

National Workshop on Rural Housing Knowledge Network
July 16, 2012, New Delhi

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Participation by Invitation/Nomination

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Background

There has been, for a long time, a felt need in the habitat sector for an authentic and accessible source of information on appropriate rural housing. To address this need, Ministry of Rural Development (MoRD), Government of India has initiated a process to develop a web based rural housing portal. Centre for Rural Development and Technology, Indian Institute of Technology Delhi (IIT Delhi) in collaboration with Human Settlement Management Institute, HUDCO has taken on the task of developing the portal in partnership with several agencies involved in housing delivery across the country. The portal would be available, usable knowledge on rural housing available to rural citizens, departmental engineers, local level administrators and researchers. The portal would be a dynamic platform that would enable the network of stakeholders to exchange information and communicate which could be updated periodically with inputs on technology, building materials, practitioner details, list of institutions, case-studies and success stories.

National Workshop on Rural Housing Knowledge Network

Over the last one year, the Rural Housing Knowledge Network project has collected information on rural housing technologies, case studies and practitioner directory has been compiled through desk research and field studies, generously shared by the practitioner community working on rural housing. A National Workshop on Rural Housing Knowledge Network is being thus organised to formally launch the portal at its present stage of development and to seek feedback from housing sector professionals on the content and interface aspects of the portal. Participants of the workshop would include representatives from government, research organisations, financial institutions, voluntary organisations, vendors and developers from all across the country.

Participation in the Workshop is only by invitation or nomination.

Objectives of the National Workshop on RHKN

- To launch the Rural Housing Knowledge Network portal – a platform for sharing and consolidating of available information on rural housing technologies including profiles of practitioners and case studies.
- To bring together housing sector practitioners (policy makers, researchers, practitioners, grassroot workers and financial institutions) involved in various aspects of rural housing and to take feedback from them on the content and interface aspects of the portal.
- To conduct expert round tables on Rural Housing Technologies and Rural Housing Implementation.

Programme of the National Workshop on RHKN

Registration

Inauguration Session

Launch of RHKN Portal (by the Jt Secy, MoRD)

Plenary Session - Housing Tech., Disaster Risk Reduction & Innovations

Parallel Sessions - Implementing Agencies, Financial Inst. & NGOs

Expert Round Table on Rural Housing Implementation

Region-wise Working Group Meetings

Venue of Workshop

Seminar Hall, Indian Institute of Technology Delhi

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