GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Women Development, Child Welfare & Disabled Welfare Department – Sanction of direct loans to severely challenged students studying Post Graduate and Professional courses to purchase motorized vehicle, sophisticated prosthetic aids etc - Orders - Issued.

WOMEN DEVELOPMENT, CHILD WELFARE & DISABLED WELFARE (DW.A2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.194 Dated: 30TH June, 2008 Read

Note from the Managing Director, A.P. Vikalangula Co-operative Corporation, Hyderabad, dated 15.3.2008

ORDER:

After careful examination of the representation from orthopedically challenged students, and reference cited, Government hereby decide to extend direct loan to severely challenged students who are studying Higher Education/Professional courses for improved prosthetic aids, motorized tricycle etc. from the funds given to the Managing Director, A.P. Vikalangula Co-operative Corporation with the following conditions:

- (a) Rs.5,000/- may be given as incentive subsidy and the balance amount not exceeding Rs.60,000/- per student may be given as direct loan to be recovered in monthly installments in three (3) years, payable from two(2) years of completion of the course or on student concerned securing a placement / job, whichever is earlier
- (b) A committee comprising of Commissioner, Disabled Welfare / Managing Director, A.P. Vikalangula Co-operative Corporation and representative of prominent NGO Smt. Manjula Kalyan, of Swayam Krushi, will invite applications and depending on the severity and the need, sanction the motorized tricycle/improved prosthetic aid etc. subject to availability of budget. The tenure of present NGO representative will be for a period of 2 years i.e., upto Academic Year 2009-10.
- (c) The amount will be paid directly to the Company/Supplier of the choice of the applicant by account payee cheque or DD provided there is no other Company willing to give the same motorized tricycle etc., at lower rate to the Corporation. If there is a supplier providing same motorized tricycle etc., of better quality at a lower rate, the applicant would be requested to procure the same from that supplier only or he shall meet the difference in the cost from his own funds, if he wants to procure from his own identified agency/supplier.
- (d) An amount of Rs.25.00 lakhs may be earmarked for such assistance to severely challenged students pursuing P.G. education and above, from out of the budget allotted to Managing Director, A.P. Vikalangula Co-operative Corporation for prosthetic aids etc.

- (e) The Managing Director, A.P. Vikalangula Co-operative Corporation shall maintain a separate account, enter into an agreement with the candidates concerned, recover the loans on due dates and the amounts so recovered shall be credited to that account such that the revolving fund so generated is utilized for this scheme until further orders.
- 2. This order does not require the concurrence of Finance Department.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

M. CHAYA RATAN, PRL. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Commissioner,
Department for the Welfare of Disabled & Senior Citizens,
Hyderabad.
The Managing Director,
A.P. Vikalangula Co-operative Corporation,
Hyderabad.
All District Collectors.

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SECTION OFFICER