

CHILD PROTECTION SECTOR COORDINATION MEETING

Date: 17th January 2005

Time: 6:15 pm

Venue: NGO coordination Center

Agenda:

- Taking stock of data collection
- CHILDLINE progress briefing
- Planning for child right workshop
- Discussion on child protection group how it will go head?
- Experience sharing and any we come across in the field and want to bring notice of concern person.

In the meeting around 16 organizations' representative participated and it was very participatory almost all present members put their view on the subject under discussion.

As on 17th January 15 villages data have come and TMMK has promise to submit by tomorrow. However those organizations have taken responsibility to collect data is requested to complete it latest by 22nd of January.

CHILDLINE has already started work; phone connectivity is also well however there is need to create awareness regarding CHILDLINE services, for that childline representative made appeal to the organizations and individuals to support in publishing awareness materials/visibility materials.

Mr. Ajay from Action Aid up dated the group regarding perspective building workshop on child right Fr. George will be the main facilitator, however it was made clear this workshop for those organizations who really want to work in the area for at least 6 months. It is for senior and middle level functionaries of the organizations. It is scheduled on 25 -26th January, those organizations interested to participate in the workshop please give their name on information desk at NGO Coordination Center by 22nd of January.

Koi:- Koi from Portugal , also the member of AMURT offered his service to conduct a workshop for volunteers who are working with children. CCF has offered its office for the workshop those who are interested to participate please contact to above said person contact to know address of CCF Mr. Sheshagiri of CCF. It is scheduled on 19th of January

On the issues of child protection group very intensive discussion taken place and it was consensus of the house that it should work with the perspective of child right and driving

force to hold the duty bearers accountable to fulfill their duty. It should be a model protection group it will be success then replicate in other districts as well. In the meeting it was also decided to setup a small sub committee who will draft the concept and method of working of this group. This committee will submit draft note by 24th of this month. Draft note will be discussed with other expert group late on.

Subcommittee is going to meet on 20th January at 4:00 pm at NGO Coordination Center

Please not designate other person for the meeting

Members of the draft committee are:

1. CCF = Mr.Sheshgiri
2. CCCYC = Mohan janeferrar
3. World Vision = D.A.Danial
4. Action Aid = Ajay
5. AVVAI =Jan Krishna
6. Yuva = Bijoy
7. CIF = Vijay
8. Sneha = Ms. Jessurathnam

Suggestions are invited to others as well those who wants to make suggestion please write on below ID or give on piece of paper at NGO coordination desk.

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Group also discussed the need of donors' coordination meeting specially those who want to work on the issues of children in Nagapattinam district. Aftab will take lead to call donor coordination meeting. Date will decided in due consultation with donor agencies.

Meeting concluded to meet again on 22nd January at 6 PM at NGO Coordination Center and requested the members please make sure their presence in order to make this forum relevant and effective.

Thanks

