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## *"MAJA KOENE SOCIAL ACTIVIST A WARD 2019"* Conferred on 15<sup>th</sup> August 2019 By CESCI Foundation India and Switzerland

## Mr .Vijay Shyamrao Bahekar, Gondia, Maharashtra

(Social Activist)

Mr .Vijay Shyamrao Bahekar is a well-known social worker from Maharashtra who along with his friends has made a pertinent contribution to improve the lives of the women and downtrodden communities. His commitment towards the marginalized communities as well as his struggles for justice and equality based on the footholds of Gandhian philosophy of truth and nonviolence is highly appreciated by one and all. Mr .Vijay Shyamrao Bahekar was successful in transforming the economy of many villages in and around Gondia In Maharashtra, through his activities in the field of water conservation, anti-liquor campaign health education and also his work among children from the tribal communities. Mr .Vijay Shyamrao Bahekar work continues to inspire many young people in Maharashtra as well as in other parts of the country.

In appreciation of his contribution to the sustainable development of the communities, We at CESCI (Centre for Experiencing Socio-Cultural Interaction) an International organization based in India and Switzerland are happy to confer the "Maja Koene Social Activist Award 2019" to Mr .Vijay Shyamrao Bahekar as a token of our appreciation and wish him success in the service of humanity.

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