

**Chief Minister gives revenue village certificate  
to 18 Vantangiya villages in Maharajganj district**

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**Chief Minister visits Maharajganj district**

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Uttar Pradesh Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath ji has said that 1625 Vantangiya villages in the state will be assimilated into the mainstream of development and their comprehensive development would be undertaken. He added that for the past 100 years, these villages have waged a struggle for which they need to be lauded. He also wished them on the new year and said that very soon they will get the benefits of all schemes.

The Chief Minister was today speaking at a programme at Maharajganj district. On this occasion, he also gave away the revenue village certificate to 16 Vantangiya villages. Along with this, the chief minister also launched the public welfare and development works in these villages. He pointed out that as soon as this new government took over the reins of the state, action was initiated to give revenue villages status to 5 Vantangiya villages in Gorakhpur and 18 Vantangiya villages in Maharajganj district.

On November 19, 2017 five Vantangiya villages of Gorakhpur were given the certificates of revenue villages and subsequently the certificate was today being given to 18 Vantangiya villages of district Maharajganj. Yogi ji informed that according to the survey done by the district administration, in all the 18 villages 1123 old age pensions, 185 widow pensions and 82 divyangjan pensions to eligible persons, would be given.

Other than this, 5849 persons will be given houses under the Prime Minister's Rural Housing Scheme, 5675 toilets will be made, 263 India Mark-2 hand pumps will be installed and 7182 families would be given household and Antyodaya ration cards. The chief minister further said that on the call of respected prime minister Mr. Narendra Modi of 'Sankalp se Siddhi Tak', the state government was aiming to make Uttar Pradesh poverty free, graft free and fully clean by the year 2022, on the 75th anniversary of India's freedom.

He also attend that the state has been made free from dynastic politics, family politics and naxalism and the girls and women have been provided with a sense of safety and security. Yogi ji also said that along with Vantangiya villages, the Musahar caste will also get facilities like electricity, roads, water, pucca houses, ration cards, schools, aanganbadi centers etc.

The women would be made self-dependent through self help groups and will be given financial aide for crafts, animal husbandry, growing vegetables etc. They will also be given free houses, power connection and food grains. Where it is not possible to give electricity,

arrangements would be made for solar lights, the chief minister announced.

On this occasion the chief minister distributed 25 old age pensions, 337 medical help schemes, 21 widow pensions, 51 tricycles, wheel chairs, crutches, 13 sticks, 13 hearing aides, 33 sewing machines etc. Other than this, Rs 15,000 as revolving fund, 141 toilets, 125 free connections under the 'Saubhagya' PM Sahaj Electricity Har Ghar scheme, 200 speller machines, soil health cards, 17 volleyballs, net and t-shirts were also given away.

Also on display was an exhibition which gave information about Khadi and village industries, Horticulture and Food Processing, agriculture, panchayat, rural development, Sarvahitkari Sevashram, banking and insurance, NABARD. Other than this, the Department of Information and Public Relations (DIPR) Uttar Pradesh also gave away free literature.

Present on the occasion also were public representatives, senior officials of the district and the state government and dignitaries.

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