

No K11011/9/2010-DC(S)
OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER, SAIHA
& CHAIRMAN, DISTRICT EDUCATION COMMITTEE (SSA), SAIHA

Saiha, Dated 22nd April, 2010

ORDER

It has come to the notice of the undersigned during the tour to the interior areas that the civil works under the SSA; which was entrusted to the Village Education Committee is being executed by the private persons, who are not even the members of the VEC. Few records checked indicate that this has been done with the approval of the VEC; whereas the scheme does not empower them to do so. Further interaction at few places indicates that some unauthorised persons are interfering in the working of the VEC and pressurising them to appoint individuals as work contractor/supervisors. This is not only against the scheme of the SSA but also against the spirit of grass root governance which the SSA and other scheme emphasises.

You are hereby directed to:-

1. Ensure that all the civil works are executed by the VEC and these are not delegated to any individual persons. Further, wherever these have been delegated, the work should stop immediately and should only be started by VEC. Whatever advances have been paid to the contractor/supervisor are recovered from them and handed over to the VEC.
2. Organise a training programme for the VEC Chairman and Secretary, informing them their roles under SSA.
3. Enquire into the aspect of pressurisation of VEC or any interference in their working by unauthorised individuals, if somewhere such phenomena are observed, then lodge FIR against such individuals in the respective police stations.
4. Give an undertaking to the undersigned by 27.04.2010 that all the guidelines are strictly adhered to and no where the VEC has engaged any individual in any capacity for any civil work.

Further, it is made clear once again SSA is a flagship scheme of the government and it clearly provides the roles of different institutions in the programme formulation and

implementation. Particularly, it seeks to empower the village community through VEC for active participation in enhancing the education standard and universalisation of education.

Henceforth, any deviation in the implementation of the scheme will not be tolerated and the personal responsibility of DPC, DDPC, Block Resource Person, Cluster Resource Person, and VEC Chairman & VEC Secretary will be fixed and severe action will be initiated.

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To,
DPC-SSA
Saiha

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Copy to:-

1. SrPPS to Chief Secretary for information to the CS
2. Secretary, GAD, Govt of Mizoram
3. Secretary, District Council Affairs, Govt of Mizoram
4. Secretary, School Education Department
5. State Project Director, SSA, Aizawl
6. SP, Saiha with a request to instruct their OCs to facilitate filing of FIR by DPC/VEC etc in case any interference is noticed by them
7. President of NGOs- MTP, YMA, YLA, MSO at Saiha with a request to ensure that their members who are members of VEC should play an active role and should focus on adhering to the guidelines and in improving the educational standard.
8. DIO/NIC in soft copy to upload on internet in PDF form.

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