of fuel wood consumption generally used by the tea garden workers.

Most of the household of tea garden workers use conventional cooking system of firewood on a daily basis and use of these traditional cooking practice creates indoor air pollution thus causing health problems for the women and their family members. Indoor air pollution causes many diseases like otitis, asthma, low birth weight, tuberculosis, cataract etc. Therefore, to address these issues the fuel efficient Chulhas along with Chimneys are provided with the objective of reducing indoor air pollution thereby reducing health hazards & drudgery of women. This will also reduce use of firewood wood & other biomass and thereby reducing deforestation.



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Sali Crop Training Program under OIRDS Agriculture Project in OIL's operational areas

## Work in progress: Renovation & preservation of Dr John Berry White medical School as Heritage Site at Dibrugarh

There has been much progress in the renovation & preservation work of Dr John Berry White Medical School funded by OIL under CSR which includes a) structural restoration which includes stitching of cracks & strengthening of structural members, b) repairing of roofing system, c) repairing of damaged surfaces with original materials, d) replacing damaged woodworks in doors, windows, columns, truss etc, e) water proofing-seepage as well as capillary rise of water, f) landscaping etc.

The overall progress is as follows:

1. Temporary signboard erected with names of funding & executing agency with logo.
2. Barricading the site by green plastic hessian cloth at front & back side.
3. Separate workshop for timber works within work site.
4. Cleaning of worksite from vegetation, uprooting trees from walls, floors etc. going on.
5. Clay tiles were removed from roof including roof structure.
6. The entire structure is covered with tarpaulin with bamboo scaffolding/framing so that work can be carried out during rain.
7. Damaged/broken brick structure are repaired/reconstructed with similar existing clay bricks with lime cement surki mortar.
8. Inside plastering works are going on with lime cement surki mortar.
9. Original timber roof members are redressed but yet to fix in position.
10. Cleaning of existing usable clay tiles are in progress.
11. Sample of original timber used for roof truss was sent to laboratory for strength testing and to find equivalent timber from market.

Earlier, an MoU was signed between OIL and Indian National Trust for Art and Cultural Heritage (INTACH), New Delhi in presence of Deputy Commissioner, Dibrugarh at DC Office on 10<sup>th</sup> January 2018 Heritage for Renovation & Restoration of Dr. John Berry White Medical School at Dibrugarh, Assam.





## OIL Launches Solar Solution Happy Home Programme under CSR Project OIL URJA

### Project inauguration:

The inaugural function of OIL Urja Solar Solution Happy Home Programme, a CSR Project of Oil India Limited, Duliajan which is being implemented by Indian Institute of Entrepreneurship (IIE) was held on 4<sup>th</sup> July, 2018 at Mirigaon village of Dibrugarh district. The programme was graced by Shri Binod Hazarika, MLA, Chabua constituency, Shri Mrinal Kanti Dhar, DFO Tinsukia Division, Shri Pranjit Deka, Executive Director (HR&A), OIL, Dr. Abhijit Sharma, Director, IIE and attended by senior officials from OIL & IIE and general public of Mirigaon village.



Shri Binod Hazarika in his speech appreciated OIL's initiative towards providing Solar Solutions to the remote un-electrified village of Mirigaon. While stating the objective of the project i.e. to electrify the remote un-electrified villages of Upper Assam, Shri Pranjit Deka in his address also informed that Solar Happy Home Package will be provided to a total of 520 households in 3 nos. of villages namely Mirigaon, Gereki Gaon & Gereki Nepali Gaon under Dibrugarh District and Anti-Poaching Camps in Forest areas of Dibru Saikhowa National Park, Tinsukia District. Shri Deka also apprised about various CSR initiatives of OIL undertaken in areas of Education, Health, Skill Building, Sports etc in its operational areas.



While thanking Oil India Limited for implementing the project in their village, the beneficiaries talked about the positive changes that the Solar Lighting System, Solar Lamp, LED Lights & Cook stoves are going to bring in their daily life.

### Project details:

**Under Project OIL Urja, OIL has launched a programme focusing on Solar Lighting Solution & Clean Cooking in alignment with the MNRE (Ministry of New & Renewable Energy, Govt. Of India) under Happy Home Package.**

The project currently is being implemented by Indian Institute of Entrepreneurship (IIE), Guwahati in 3 nos. of villages namely Mirigaon, Gereki Gaon & Gereki Nepali Gaon under Dibrugarh District targeting a total of 452 nos. of households at a total cost of Rs.



1,99,37,416.00 (Rupees One Crore Ninety-Nine Lakh Thirty-Seven Thousand Four Hundred and Sixteen only).

Besides this, 68 nos. of Solar units will also be provided in 23 nos. of Anti-Poaching Camps in Forest areas of Dibru Saikhowa National Park, Tinsukia District at a total cost of Rs. 32,34,744.00 (Rupees Thirty-Two Lakh Thirty-Four Thousand Seven Hundred and Forty-Four only)



**The Solar Happy Home Package includes following components,**

- I. Solar home systems which are an affordable solution for multi-energy needs of rural households. These systems can power multiple LED lights, mobile recharging, and other small home appliances through a Battery of 12 v, 60 AH that can be recharged using solar photovoltaic panels of 75 Wp each. 2 LED Bulb of 5W each is also included.
- II. Solar energy lanterns: Light-emitting diode (LED) based portable lamps, which are powered by rechargeable (by small solar panel) battery are ideal multipurpose solutions for rural households. These lights can be used for in house lighting as well as portable outdoor lights. These lights also recharge mobile phones.
- III. Improved biomass cook stoves.

**The main objective of the project** is to reduce indoor air pollution due to burning of fire wood, reduce use of kerosene or firewood for lighting & cooking, provide adequate lighting facility to enable evening study for school & college going children, enable the weavers' community to continue work in the evening.

**Households & Population of Mirigaon:** During the initial survey, it was found that the village was completely un-electrified and there were approximately 286 households with a total population of approximately 1,144 nos.



**Current Status of the Project:** A total of 286 nos. of households in Mirigaon are installed with Solar units wherein each unit includes a solar photovoltaic panels of 75 Wp, Battery of 12 v, 60 AH, 2 nos. of LED Bulb of 5W each, Solar Energy lantern and a Biomass Cook stove.

During the installation process an awareness programme was also organised to explain the benefits and other details of the project to the opinion makers of the society like village headman, teacher, and headmaster etc. Subsequently, meetings were held with the villagers involving every member of households.

**Entrepreneurship Development:** Under the project, four local enterprising persons per village will be selected and trained on maintenance and service of solar home lighting systems and other. Their skill building will be a part of their involvement during the installation phase. These trainees will be skill trained to attend to minor and instant repair, maintenance and small issues on site. Gradually after a year, the trainees will be helped to set up a service centre to cater to the needs of maintenance and service of all the proposed solar solutions provided under the package. For providing this service to the beneficiaries a minimal amount of money as service charge will be charged.



## Swachh Bharat Pakhwada July 01-16 July 2018

As part of the Pakhwada, PA Deptt under its CSR had taken up number of activities to sensitize people on health and cleanliness. The broad activities undertaken during the fortnight were:



Drawing Competition in Schools



Tree Plantation in Schools



Street Play on Open Defecation in Villages



Cleanliness Drive in Schools



Street Play on Swachh Bharat at market Places



Distribution of Jute bags



Health Talk in Schools



*Before* Cleaning of Pond near BX+ at Duliajan *After*



Giving away certificate to the winners of Drawing Competition

## Inaugural cum motivational session of 2018-19 batch of Handicraft Training and Production Centre (HTPC) under the aegis of Oil India Rural Development Society (OIRDS)

As part of annual target for FY 2018-19 under OIL's CSR and OIRDS, a new batch has been inducted at HTPC with another 42 young women from OIL's operational areas of Upper Assam. The Centre imparts eleven-month stipendiary training on two courses namely, (i) Weaving and (ii) Cutting, Tailoring, Embroidery & Knitting. The batch on 11th July 2018 was accorded a warm welcome along with a special session which was conducted for the first time to motivate them so as to successfully complete their training course. The inaugural cum motivational session was attended by Shri M C Nihalani, (CGM-R&D & President-OIRDS), Shri Dilip Kr Bhuyan, (GM-PA & Vice President-OIRDS), Shri S K Chakravarty (GM-CSR), Shri R Bhagobaty (Deputy Chief Research Scientist & Executive Member-OIRDS), Smt. Nayana Madhu Dutta, (Manager PA-CSR & Joint Secretary-HTPC), Shri A Tanti (Manager-F&A & Treasurer-OIRDS), Smt. S Aggarwal (Manager PA-CSR & SD) along with HTPC Centre In-charge cum Administrator, teachers of HTPC, students and other officials.



The speakers spoke on topics like introduction to the courses, women empowerment, Make in India, Start-Up India, diversified production, value of handmade items & market availability, government schemes on skill development and entrepreneurship, how to start a small scale business, value of patents on designs of north-east India and other general topics like creative thinking and awareness on OIL's CSR projects. Value added and finished products of the Centre produced for a special scheme of OIL called "Corporate Buy Back Scheme" was also displayed. Under the scheme, OIL buys back the specially ordered finished products made by the beneficiaries of HTPC for corporate gifting purposes, thereby generating self-employment for them. The display was done to motivate the new batch of students, who in future can also contribute towards the scheme.





Certificates being handed over to the beneficiaries of the Financial Literacy Program also popularly known as “Money Vidya” under OIL’s CSR Project Dikhya by Shri D K Bhuyan, GM (PA) & Shri J K Das, DGM (PA). It is a one-day training program which has targeted people of the rural areas in 24 locations of OIL’s operational districts of Upper Assam. In order to impart the training, post school hours and post completion of the computer education sessions for students in schools, the computer buses are used as a mobile facilitation center for providing value added services to the Community for sensitizing them on financial planning and adopting sound financial management practices.



Visit to Centre for Wildlife Rehabilitation & Conservation (CWRC), Kaziranga for inspection of 03 (three) Orphaned Rhino calves adopted by OIL.  
 Visiting officials : Sri Arunav Baruah, GM (Logistics) & member of Below Board Level CSR Committee, FHQ, Shri S K Chakravarty, GM (CSR) and Sri Utpal Kr Sarmah, CE(PL Mech), Pump Station No. 03, Jorhat

## IN FOCUS

### Financial Assistance towards one-time annual expenses of Deepsikha, a hospice and palliative care center at Guwahati for terminally ill cancer patients of NE India and primarily Assam:

In FY 2017-18, OIL had agreed to provide one-time financial assistance of Rs. 18.24 lakh towards one-time annual running cost of Deepsikha, a hospice for providing palliative care support to terminally ill cancer patients from North Eastern states with special focus on Assam. Deepsikha is a non-profit voluntary organization working in the field of cancer care since 2007 in Assam, the North Eastern states of India as well as in Maharashtra.

During the last 10 years of their activities, it has been seen that NE India contributed towards the maximum number of newly detected cancer cases in the country. Most of these cases are detected at a very late stage and as a result no curative treatment can be offered to these patients. As there is a virtual scarcity of providing a holistic palliative care support system in the NE states, Deepsikha commissioned a 25 bedded residential hospice in order to provide all round support to terminally ill cancer patients. The annual activities/facilities of Deepsikha includes (a) pain and symptom control (b) spiritual care (c) homecare and inpatient care (d) respite care (d) family conferences, etc. Presently, the hospice is being run by obtaining support in the form of donations from individuals and organizations which at times are irregular.

Under such circumstances, it becomes difficult to continue providing unhindered care to the patients. An amount of Rs. 1.52 lakh per month is required to run the hospice. Now, with the support provided by OIL, it will be much more convenient for Deepsikha towards smooth functioning of the hospice which is only one of its kind dedicated to cancer patients in the entire NE India.

It may be noted that, in previous years an amount of Rs. 30.00 lakh was provided to Deepsikha for construction of the centre which was inaugurated in the year 2016-17. Also, an assistance of Rs. 10,86,437.00 was also provided to North East Cancer Hospital & Research Institute, Jorabat, Guwahati for procurement of a 25 seater Mahindra Tourister bus (model T25 Bus) benefitting the patients and their attendants in their uninterrupted transportation to the hospital. Apart from the above mentioned, other significant contribution has been made by OIL towards one of the most feared diseases impacting the health scenario of entire NE region.



# GUIDING COMMANDMENTS

## OIL CSR Policy

4.2 OIL shall undertake its CSR initiatives under various key thrust areas. Some of these thrust areas vis-à-vis the broad areas specified under Schedule VII, of Companies Act, 2013 are as follows:

OIL's Thrust Areas

Areas specified under Schedule VII of Companies Act, 2013

Healthcare	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Point(i) : eradicating hunger, poverty and malnutrition, promoting preventive healthcare and sanitation and making available safe drinking water;</li> </ul>
Swachh Bharat Abhiyam	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Point(i) : eradicating hunger, poverty and malnutrition, promoting preventive healthcare and sanitation and making available safe drinking water;</li> </ul>
Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Point(ii) : promoting education, including special education and employment enhancing skills especially among children, women,elderly, and the differently abled and livelihood enhancement projects;</li> </ul>
Sustainable Livelihood Generation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Point(ii) : promoting education, including special education and employment enhancing vocational skills especially among children, women,elderly, and the differently abled and livelihood enhancement projects;</li> </ul>
Skill Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Point(ii) : promoting education, including special education and employment enhancing vocational skills especially among children,women,elderly, and the differently abled and livelihood enhancement projects;</li> </ul>
Capacity building & Empowerment of women	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Point(iii) : promoting gender equality, empowering women, setting up homes and hostels for women, backward groups;</li> </ul>
Environment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Point(iv) : ensuring environmental sustainability, ecological balance, protection of flora and fauna, animal welfare, agroforestry, conservation of natural resources and maintaining quality of soil, air and water;</li> </ul>
Rural Sports	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Point(vii) : training to promote rural sports, nationally recognised sports, paralympic sports and Olympic sports;</li> </ul>
Rural Development/ Augmentation of Rural Infrastructure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Point(x) : rural development projects</li> </ul>

Above is an excerpt from OIL CSR Policy

## CSR brain Bite

Match the pairs, CSR Project Names with their respective social sectors:

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|----------------|----------------------|
| 1. Arogya      | 1. Education         |
| 2. Sakshyam    | 2. Skill             |
| 3. Jeevika     | 3. Health            |
| 4. Swabalamban | 4. Livelihood        |
| 5. Super 30    | 5. Differently Abled |



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- 2<sup>nd</sup>. Nabarun Sarma, Electrical Deptt, Duliajan
- 3<sup>rd</sup>. Manab Kumar Saikia, Materials Deptt, Duliajan

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Caption- *"Touching Lives- Raising Hope"*



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