RURAL HOUSING

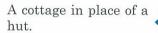
Many of the poor Zoroastrian families residing in the villages live in huts the walls of which are made from mud and cow-dung patted on to bamboo poles.

Whilst undertaking the rehabilitation of poor Zoroastrian farmers we realised that it was also necessary for us to improve their quality of lives by providing them with decent living conditions. We thus conceived of the project to replace the huts into cottages.

In 2012 we raised donations that enabled us to replace 28 huts into cottages. We have so far replaced 199 huts into cottages. The cost of replacing a hut into a cottage presently costs Rs.350,000/= (\$6,730; £4,100).

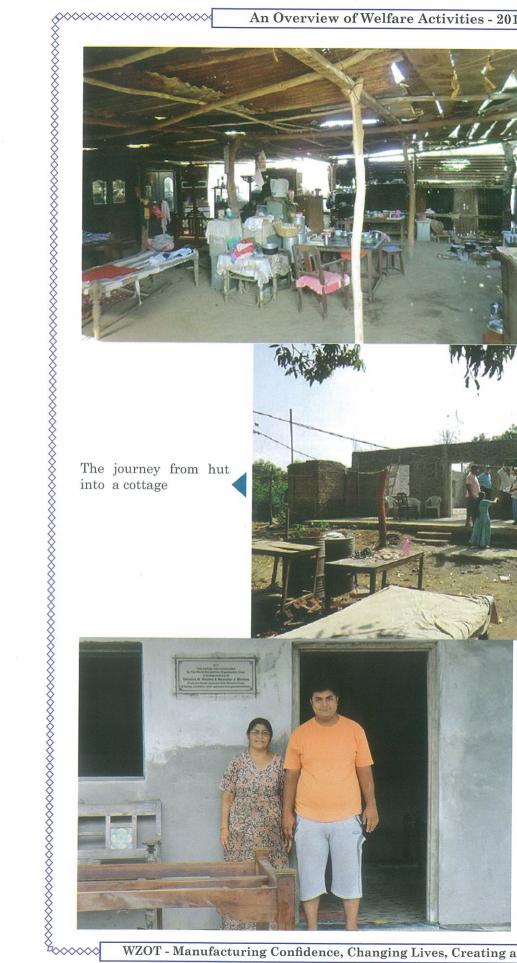


A hut replaced by a cottage (shown alongside)



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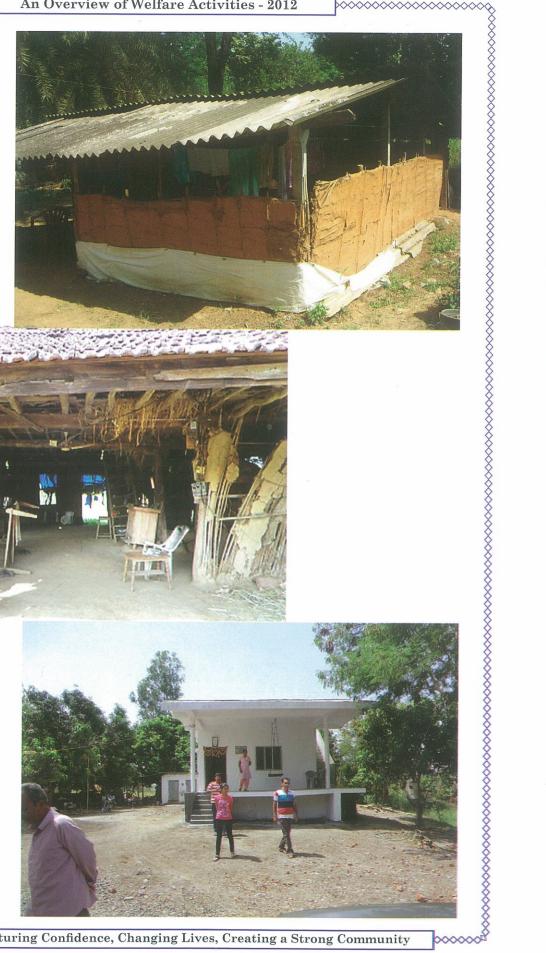
The journey from hut into a cottage

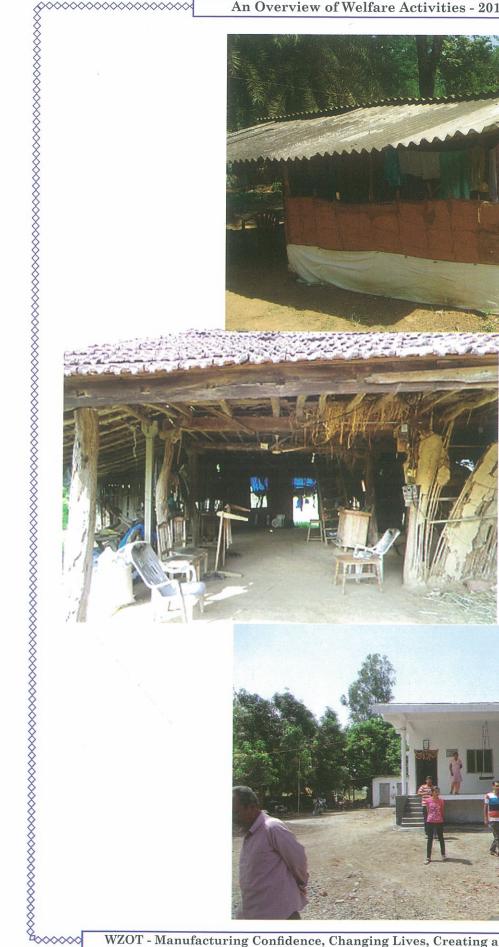


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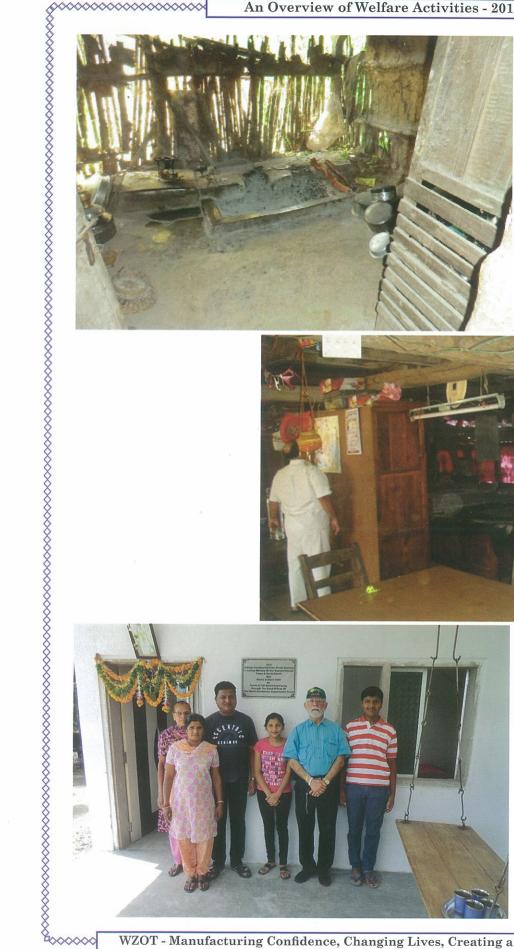
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The abysmal condition of the inside of a hut





A Zoroastrian family whose hut was replaced by a cottage with donor from USA