**PANEL**

The Ground-Level Panel in India comprised 14 members from diverse backgrounds.

- Amrita Nidhi
- Arvind Prajapati
- Arvind Upadhyay
- Mohammad Ashiq
- Mohammad Ismail
- Mohammad Hafiz
- Nadira Khan
- Raghunath Saldar
- Ravindra Avlekar
- Sachin Dev delightful
- Uttamabai Deshmukh
- Vinod Mehta

**RECOMMENDATIONS**

There are 15 goals formed by the Ground-Level Panel in response to the 12 goals of the High-Level Panel. Besides its recommendations, the process also drew up a critique of the High-Level Panel's goals outlining the things that the GIP felt had been sidestepped or left out. The team had people from different linguistic background and different levels of literacy. To bring everyone on a common platform, the goals were illustrated.

**FOCUS AREAS**

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<td>Promote equity: The state should recognize the need for creating a level-playing field so that everyone has an equal opportunity to realize their dreams. Therefore, there is need for reservation and targeted support, be it for poor, Dalit, tribal, minorities, women, the elderly, transgender, children, slum dwellers and people with disabilities.</td>
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**GOAL 1**

- Promising interests of agricultural labourers, poor farmers, peasants, tribals and slum dwellers and their rights. They should be protected from advancing corporate investments on land and resources.

**GOAL 2**

- Protect the environment by creating stringent systems which deter companies and other business establishments from polluting the environment.

**GOAL 3**

- Enforcement mechanism to prevent tax evasion by corporates. This tax should be rightfully paid to the governments which can in turn use this for the development of the poor.

**GOAL 4**

- Creating and implementing rigid, such systems that protect workers' rights, including their minimum wage and social security for all private enterprises and bring parity between government and private wages.

**GOAL 5**

- Promote gender equality and safety in public spaces: this should apply to men, women and transgender people.