

VINYL CHEMICALS (INDIA) LIMITED

DETAILS OF ONGOING PROJECTS BEING UNDERTAKEN THROUGH IMPLEMENTING AGENCY ON BEHALF OF THE COMPANY FOR CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY (CSR) ACTIVITIES

The following ongoing projects are presently being undertaken by Trivenikalyan Foundation, a registered Public Trust having an established track record of over three decades (the Implementing Agency) jointly with other Companies. All the projects are in line with the CSR Policy of the Company and the projects shall be regularly monitored/reviewed by the CSR Committee of the Company. The Company proposes to spend 2% of the Net Profits every year on CSR activities.

1. **Agriculture & Horticulture:**

The objectives of the projects are:

- Bringing modern practices relating to agricultural and horticultural crops to farmers through collaborations with experts and government institutions for improving yields, reducing input costs and encouraging the farmers to adopt cultivation of new crops as well as fruits and vegetables.
- Formation of Farmer Clubs covering large number of farmers; providing a platform for exchange of knowledge and good practices; setting up and upgrading farmer service centers to provide enhanced services to farmers and providing education to farmers through Agro ITI to upgrade their skills and helping farmers to reduce usage of chemical fertilizers and pesticides by using alternate techniques based on natural products.
- Setting up and supporting a “Centre for Agriculture-Horticulture Development”. The Centre provides continuous training to farmers on modern practices for agricultural and horticultural crops along with inter-cropping of pulses and other products. The Centre also demonstrates how to cultivate aromatic and medicinal crops and provides training for post-harvesting technologies for the purpose of value addition.
- Training and supporting to coastal farmer and fishermen in the cultivation of seaweed and making value-added products out of seaweed.
- Assisting in the formation and development of Farmer Producers Organization.

2. **Women Self Help Groups:**

The objectives of the projects are:

- Formation and development of Women Self Help Groups which provides a platform to a large number of women for coming together for exchange of ideas, gain knowledge and adopt activities which could help them to improve their financial conditions.
- Providing livelihood training and help to Women Self Help Groups to start mini-businesses and supporting them for procurement of raw materials, quality control and sales of products.