

## RE-ORIENTATION WORKSHOP ON MGNREGS HELD.

A district level re-orientation workshop on MGNREGS took place on 8<sup>th</sup> June, 2010 at 10.00 A.M. in the Women's College, Koraput under the chairmanship of Shri Rajesh P. Patil, IAS., District Magistrate and Collector. The Collector while inaugurating the session sought cooperation from all concerned and wished the participants to be proactive in implementation of the programme. In her welcome address, Smt. Roopa Roshan Sahoo, IAS., Project Director, DRDA requested the members to educate the rural people regarding Farm Pond and Land Development under MGNREGS which are given much importance by Government with a view to create guaranteed irrigation in rural areas. Sarpanches, Chairpersons of Panchayat Samities, Panchayat Executive Officers and other Government officials attended the workshop. Shri S.N.Dash, A.P.D. (Technical), DRDA briefed about MGNREGS Operational Guidelines, Farm Pond and BNRGSK while Shri R.K.Sahoo, APD (Panchayat), DRDA spoke on the role of Gram Panchayat. In total there were nearly 280 participants.