## RDOET (HAO India)

Project : Educate 900 Children in Hyderabad Slums (#5290)

Report on : Commemorate India's Independence Day on 15<sup>th</sup> August

Summary: This project will enable children for the provision of Indian

National Flags to commemorate India's Independence Day.

"I believe that the civilization India evolved is not to be beaten in the world. Nothing can equal the seeds sown by our ancestors, Rome went, Greece shared the same fate; the might of the Pharaohs was broken; Japan has become Westernized; of China nothing can be said; but India is still, somehow or other, sound at the foundation. —Mahatma Gandhi

## **Background information of the identified Area:**

The people living here are in pathetic situation, without any basic amenities like clean drinking water proper sanitation, no electricity and live in huts. Main occupation of these communities is Garbage-lifters, rag-picking. Children are school dropouts not having proper education & they go for begging at Bus stops.



## Celebrations all over India:

Independence Day is celebrated throughout India and every corner of the country on 15th August every year. Independence Day is celebrated by every citizen of India irrespective of caste, creed and religion. After more than two hundred years of British rule, India finally won

back its freedom on 15th August, 1947. All the patriotic hearts rejoiced at seeing India becoming a sovereign nation and the triumph of hundreds and thousands of martyred souls. It was a birth of a new nation and a new beginning. It was on the eve of 15th of August, 1947 that India tricolor flag was unfurled by Jawaharlal Nehru, the first Prime Minister of India, on

the ramparts the Red Fort, Delhi.

## **RDOET IN ACTION:**

RDOET (HAO India) celebrated India's Independence Day on 15<sup>th</sup> August with children by giving them with small Indian National Flags as a token of honour and commemoration of 66 years of Independence Day.

One of our Board Member actively involved in this event and spent time with children sharing the joy.

Children and parents with great excitement participated enthusiastically in this event. Children were also given Biscuits and chocolates on this happy occasion.

On behalf of these children, I extend my deep gratitude to the donors for their valuable support for these underprivileged children of this community.

With all good wishes,

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