

**Achievements of TCR & TI During the years (2014-15, 2015-16 & 2016-17)**

- The Hon'ble Minister, Social Welfare Empowerment and Tribal Welfare Empowerment, Government of Andhra Pradesh has laid foundation stone on 03-07-2015, at Kapulupadda village of Bhimunipatnam Mandal, Visakhapatnam District for construction of building for the Tribal Museum. The construction works for TCR & TM is under progress.
- Director, Tribal Welfare, Vijayawada, took up a consultancy meeting with Sri.Nithish Roy, Sr.Consultant, engaged for finalizing the designs, Towers and Hologram parts for Sri. Alluri Seetha Rama Raju Memorial Tribal Museum, Visakhapatnam, on 14.11.2016 at 11.00 A.M. in the premises of D.S.S. Bhavan, Masab Tank, Hyderabad.
- Government of Andhra Pradesh issued orders for re-structuring of TCR & TI into two units i.e., Administrative, Research and Training Units vide Go.MS. No.55, TW (GCC) dept. dated.05-05-2016.
- An Administrative Unit with planning and protective regulatory functions is attached to the office of the Spl. Commissioner, Tribal Welfare. This unit will have to work under the overall administrative control of Tribal Welfare. The Research & Training Unit i.e., Tribal Cultural Research & Training Mission (TCR&TM)

with Head Quarters at Vishakhapatnam is registered as Society under Societies Act, 1964 on 28.07.2016.

- TCR & TI has taken agreement with APHRDI to conduct trainings on PESA, RoFR & TSV. TCR & TI has taken agreement with Action NGO to conduct trainings on LTR.
- APHRDI has been conducting sensitization program on Issuance & Verification of ST Community Certificates in 13 Districts, conducting training programs on PESA in 5 ITDA Districts and RoFR trainings in 13 Districts.
- Tribal Welfare Department conducted a National workshop on empowerment of Tribal women Sarpanches at Vijayawada.
- Training to panel Advocates and para Legal volunteers belonging to Scheduled Tribes in the Districts of Srikakulam, Vizianagaram and Visakhapatnam in coordination with Legal services Authority, Visakhapatnam.
- Establishment of SPMU & LSU to Project Monitoring Unit at State Level to Monitor the Progress in Implementation of LTR & PESA.
- Establishment of RoFR project monitoring unit in state level to monitor the progress in Implementation of RoFR Act, 2006.
- Proposals and draft G.O. submitted to Govt., in Tribal Welfare Department for establishment of fullpledged Tribal Museum at Visakhapatnam in memory of Sri Alluri Seeta Rama Raju

Memorial for Rs.33.27 for administrative sanction (74/2017/TRM/VSP).

- Submitted project report to Government of India, New Delhi in Ministry of Culture seeking financial assistance to a tune of Rs.15.82 crores under Museum Grants scheme, Ministry of Culture.(74/2017/TRM/VSP).
- Submitted proposals to government of India , Ministry Of Tribal Affairs , New Delhi for setting up Museum at K.D.Peta in Visakhapatnam District to showcase the lives of tribal freedom fighters who spearhead in freedom struggle against Britishers in A.P. (1270/TRM/2017, Dt.13.02.2017).
- Conducted a study and Prepared Report on Claimants of Naikpod Community in West Godavari & Krishna district and concluded that they do not belong to Naikpod a tribal community.
- Agency Administration Report for the year 2014-15 has submitted to Government.
- Study conducted on claimants of Boya Valmiki ST Community and submitted a draft report by the Department of Anthropology, Andhra University, Visakhapatnam.