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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER, SIRSA

Endst. No. 11-267/17/5-65 LFA Dated: 15-04-2020

A copy of letter No. SUDA/P/MAY/2019-20/1943 dated 14.4.2020 (alongwith enclosures) received from the DGULB & Mission Director, SUDA, Haryana is forwarded to the following for information & immediate necessary action:

1. DIG-cum-SP, Sirsa
2. ADC, Sirsa
3. All S.D.Ms in district Sirsa
4. Civil Surgeon, Sirsa
5. Sr. Drugs/Drugs Control Officer, Sirsa
6. DRO, Sirsa
7. DDPO, Sirsa
8. Dy. Dir., DIC, Sirsa
9. DIPRO, Sirsa
10. D. Emp. O., Sirsa
11. All Tehsildars/NTs/BDPOs in distt. Sirsa
12. All Duty Magistrates (through concerned SDMs)
13. All respective members of Local/Sector/Zonal Committees in distt. Sirsa
15. Asstt. Dir., IH&S, Sirsa
16. Principal, GITI, Sirsa/Sirsa (W)/Rania/Odhan/Chautala
17. All EOs/Secretaries of ULBs in distt. Sirsa

CC:
Incharge, Distt. War/Control Room, Sirsa
DIO, NIC, Sirsa
PO, DMC, Sirsa

For Deputy Commissioner, Sirsa
From:
The Director General, Urban Local Bodies -cum-
Mission Director, State Urban Dev. Authority,
Haryana, Panchkula.

To
1. All the Deputy Commissioners in the State.
2. All the Commissioners of Municipal Corporations in the State.

No. SUDA/PMAY/2019-20/1943

Sub:- Fighting the aftermath of COVID-19 lockdown-assisting migrants/ labours in securing their livelihood.

Sir/Madam,

Kindly refer to DO letter No. N-11011/63/2016-HFA-1 (C.F.9029320) dated 10.04.2020 (copy enclosed) of Joint Secretary (HFA) to Govt. of India, Ministry of Housing & Urban Affairs, on the subject noted above.

2. As you are aware that a large number of migrants (skilled and unskilled workers) have returned from their work places to their respective home across the country due to nation-wide lockdown. It has resulted in huge loss of employment opportunities to these workers.

3. In view of the above, the urban local bodies are supposed to play vital role in assisting such migrants/labourers in securing their livelihood by taking following steps:

i. Registration of skilled workers to create a pool of human resources at local level and facilitate appropriate employment in association with local Employment Exchange, District Industries Centres or Labour Department as the case may be.

ii. Creating a pool of skill set readily available work force at local level addressing the shortage of labour and other workforce by providing employment opportunities in construction of houses under PMAY(U), specifically of BLC vertical.

iii. Provide temporary shelters to migrants at vacant houses, constructed under various housing schemes in the city, wherever required.

iv. Conducting various training activities for semi-skilled and unskilled labourers in construction/housing related activities (i.e. Masons, carpenters, electricians, plumbers, etc) by associating with relevant training centres, as per their skill set preference. These training programmes may be technically supported by Building Material Technology & Promotion Council (BMTPC), a Govt. of India Enterprise.

v. Migrants, who are not interested or not fit for construction sector, can be provided with other vocational trainings/jobs as per their choice under DAY-NULM.

4. You are, therefore, requested to issue necessary directions to the concerned officers of ULBs of your district/town to take necessary action for compliance of GoI instructions and the progress achieved in this regard may be updated in online reports being sent to Head Office (suda.haryana@yahoo.co.in)

DA: As above

Addl. Mission Director
for
Director General, Urban Local Bodies-cum-
Mission Director, State Urban Dev. Authority,
Haryana, Panchkula.
A copy of the above is forwarded to all the Executive Officers/ Secretaries/Town Nodal Officer with the request to take necessary action for the compliance of above GoI instructions. The progress achieved in this regard may please be sent to this office (suda.haryana@yahoo.co.in) on daily basis.

Addl. Mission Director
for Director General, Urban Local Bodies-cum-Mission Director, State Urban Dev. Authority, Haryana, Panchkula.

A copy of the above is forwarded to the Additional Chief Secretary to Govt. of Haryana, Labour & Employment Department, Haryana, Chandigarh with the request to issue necessary guidelines to Labour Department and Employment Department for taking necessary action in association with ULBs of their District/ town for compliance of above instructions issued by Govt. of India.

Addl. Mission Director
for Director General, Urban Local Bodies-cum-Mission Director, State Urban Dev. Authority, Haryana, Panchkula.

A copy of the above is forwarded to following for kind information and necessary action:

1. The Labour Commissioner, Labour Department, Haryana, Chandigarh.
2. The Director General, Employment Department, Haryana, Chandigarh.

Addl. Mission Director
for Director General, Urban Local Bodies-cum-Mission Director, State Urban Dev. Authority, Haryana, Panchkula.

A copy of the above is forwarded to the Joint Secretary & Mission Director (HFA-U), Ministry of Housing & Urban Affairs, Govt. of India w.r.t. their office DO letter No. N-11011/ 63/2016-HFA-1 (C.F.9029320) dated 10.04.2020 for information please.

Addl. Mission Director
for Director General, Urban Local Bodies-cum-Mission Director, State Urban Dev. Authority, Haryana, Panchkula.
Dear

The country is combating against COVID-19 and at this crucial juncture providing shelter, food and taking care of all required needs of vulnerable sections like migrant labourers, homeless, daily wage earners and urban poor families are priority areas for the nation.

2. As you are aware, in the wake of COVID-19 lockdown, a large number of migrants have returned from their work places to their respective homes across the country, resulting in huge loss of employment opportunities. Majority of them are believed to be skilled and unskilled labourers, working in various economic sectors including construction.

3. At this juncture, while fighting with aftermath of COVID-19, the Urban Local Bodies (ULBs) can play a critical role by assisting these migrants/labourers to secure their livelihood at local level and help the economy rolling. Accordingly, it is proposed that following actions may be taken by respective ULBs:

i. Registration of skilled labourers to create a pool of human resource at local level and facilitate appropriate employment in association of local Employment Exchange, District Industry Centres or Labour Department as the case may be.

ii. Creating a pool of skill set readily available at local level addressing the shortage of labour and other workforce by providing employment opportunities in construction completion of houses under PMAY (U), specially of BLC vertical which are available almost in all ULBs.

iii. Provide temporary shelters to migrants at serviced vacant houses, constructed under various housing schemes in the city, wherever required.

iv. Conducting various training activities for semi-skilled and unskilled labourers in construction/housing related activities such as mason, carpenter, electrician, plumber etc by associating relevant training centres, as per their skill set preference. These training programmes may be technically supported by Building Material Technology & Promotion Council (BMTPC), a subsidiary of Government of India.

v. Migrants who are not interested or not fit for construction sector, can be provided with other vocational trainings as per their choice through DAY-NULM scheme.

4. In this regard, you are requested to kindly issue an appropriate direction to the ULBs of your State/UT. An effective monitoring mechanism may also be arranged for the above said activities.

5. Soliciting your kind support and cooperation in this.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Amrit Abhijat)

To,
The Principal Secretaries/ Secretaries (Housing/ Urban Development) of all States/UTs – as per list.