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## State Programme Officer Women & Child Dev. and Social Welfare Department Government of West Bengal Writers' Buildings, Kolkata 700 001.

No.1768(PO)-SW

Dated 09th April, .2012

To
The Director of Social Welfare
West Bengal
Juvenile Court Building
Salt Lake City,
Kolkata 700 064

Ref: Order No.265-SE(Pry)/10M-28/2012 dated 28.03.2012.

Sir,

I am directed to forward the above mentioned Order of the School Education Department regarding approval of construction of Anganwadi Buildings in the premises of Primary Schools owned and managed by District Primary School Councils/Kolkata Primary School Council/Siliguri Primary School Council without hampering the normal activities of the schools provided sufficient land is available in the school premises.

It may be further noted that the Chairmen of the District Primary School Councils have accordingly been requested to issue "No Objection Certificate" to the District Magistrates for the same.

The order may please be circulated to the District Magistrates, District Programme Officers(ICDS) and all concerned.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

State Programme Officer Dated 09th April, 2012

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Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:

- 1) PA to Additional Chief Secretary, WCD & SW Deptt.
- 2) The Director of School Education, West Bengal,
- 3) The Joint Secretary (ICDS), WCD & SW Deptt.
- 4) P.S. to Hon'ble Minister-in-Charge, Child Development Department, Govt. of West Bengal.

State Programme Officer

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## Government of West Bengal

School Education Department (Primary Branch)

Bikash Bhawan, Salt Lake. Kolkata-700 091.

: 265-SE (Pry)/10M-28/2012

Dated: 28, 03, 2012

## ORDER

As per provision of RTE Act, 2009 under section (11) State Govt. has the responsibility to make necessary arrangement for providing free pre-school education to children throughout the State. The Anganwadi Centres (AWCs) functioning under the Women and Child Development and Social Welfare Deptt. play a very crucial role for the cause of pre-school education and care for the health and nutrition of the child and the mother. For proper functioning of the AWCs it has, therefore, been decided by the State Govt. to construct pucca buildings on Govt. land in place of their temporary structures. The Women and Child Development and Social Welfare Department have already allotted funds in favour of District Magistrates for construction of building for Anganwadi Centres. But the District Magistrates are facing difficulties to execute the project due to non availability of suitable land.

In view of the above the Govt. in School Education Department accords approval for construction of Anganwadi buildings in the premises of primary schools owned and managed by District Primary School Councils/ Kolkata Primary School Council/ Siliguri Primary School Council without hampering the normal activities of the primary School provided sufficient land is available in the school premises. Chiarmen of the District Primary School Councils are accordingly requested to issue 'No Objection Certificates' to the District Magistrate for construction of AWC buildings on primary school lands and extend co-operation to the district administration for erection of buildings and functioning of AWCs.

Sd/- V. Sen **Principal Secretary** 

:265/1(63)-SE (Pry)/10M-28/2012

Dated: 28. 03. 2012

Copy forwarded for information and taking necessary action to:

- (1) The Principal Secretary, Women and Child Development and Social Welfare Deptt., Govt. of West Bengal, Writers' Buildings, Kol-1
  - 2) The Director of School Education, West Bengal
  - 3) The President, West Bengal Board of Primary Education, Acharya Prafulla Chandra Bhawan. DK-7/1, Sector-II, Kol-91

- 42-43) The Chairman. Kolkata/ Siliguri Primary School Council.
- - 63) P.S to Hon'ble MIC, School Education Department- for kind perusal of MIC.

Joint Secretary