



GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU & KASHMIR
OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT DEVELOPMENT COMMISSIONER, UDHAMPUR

Subject:- Installation of Pre-fabricated Toilets in Schools under Swachh Vidyalaya Abhiyan & Others.

ORDER

Whereas, the Cabinet Secretary, Govt of India on 10th of June, 2015 in Video Conference Meeting attended by Worthy Chief Secretary, J&K, Principal Secretary to Govt., Planning & Development Deptt., Commissioner/Secretary to Govt. School Education Deptt., Commissioner/Secretary to Govt., PWD, Deputy Commissioners and Director, School Education Jammu/Kashmir among others, directed that all the toilets under Swachh Vidyalaya Abhiyan and others shall be completed by 30th of June, 2015 to meet the targets/timeline set by the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India.

Whereas, in this backdrop, a meeting to review the progress in construction of toilets under Swachh Bharat Mission, SSA, RMSA and Swachh Vidyalaya Abhiyan was convened of Officers of Education and Rural Dev. Department held in the Conference Hall of this office on 11th June, 2015.

Whereas, during Video Conference meeting held on 12th June, 2015 the directions were issued by the Commissioner/Secretary to Govt., School Education Deptt. to Deputy Commissioners for immediate completion of toilets and providing toilets in all schools before 30th June, 2015. He also directed to devise local strategy to achieve the targets in very limited time available and conveyed his approval that high quality prefabricated toilets which are slightly small in Size as compared to the Pacca structure approved by the Education Department can be installed in remote areas due to cost escalation and in view of limited time left for achieving the targets.


Whereas, the Commissioner/Secretary to Govt, School Education Department has already conveyed his approval/authorization for using prefabricated toilets and size variations are also covered under the approval.

Whereas, the Asstt. Commissioner, Dev. Udhampur vide Communication No. ACDU/P&S/2015-16/2413-29 dated 13-06-2015 has submitted that upto 25-06-2015; it was not possible to float tenders for procuring pre-fabricated toilets from open market and has requested for authorization to procure prefabricated toilets from the firm offering lowest rates among the firms short listed on the basis of market survey. Moreover, he has sought approval for size variations, as pre fabricated toilets are small in size as compared to the Pacca structure approved by the Education Department .

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Against the backdrop of above, it is hereby reiterated/authorized that concerned BDOs/ZEOs shall install high quality prefabricated toilets in remote areas and the same can be procured from the open market amongst the firm offering lowest rates short listed on the basis of market survey or as per the approved rates of any other Deptt. or agency like Army/BSF etc in view of limited time left for achieving the stipulated targets. Moreover, size variations shall be allowed. The funds available with the concerned VECs shall be immediately utilized for the purpose.


(Dr. Shahid Iqbal Choudhary) IAS,
District Dev. Commissioner
Udhampur

No: DDCU/ 2015-16/Edu/3181-90

Dated:- 18/6/2015

Copy to the:-

1. Divisional Commissioner, Jammu for favour of information.
2. Commissioner/ Secretary to Govt. School Education Department, Civil Secretariat Srinagar for favour of information. *This is as per direction conveyed by V.C.*
3. Director School Education, Jammu for favour of information.
4. Chief Education Officer, Udhampur
5. Assistant Commissioner Dev. Udhampur
6. District Panchayat Officer, Udhampur
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8. Block Dev. Officer _____ (all)
9. Zonal Edu. Officer _____ (all) action.
10. _____ (all concerned)

for information and necessary action.