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From,

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Registrar,
Cooperative Societies,
Bihar, Patna

To,

Deputy Secretary,
CTP Division,
Ministry of Cooperation, Government of India,
New Delhi.

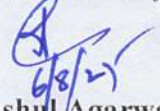
Subject:- Submission of Monthly reports for the month of July, (IYC-2025).

Sir,

With reference to the activities related with IYC-2025, report for the month of July 2025 is being attached herewith for your information and necessary action.

Annexure :- Attached.

Yours faithfully


(Anshul Agarwal)
Registrar,
Cooperative Societies,
Bihar, Patna

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Criteria	Details
Sector	PACS/DCCB/StCB/Dairy/Fisheries etc.
Location	Bihar
Event/Activity Name	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Tree plantation and orientation programs were organized across all cooperative societies and offices. (1st to 31st July)2. General body meetings were organized in all PACS on 15th July3. Capacity Building Training of chairpersons on PVCS Structure, Vegetable Production Promotion, and Marketing – 30 June to 02 Aug. and 07 to 26 Aug.4. International Cooperative Day Celebrations (5th July)
Brief Information on the Activity	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Tree Plantation & Orientation Drive across Cooperative Societies (1st–15th July) Theme: “EK PED MAA KE NAAM” (A Tree in Mother's Name) Inspired by the Hon'ble Prime Minister's “Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam” initiative, the Cooperative Department, Government of Bihar, launched an accelerated tree plantation drive during the monsoon season. From July 1st to July 31st, 2025, extensive plantation and orientation programs were conducted across all cooperative societies and offices throughout the state. This mega campaign led to the plantation of approximately 15 lakh trees, showcasing a strong commitment to environmental Sustainability and community-driven cooperative efforts. The initiative, “Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam”, stands as a heartfelt tribute to motherhood and a powerful step toward a greener future. This initiative aimed to blend environmental stewardship with emotional and cultural values, encouraging cooperative members to plant trees in honor of their mothers. Role of Cooperative Societies Cooperative societies acted as local hubs for organizing plantation events. They facilitated distribution of saplings, awareness sessions, and community mobilization. Offices were transformed into green zones, symbolizing their commitment to sustainability. As part of the “Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam” campaign, the Cooperative Department of Bihar collaborated with the Additional Chief Secretary, Environment, Forest and Climate Change Department to support a large-scale plantation initiative. A formal request was made to provide: 10 saplings per cooperative society (including PACS, DCCBs, Vyaparmandals, Vegetable Societies, Fisheries, Dairies, etc.) 100 saplings for members of each society

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2. General Body Meeting

On **July 15th, 2025**, general body meetings were organized in **5,000 Primary Agricultural Credit Societies (PACS)** across Bihar. These meetings aimed to strengthen democratic governance, ensure transparency, and encourage active participation among cooperative members. Over **25 lakh Members** took part in these meetings, discussing key issues, reviewing progress, and planning future cooperative initiatives.

3. Capacity Building Training of 210 chairpersons on PVCS Structure, Vegetable Production Promotion, and Marketing – 30 June to 02 Aug. and 07 to 26 Aug.

A couple of orientation programs about the organised and structured activities to be conducted by PVCS considering future perspective in vegetable production and marketing was conducted on 30 June to 02 Aug. and 07 to 26 Aug.

a. Training Modules Covered

- Best practices in vegetable cultivation
- Use of improved seeds, organic inputs, and irrigation techniques
- Integrated Pest Management (IPM)
- Marketing and Value Chain Development
- Aggregation and collective marketing strategies
- Linkages with wholesale markets, mandis, and retailers
- Branding, packaging, and quality control

b. Methodology:

- Interactive lectures
- Group discussions and case studies
- Field visits (if applicable)
- Distribution of training materials and manuals
- To provide a platform for members to review progress and plan future activities.

4. Celebrations on International Cooperative Day on 5th July 2025

On **July 5th, 2025**, the **Cooperative Department of Bihar** celebrated **International Cooperative Day** by organizing **membership drive camps across all Primary Agricultural Credit Societies (PACS)**. In addition to the membership drives, the department conducted **tree plantation activities, orientation programs, and annual general body meetings** across all cooperative societies and offices. These efforts aimed to promote **environmental sustainability** and strengthen **democratic engagement** within the cooperative ecosystem.

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<p>Objectives</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Tree Plantation and Orientation Programs (1st to 31st July) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To foster environmental sustainability through mass plantation drives. • To educate cooperative members about their roles and responsibilities. • To reinforce the connection between ecological awareness and cooperative action. 2. Capacity Building Training of 210 chairpersons <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Improvement in structure and Governance of PVCS ○ Orientation on Roles and responsibilities of Chairpersons ○ Membership norms and cooperative principles ○ Financial management and record keeping ○ Promotion of Vegetable Production 3. General Body Meetings in All PACS (15th July) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To encourage democratic participation and transparency in cooperative governance. • To provide a platform for members to review progress and plan future activities. • To strengthen internal communication and accountability within PACS. 4. International Cooperative Day Celebrations (5th July) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To promote cooperative values and principles. • To expand membership in PACS through targeted outreach. • To strengthen the cooperative movement.
<p>Achievements & Outcomes</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Tree Plantation & Orientation Drive across Cooperative Societies (1st–15th July) <p>Under the mega campaign “Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam,” a total of 15 Lakh trees were planted across Bihar, reflecting a deep commitment to environmental sustainability and honouring motherhood through cooperative action.</p> 2. Capacity Building Training of 210 chairpersons <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Improved awareness of PVCS governance and operational efficiency. ○ Enhanced knowledge of vegetable production techniques. ○ Strengthened capacity for market-oriented planning and execution. ○ Overall Satisfaction: 92% rated the training as “Very Useful” ○ Suggestions: More field-based demonstrations and follow-up refresher courses ○ Recommendations received - Conduct periodic refresher trainings, Provide handholding support for market linkage, Encourage digital record keeping and MIS adoption. 3. General Body Meetings in All PACS (15th July) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Encouragement of Democratic Participation: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Members actively participated in discussions and decision-making processes

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Elections and voting procedures were conducted in a transparent manner- Increased awareness among members about their rights and responsibilities.o Review of Progress and Planning of Future Activities:<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Progress reports of PACS activities were presented and reviewed.- Members provided feedback and suggestions for improvement.- Strategic plans for upcoming agricultural seasons and financial operations were discussed and approved.o Strengthening Internal Communication and Accountability:<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Improved communication channels between management and members.- Financial statements and audit reports were shared openly.- Mechanisms for grievance redressal and performance monitoring were reinforced.
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1. As part of the “Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam” initiative, a ceremonial tree plantation was carried out by the Hon’ble Minister-Cooperative and Cooperative Dept., Government of Bihar.



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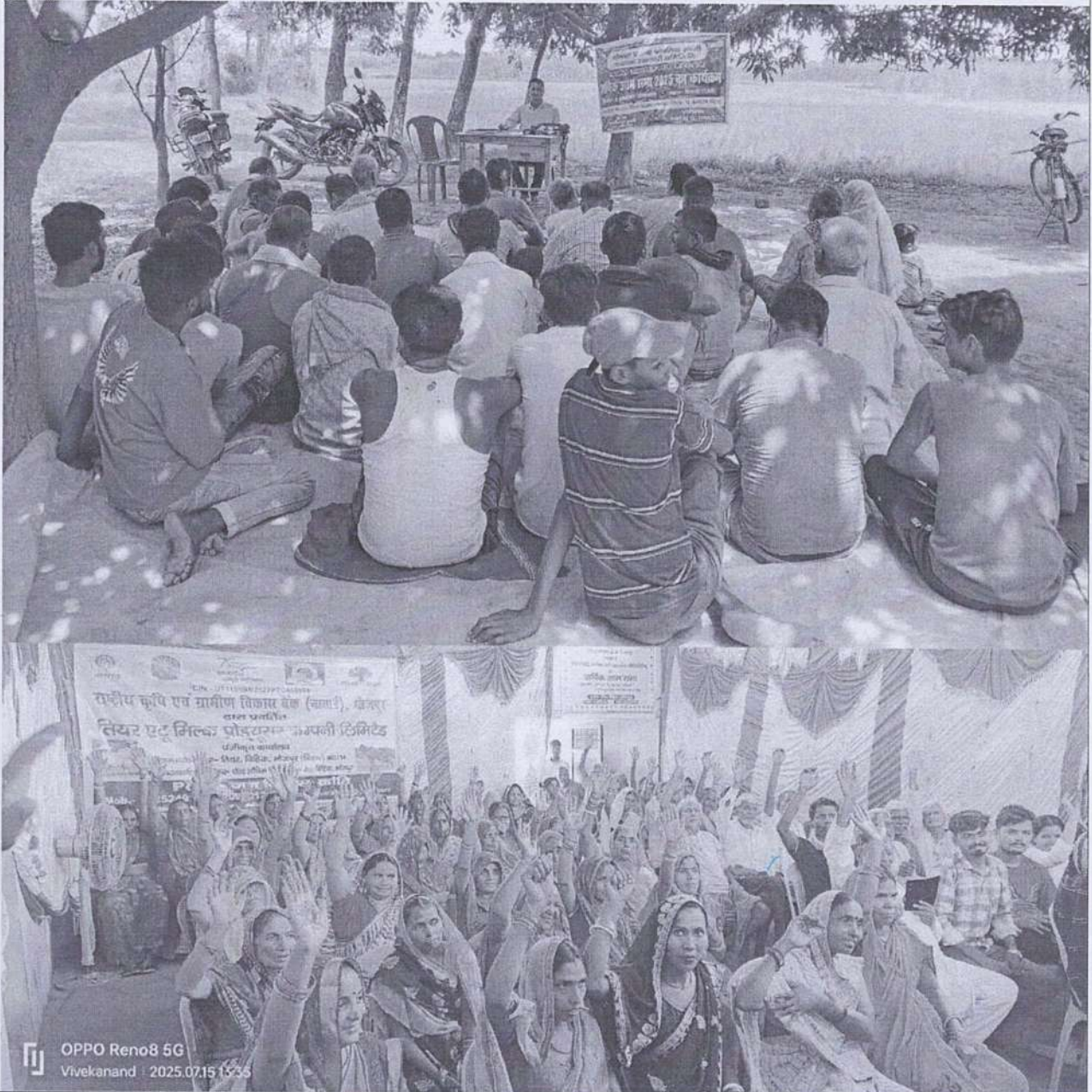


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2. Annual General Body Meetings

Members actively participating in the Annual General Body Meetings held across 5,000 PACS in Bihar on 15th July 2025, reflecting strong grassroots engagement and cooperative governance



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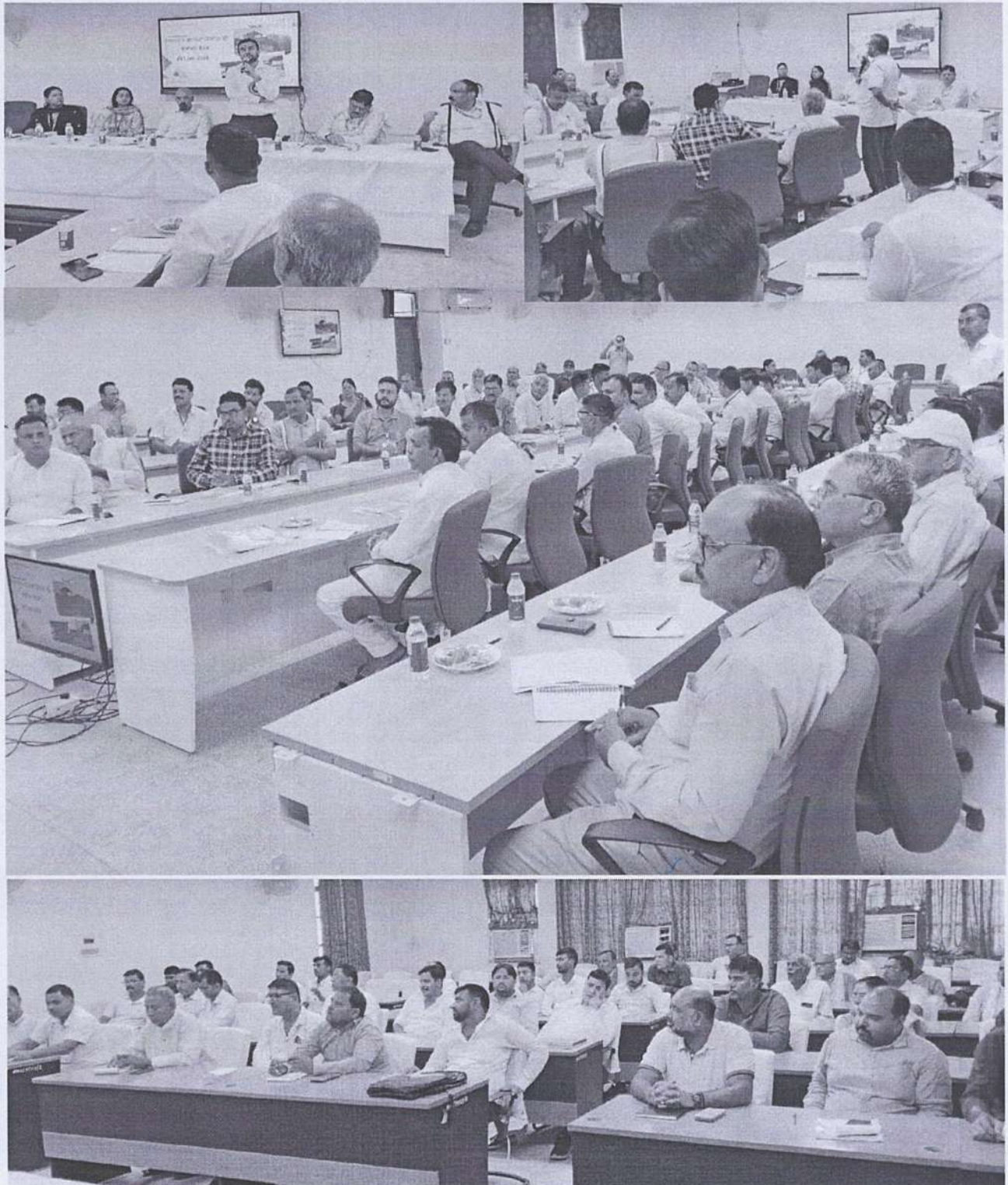
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- Capacity Building Training of chairpersons



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• International Cooperative Day Celebration



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