

CHIEF MINISTER LAUNCHES AATMANIRBHAR BHARAT SWAYAMPURNA GOA

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Chief Minister, Dr. Pramod Sawant [today](#) appealed for sheer involvement by the general public towards the Aatmanirbhar Bharat Swayampurna Goa programme so as to achieve all round economic sustainability of the State. The Chief Minister [today](#) launched the Action Plan for Aatmanirbhar Bharat Swayampurna Goa which aims to upgrade and develop various important sectors of economic growth in the State.

Chief Minister, Dr. Sawant addressing the general public through a video conference stated that every village Panchayat needs to adopt various sustainable measures to gain economic empowerment for its village. No State can flourish if its villages are not self sufficient. He appealed to all Panch members to get involved in the programme with dedication and identify deficiencies lies in their own Panchayat Ward and further initiate action implementing Aatmanirbhar Bharat Swayampurna Goa to resolve local problems.

Chief Minister further said that, Government aims towards making the Cities into sustainable cities and also to have sustainable production by implementing various initiatives for which public participation is required.

Chief Minister also informed that, interaction will be held every month with all Panchayats and progress of Aatmanirbhar Bharat Swayampurna Goa programme will be reviewed. Government will felicitate those Panchayat which implement the programme successfully.

Chief Minister released the first phase manual of action plan for Aatmanirbhar Bharat Swayampurna Goa in the presence of Chief Secretary, Shri. Parimal Rai (IAS) and Director General, Goa Institute of Public Administration and Rural Development (GIPARD), Shri. Mathew Samuel (IAS).

Minister for Panchayat Shri. Mauvin Godinho welcomed the initiative and expressed that Aatmanirbhar Bharat Swayampurna Goa will achieve success in the rural sector.

Under the Aatmanirbhar Bharat Swayampurna Goa a study of the economic revival for village panchayats was undertaken by Directorate of Higher Education and GIPARD. 25 colleges were involved in the process of data collection, preparation of individual reports of 191 village panchayats.

Action plan for Aatmanirbhar Bharat Swayampurna Goa consist various aspects of Agriculture, Animal Husbandry, Youth and Adolescent, Senior Citizens, Women and SHGs, Tourism, Fisheries, Natural

Resources, Various Schemes and their convergence and General-Good Governance.

Director, Directorate Higher Education Shri. Prasad Lolayekar gave an introduction of the event. Director Training (GIPARD) Shri. Michael D'souza proposed a vote of thanks.

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