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NOTIFICATION

No. MAS. 13/76/18, the 15th Nov. 1976. The following order of the Lieutenant-Governor (Administrator) of the Union Territory of Mizoram is published for general information :—

“ORDER

RAJ NIWAS

Aizawl

The 16 November, 1976.

In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (a) of sub-section (2) of section 6 of the Government of the Union Territories Act, 1963 (20 of 1963), I, S.K. Chhibber, Lieutenant Governor (Administrator) of Union Territory of Mizoram, do hereby prorogue the Twelfth and Emergent Session of the Legislative Assembly of Mizoram at the conclusion of its sitting on the 15th November, 1976.

S.K. Chhibber

Lieutenant Governor (Administrator)
Union Territory of Mizoram”

B.T. Sanga,
Under Secretary,
Mizoram Legislative Assembly.

No.LAD/C-2/76/Pt, the 13th Nov/76. WHEREAS a Commission had been appointed under para 14 of the Sixth Schedule to the Constitution of India vide Government's Notification No.LAD/C-2/74/15 dated 23rd February, 1975 followed by Notification No.LAD/C-2/74/60 dated 13th February, 1976 to examine and report on certain specific matters mentioned therein relating to the affairs of the Pawi District Council;

AND WHEREAS the said Commission has in its report stated that the said District Council and its Executive Committee are incapable of exercising even the minimum amount of financial discipline and that the financial irregularities committed by them are so blatant and glaring that one cannot but take cognizance of them and that the Council is over staff and unqualified and inefficient. The Grant-in-aid Rules had been violated by using Development Funds for non-development purposes. Even the General Financial Rules have not been observed.

AND WHEREAS the Commission has recommended that the said existing District Council should be dissolved in accordance with the provisions of para 16 of the Sixth Schedule to the Constitution;

AND WHEREAS the said Pawi District Council had been informed of the proposed action and an opportunity had been given to place their views before the Mizoram Legislative Assembly as required under para 16(1)(b) of the Sixth Schedule to the Constitution, and a resolution to dissolve the Pawi District Council has been moved in the Mizoram Legislative Assembly;

AND WHEREAS the Mizoram Legislative Assembly, after consideration, have adopted unanimously the resolution for dissolution of the Pawi District Council in its session on 12th November, 1976:

AND WHEREAS I am satisfied that the Pawi District Council should be dissolved for acts of commission and omissions including financial irregularities committed by the said Council;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred under sub-para (1) (b) of para 16 of the Sixth Schedule to the constitution of India I, S. K. Chhibber, Lt. Governor (Administrator) of Mizoram do hereby dissolve the Pawi District Council and assume to myself all the functions and powers vested in or exercisable by the said District Council with effect from 17th November, 1976

I further declare that all the executive, administrative including financial functions and powers of the dissolved Pawi District Council shall be exercised by the Deputy Commissioner, Chhimitupui District or by an Officer or Officers as may be nominated by me under the over-all supervision of the Deputy Commissioner, Chhimitupui District for a period not exceeding 12 months from 17th November, 1976

S.K. CHHIBBER
Lt. Governor (Administrator) of Mizoram,

HM (M) 26/72/119, the 18th Nov. 1976 The Lt. Governor of Mizoram, with the previous approval of General Government is pleased to make the following Rules which are published herewith for general information :--

R U L E S :

"RULES FOR SANCTION OF EX-GRATIA GRANTS TO HEIRS/DEPENDENTS OF PERSONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT SERVANTS WHO WERE KILLED DURING THE DISTURBANCES IN 1966 AND AFTER IN THE AREA COMPRISED IN THE UNION TERRITORY OF MIZORAM".

1. **OBJECTIVE :** These rules provide for financial assistance to the heirs/dependents of persons other than Govt. servants who were killed either by the MNF hostiles or accidentally by the Security Forces in 1966 and thereafter.
2. **ELIGIBILITY :** The heirs or dependents of persons (other than Govt. servants) killed by the MNF hostiles, or the Security Forces accidentally will be eligible for ex-gratia grants under these rules.

Provided that the following categories of persons shall not be eligible for any benefit under these rules, namely :—

- (a) Heirs//dependent of any MNF hostile killed by the Security Forces during encounter and
- (b) Persons who have already received ex-gratia grants on the same grounds from the Govt. of Assam.

3. **NATURE OF GRANT :** The ex-gratia grants will be given in cash.
4. **RATE :** The ex gratia in each case of person killed will be limited to Rs. 1,000/-
5. **PROCEDURE TO BE FOLLOWED IN SANCTIONING GRANT :**

(a) The applications for ex-gratia grant under this scheme will be got verified by the Deputy Commissioner who may utilise the services of the Police or the Village Council for this purpose.

(b) The Deputy Commissioners will send the applications, duly verified along with their recommendations to the Govt. of Mizoram for their consideration.

(c) The Deputy Commissioners will make payment on receipt of order sanctioning the ex-gratia grant.

6. **MAINTENANCE OF ACCOUNTS :** Proper accounts of payments made will be maintained by the Deputy Commissioners who will adopt/maintain the following documents for accounting the sanctions of ex-gratia payments in this regards :—
- (i) A certificate by the competent authority to the effect that the ex-gratia compensation is being given to the person in question for the reason for which it has been sought.
 - (ii) A suitable register of sanctions may be maintained in which all the relevant information should be entered.
 - (iii) A receipt (in a suitable proforma) may be taken from the person receiving the compensation.
 - (iv) A register may be maintained in which full details relating to payments, including voucher No. and date and cheque No. and date, if the payments are by cheque, should be entered.
7. The expenditure for this purpose will be debitable to the minor head 'Other Programmes' subordinate to the major head '288-social Security and Welfare-E-Other Social Security and Welfare Programmes'.

Surendra Nath,
Chief Secretary
to the Govt. of Mizoram