

## **Abstract:**

### **Implication of Rural Development Programmes on Socio-Economic Status: A Case Study of Kudlur Grama Panchayath, Ramanagara Dist, Karnataka State.**

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The development of rural areas and the rural people has been primary concern in the economic planning and development process. It is now realized that to emerge as a strong and modern Ramanagara district and to secure its rightful place in the comity of district, a sustainable development in rural areas is an essential prerequisite to make Ramanagara district modern, strong, secure its rightfull place.

Improvement in the quality of life of rural people is the important agenda of rural development programme. In India, a country where the number of people living in rural areas, rural development programme is a necessary aspect. Rural development implies both the economic betterment of people and greater social transformation. The basic objective of all rural development endeavors / programmes has been the welfare of the millions.

To know the Rural Development Programmes in Ramanaraga Dist. To Know the Socio- Economic Status in the case study area. To know the implication of rural development programmes on socio-economic status of Kudlur Grama Panchayat. To study some of the positive and negative

aspects of the development programmes. To suggest suitable measures for future policy formulation.

Kudlur Grama Panchayat is one of the Grama Panchayath of Channapatna taluk of Ramanagara dist. It is approximately 77 kms southwest of Bangalore City.  $77^{\circ}, 19' 29''$  to  $77^{\circ}, 04' 11''$  East longitude and  $12^{\circ}, 27' 45''$  to  $12^{\circ}, 48' 20''$  North latitude is the latitude and longitude extension of the Channapatna Taluk.

Kudlur Grama Panchayth situated in southern part of Channapatna taluk and it is situated about 5 km from the Channapatna Town. Kudlur Grama Panchayat has a 5 villages ( Kudlur, Sante Magenahalli, Sante Magenahalli Doddi, Vale topu, Sriramapura). And this Grama panchayath 1524 family and 3448 population.

The present study has selected only 1524 household samples in Kudlur Grama Panchayath. Although the study mentions all rural development programmes, it only discusses MGNREGA.

The present study includes both primary and secondary data. The primary data was collected through survey using questionnaires. The secondary data was collected in the form of books, Journals, Panchayat programmes reports, District Annual Reports, Rural Development Department Reports and Statistical At a Glance (Ramanagara district).