



**SHG under DAY-NULM**  
**Name:-** LOKNATH SHG  
**ULB name:-** Hailakandi  
**Ward No:-**07  
**Registration:-** HG18210700040  
**Activity:-**Idol Making



The '**LOKNATH SHG**' was established in the year 2016 with ten members under CMMU Hailakandi. The SHG moving ahead with social responsibility and empowerment of the members under the leadership of Smt. Ratna Paul (Pres.), Smt. Sita Dey (Secy.) and Smt. Shanti Das (Book Keeper).

The SHG received a financial support of Rs. 25,000/- in the form of Revolving fund (RF) from the CMMU Hailakandi. After looking into the positive prospects of the business the Union Bank Hailakandi branch sanctioned SHG Bank Linkage an amount of Rs. 50,000/- to the SHG in year 2017. The SHG utilising the corpuses received from the above two source to enhance the scale of business. The SHG is doing its business activity in idol making with the help of the SHG members which saves a good sum of expenditure. The members are paid an agreed nominal amount as per the labour contribution. The SHG collects raw material from the local market and some of the items from Kolkata. They make idols as customised by the order of the customer. The SHG receives the order on continual basis and on peak period like different puja occasions the volume of order remain at the highest level. The SHG motivates their member workers with financial perks at the end of every peak seasons. At present, the SHG utilizes single storage for the manufacturing and display of the idols. In this process of income generation activity the SHG makes an annual profit of Rs 1,50,000/-. The SHG also participates in social activities like Swachh Bharat Mission etc. towards fulfilling their social objectives.

