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Department of School Education & Literacy

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To

The DGSE-Cum-State Project Director,  
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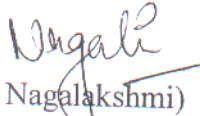
Subject: - Minutes of the Supplementary Project Approval Board (PAB) meeting chaired by Secretary (SE&L) held on the 13<sup>th</sup> January 2016 to consider the proposal of State of Punjab under the Centrally Sponsored scheme of the integrated Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA).

Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith minutes of the Supplementary Project Approval Board (PAB) meeting chaired by Secretary (SE&L) held on the 13<sup>th</sup> January 2016 to consider the proposal of State of Punjab under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of the Integrated Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA), for information and necessary action at your end.

Encl. As above

Yours faithfully,

  
(D.S. Nagalakshmi)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

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1. Sr. PPS to Secretary (SE&L)
2. PS to JS & FA
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5. PPS to Economic Advisor (MHRD)
6. Director (RMSA-IV)
7. Deputy Secretary (RMSA-1), DS (RMSA-III)
8. All Under Secretaries in SE-I Bureau
9. All Member Representing other organization in PAB.
10. All Consultants, TSG-RMSA, The Minutes may be uploaded on the website.
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A Supplementary PAB meeting Chaired by Dr. S.C. Khuntia, Secretary (SE&L) was held on 13.1.2016 to consider the proposals of the state of Punjab. List of participants is at Annexure.

The following items were discussed in the meeting:

#### Agenda 1

Director General-School Education cum State Project Director (DG-SE cum SPD)-RMSA, State of Punjab informed that during the PAB meeting held on 16.2.2015 to consider the AWP&B 2015-16 of State of Punjab, approval was given for salary of Rs. 30,500 p.m. per teacher and Rs. 40,000 p.m. per head master (HM) as against the proposal of the State Government for Rs. 38,200 p.m. per teacher and Rs. 42,000 p.m. per HM. DG-SE cum SPD-RMSA, Punjab clarified that further to Cabinet decision in 2012, the contract staff are paid salary on the pattern of regular staff at the initial pay of regular staff + DA as on 1<sup>st</sup> April of every year. Calculation on this basis shows that the salary for teachers comes to Rs. 38200/- p.m. and the salary of HM is Rs. 42,000/- p.m. for the year 2015-16. The proposal of State of Punjab was agreed to subject to providing clarification and supporting documents by the State Government to the Ministry.

#### Agenda 2

Regarding the proposal of change of 4 schools to Maur Block in Distt. Bathinda out of 300 schools approved for coverage under Vocational Education component of RMSA in 2015-16, it was felt that such approval at the fag end of the financial year may not result in implementation during the current financial year. The State Govt. was advised to come up with fresh proposal for AWP&B 2016-17.

#### Agenda 3

As the release of central share from State Govt. to State Implementing Agency is taking long time in the State of Punjab, Secretary(SE&L) directed SPD-RMSA, Punjab that the issue of

release of central releases with matching share should be pursued rigorously with Finance Department of State Govt. so that funds are released in time to State Implementing Agency.

DG-SE cum SPD-RMSA stated that the State Govt. had recruited 222 HMs in Oct/Nov. 2014 against the sanction of PAB in its meeting held on 13.2.2014. He requested for sanction of salary of 222 HMs appointed in 2014-15 and for release of funds. Similarly, the State Govt. appointed 427 Subject Teachers in Oct/Nov, 2015 against the posts approved in earlier PABs (2009-2014) and requested for release of salary for these Teachers. Out of 1818 Subject Teachers approved under RMSA so far, 803 Teachers were in position and 427 more teachers have been appointed. It was decided that these proposals of the State Govt. should first be examined on file, as these pertain to appointments made against the approvals already given.

8. Meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

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Participants

1. Dr. S.C. Khuntia, Secretary (SE&L) ... in Chair
2. Shri Maneesh Garg, Joint Secretary (SE&L)
3. Ms. Darsana Dabral, Financial Adviser
4. Shri S.L. Negi, Joint Secretary(RMSA II)
5. Shri Anil Kakaria, DS(F)
6. Ms D S Nagalakshmi, US-RMSA II

State of Punjab

7. Shri Pradeep Kumar Aggarwal, DG-SE cum SPD
8. Ms. Surekha Thakur, ASPD, RMSA
9. Shri. Pradip Bharadwaj, AM-F, RMSA
10. Shri Gajan Singh, AM-Admn., RMSA

Other organizations:

11. Ms. Ranjana Arora, NCERT

TSG

12. Mr. Mukhtar Alam

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