

**DR. N. C. SAXENA, COMMISSIONER AND  
HARSH MANDER, SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE SUPREME COURT  
IN THE CASE: PUCL v. UOI & Ors. WRIT PETITION (Civil) No. 196 of 2001**

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November 23rd, 2009.  
Survey/693/Assam.

Shri Anurag Goel,  
Deputy Commissioner and District Magistrate,  
Goalpara,  
Assam.

Dear Shri Goel,

**Subject: Support for Survey on Implementation of Food Schemes.**

As you know we have been appointed by the Supreme Court to monitor the food and employment schemes in the country, under the case PUCL vs. UoI and others (CWP 196/2001). In our role as Commissioners to the Supreme Court we submit regular reports to the Supreme Court on the status of implementation of the food and employment schemes in different parts of the country.

For our next report, we are conducting a field survey to assess the status of implementation of the food schemes covered under this case including TPDS, AAY, ICDS, MDMS, NOAPS, NFBS and NMBS. Our advisor in the state of Assam, Mr. Sunil Kaul and his team are assisting us in conducting the survey in your district. The survey will be conducted in six districts in the state – Goalpara, Morigaon, Kokrajahar, Karbi Anglong, Lakhimpur and Cachar.

For successful completion of the survey, the team would require information such as lists of BPL households, allocations and expenditures under various schemes, number of beneficiaries under each scheme, annual reports of departments and so on. They would also require looking into the stock and distribution registers of the PDS shop keepers. We request you to kindly co-operate with our advisor and his team in this process.

We further request you to also help in arranging for accommodation and all other possible necessary assistance for the survey teams at the block headquarters during the conduct of the survey.

Kindly issue necessary directions to concerned officials at the District level to provide the survey team with the required information and assistance.

Thanking You

With regards,



Harsh Mander

CC: Mr. Sunil Kaul, Advisor to the Supreme Court Commissioners, Assam.

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