

THE MAWPHANLUR INTEGRATED VILLAGE COOPERATIVE SOCIETY LTD

The Mawphanlur Integrated Village Cooperative

Society is a society of farmers who got together to collectively improve their lot. It was officially registered in the year 1998 under the Meghalaya Cooperative Societies Act, in the Office of the

Assistant Registrar of Cooperative Societies, West Khasi Hills



District, Nongstoin, with Registration No. Nong 8/98, dated-03.09.1998. Its Registered Address is Mawphanlur, B.P.O. Nongkasen, West Khasi Hills District. Its area of

operation covers the whole village of Mawphanlur, which is 27 Km away from the District Head Quarter, Nongstoin and is falling under the jurisdiction of the Mawthadraishan C&RD Block, West Khasi Hills District.



The Society was basically

registered as the Mawphanlur Integrated Multi-farming Cooperative Society (MIMFCS) Ltd with 15 Nos of persons as the initial Co-operators. Later on it was named as the Mawphanlur Intergrated Village Cooperative Society Ltd (MIVCS) with the main objective of involving the village as a whole for the benefit of the people of the area.



The Society in the initial stage is engaging in the farming activities including Fishery, Piggery, Goatery, Poultry and Bee Keeping. Out of these activities, Goatery, Poultry and Bee- Keeping were done by the members at the individual level, where the Society renders only the Marketing service for the products produced by the individual members. On the other hand business activities consisting of fishery and

piggery were done by the society under the direct regulation of the

Society's Management Body.

Later on the Society diversified its business activities into Tourism Business. At present the society is getting a good income from this business activity, because of the increasing inflow of tourists into the society.

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At present the Society is possessing three (3) Guest Houses for accommodating the visitors/tourists that require lodging. One of these Guest Houses was built by the Society's own fund and the other two (2) were built by the Financial Assistance received from the Cooperation Department, Government of Meghalaya.

To cater to the increasing demand for lodging facilities by the tourists, the Society is currently constructing another four (4) Guest Houses, which were financially supported by the

Tourism Department, Government of Meghalaya.

It is one of the well-functioning cooperative Societies in

West Khasi Hills District, Nongstoin.

Performance of the Society during the last five years:

SI	Year	Total Paid-up	Working	Business	Working	Cash and bank
No		Share Capital	Capital	Turnover	result	balances
1	2014 – 15	43,67,000/-	43,56,900/-	27,500/-	+ 2,590/-	62,306/-
2	2015 – 16	4,52,000/-	46,35,000/-	23,400/-	+ 5,524/-	2,22,650/-
3	2016 – 17	45,72,000/-	54,73,200/-	1,81,554/-	+56,062/-	62,306/-
4	2017 – 18	50,72,000/-	53,86,400/-	45,000/-	+89,359/-	70,423/-
5	2018 – 19	53,72,000/-	62,43,030/-	86,400/-	+22,500/-	89,143/-

The business turnover in the above table is mainly

constituted through the sales of Fishes, chickens, Honey and goats. Besides the income earned from selling of these items the society also gets good income from tourism business activity, which periodically resulted in a positive impact in the working result of the Society's business operation.

The day to



day activities of the society is looked after by a

management body consisting of 8 members in which Smti. Emilyne Myrthong is the Chairperson and Shri. Transis Syiemlieh the Secretary along with 6 members for the smooth functioning of the society.

There were eight (8) workers employed by the society. Four

of them were permanent worker paid on a monthly basis and the other four were paid on a basis of a daily wages.

The society is situated on the Mawthadraishan peak which is perhaps the highest peak in West Khasi



Hills District, where during clear weather the apex of the peak offers a panoramic view of the plains of Assam, and the distant Himalayas after the monsoon, on clear days. Thus, it can attract people to this newly known

tourism spot and

generate employment amongst the people of area especially the Mawphanlur village. The society has plan for further developing the tourism business activities such as constructing and developing children's park, providing **Home Stay facilities** to the tourists also searching and planning ways and means to undertake large scale production of live-stocks.

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