

THE RIGHT TO INFORMATION ACT – 2005



OBLIGATIONS OF PUBLIC AUTHORITIES

TELANGANA STATE DEVELOPMENT PLANNING SOCIETY (TSDPS)
KHAIRATHABAD, HYDERABAD.

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CHAPTER -1

INTRODUCTION:

In order to promote transparency and accountability in the working of every Public Authority. Houses of Parliament have passed the Right to Information Bill 2005 (RTI 2005) and received assent of the President of India on 15-06-2005 and it was published as RTI Act 2005 in the Gazette of India on 21-06-2005. The Act casts an obligation on every Public Authority to maintain Records duly catalogued and indexed in a manner and the form, which facilitates the right to information under this Act. Keeping in view of the obligations of the Act. The Telangana State Development Planning Society , Telangana state has prepared a report in the following Chapters:

Chapter 2- Organization, Functions and Duties

Chapter 3– Powers and Duties of officers and employees

Chapter 4– Procedure followed in decision - making process

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CHAPTER - 2

Organization, Functions and Duties

{ Section 4 (1) (b) (i) }

2.1 . Particulars of the Organization:

On bifurcation of state in terms of G.O. Ms. No.20. REVENUE (REG.II) Department Dated 18-08-2014, the TSDPS has been formed with effect from 01.11.2014 and is functioning separately by the Planning Department, Government of Telangana to continue the services of existing hydro-metrological projects.

Governing Body of the Society		
Sl.No	Members of the Governing Body	Designation
1	Chief Minister	Chairman
2	Minister for Planning	Deputy Chairman
3	Minister for Relief	Member
4	Vice-Chairman, State Planning Board	Member
5	Chief Secretary	Member
6	Secretary, Finance Department	Member
7	Relief Commissioner	Member
8	Secretary, Planning Department	Member Secretary
9	Chief Executive Officer	Member Convener

Such other members of the Society as may be determined by the State Government from time to time.

VISION:

Our vision is to generate a support system equipped to access, use, analyze, orient and develop action plans, on varied sectors for use by varied departments for systematic Policy Making & Evaluation and to better enable the Planning Department meet Social, Economic, Financial, and Natural Climatic challenges.

ABOUT TSDPS:

TSDPS is a registered society under Societies Registration Act 1898/ 2001. On bifurcation of state in terms of G.O. Ms. No.20. Revenue (REG.II) Department Dated 18-08-2014. The erstwhile TSDPS has been taken over from 01.11.14 and is functioning separately.

Background:

The society has been established way back in 2003 with the assistance of World Bank in 2003 under APHM & ECR project under the planning department. Later on, on closure of the project a separate autonomous society has been established on 01.3.2003 under the administrative control of Planning Department. The society was entrusted to take up Disaster Mitigation studies relating to "Rainfall-Run-off and Flood Forecasting, Cyclone model for Track, Wind and Storm Surge forecast to improve the early warning capabilities of State on natural disasters. The society in course of its working also started studies on Coastal Zone Management, Delta Water management, Preparation of Disaster Management Plans related to Cyclone, Drought and Earthquakes as part of its long term mitigation measures.

The Society was restructured on 01.4.12 to support Planning department activities pertaining to Result Framework based outcome monitoring to support planning and growth forecasting through professional support, mainstreaming the disaster mitigation and networking with various national and international organizations.

Objectives of TSDPS

Building a strong, reliable and accurate data on weather related parameters and real time dissemination system that can reach out to the communities at the lowest territorial units using all possible types of communications systems Generating vulnerability mapping for all types of disasters for the State, District, Mandals and Villages and prepares Disaster Mitigation plans and integrates them with the regular planning process at State, District and Panchayat levels Analysing climate change impacts in the state and preparing State, District, Mandal and Panchayat level climate change mitigation and adaptation plans with active participation of all stakeholders Carrying out pilot projects and research in emerging and critical areas of state's economic and social sectors with participation of stakeholders towards supporting economic and social sector planning in the state Generating Sector Wise appraisals and reviews with the help from the current data and database (both tabular & GIS based) generated from associate units of the Planning Department, that will identify the gaps and generate action points Generating alternative innovative strategies, designs and analysis on varied issues and sectors will be encouraged and the same shared with the public at large through the website Conducting gap and growth analysis of the State's Economic and Social Sectors and carry out modeling, making projections, forecasting and result framework based outcome monitoring to support Annual and Five Year Planning in the state in coordination with the Planning and Monitoring Units of line Departments.

Main Activities of TSDPS

Weather monitoring unit: focus on automatic real time acquisition and dissemination of weather related parameters and involves in running of weather forecast and flood models and Drought monitoring. To facilitate data collection TSDPS has installed 865 Automatic Weather Stations (AWS), 64 global radiation sensors and 41 soil moisture sensors and, across the state to acquire data on real time basis. The AWS measures 6 weather parameters - Rainfall, Wind Speed, Wind Direction, Pressure, Humidity and Temperature in addition it also measures Global radiation and soil moisture at desired location at every one hour interval and transmits it in the form of SMS using GSM technology. Presently, at least one AWS for each mandal is installed in a grid of 10km X 10km. River gauges measures the water level in the river at that particular location and transmits data at hourly interval.

2.2. Functions and Duties:

Sl.No	Name of the Organization	Address	Functions & Duties
1	Telangana State Development Planning Society	Ganaanka Bhavan Premises, Khairathabad, Hyderabad- 5000 004 Telangana State	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) The Chief Executive Officer of the Society shall be a whole time employee of the Society and shall be the Principal Officer of the Society. He/she shall be responsible for the proper administration of the affairs of the Society under the direction and guidance of the Governing Body and the Executive Committee. 2) The Chief Executive Officer shall represent the Society in all matters and sue and be sued on behalf of the Society. 3) The Chief Executive Officer shall remain in overall charge of planning, implementation and monitoring of all activities of the Society. 4) The Chief Executive Officer shall have the powers as that of Head of the Department in the Government / Head of Grade I Institute established by government. 5) The Chief Executive Officer shall coordinate the functions of the various units and the activities of the Society.

Sl.No	Name of the Organization	Address	Functions & Duties
1	Telangana State Development Planning Society	Ganaanka Bhavan Premises, Khairathabad, Hyderabad-5000 004 Telangana State	<p>6)The Chief Executive Officer shall remain in overall charge of the funds of the Society and open and operate the Society Accounts in the Banks.</p> <p>7)The Chief Executive Officer shall remain in overall charge of maintenance of the assets, accounts, records, audit and documents of the Society.</p> <p>8) The Chief Executive Officer shall exercise complete administrative supervision and control over all permanent or temporary employees appointed in the Society by direct recruitment or on deputation from government and specialized agencies by contract or consultants engaged on contract by the Society.</p> <p>9) The Chief Executive Officer shall be the Chairman of any Advisory Board or other special committee constituted by the Executive Committee for any special purpose as deemed necessary.</p> <p>10)The Chief Executive Officer shall deal with all legal issues, suits and other proceedings on behalf of the Society and shall have powers to compromise and settle as deemed necessary duly following government procedures and to engage a legal counsel as and when required.</p> <p>11)The Chief Executive Officer shall convene the meeting of the Governing Body and record the minutes of the proceedings.</p> <p>12)The Chief Executive Officer may delegate any of his/her powers and functions to any other persons working on a whole-time basis in the Society or authority appointed or established under the rules of the Society.</p> <p>13)The Chief Executive Officer shall discharge such other functions as may be assigned to him by the Governing Body or the Executive Committee of the Society.</p>

CHAPTER - 3

Powers and Duties of officers and employees

List of Employees and their duties In TSDPS (Regular, Consultants, Contract & Outsourcing Basis)					
S1. No	Name	Cadre	Designation	Duties Allotted	Powers
1	Sri Shaik Meera	Director	CEO	Over All Management	
2	Sri.A.Ramakrishna Naga Raju	DEE	E.O(T)	Implementation of Weather models, Consolidation of AWS data etc.,	
3	Shri Shashi Ranjan Verma	Economic Officer (Cen Govt.)	Monitoring & Evaluation Officer	Monitoring & Evaluation of Govt. Schemes	
4	Dr.Y.V Rama Rao	Consultant	Weather Consultant	Weather Report Analysis	
5	Sri V.Subramanyam	Consultant	Monitoring & Evaluation	Evaluation of Govt. Schemes	
6	Sri D.Narsimha Rao	Consultant	Monitoring & Evaluation	Evaluation of Govt. Schemes	
7	G.Bhargav Reddy	Consultant	Server Maintenance Engineer	All AWS Maintenance	
8	V.Venkatesh Naik	PMRDF	DKIC	Monitoring DKIC Activities	
9	M.Manoj	PMRDF	Monitoring & Evaluation	Assisting Director SDG	
10	Dr.S.Ravi	Consultant	Monitoring & Evaluation	Monitoring Planning Activities	
11	Sri. K.V.Prasad Rao	Statistical Officer	Asst. Executive Officer	Economic Growth, general supervision of AWS, Special duties.	
12	Sri B.Venumadhav	Statistical Officer	Asst. Executive Officer	Admin. & Vulnerability Modeling	
13	Sri G.Rajender Kumar	Statistical Officer	Asst. Executive Officer	Knowledge Mgmt. Unit	
14	Smt. DVD Nandini	Statistical Officer	Asst. Executive Officer	Social Development	
15	Sri .K. Anjaiah	Dy. Statistical Officer	Office Manager	Accounts	
16	Smt. P.Nirmala Kumari	Dy. Statistical Officer	Office Manager	Administration	
17	Smt. N.Vijayalakshmi	Dy. Statistical Officer	Office Manager	Technical	
18	Sri.M.Samson Raj	Contract	Accountant	Accounts Section	
19	Dr.M. Suresh	Contract	GMIS Manager	Maintenance of SKS Data	
20	Ch.Veeranna	Contract	Web Manager	Database & Web Management	
21	A.Raghavendra Chary	Contract	Desktop Publication Expert	Designing	
22	Munlin Rath	Contract	GMIS Asst.	Mapping	
23	B.Swapna	Contract	GMIS Asst.	Mapping	
24	M.Sammaiah	Contract	GMIS Asst.	Mapping	
25	B.Shiva Kumar	Contract	Data Analyst – Drought Monitoring	Drought Monitoring	
26	N.Sheetal	Contract	Data Analyst - Rainfall Model	Rainfall Analysis	
27	V.Narayana	Contract	System Administrator	System/Server Maintenance	

CHAPTER - 4

Procedure Followed in Decision – making Process { Section 4 (1) (b) (iii) }

Activity	Description	Decision-making Process	Designation of Final decision making authority
Goal –Setting and Planning	Administrative decisions relating to service matters. Departmental Promotion Committees. Conducting of Annual Inspection of TSDPS Staff.	Conformity with the directions and others issued by the Govt. time to time.	Chief Executive Officer, Hyderabad.
Budgeting	The Department Budget is released by the Administrative Department i.e., Planning Department under plan Schemes. The Budget provided under Non-plan and plan is being allocated among the Headquarters and districts.	The Chief Executive Officer will allocate the funds among the districts and Headquarters as per their requirement.	Chief Executive Officer, Hyderabad.
Formulations of Programmes, Schemes and Projects	The Schemes are being formulated with the approval of the planning department and the schemes are being Implemented.	Schemes will be formulated by the approval of the planning department and concurrence of Finance Department.	Chief Executive Officer, Hyderabad.
Recruitment / hiring of personal	Identifying the vacancies in difference cadres. Assessment of the work urgency and its Importance. Taking into account the pressure of work on the existing staff.	Addressing the government with a request to accord permission for filling up of the posts through Telangana State Public Service Commission for all the sanctioned posts in superior cadre.	The Principal Secretary to Government, Planning Department, Telangana Secretariat, Hyderabad.
Release of Funds	Funds will be released on quarterly basis	Funds will be allocated among the districts and headquarters on quarterly regulations.	Chief Executive Officer, Hyderabad.
Implementation/ Delivery of Service / Utilization Funds	Funds will be released to Head quarters and districts.	Utilization certificate will be furnished to the concern departments/ Agencies.	Chief Executive Officer, Hyderabad.

CHAPTER - 5

Norms set for the Discharge of Functions { Section 4 (1) (b) (iv) }

Sl.No	Functions/Services	Norms/Standards of Performance set	Time Frame	Reference document prescribing the norms
As per the Prescribed under the manual of office procedure				

CHAPTER - 6

Rules, Regulations, Instructions, Manuals and Records for Discharging functions { Section 4 (1) (b) (v) }

Sl.No	Description	Gist of Contents
1	Manuals	Departmental manual
2	Rainfall	Instructions for measuring Rainfall and maintenance of records are done as per guidelines issued by IMD, GOI.

CHAPTER - 7

Categories of Documents held by the Public Authority { Section 4 (1) (b) (vi) }

Sl.No	Category of Document	Title of the Document	Designation and address of the custodian (held by / under the control of whom)
1	2	3	4
Not Applicable			

CHAPTER - 8

Arrangement for Consultation with or Representation by the Members of the Public in relation to the Formulation of Policy or Implementation thereof { Section 4 (1) (b) (vii) }

Sl.No	Function/ Service	Arrangements for Consultation with or Representation of Public in relation with Policy formulation
Not Applicable		

CHAPTER - 9

Boards, Councils , Committees and other Bodies constituted as part of public Authority { Section 4 (1) (b) (viii) }

Name of Board Council, Committee etc.,	Composition	Powers & Functions	Whether its Meeting open to Public/Minutes of its Meeting accessible for Public.
State Level Technical Committee to look into Technical issues related to TSDPS.	Members from central agencies like NRSC, CWC, IMD etc., Members from State agencies like DES, TRAC, RWS, Irrigation Dept, Agriculture university, Agriculture Dept, Ground water Dept, CDMA, GHMC, HMWS& S etc.,	Finalization of specifications, bidding documents for procurement of goods/equipment, annual maintenance contracts of services, goods/equipment etc., and evaluation of bids received. Advice on value additions to be taken up for further improvements of existing models for disaster mitigation, R&D projects to be taken up by TSDPS required infrastructure augmentation in TSDPS Advise and review any other technical matter related to disaster mitigation works referred to it by TSDPS.	Minutes of the technical committee are not open to public and minutes of the committee meeting will be communicated to the participants only.

CHAPTER - 10 (Contd.,)
Directory of Officers and employees
{ Section 4 (1) (b) (ix) }

S.No	Username	Mobile No.	Designation
1	Sri. Shaik Meera	9849901398	Chief Executive Officer
2	Sri.A.Ramakrishna Nagaraju	9949624530	Executive Officer (Technical)
3	Sri B.Venumadhav	7997711011	Asst. Executive Officer
4	Sri. K.V.Prasad Rao	7997711005	Asst. Executive Officer
5	Sri G Rajendra Kumar	7997711027	Asst. Executive Officer
6	Smt.DVD.Nandini	7702417878	Statistical Officer
7	Sri Shashiranjana Verma	7997711012	Monitoring & Evaluation Officer
8	Sri K.Anjaiah	7997711000	Deputy Statistical Officer
9	Smt. N. Vijayalakshmi	9866171310	Deputy Statistical Officer
10	Smt.P.Nirmala Kumari	7207856297	Deputy Statistical Officer
11	Sri.G.Saidi Reddy	7997711001	Coordinating Officer
12	Sri. RK Dattatri	7997711019	Coordinating Officer
13	Sri. B.Lingaiah	7997711008	Coordinating Officer
14	Sri. K.Thirupathi Rao	7997711013	Coordinating Officer
15	Sri. Syed Ibrahim Khaleel	7997711014	Coordinating Officer
16	Sri. M.Subhash	7997711015	Coordinating Officer
17	Sri. Ch. Srimannarayana	7997711016	Coordinating Officer
18	Sri. C.Ramesh	7997711017	Coordinating Officer
19	Sri. M.Prakash	7997711018	Coordinating Officer
20	Sri. M.Venkata Narsaiah	7997711006	Coordinating Officer
21	Sri. V.V.S.R.Prasada Reddy	7997711003	Coordinating Officer
22	Sri. P.Raghavendera Reddy	7997711021	Coordinating Officer
23	Sri. P.Thirumalesha	7997711023	Coordinating Officer
24	Sri. P.Shankaraiah	7997711024	Coordinating Officer
25	Sri Y V Rama Rao	7997711025	Consultant
26	Sri. Dr.M. Suresh	7997711007	GMIS Manager
27	Sri.M Samson Raj	7997711055	Accountant
28	Sri. Ch.Veeranna	7997711044	Web Manager
29	Sri. A.Raghavendra Chary	7997711030	DTP expert
30	Smt. Munlin Rath	7997711020	GMIS Asst.
31	Smt. B.Swapna	7997707888	GMIS Asst.
32	Sri. G.Bhargav Reddy	7997702888	Consultant
33	Sri. M.Sammaiah	7997711033	GMIS Asst.
34	Sri. B.Shiva Kumar	7997711009	DA (Drought Monitoring)

CHAPTER - 10 (Concl'd).
Directory of Officers and employees
{ Section 4 (1) (b) (ix) }

S.No	Username	Mobile No.	Designation
35	Smt. N.Sheetal	7997711010	DA (Rainfall Model)
36	Sri. V.Narayana	7997711040	System Administrator
37	Sri. T.Naveen Kumar	7997711029	Technician
38	Sri. M.Siddaiah	7997711039	Technician
39	Sri. T.Narayana	7997711031	Technician
40	Sri. G.Srikanth Goud	7997711032	Technician
41	Sri. G.Anil Kumar	7997711034	Technician
42	Sri. M.Mahipal Reddy	7997711035	Technician
43	Sri. G.Aravind Reddy	7997711036	Technician
44	Sri. P.Rajaiah	7997711037	Technician
45	Sri. N.Rajashekar	7997711038	Technician
46	Sri. Ch.Anjaneyulu	7997711026	Technician
47	Sri. D.Kanakaraju	7997711041	Technician
48	Sri. K.Sunil Kumar	7997711042	Technician
49	Sri. A.Naresh	7997711043	Technician
50	Sri. B.Pranay Reddy	7997711002	Technician
51	Ch.Rajendra Prasad Reddy	7997711028	Technician
52	D.Rajesh	9573931790	DKIC DEOs
53	M.Kishan Rao	7569437627	DKIC DEOs
54	S.Naresh	8886774335	DKIC DEOs
55	K.Sravan	8500090001	DKIC DEOs
56	G.Arun Kumar	9533382829	DKIC DEOs
57	M.Prasad	9704716962	DKIC DEOs
58	M.Sravan	9640345703	DKIC DEOs
59	B.Koteswar	8464004884	DKIC DEOs
60	A.Nagaraju	9959992387	DKIC DEOs
61	G.Vinay Kumar	9000907953	DKIC DEOs
62	Y.Mahesh	9963385134	DKIC DEOs
63	A.Srinivas	8886774335	DKIC DEOs
64	A.Mahipal	9848827808	DKIC DEOs
65	Ch.Bharath Kumar	9603106269	DKIC DEOs
66	T.Vishnu	8801629494	DKIC DEOs

CHAPTER - 11(Contd.,)

Monthly Remuneration received by Officers and employees, including the system of compensation as provided in Regulations.

{ Section 4 (1) (b) (x) }

Sl.No	Name of the Officer and Employee (Sarvasri)	Designation	Monthly Remuneration and its compensation as on July,2018 (Gross Salary in Rs.)
1	Shaik Meera	Chief Executive Officer	1,81,471
2	B.Venumadhav	Statistical Officer	1,24,235
3	K.V.Prasad Rao	Statistical Officer	1,24,220
4	C.Ramesh	Statistical Officer	1,00,245
5	G.Rajendera Kumar	Statistical Officer	1,24,145
6	M.Prakash	Statistical Officer	1,00,245
7	G.Saidi Reddy	Statistical Officer	1,07,147
8	VVSR.Prasada Reddy	Statistical Officer	93,679
9	RK.Dattatri	Statistical Officer	1,00,245
10	DVD. Nandini	Statistical Officer	1,06,999
11	P.Shankaraiah	Statistical Officer	95,765
12	K.Anjaiah	Deputy Statistical Officer	1,21,583
13	P.Raghavendera Reddy	Deputy Statistical Officer	81,329
14	Ch.Srimannarayana	Deputy Statistical Officer	59,103
15	M.Subhash	Deputy Statistical Officer	71,829
16	Syed Ibrahim Khaleel	Deputy Statistical Officer	68,656
17	N.Veena	Deputy Statistical Officer	87,044
18	Thirupathi Rao	Deputy Statistical Officer	51,886
19	V.Ravinder	Deputy Statistical Officer	60,548
20	B.Lingaiah	Deputy Statistical Officer	52,552
21	M.Venkata Narsaiah	Deputy Statistical Officer	47,042
22	P.Nirmala Kumari	Deputy Statistical Officer	1,01,723
23	Shasi Ranjan Verma	Monitoring & Evaluation Officer	88,944
CONSULTANTS			
24	V.Venkatesh Naik	Consultant	85,000
25	Manoj Kumar	Consultant	85,000
26	G.Bhargav Reddy	Server maintenance Engineer	28,000

CHAPTER - 11 (Concl'd).

Monthly Remuneration received by Officers and employees, including the system of compensation as provided in Regulations.

{ Section 4 (1) (b) (x) }

Sl. No	Name of the Officer and Employee (Sarvasri)	Designation	Monthly Remuneration and its compensation as on July,2018 (Gross salary in Rs.)
27	Y.V.Rama Rao	Consultant for Weather Forecasting/ analysis	50,000
28	Dr.V.Subramanyam	Consultant	84,000
29	D.Narasimha Rao	Consultant	84,000
30	Ravi Siriki	Consultant	88,100
31	Manikant Sharma	Monitoring & Evaluationer of DKIC's	40,000
CONTRACTUAL STAFF			
32	M.Suresh	GMIS Manager	52,569
33	Ch. Veeranna	Web Manager	41,803
34	A.Raghavendra Chary	Desktop Publication Expert	41,803
35	Munlin Rath	GMIS Asst.	38,961
36	M.Samson Raj	Accountant	33,989
37	B.Swapna	GMIS Asst.	32,468
38	M.Sammaiah	GMIS Asst.	30,437
39	B.Shiva Kumar	Drought Monitoring	30,437
40	N.Sheethal	Rainfall Model	30,437
41	V.Narayana	System Administrator	26,237

Outsourcing Staff

Sl. No	Designation / Cadre	No. of Posts	Gross Salaries / Remuneration, July,2018(in Rs)
1	Field Technicians (DPO's)	16	4,05,666.00
2	Data Processing Officers	2	1,19,747.00
3	Office Subordinates	3	
4	Driver	1	
5	DEO's in DKIC	15	3,26,325.00
	Total	37	

CHAPTER - 12

Budget allocated to each Agency indicating the plans etc. { Section 4 (1) (b) (xi)}

Sl. No.	Financial Year	Head of Account	Budget Estimates In Rs.	Released In Rs.	Expenditure in Rs.
1	2017-18	<u>Non-Plan</u> 2052 Secretariat General services M.H. 090 Secretariat S.H.(07) Planning Department 310 Grants-in-Aid 311 Grants-in-Aid towards Salaries	38,50,000	28,86,000	9,81,51,210
2		<u>Plan</u> 3451 Secretariat Economic Services M.H. 090 Secretariat S.H.(13) Telangana State Development Planning Society (TSDPs) 310 Grants-in-Aid 312 Other Grants-in-Aid	6,00,00,000	3,00,00,000	
Total amount in Rs.			6,38,50,000	32,886,000	9,81,51,210

CHAPTER - 13

Manner of Execution of Subsidy Programmes

{ Section 4 (1) (b) (xii)}

Name of Programme/ activity	Nam of Subsidy	Eligibility criteria for grant of subsidy	Designation of officer to grant subsidy
1	2	3	4
Not Applicable			

CHAPTER - 14

Particulars of Recipients of concessions, permits or authorizations

granted by the Public Authority.

{ Section 4 (1) (b) (xiii)}

Name of Programme/ activity	Nam of Subsidy	Eligibility criteria for grant of subsidy	Designation of officer to grant subsidy
1	2	3	4
Not Applicable			

CHAPTER - 15

Information available in Electronic form

{ Section 4 (1) (b) (xiv)}

Electronic Format	Description (Site Address/ Location where available etc.)	Contents or Title	Designation and address of the Custodian of information (held by whom?)
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All the relevant details by the Society from time to time are made available on the website. Further, the details like Rainfall related issues, Real-time weather data on parameters such as rainfall, temperature (max), temperature (min) , wind direction, wind speed and humidity that involves in running weather Forecast and Flood models and drought monitoring During the natural calamities throughout the year TSDPS works per 24 x 7 hours irrespective holidays for capturing the automatic real-time acquisition and dissemination of weather data etc., are also made available on the Telangana State Development Planning Society, Hyderabad website. For more details please see website www.tsdps.telangana.gov.in

CHAPTER - 16

Particulars of facilities available to citizens for obtaining information { Section 4 (1) (b) (xv)}

The TSDPS Society has not maintained library. To obtain information under the Right to Information Act- 2005, a person may make a request in writing along with the application fee either Indian Postal Order or BPL card (for exemption of fee).

CHAPTER - 17

Names, Designations and other particulars of the Public Information Officers { Section 4 (1) (b) (xvi)}

GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA

RIGHT TO INFORMATION ACT-2005

Office Name	Telangana State Development Planning Society (TSDPS).
Name and Designation of the Appellate Authority	Sri. Shaik Meera, Director and Chief Executive Officer, 9849901398
Name and Designation of the State Public Information Officer	Sri.B.Venumadhav, Asst. Executive Officer (Statistical Officer), 7997711011
Name and Designation of State Asst.Public Information Officer	Smt.P.Nirmala Kumari, Office Manager (Deputy Statistical Officer), 040-29700293

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Other useful Information

{ Section 4 (1) (b) (xvii)}

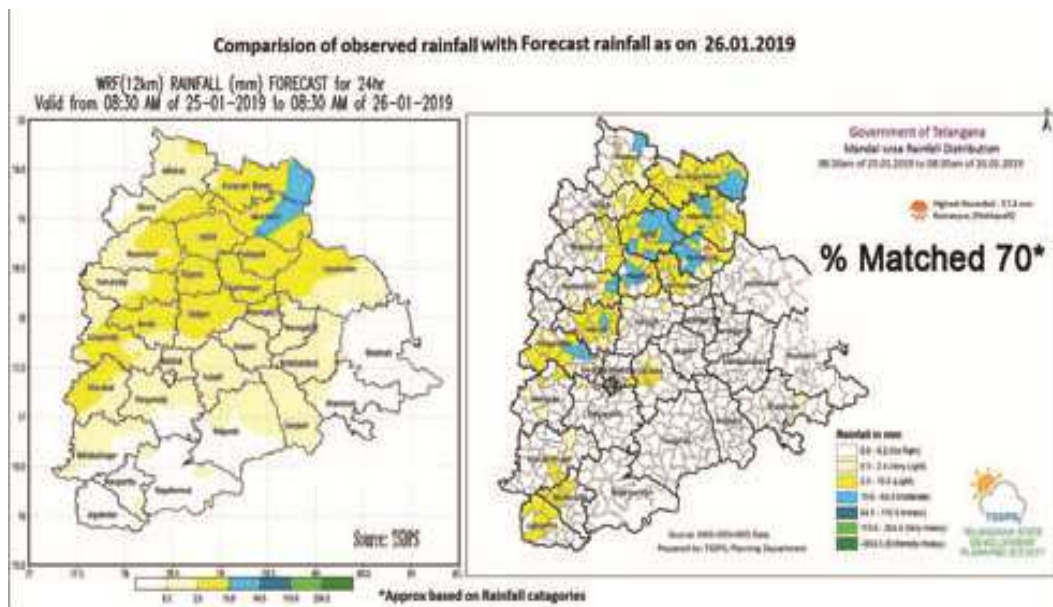
Brief note on departmental activities

Telangana State Development Planning Society(TSDPS) is established during 2014 after bifurcation from APSDPS. The salient features of TSDPS activities are as follows.

1. Maintenance of Weather Stations: The Total 924 Automatic Weather Stations (AWSs) are being maintained by the Society to get the Real-time Weather Data on Rainfall, Temperature, Humidity, Wind-Speed and Wind-Direction. The same is provided to all Govt. Departments like Agriculture, Irrigation, Revenue etc., including District Collectors through email for necessary actions at their level. TSDPS also disseminating the Weather Data to all the users/public through Official Website (www.tsdps.telanagana.gov.in), Mobile App(TS-Weather) and LED Display Boards.

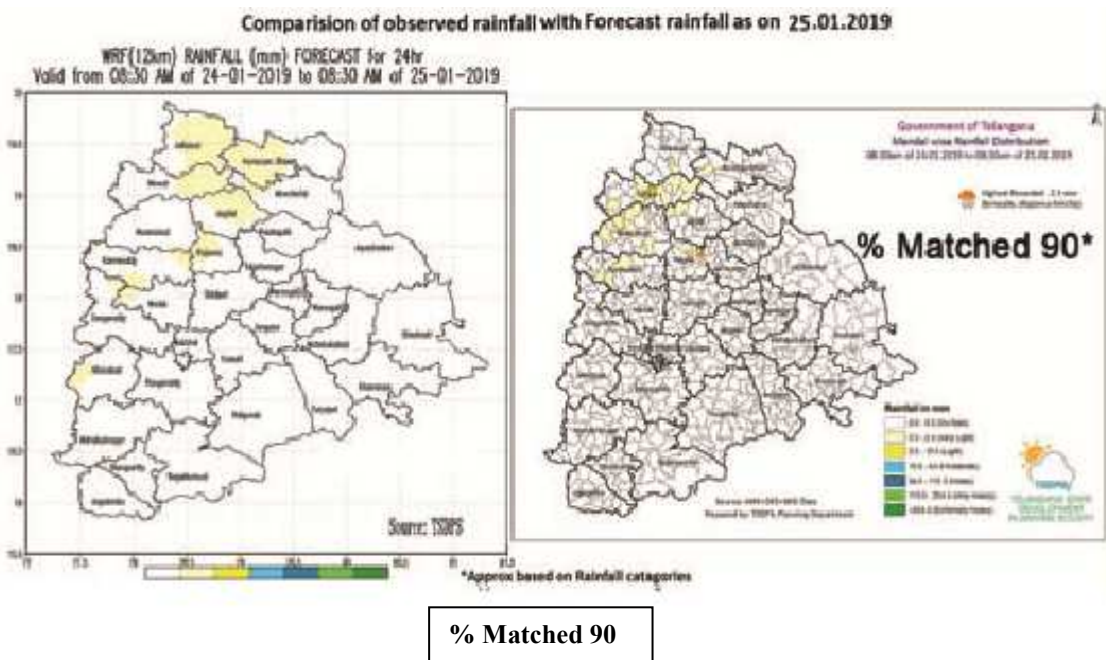
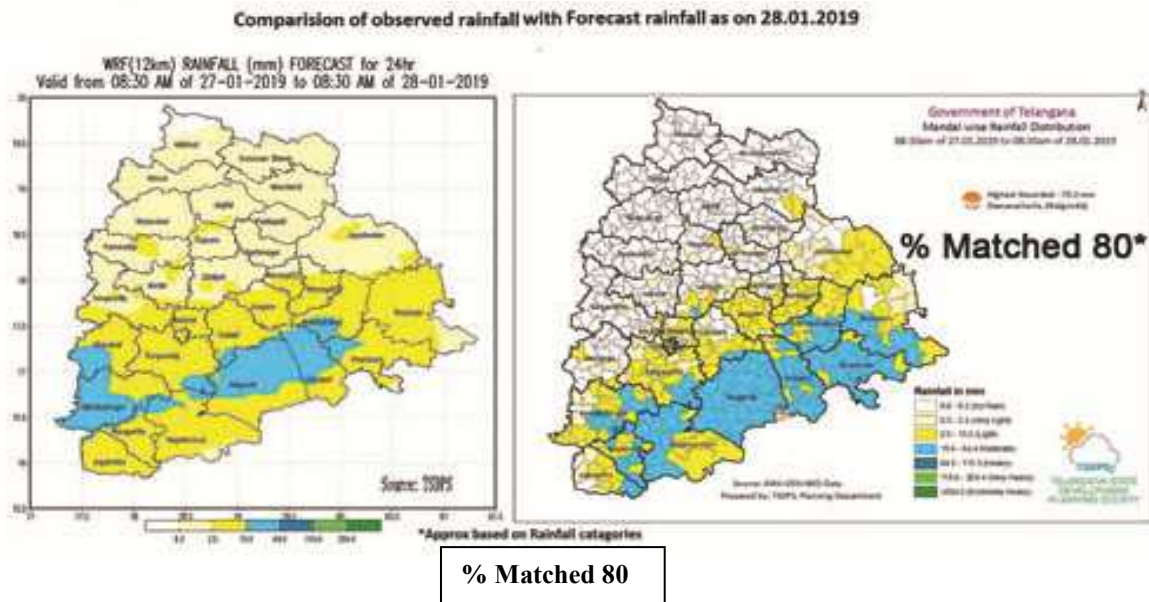
The Weather Data will be utilised by the Insurance Companies in settlement of claims under the PMFBY. **Hyderabad Traffic Police** is also utilizing this Data to issue Weather Alerts.

2. Weather Forecast: Regularly, Weather Forecast for 72 hours (i.e. for 3 days) have been prepared by running Weather Research Forecast (WRF) Model based on 3 to 12 KM resolution in collaboration with IMD, New Delhi. The same is disseminating to all the above users. The authenticity of the forecast is 70 to 80%. TSDPS also providing 7 days forecast for the benefit of farmers during monsoon season.



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3. TS Weather Mobile App :



TSDPS developed the Mobile Weather app (T-Weather) and released for the public use. Weather app will provide the weather in any part of the Telangana state weather conditions at current location, showing Real time Temperature , Rainfall (mm), humidity and wind speed/ direction. Provides 3-days of all districts wise Forecast, Maximum/ Minimum Temperature and Rainfall (in mm).

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4. Periodic workshops on Extreme Weather Events : Keeping in view of the affect of the Heat Waves in the State and to reduce the casualties, The Heat Wave Action Plans are being prepared by organising workshops regularly every year during the month of March. In which TSDPS is involving District Collectors and their teams along with State level officials. Indian Metrological Society (IMS) and UNICEF also associating with TSDPS in this event. In addition to this TSDPS has released **posters** on Extreme Weather Events like Thunderbolts, and produced a **Short film** on precautionary measures against Heat Waves for public awareness in the State.

5. LED Weather Display Boards: The LED DISPLAY BOARD is to display the Real-time Weather Data for the public convenience & official purpose and also to take precautionary measures for Disaster Management by representing colour codes in the event of Extreme Weather conditions. For vital purpose, the TSDPS installed LED Boards in all 31 districts in the premises of Collectorates, which were inaugurated by the District Collectors during December - 2018.



In GHMC area total 10 Boards are proposed, out of which 7 LED Boards are already installed in the following places.

1. Ganaanka Bhavan, Khairtabad.
2. Zonal Office Charminar, Sardar Mahal.
3. Hyderabad Central University.
4. Telangana Secretariat
5. Zonal Office Kukatpally, Moosapet.
6. Municipal Office complex, LB Nagar
7. GHMC Commissioner Office.

Three other Proposed places: 1. MGBS 2. JBS 3. Secunderabad Railway Station Proposals also received from Dr.MCRHRDI, Commissioner of Agriculture and Forest Department, for installation of LED Boards at their cost. Further TSDPS is also with a proposed to install the same at Metro stations on the above terms.

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6. Information for Disaster Management : To combat the Extreme Weather Events the Weather Data is disseminating with the following colour codes.

Maximum Temperature



$\geq 45^{\circ}\text{C}$ Warning



41-45 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ Alert



35-40 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ Watch



$< 35^{\circ}\text{C}$ No Warning

Minimum Temperature



$\leq 5^{\circ}\text{C}$ Warning



6-10 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ Alert



11-12 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ Watch



$> 12^{\circ}\text{C}$ No

Rainfall



$> 204.5\text{mm}$ Warning



115.6-204.4mm Alert



64.5-115.5mm Watch



$< 64.5\text{mm}$ No Warning

7. Studies on Climate Change: TSDPS is with a proposal to conduct **Climate Change Studies for Telangana State** in association with Prof. P.P.Mujumdar, IISC, Bangalore by associating with various agencies like IIT-Hyderabad, BITS-Hyderabad, JNTU, GHMC, IMD, Agriculture Department etc., to measure up-to-date Weather Trends and future likely scenario of Climate Change over Telangana State with specific reference to district level changes. Object of the study is for guidance in future planning with main focus on Agriculture, Water availability and to know the Climate Change impacts on Rainfall patterns, Hydrology/Water resources, Temperature etc.

8. Urban Flooding: TSDPS initiated to prepare **Urban Flooding Model** exclusively for Hyderabad city. The TSDPS is playing a facilitator role in preparation of the model, which is useful to take necessary measures in the event of Extreme Weather conditions and for future planning. A workshop has been already organised in the month of June, 2018 under the chairmanship of Principal Secretary Planning and member Secretary with the guidance of Prof. Kapil Gupta, IIT, Mumbai. In which higher officials of GHMC also participated. As a result of this workshop TSDPS undertaken the installation process of 120 AWSs in GHMC

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area in addition to existing 34 AWSs to cover the 2*2 KM density to know the spatial or temporal variation of rainfall in real-time. The total 154 AWSs network helps to devise the effective Flood Model for Hyderabad.

9. Monitoring of SDG Goals: TSDPS in co-ordination with planning department and Dr.MCRHRDI is working towards fulfilment of SDG Goals.

TSDPS is the nodal agency in Telangana for developing a State Indicator Framework for Sustainable Development Goals. Soon after finalization of State Indicator Framework, TSDPS will start monitoring of SDG targets based on these indicators.

10. Monitoring & Evaluation: Impact on assessment a studies hold on important role in guiding the planners and different stake holders in implementing the community development programmes in a systematic way. In Telangana, in absence of a nodal agency for evaluation of government programmes, TSDPS has taken a lead role to undertake evaluation of such programmes.

As of now following programmes have been evaluated.

1. Kalyan Lakshmi/ Shadi Mubarak
2. Evaluation of Public Distribution System(PDS)
3. Telangana State Industrial Project Approval and Self-Certification System (TS-iPASS)
4. A study on Impact Assessment of Crop Loan Waiver in Telangana
5. A Study on Skill Gap Assessment in MSME Sector in Telangana and one research study and
6. Research study on Labour Reforms.

It is proposed to undertake the final evaluation of 47 integrated Watershed Management Projects, of first batch of [Department of Rural Development](#).

11. Regular Calibration: TSDPS has the field level monitoring network at district level for effective monitoring of total 924 AWSs. The Co-ordinating Officers for erstwhile districts with the assistance of Field Technicians will perform regular calibration of AWS stations at the field. The Senior Officers from the State level will also supervise the process.
