

Meeting of National Scrutiny Committee for shortlisting the nominations of Gram Panchayats/Equivalent Bodies/Institutions under Special Category of 'Gram Urja Swaraj Vishesh Panchayat Puraskar' under National Panchayat Awards 2023.

A meeting of National Scrutiny Committee for shortlisting the nominations of Gram Panchayats (GPs)/equivalent bodies received from states/Union Territories (UTs) in the special category of '**Gram Urja Swaraj Vishesh Panchayat Puraskar**' (**GUSVPP**) under National Panchayat Award 2023 was held under the chairmanship of Additional Secretary, Ministry of Panchayati Raj (Dr. Chandra Shekhar Kumar) on 01.04.2023. This award is for 3 GPs for their performance regarding adoption and usage of renewable sources of energy.

2. Members from Ministry of Renewable Energy and TERI School of Advance Studies, Delhi were absent due to their preoccupation.

3. Nominations of total **20** GPs/Equivalent Bodies were received from 9 states/UTs for GUSVPP. Out of these, **8** GPs/Equivalent Bodies in 3 states/UTs were found to be eligible as per the minimum marks criteria of 70 % out of 100 as per Questionnaire (*as per para 4 of Standard Operating Procedure of Special Category Awards*) as per details below:

#	GP/ Equivalent Body	LGD Code	Block Panchayat	District Panchayat	State/UT	SPPAC* Marks
1	Tikekarwadi	186025	Junnar	Pune	Maharashtra	100
2	Ankuli	117875	Patrapur	Ganjam	Odisha	93
3	Kanha	281710	Nandigama	Rangareddi	Telangana	85
4	Bonaigarh	121567	Bonaigarh	Sundargarh	Odisha	83
5	Loni budruk	168384	Rahata	Ahmednagar	Maharashtra	82
6	Kundheidiha	121585	Gurundia	Sundargarh	Odisha	82
7	Yerravalle	206284	Markook	Siddipet	Telangana	73
8	Mukra (k)	281138	Ichoda	Adilabad	Telangana	71

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4. The National Scrutiny Committee in its abovementioned meeting verified the questionnaires, supporting documents, video films and write up on best practices of each of the eligible nominated GP/equivalent body.

5. As per the scrutiny by the Committee, 5 GPs/Equivalent bodies under GUSVPP were considered and marks out of 50 to each were allotted. The remaining GPs/Equivalent bodies were not found satisfactory for consideration.

6. Accordingly, the National Scrutiny Committee unanimously shortlisted 5 GPs/Equivalent bodies under GUSVPP for recommendation to the National Selection Committee. These GPs/Equivalent Body were ranked based on the total marks obtained by each (*i.e. Aggregate of State Panchayat Performance Assessment Committee (SPPAC) marks and National Scrutiny Committee marks*). The rank-wise list prepared of the shortlisted GPs/Equivalent bodies is as given in the table below:

Sl. No./ Rank	Gram Panchayat/ Equivalent Body	LGD Code	Block Panchayat	District Panchayat	State/UT	SPPAC Marks (Out of 100)	Marks by National Scrutiny Committee (Out of 50)	Total marks (Out of 150)
						(A)	(B)	(A)+(B)
1	Tikekarwadi	186025	Junnar	Pune	Maharashtra	100	47	147
2	Ankuli	117875	Patrapur	Ganjam	Odisha	93	46	139
3	Mukra (k)	281138	Ichoda	Adilabad	Telangana	71	46	117
4	Yerravalle	206284	Markook	Siddipet	Telangana	73	43	116
5	Bonaigarh	121567	Bonaigarh	Sundargarh	Odisha	83	32	115

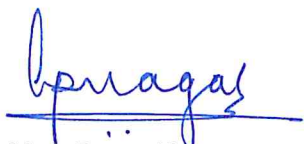
The meeting concluded with a vote of thanks to the chair.



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