PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSIONER OF SCHOOL EDUCATION, ANDHRA PRADESH, IBRAHIMPATNAM, KRISHNA DISTRICT.

Rc. No. 20/Estt.2-1/2015

Dated: 14-11-2016

Sub:- School Education - Making Full Additional Charge arrangements to the vacant posts of Deputy Educational Officers/Gr.I Headmasters in the State - Instructions - Issued.

Read:- CSE Proc.Rc.No.20/Estt.2.1/2015 dated 06.01.2015

All the Regional Joint Directors of School Education and District Educational Officers in the State are aware that the District Institute for Education and Training (DIET) is the District Resource Centre acting as the nodal academic centre for elementary education at the district level. It caters to both pre-service and in-service needs of Teachers to ensure quality in Elementary Education.

Imparting quality education is one of the goals of Teacher Education programme. It seeks to prepare reflective practitioners who can identify and judiciously question some of the inappropriate current practices in schools and continuously suggest ways to make education relevant, flexible, contextual and qualitative. There is a need to develop these abilities in prospective teachers through curricular interventions, high quality training in Teacher Education Institutions in line with the NCTE guidelines. DIET faculty are also expected to ensure necessary and appropriate academic supervision by regularly visiting Schools, observing class room practices and providing in school support to the teachers.

Further, Regional Joint Directors of School Education and District Educational Officers in the State are informed that the cadre strength in DIETs is a major area of concern. Against 13 Principal, 89 Senior Lecturers, 218 Lecturer posts only 7 (50%), 11 (12%), 47 (23%) posts are filled up on regular basis respectively. Even among the working Principals, Senior Lecturers and Lecturers, some of them are holding FAC as Deputy Educational Officers. The details are indicated cadre wise in the table below:

SI. No.	District	Principal				Senior Lecturers				Lecturers			
		Sanctioned	Working	Vacant	Holding FAC as DyEO	Sanctioned	Working	Vacant	Holding FAC as DyEO	Sanctioned	Working	Vacant	Holding FAC as DyEO
1	Srikakulam	1	0	1		7	1	6		17	5	12	A
2	Vizianagaram	1	1	0		7	1	6		17	2		-
3	Visakhapatnam	1	1	0		7	1	6		17	5	15	2
4	East Godavari	1	0	1		7	2	5		17		12	
6	West Godavari	1	1	0		7	0	7		17	5	12	1
7	Krishna	1	1	0	1	7	2	5			2	15	1
7	Guntur	1	1	0	1	7	0	7		17	3	14	
8	Prakasam	1	0	1	•	7	0	7		17	3	14	1
9	SPSR Nellore	1	0	1		5	0	5		16	2	15	
10	Kurnool	1	1	0		7	0	7		17	9	14	
11	Kadapa	1	1	0	1	7	1	6	1	16	5	8	
12	Anantapur	1	0	1	-	7	1	6	1	17	3	11	-
13	Chittoor	1	0	1		7	2	5		16	1	14	1
	Total	13	7	6	3	89	11	78	1	218	47	15 171	6

Due to Full Additional Charge arrangement as Deputy Educational Officers, certain Lecturers / Senior Lecturers / Principals of DIETs are forced to concentrate more on the responsibilities of Deputy Educational Officer due to administrative exigencies and are not able to spare adequate time for their Primary duty of teaching in DIETs.

Consequently the limited DIET faculty available are not in a position to provide full attention and time for undertaking quality Instructions in DIETs. This is badly affecting the educational standards relating to Teacher Education (both in DIETs and in private elementary Education institutions) and inturn is impacting on Primary and Secondary Education standards in the State.

During a recent Collectors Conference dated 28th-29th September, 2016, Hon'ble Chief Minister and Hon'ble Minister for Human Resource Development reviewed the status of Primary / Elementary Education and the learning outcome of students in Government Schools in Andhra Pradesh. They gave a strong call for improving Primary, Elementary and Secondary Education in Andhra Pradesh State. In this context comprehensive set of initiatives are proposed to be taken up for improving learning outcomes of students, including improved teacher Education, closer academic supervision, regular assessment of students, close monitoring of the learning outcomes of schools, development and use of appropriate remedial programme for low performing students etc.

In view of the circumstances above, it is decided to terminate the arrangements for Full Additional Charge to the vacant posts of Deputy Educational Officers by Lecturers / Senior Lecturers / Principals of DIETs, so as to enable them to concentrate on improving quality in Elementary Education and academic standards relating to Teacher Education and also support initiatives relating to improving learning outcomes in schools. This would also enable them to provide necessary support to the proposed Mandal Academic Performance Coordinators in improving academic supervision of schools.

Hence, all the Regional Joint Directors of School Education and District Educational Officers in the State are requested to terminate Full Additional Charge arrangements to the vacant post of Deputy Educational Officers of Lecturers, Senior Lecturers, Principals of DIETs with immediate effect. Headmasters Gr.II / Mandal Educational Officers who are the feeder category for promotion to the post of Deputy Educational officers may be arranged on Full Additional Charge to the neighboring divisions.

Further, all the Regional Joint Directors of School Education and District Educational Officers in the State are requested to submit necessary proposals along with relevant copies of educational qualifications of Assistant Directors who are willing to work as Deputy Educational Officers on deputation for issuing necessary orders by the Commissioner of School Education.

The Regional Joint Directors of School Education and District Educational Officers in the State are also requested to place the seniormost eligible superintendents as Full Additional Charge in the resultant vacancies of Assistant Directors for smooth and effective functioning of the Department.

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To

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All the District Educational Officers in the State

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