ABSTRACT

Revenue (Endowments) Department – The Telangana Charitable and Hindu Religious Institutions and Endowments Common Good Funds Rules, 2005 – Amendment – Final Notification – Orders - Issued.

REVENUE (ENDOWMENTS-I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 170

Dated: 18-08-2018 Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.726, Revenue (Endts-I) Dept., dt.21.06.2006.

2. G.O.Ms.No.37, Revenue(Endts-I) Dept., dt.01.11.2014.

3. G.O.Ms.No.49, Revenue(Endts-I) Dept., dt.18.12.2014.

4. G.O.Ms.No.39, Revenue (Endts-I) Dept.,dt.20.02.2017

5. G.O.Ms.No.260, Revenue (Endts-I) Dept., dt. 28.11.2017

6. G.O.Ms.No.47, Revenue (Endts-I) Dept., dt.06.03.2018

7. Representation of Sri Gunti Jagadeshwar, Member of Common Good Fund Committee, Jagityala, Karimnagar Dist. Dt.29.03.2018

8. From the Commissioner, Endowments Department Letter No.E1/ 7386/2018, dt.12.07.2018.

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ORDER:

The Government have issued, in the G.O.6th read above, the Preliminary Notification for amending the Telangana Charitable and Hindu Religious Institutions and Endowments Common Good Funds Rules,2005 and published Extraordinary issue of the Telangana Gazettee No.08, dated 13.03.2018 as required under sub-section (1) of section 153 of the Telangana Charitable and Hindu Religious Institutions and Endowments Act 1987 (Act No.30 of 1987).

2. Sri Gunti Jagadeshwar, Member of Common Good Fund Committee, Jagityala, Karimnagar has submitted in the reference 7th read above, his objection as the word "Provided that, the committee may relax this condition in deserving case" may be continued in the Rule 22.

The Commissioner, Endowments Department, Hyderabad in the 3. reference 8th read above has stated that, in the recent Common Good Fund meeting held on 23.12.2017 the Committee headed by Hon'ble Minister for Endowments have reduced the percentage of Matching Contribution from 33 1/3% to 20% in the interest of the institutions and if the condition for payment of Matching Contribution is relaxed in the deserving cases it would provide an opportunity for non-deserving cases also and here is every chance of misusing the same. Moreover, in the recent past it was observed that before according administrative sanction applicants are assuring for deposit of Matching Contribution and later coming up with representations requesting for exemption from payment of Matching Contribution which is only because of the provision provided that the Matching contribution can be relaxed in deserving cases. When such provision is not provided in the rules, the question of granting exemption would not arise at all.

4. The Commissioner, Endowments Department has further stated that collection of Matching Contribution from villagers/ devotees will develop faith towards God thereby giving much satisfaction to the donors and as such the objection of the applicant to continue the provision for relaxation from payment of Matching Contribution in Rule-22 of Common Good Fund Rules is not sustainable and needs no consideration and requested to issue Final Notification in this regard.

5. The Government, after careful examination, decided to issue final notification in the matter.

6. Accordingly, the following notification will be published in an extraordinary issue of Telangana Gazette dated 31-08-2018.

FINAL NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (4) of section 35 read with section 153 of the Telangana Charitable and Hindu Religious Institutions and Endowments Act,1987 (Act No.30 of 1987), the Government of Telangana hereby makes the following amendment to the Telangana Charitable and Hindu Religious Institutions and Endowments Common Good Funds Rules,2005:-

AMENDMENT

In the said rules,-

- (i) in rule 19, after the words "in question is" the words "published and" shall be deleted;
- (ii) for the rule 22, the following rule shall be substituted namely,-

"RULE 22: Matching Grant:-

No Common Good Fund Aid shall be granted to any institution unless the matching contribution of 20% is deposited by the institution concerned."

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

N. SIVA SANKAR, PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMEN

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The Commissioner,

Printing, Stationary and Stores Purchase, Telangana, Hyderabad (He is requested to supply 50 copies to the Government and 50 copies to the Commissioner, Endowments Department, Hyderabad.

Copy to:-

The Commissioner, Endowments Department, Hyderabad.

Sri Gunti Jagadeshwar, Member of Common Good Fund Committee,

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The Law (A) Department.

The P.S. to Minister (Endowments).

The Revenue (Endowments-II) Section.

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SECTION OFFICER