GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Social Welfare Department - Shifting, Conversion and Sanction of Hostels belong to SW/TW/BCW - Meeting held with Heads of Departments on 16-8-2004 at 3.30 pm - Constitution of Common District Committee, headed by the District Collector - Orders issued.

SOCIAL WELFARE (Edn.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.499 Dated:30-11-2004. Read the following:

ORDER:

In the Circular Memos 1st and 2nd read above, Government have accorded permission to the District Collectors for shifting of SW Hostels from one place to another place and for conversion of Boys Hostel to Girls Hostel, vice versa duly keeping in view of the local needs in consultation with local public representatives for smooth functioning of SW Hostels in the District. Government also directed the District Collectors to inform the changes made by them in shifting of Hostels to the Government and to the Commissioner of Social Welfare for information and obtain ratification orders. Accordingly, wherever necessary, the District Collectors are relocating the hostels or converting hostels and submitting proposals for ratification of the Government.

2. In the G.O. 3rd read above, Government in B.C. Welfare Department, constituted an official Committee with the following members for rationalization of strength in the hostels and relocation of hostels and also authorized the Commissioner of B.C. Welfare to take necessary steps as recommended by the Committee:

- District Collector
- District BC Welfare Officer
- Deputy Director (SW)
- District Educational Officer
- Parishad Educational Officer

Chairman
Convener
Member
Member
Member

3. In the reference 4th read above, the Commissioner of Social Welfare has sent proposals to the Government for authorizing Heads of Departments to shift/convert the hostels and re-locate from one place to another needy place basing on proposals received from the District Collectors.
4. On the above proposal of the Commissioner of Social Welfare, a meeting is held on 16-8-2004 in the chambers of Principal Secretary to Government, Tribal Welfare Department, along with Principal Secretaries of Social Welfare and B.C. Welfare Departments and the concerned Heads of Departments to discuss on common modalities on the issues of shifting, conversion and sanction of Government hostels in the Districts.

5. In the said meeting, it was decided to constitute common District Committees in each District in the A.P. State, headed by the District Collector to examine the issues at the District level on shifting, conversion and sanction of new hostels and send the necessary proposals to the concerned Heads of Departments of the Welfare Departments for further action.

6. Accordingly, Government hereby constitute District Committees in each district in the A.P. State, with the following Officers:

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7. The District Collector will examine the proposals on shifting, conversion and sanction of new Govt. Hostels in consultation with the people's representatives and enrolment in existing hostels, the overall needs of the area for the Hostel and to send proposals to the concerned Heads of Departments. The Committees constituted in Para 3 above, will examine the cases of Hostels concerning Social Welfare, B.C. Welfare and Tribal Welfare(in Non ITDA areas) on the issue of shifting of hostels, the conversion of Boys Hostel into Girls Hostel and proposals for new hostels. The District committee will send necessary recommendations, with proper justification, to the concerned Heads of Departments of Welfare Department for further necessary action.

8. The proposals should be finalized taking into consideration the facilities available for SC / ST and BC students in the hostels under all the three departments, such that the proposals are considered based on actual need and to ensure judicious and proper usage of the scarce sources with the Government. If it is possible to accommodate the students in any one hostel of the other departments, it should be done so, to avoid unnecessary wastage. The funds so saved should be utilized for improving infrastructure and to improve the standards in the interests of students.

9. The Heads of Department of the concerned Department will examine the proposal of the District Committee regarding shifting of existing Hostels and conversion of Boys Hostel into Girls Hostel, or vice versa, and give necessary approval on the proposal of the District collector, subject to the condition that there will not be any financial commitment except transport charges and such proposals need not be sent to Government.

10. The proposals for sanction of new Government hostels, received from the District Collectors, shall be examined by the Heads of Departments concerned.
of the three Welfare Departments and further report send with specific remarks to the Government for sanction. The sanction for starting new Hostels will be given only by the Government in the Welfare Department concerned.

II. This order does not require the concurrence of Finance Department.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

MOHAN KANDA
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Commissioner of B.C. Welfare, Hyderabad.
The Commissioner of Tribal Welfare, Hyderabad.
All District Collectors.

Copy to:
The P.S. to the Hon'ble C.M.
The P.S. to the Minister of Social Welfare.
The P.S. to the Minister for BC Welfare.
The P.S. to Chief Secretary to Government .
The P.S. to Prl. Secretary to Government (TW)
The P.S. to Prl. Secretary to Government (BCW)
The P.S. to Prl. Secretary to Government (SW)
The P.A. to Addl. Secretary to Government (SW)
Asst. Secretary to Govt., S.W. (Coordin) Dept.
S.F./S.C.

//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER

Copy comm. order to C.M. P.S. B.C. P.S. SC
Taking necessary action.

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P.S. to P.S. B.C. P.S. SC