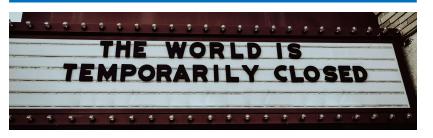
COVID19 PANDEMIC

EAST & NORTH EAST REGIONAL NEWSLETTER



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Policy Advocacy for Industry and Members' Engagement

Over the past week, the CII Secretariat in the Eastern and North Eastern Region has engaged in over 100 policy recommendations and are resolving issues that are affecting member companies and the society as a whole.

Some of the key issues that have been resolved have been in the areas of:

- Logistics and movement of trucks and access to warehouses
- 2. Availability of emergency medical equipment and special apparatus for protection against COVID 19
- 3. Availability of healthcare services during the lockdown period through e-connect
- 4. Ensuring cooked food and food packets to the underprivileged and those rendered homeless during this period

5 Members' Meets where **over 400 members** interacted were organized over the past week across the Eastern Region – where CII's "**Call to Action**" **to support relief and rehabilitation** was announced and clarified to our members for greater interaction between industry, the civil society and the government bodies in each state and district.

A "SCORE CARD" of our daily engagements in the policy front and members' engagement for your perusal and reference.

Relief and Rehabilitation Activities in the States

Jharkhand

150 ration Kits distributed among 600 beneficiaries (600 kg rice, 75 kg dal, 150 kg flour, 300 kg potato, 60 kg salt) in Jamshedpur

Chhattisgarh

100 food packets distributed to migrant workers in Raipur and cooked food served to 4000 underprivileged children in Bhilai

400 ration Kits distributed (2100 kg rice, 150 kg pulse, 300 kg salt, 300 pc soap, 300 packet biscuit, 300 kg potato, 300 kg onion, 150 lt oil, 30 kg each (mirch, haldi, dhaniya) in Raipur

Odisha

40000 masks have been given to Mission Shakti under Women and Child Development Department, Government of Odisha by JSPL in Angul.

300 Sanitizers & 12 Thermal Scanners were distributed in Paradeep, Cooked food served to 3000 contract labourers in Kalinganagar, facilitated district administration to set up a 200 isolation bed in Balasore

Served cooked food to 100 Bhubaneswar Municipal Corporation maintenance staffs.

West Bengal

1450 food packets distributed in Siliguri and Raigunj

Bihar

Food distributed to 1200 people in Patna

Eastern Region and North East Activities Scorecard

COVID-19								
	State/Region			State/Region				
Number of Query Received (calls / emails)	WB	11	Number of Representation made to local Government	WB	3			
	Jharkhand	2		Jharkhand	1			
	Odisha	2		Odisha	2			
	Chhattisgarh	3		Chhattisgarh	2			
	Bihar	3		Bihar	1			
	NE	1		NE	1			
	Sectoral	10		Sectoral				
	Total	32		Total	10			
	State							
	WB							
Number of Issues Resolved	Jharkhand							
	Odisha							
	Chhattisgarh		2					
	Bihar		1					
	NE		1					
	Total		4					
	State/Zone		Contribution in kind					
	Bihar		Food distributed to 1200 people in Patna					
	Billar							
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Policy Advocacy / Meetings / Engagement with Stakeholders on Future Initiative

	Region	Members including Office Bearers	Non-Member	Government
Number of Meetings with	WB	187	6	9
OBs / Members/Non	Jharkhand	7	4	
members/Government (specify member/non	Odisha	4	5	3
member/Government)	Chhattisgarh	12	5	2
member/Governmeni)	Bihar	11		1
	NE	1		2
	Sectoral	96	15, YI-15, IWN-10	
	Total	318	60	17

Miscellaneous			
1.Feedback collected from55 members companies pertaining to current status, problems faced, help sought from CII			
2. Meeting with 6 members of Textile subcommittee to understand issues pertaining to the sector			
3. Tata Hitachi issue of permission of maintenance staff for operating warehouse was represented to DM and approval			
order received within a day			