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Constraints faced by women member of Gram Panchayat

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SUMMARY : The present study was conducted in randomly selected Majalgaon, Parali and wadwani tehsils of Beed district of the Marathwada region in Maharashtra state. Twelve villages from each tehsils and 3 women member from each Gram Panchayat were selected randomly. In this way total 36 villages from three tehsils were selected to comprise total sample of 108 respondents. The information was collected with the help of structured interview schedule by interviewing personally to the respondents. It was revealed that women member of Gram Panchayat faced number of constraints like family male member dominated in decision process, oppose from family member to do Gram Panchayat work having while, the other problem expressed were no time to participate in Gram Panchayat work, non co-operation from Gram Panchayat members, Gram Panchayat members not obey the given instruction, as a women member less importance is given to them in Gram Panchayat, not participation due to lack of confidence, low income of Gram Panchayat, not interested in Gram Panchayat work.

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