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31.3 Training to PRI functionaries - Creation of Training Corpus fund - Annual allocation of Rs.3 crores from SFC grant and constitution of High Level Committee for administering the Fund

Rural Development & Panchayat Raj (C3) Department

G.O. (Ms) No. 103

Dated : 19.6.2007 Read :

From the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj RC. No.32093/07 Trg.2 Dated. 17.5.2007

ORDER

The Hon'ble Minister for Rural Development and Local Administration has announced on the Floor of the Assembly on 12.4.2007 as follows.

"A Training corpus Fund will be created for organizing training programmes to the elected representatives on the Panchayat Raj administration and implementation of Rural Development Schemes. An amount of Rs.3 crores will be set apart for the Training Corpus Fund every year. The Training Corpus Fund will also be utilized to undertake exposure visits of the elected representatives within and outside the State in Order to acquire firsthand knowledge about the good practices elsewhere".

2. Based on the above announcement the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has sent a proposal for imparting systematic and regular training to the elected representives of Panchayat Raj. He has requested to create a Training Corpus Fund of Rs. 3 crores out of State Finance commission Grant and for formation of High Level Committee for administering the Training Corpus Fund. He has also suggested certain guidelines in this regard.

3. The Government have carefully examined the above proposal of the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj and accept to impart systematic and regular training to the representatives of Panchayat Raj. The Government direct that the guidelines annexed to this order shall be strictly followed. The Government also direct that an annual allocation of Rs.3 crores be made for this training from the State Finance Commission Grant in the ratio of 8:32:60 as detailed below;

- 1. District Panchayats : Rs.0.24 crores (8%)
- 2. Block Panchayats : Rs.0.96 Crores (32%)
- 3. Village Panchayats Rs.1.80 crores (60%)

The said amount shall be deducted from the first month allocation out of State Finance Commission grant.

4. A High Level Committee for administering the Training Corpus Fund is constituted as follows:

a.	Secretary Rural Development and Panchayat Raj	- Chairman
b.	Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj	- Member Convener
c.	Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (Trg)	- Member
d.	Financial Adviser & Chief Accounts Officer	

O/o Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj) - Member

The High Level committee shall finalise the curriculam and specific training programme etc.

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5. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj is authorised to draw and disburse the amount sanctioned in para 3 above.

6. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.98/ SS(PK)7/07 Dated 4.6.07.

(By order of the Governor)

K.ASHOK VARDHAN SHETTY

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT