## Responding to Nilachakra mail: Living on the edge

### 1. Sarath kumar Bahera says:

I went through your article. The real problem is poverty. This is the major and vital factor now . we are not debt like US. US has 500billion dollars bonds. If the investor (china) take back his investment bond 500 billion dollars ,what will be US situation. Any way we are not that debt . we only manage our resource and eradicating poverty.

- Family problem --in Orissa whether our govt. researching what family really facing . here we have to trend how manage the family.
- Many are depend only single person. trend here both gents and ladies should work. Grass root level work is most important when we are going to modernization.

### 2. Akshya Kumar Panda says:

In order to reap the benefit, we also require world class education and skill to the young ones from 4-18. and productive skill for 18-30. The skill set that is available in the current education system is hardly anything. Improve education, training, nutrition, sanitation. Convert the human resource to human capital - it alone makes the system productive and rewarding to all partners-employers, employees, Government.

Responding to Nilachakra mail: Motherland Calling

## 1. Akshya Kumar Panda says:

First reform is encouraging people to seek information under RTI. Vigilant people would make the civil servants responsive, jerk the bureaucrats and make the civil servants of the citizens who pay for their salary.

Second, the Government should really look towards policy making specialists, who would also work toward methods to bridge the gap between intentions and outcomes.

Third, some measure is needed to introduce competition among civil Servants to perform. The political party should look for other means of political donations to fund political activity. The political party should increasingly extend their support base to professionals who would be willing to join political life without depending on political and administrative corruption for their livelihood support and reasonable living standard.

Responding to Nilachakra mail: Modernization, A gift or curse for Orissa

### 1. Vighnesh Rudra Das says:

This article should have come earlier. . . . anyways its good that it has come. . . . Odisha with all its resources and man-power can surely become one of the richest places/states of India, it will surely stop the exodus of skilled/unskilled man-power to different places rather would attract many people from other states and may be other countries. . . . Industrialization will increase the education level, the standard of living. But there are a few points which needs some thought;

With Industrialization we may also see thriving mafia and rise of crime-graph. . . . so the administration has ample time now to set all these things right. . . . . Industrialization may also try to dilute our culture of which we are so proud. . what I mean to say is we have to cautious and must not get carried away. The difficult problem of land-allotment will take time to solve. . . land has a lot of significance in the mind of Indians and Odiyas. . . taking away any ones land for industrialization may not be acceptable. . . . and there is no reason to be astonished, for the urban Odiyas land is again only a commodity . . an investment but for a rural Odiya its his identity. . . there is difference in the approach. . and we need to address that , if not addressed it will allow the Naxalites and other people to have some space to work, which absolutely avoidable.

When the townships as referred by you comes up, who is going to stay there. . people from urban places, imagine how it will feel when someone else comes and stays on your land. The rural thought process is a bit different we need to keep that in mind. The development in area will surely benefit the locals, we and the administration need to highlight those benefits and advantages. Suppression of the feelings of the 'sarbasadharan' cannot guarantee us a full-fledged progress. The ecological aspect also is vey important, Bhubaneswar is a burning example of the consequences of loss of trees. before the super cyclone Bhubaneswar had a very pleasant climate but. . . after that added to it the rampant tree-felling on the outskirts for constructing buildings has led to a total change in the climatic conditions. . we see temperatures of 45+ in summers and winters are not cold. . . as they used to be. . . I miss the pleasant climate of Bhubaneswar.

We need to be very careful and should avoid getting carried away, the correct analysis of the pros and cons had to be done, in the name of industrialization we must not tamper with the actual essence of our beloved Motherland. Bande Utkal Janani

#### 2. Srimaya Rath says:

The solution to this is

- Awareness among innocent villagers
- Education

Now the question comes how to achieve this and who will do it? And one more thing is for every action item there should be a deadline. Let us know what is our objective and how we are going to achieve it (the strategy) within all our constraints of operation. If we can divide our work then it'll be easy to accomplish. A simple table to be maintained which will record the Action Item, Deadline (Date) and Concerned Person to be maintained. Please think over it and let me know your comments.

### 3. Sarath kumar Bahera Says:

why shall we invite world business leaders to Orissa ?they will not solve our problem. you ask and verify whether Orissa govt more benefited from the Rourkela steel plant . whether Govt representative gone RKL steel plant or the town ship how the people living. what is their foods what is their salary? how many days they can keep you as guest ?if govt. come to my village I can keep them whole your as guest. why ?we don't want give our fertile land to any type

modernization to established any Orissa. have you any graph with you or any statistics how they are getting back their money when they are so much eager to invest, our minerals we have keep stock for next generation. they will decide . we have to trained them how to do business. you are telling so many brilliant person are outside from the state, getting a good job or get high salary means they become brilliant. whether they have insight. still now Orissa not able to create a noble person. after independent the 10 top most corrupt person INDIA is listed. From the list our late beloved CM H. MAHATAB and BIJU PATTNAYAK. whether they are our idols. whether we will follow them? whether we will beg BHARAT RATNA FROM INDIA GOVT favor of them. now our chief minister begging bharat ratna award from nation for the sake of his father. we are the person to take the promise to modernization our people . we will create our future generation they should content . they will use properly our minerals . we will happily hand over to them our fertile land for their modernization. now this is not proper time to make modernization. it is my request the Orissa govt as soon as trained our new generation how they will make their own steel plant, titan dioxide plant, boxite plant, etc. and stop mining digging unnecessarily and selling to out side state pricelss value. we have all knowledge what is going on mining area when we are here. i hope our govt to follow few points below......

- 1. make our study material proper in any level
- 2. make ideal group for real research for personal development, attitude and behaviors
- 3. all primary education should be best quality in the world.
- 4. all primary teacher should be content what may be their salary expectation?
- 5. we should praise teachers any corner of the world.
- 6. third party monitoring for inspection all the schools ,colleges and other organizations.
- 7. encourage our children to study as much as friction and non friction books etc. . .
- 8. agriculture should modernize.
- 9. send our farmers to see high standard farms.
- 10. send our new generation out of state and country.
- 11. help the needy people.
- 12. eradicate laziness in school level.
- 13. make all gradation in school and college
- 14. no fail system in school and college.
- 15. make tram line connection.
- 16. agriculture should be modernize.
- 17. medical plantation should be.
- 18. how to export our agriculture goods, train our people.
- 19. do not depend other state, make all production in our state.
- 20. handloom sector should be developed.
- 21. cotton farm should be established.
- 22. cold store should be established.
- 23 cow FARM SHOULD BE ENCOURGE.
- 24. DAM SHOULD BE ASTABLISSED FOR ELECTRICITY.
- 25. ERRIGATION SHOULD BE WIND MILL OR SOLARISED.
- 26. WATER HARVETION SHOULD BE POPULIRISED.

- 17. GROUND WATERR AND RIVER WATER SHOULD BE UTILISED FOR AGRICULTURE.
- 28. AS SOON AS POSSIBLE MAKE WIND MILL AND SOLAR POWER STATION COSTAL AND VACATED HILLY AREA.
- 30. OUR MAN POWER SHOULD BE PROPERLY UTILISED.
- 31PRIMARY HEALTH CARE SYSTEM SHOULD BE MODERNIZE.
- 32. FAMILY PLANING. . . . . WE ONE AND OUR ONE
- 33. TAXIZE ONE MORE CHILDERN.
- 34. ALL SINGLE CHILD IS UNDER GOVT CARE.
- 35. PROVERTY ERADICTION TROUGH AGRICULTURE.

I hope our modernization should go this way otherwise it will become curse.

### 4. Mihir Rout Says:

When we talk about investments, then it's obvious that we will loose our greeneries. I born and brought up in hilly areas in a paper industry. I had been to places where used to be dense forests which were just beautiful to sing the glory of Orissa. Unfortunately a steel plant has come up there and on my last visit to the place, my heart got broken to see the environment. They have spoiled such sights that I may never see there. It's a panic that I could see on name of development.

I understand the economic reforms and it's importance being a Finance professional. But also can understand the consequence that the human society is going to face in near future. To me, investment is wise but on cost of Earth and challenging it's system will surely cost this human society which leaves no doubt to clarify.

Rest is all argument, but I thought of giving my own personal experience. Moreover, we understand, however we write, either individually or by way of Organization, politics and business has it's own way which will make happens things that they wish.

Worrying about my Orissa and it's natural resources always and praying God to spare it from evil minds.

# 5. Tutu Raj Sahoo Says:

I saw a lot of environment changes (Deforestation and Pollution) due to excess industrialization. Talcher is also known as industrial capital of Orissa. Everyday it fills state's fund in crores. But no body bothers about it. In india Talcher is one of the most polluted area. Different national news papers reported about it vividly. But nothing changes.

According to an article by Times of india:

'Orissa Voluntary Health Association figures, according to which, almost 9 out of 10 deaths occurring in the mining area and nearby industrial villages are chromite-related. Also, nearly one-fourth of the people in neighboring villagers are suffering from pollution-induced diseases, which include gastrointestinal bleeding, tuberculosis, asthma, infertility, birth defects and stillbirths.

The new industries which are coming to this area are also not taking interest of local villagers. Villages has been vacated/replaced from their villages due to mining acquisition. This is not only the issue in Talcher or Angul. It happens in Jajpurroad, Duburi, Belpahada and in other areas where companies are coming to establish their new projects. Deforestation is also a measure issue in Orissa.

# 6. Amit Kumar Sahu Says:

I don't see how a POSCO or a TISCO or a Jindal can really do any good to Orissa. They are simply out to make slaves of independent, simple-minded people, and lay them off when their profit margins shrink. We, as educated people, should see through this scheme, and promote self-sustaining livelihood. Why are we harping on a 'naukri' (being a servant/naukar/shudra)? Industrialization is a rat-race, where only rats win.