

Endeavour of a brilliant youth Sri Sanjib Kr. Goswami Field of Agriculture (Assisted under TM-IDH)

Presently it is noticed that many of the educated unemployed youth instead of looking for Govt. service are going to engage themselves in several activities for economic upliftment and to make themselves self dependent.

Here is a story of one educated commerce graduate namely Mr. Sanjit Kr. Goswami an inhabitant of Amolapatty Nagaon. While noticing the keen interest of Sri Goswami to be self dependent with the support if any available from Government. The District Agricultural Office, Nagaon took the opportunity to engage him in Agriculture with a meagre support of Rs. 30,000.00 only for establishing a Vermicompost Unit and side by side another Rs. 13,000.00 only was provided to him of an unit of Floriculture under TM-IDH. Both the units are established at Senchowra near N.H.37. The project were of the year 2002-03 but implemented in 2003-04.

Mr. Goswami has already produced Vermicompost from 8 cycles producing an average of 1 MT per cycle. The brand name of the product is "VERMI VI TA". He has got a good market in the Nagaon town and its adjoining areas and also supplying the same in the Tea Estate of Karbi Anglong district. He is fetching a net average profit of Rs. 3,000.00 (Rupees Three Thousand) only from each cycle.

Further from the Floriculture Unit were differ varieties of Rose are cultivated. Sri Goswami is getting Rs. 140,000 (Rupees One Hundred Forty) only per day from the cut flowers. The number of plants in the garden is 450 at present. He is extending the area the garden from his own. Sri Goswami has an ambitious target to produce 5000 cut flowers per day and to establish a Rose Nursery. He has captured the market of Guwahati and Jorhat.

The Agricultural Production Commissioner of Assam has expressed his appreciation on the enthusiasms of the young boy and started that the Govt. should come forward to provide assistance to Sri Goswami in a bigger way.

Visitors from many areas/ fields visited the farm of Sri Goswami and are motivated by seeing the venture.

(Source : District Agricultural Officer, Nagaon)