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State : Jammu & Kashmir



Brief Profile of 3-Tier System of Panchayats in J&K

- **Total No of District Panchayats = 20 (3-Tier)**
- **Total No. of Block Panchayats = 285 (2-Tier)**
- **Total No of Halqa Panchayats = 4291 (1-Tier)**
- **No of Panch Constituencies = 33597**



Process of BPDP and DPDP

- In Jammu & Kashmir Union Territory, the elections for Block Development Councils and District Development Councils have been held for the first time in November, 2019 and December, 2020 respectively.
- After successful implementation of 73rd Constitutional Amendment Act, the main focus of the Government is to empower these Local Body Institutions with 3Fs (Funds, Functions and Functionaries).
- The Government of J&K is providing funds under UT CAPEX to these BDCs and DDCs for Block level and District level planning and the funds are released through treasuries (J&K BEAMS/JK PaySys in the following manner:-
 1. Rs 71.25 crore are being released 285 Block Development Councils (BDCs) @ Rs 25 Lakh to each Block Development Council (BDC) for Block Level Planning.
 2. Rs.200 crore are being released 20 District Development Councils (DDCs) @ Rs 10 crore to each DDC for District level Planning.
- The J&K will ensure that from next financial year for which preparation is going on, all the plans pertaining to Block Development Councils as well as District Development Councils shall be uploaded on eGramSwrajportal.



Best Practices of BPDP and DPDP

- **Since the Block Development Councils and District Development councils have been constituted recently for the first time in Union territory of J&K, the plans that have been formulated against the released funds i.e. @ Rs 25.00 lacs for each BDC and @ Rs 10.00 Crores for each DDC are presently under execution and the works are going on.**
- **Since we are in the initial stage of preparation of BPDPs and DPDPs, as such no best practices are available yet, but notable achievements/best practices can be shared with Ministry of Panchayati Raj in due course of time.**



Recommendation from States on Draft Report on Project Driven BPDP and DPDP