GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH SOCIAL WELFARE (POA) DEPARTMENT

Memorandum No.10145/POA.2/2000-30

Dated 18/11/2000

Sub:- Enhancement of Central Financial Assistance on matching grant basis (50 : 50) for rehabilitation of bonded labourers -Regarding.

Ref.:- From the Director General, (Labour Welfare) Joint Secy, to Govt. of India, Ministry of Labour, Order No. R-11011/02/98-BL, dated 08/08/2000.

A copy of the reference received from the Government of India, Ministry of Labour is enclosed. The Central Government has modified the existing Centrally Sponsored Plan Scheme for rehabilitation of bonded labourers. The rehabilitation grant was enhanced from Rs. 6250/- to Rs. 10,000/- from 01/04/1995. In the modified scheme of May, 2000 it has been enhanced from the present ceiling of rehabilitation grant of Rs. 10,000/- to Rs. 20,000/- (Rupees Twenty thousand only) per freed bonded labourer. Out of this Rs. 1000/- would be paid immediately on release of a bonded labourer as subsistance allowance.

Thus a total amount of Rs. 20,000/- will be available for the rehabilitation of each bonded labourer. This amount includes the initial grant of Rs.1000/- to be paid to the 'bonded labour on release.

Action may be taken as per the orders issued in the reference cited. The receipt of this memorandum may kindly be acknowledged.

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To
The Commissioner of Social Welfare, A.P. Hyderabad (w.e.)
The Commissioner of Tribal Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad (w.e.)
The Managing Director, S.C. Co-operative Finance Corporation Ltd., Hyderabad, (w.e.)
All the District Collectors, (w.e.)

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