

SUCCESS STORY OF A BORE WELL UNDER JALANIDHI PROGRAMME OF SRI. JOGENDRA OJHA, S/O: BHAGIRATHI OJHA, AT: SARALIA, GP: SINGHAKHUNTA, BLOCK: SORO, DIST: BALASORE

Sri. Jogendra Ojha, S/o: Bhagirathi Ojha, At: Saralia, GP: Singhakhunta, Block: Soro, Dist: Balasore a successful farmer with 4 family members owns nearly 25 acres of land. He installed a Bore Well under Jananidhi Programme with a 1.5HP Submersible Pump set in the year 2014-15 with subsidized rate as per Agriculture Policy 2013, Odisha. Due to hilly area and undulated land, he could not take up any crop in his land. He levelled his land properly and installed a Bore Well in the same land. Now, he takes Potato crop in 15 acres of land utilizing the submersible pump set. He is expecting to earn `10,00,000/- from this crop excluding the cost of cultivation and other inputs.

During field visit and interaction with Sri Jogendra Ojha, it was revealed that before installation of the Bore Well, his only source of irrigation was a small well which was insufficient to raise crop. After installation of the Bore Well under Jananidhi scheme, he could properly irrigate his land and got better yield with two crops per year. In this process, he could improve his financial status with better livelihood throughout the year.



Photograph of Sri Jogendra Ojha with his Bore Well Project.