

Annual Report 2011-2012



SHARING MY THOUGHTS MANAGING TRUSTEE

SANCHAITA GAJAPATI RAJU

SANA is committed to charity that is real, charity, that uses our ability to leverage our position of influence and power, to change lives for the better.

SANA will actively champion the rights of the disadvantaged and take up issues of public interest and provide legal redressal. It is not easy, more often than not, it is time consuming and frustrating, but at the end of it all, it is immensely rewarding.

SANA is a Public Charitable Trust registered on the 6th of June 2011 under the Registration Act, established to protect and empower the marginalized section of society, working particularly in rural and urban India.

OUR MISSION & FOCUS for this, our first year, was....

WATER & SANITATION, USING GREEN SOLUTIONS

Simple things that will work ...potable water, rainwater harvesting & eco friendly portable loos. SANA decided to engage in Private-Public partnerships to enable rural villages and urban slum clusters to get potable drinking water of WHO standards by designing and implementing solar powered micro ionizing water treatment stations. Working with both Indian and International organizations, we decided that we will bring hygiene practices

and portable e-loos to villages and slums where sanitation facilities are still absent.

ON THE DRAWING BOARD

SANA spent most of the year meeting stakeholders and evangelizing the importance of PPP (Public Private Partnership) model to implement social initiatives.

We explored and identified Technology for converting contaminated water into WHO standard drinking water using solar power. We zeroed in on the technology partner based in Laos who were willing to donate the technology and the plant and machinery for SANA's maiden venture. As we at SANA recognize that water is a basic human need, we put all our efforts in this direction.

We also began the ground survey to identify the beneficiaries where we would set up this compact solar powered water purifying station to help those who needed this help the most.

It has been a modest year in terms of our work. But we have been able to cast our net wide and have found great support for our vision with the Delhi government.

Financials: Pls see the attached annexure for the Audited Financial Report 2011-2012.

The trustees of SANA were generous enough to donate Rs.20, 000/- for our activities. A modest beginning was made with the distribution of medicines, blankets and books to slum dwellers in Sikanderpur village, Gurgaon.

We would like to place on record my appreciation for the donations given by the trustees.

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