

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

Andhra Pradesh Building and Other Construction Workers (Regulation of Employment and Conditions of Service) Act, 1996 – Welfare Schemes – Scheme for Maternity Benefit to the women workers registered with the Andhra Pradesh Building and Other Construction Workers Welfare Board – Orders – Issued.

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LABOUR EMPLOYMENT TRAINING AND FACTORIES (LAB.IV) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 62

Dated:27.07.2010.

Read:-

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.

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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 scheme to cover the beneficiaries registered with the Board. One, among these welfare schemes is the Maternity Benefit Scheme to the registered women workers with the Andhra Pradesh Building and Other Construction Workers Welfare Board.

3. After examination, the Government hereby approve the scheme for providing Maternity Benefit to the women workers who are registered with the Andhra Pradesh Building and Other Construction Workers Welfare Board. The benefit will be to a sum of Rs.5,000/- (Rupees Five Thousand only) with the following guidelines:-

- i) The claimant shall be registered construction worker of the Board. Her membership should be live. Benefit under the scheme will be to a tune of Rs.5,000/- per confinement, restricted to 2 confinements, which will be duly noted down in the Pass Book to be issued to all the registered women workers.
- ii) This benefit will be in addition to the benefit being extended under Centrally Sponsored Scheme by the Health, Medical and Family Welfare Department.
- iii) If the women worker has already got two living children, she will not be eligible for this benefit.
- iv) The benefit will be given after delivery, subject to producing a certificate issued by a Medical Officer of Primary Health Centre / Local Area Hospital or equivalent level of doctor of a Private Hospital / Nursing Home, where the delivery has taken place. Thus, the benefit is available for institutional delivery only.

- v) The Claimant shall submit the application form duly filled in, with necessary documents, to the local Assistant Labour Officer/Assistant Commissioner of Labour or the Deputy Commissioner of Labour in the district within one month from the date of delivery.
- vi) The application shall be duly enquired through the Assistant Labour Officer / Assistant Commissioner of Labour within (7) days and forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of Labour for sanction.
- vii) In case the application is found defective or any documents are missing, the Deputy Commissioner of Labour shall return the same to the Claimant within (7) days by mentioning specific reasons and also advising to resubmit within a week duly rectifying the defects.
- viii) The Deputy Commissioner of Labour concerned will sanction the benefit within a week after receiving the application with necessary documents and will forward the sanction proceedings within (7) days to the Board for release of the amount.
- ix) The Andhra Pradesh Building and Other Construction Workers Welfare Board shall release the amount within (7) days to the **Beneficiary's Bank Account** directly and the claim settlement data will be uploaded on the Website of the Board.

(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.

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 Director General Labour Welfare, Ministry of Labour & Employment, Jaisalmer House, 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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