GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT


LABOUR EMPLOYMENT TRAINING AND FACTORIES (LAB.IV) DEPARTMENT


Minutes of the Meeting held in the Conference Hall by the Hon'ble Chief Minister to review and approve the welfare and other schemes for the Building and Other Construction Workers on 14.6.2010.

ORDER:-

Section 22 of the Andhra Pradesh Building and Other Construction Workers (Regulation of Employment and Conditions of Service) Act, 1996 empowers the Board constituted under the Act to provide welfare measures and facilities to the Building and Other Construction Workers registered as beneficiaries with the Board.

2. The Andhra Pradesh Building and Other Construction Workers Welfare Board has resolved to implement certain welfare Schemes to cover the beneficiaries registered with the Board. One, among these welfare schemes relates to the scheme for Personal Accident Relief coupled with Aam Admi Bima Yojana (AABY) / Janasri Bima Yojana (JBY) with the criteria laid down under AABY/JBY.

3. After examination, the Government hereby approve the scheme for providing Personal Accident Relief to the Building and Other Construction Workers who are registered as beneficiaries with the Andhra Pradesh Building and Other Construction Workers Welfare Board with a total coverage of Rs.2,00,000/- (Rupees Two Lakh only) including the benefits under Aam Admi Bima Yojana or the Janasri Bima Yojana maximum of a Rs.75,000/-, with the following guidelines:-

i) The Board will implement a Scheme of Personal Accident Relief by providing a coverage of Rs.1,25,000/- and the definition of the Total Permanent Disability / Partial Permanent Disability will be in tune with the definition given under the Aam Admi Bima Yojana / Janasri Bima Yojana.

ii) All the registered construction workers will be simultaneously covered under Aam Admi Bima Yojana / Janasri Bima Yojana, in case, they had not been covered by the Rural Development / Urban Development Departments (IKP, Rural and Urban) as the case may be.

iii) The services of the District Call Centres of the Federation of Self Help Groups and the Bima Mitras engaged by them will be utilized for settlement of the claims under both the above scheme i.e. the Scheme of the Board of
Personal Accident Relief of Rs.1,25,000 and the Aam Admi Bima Yojana / Janasri Bima Yojana of Rs.75,000/-, as the case may be.

iv) The commission of Rs.10/- per worker registered under the scheme will be paid by the Board to the District Federation of Self Help Groups to provide all services for filing of the claims to settlement of the claims, maintenance of the records and completion of all the procedures as prescribed including immediate advance payment of Rs.5,000/- to the victim / kith and kin as the case may be.

v) Based on the settlement of the claims by the Life Insurance Corporation of India under Aam Admi Bima Yojana / Janasri Bima Yojana, as the case may be the Board will release the claim amount of Personal Accident Relief (additional coverage of Rs.1,25,000) mutatis-mutandis through the District Call Centres of the Federation of Self Help Groups.

vi) The Rural Development (IKP - Rural) / Urban Development Departments (IKP – Urban) will continue to implement the Aam Admi Bima Yojana / Janasri Bima Yojana including all the registered “construction workers” with the Board. Such of the workers, who are registered with the Board but not covered under the Aam Admi Bima Yojana / Janasri Bima Yojana, as the case may be, the District Call Centre, will seek the coverage from the Life Insurance Corporation of India on behalf of the Andhra Pradesh Building and Other Construction Workers Welfare Board. At the time of renewal of the scheme/fresh coverage under AABY/JBY of the registered construction workers the Board will pay the Insurance Premium of Rs.100/- to LIC of India based on the communication from the District Call Centers.

vii) The Board will dispense with the implementation of Natural Death Benefit Scheme of Rs.30,000/- since the same benefit is available to all the beneficiaries covered under the Aam Admi Bima Yojana / Janasri Bima Yojana and all the registered workers of the Board will be compulsorily covered under the Aam Admi Bima Yojana / Janasri Bima Yojana through the District Call Centers.

viii) The Board will communicate the entire data base of the registered workers in prescribed Proformae designed by the District Federations of the Self Help Groups / IKP – Rural / IKP – Urban for coverage and settlement of the claims under Aam Admi Bima Yojana / Janasri Bima Yojana as well as the Personal Accident Relief Scheme of the Board. The said data base will be basis for coverage as well as the settlement of the claims under all the three schemes i.e. Personal Accident Relief Scheme of Rs. 1,25,000/-, and Aam Admi Bima Yojana or Janasri Bima Yojana of Rs.75,000/- and the benefits to the workers will be extended through the District Call Centres of the Self Help Groups / Bima Mitras.
ix) The Board and the District Call Centers will organize the training programmes at the district level for better coordination and capacity building of all the functionaries.

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

BHANWAR LAL
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Building and Other Construction Workers Welfare Board, Hyderabad. (with a request to communicate the same to all the concerned Assistant Labour Officers /Assistant Commissioners of Labour/ Deputy Commissioners of Labour/
Joint Commissioners of Labour in the State)
Copy to:-
The Commissioner of Labour, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.
The Chief Executive Officer, IKP Rural and Mission Director, IKP Urban/MEPMA, Hyderabad.
All Departments of Secretariat.
All Collectors & District Magistrates in the State.
The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Labour & Employment, Shram Shakti Bhawan, Rafi Marg, New Delhi.
The Principal Secretary to C.M.
The P.S. to M (Coop. & L.E.F. & B.)
The P.S. to Principal Secretary to Govt. L.E.T. & F. Department.
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