

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE GRANTS IN AID COMMITTEE TO CONSIDER PROPOSALS OF THE STATE GOVERNEMENTS UNDER THE GIRLS' HOSTEL SCHEME HELD ON 23.7.2010

A meeting of the Grants in Aid Committee (GIAC) for the "Scheme for construction and running of Girls' Hostel for students of secondary and higher secondary schools" was held on 23.07.2010. The meeting was chaired by Secretary, Department of School Education & Literacy. A list of participants is appended.

2 Rajasthan

2.1 Director (Secondary Education), Government of Rajasthan presented the proposal of the State Government to set up 112 hostels in as many EBBs. So far 74 hostels have been sanctioned in the state following recommendations of GIAC held on 11.07.2009 and 13.11.2009. A total amount of Rs.14.15 crore has already been released to the State Government through sanctions dated 29.09.2009 and 02.06.2010. With the current proposal, all 186 EBBs in the state would be covered.

2.2 JS (SE) enquired about the status of 74 hostels sanctioned so far. Director (SE), Rajasthan clarified that construction has commenced for all except 2 hostels, where there is some problem regarding transfer of land to Education Department. He also informed that the State Government plans to start hostels in temporary locations from current year itself, and recurring grant has been requested for this purpose.

2.3 Out of the 112 hostels, 62 have been proposed in KGBV compound, and the remaining 50 in Government secondary / higher secondary schools. The scheme is being implemented by the 'Rajasthan Council of Secondary Education Society', which is also looking after implementation of RMSA and Model School schemes.

2.4 Girls' or Co-educational Schools are available within a reasonable distance of every hostel. So far as the Srinagar block is concerned, State Government representative clarified that one girls' school was available within 0.5 km of the proposed location of the hostel. The distance of 5 km stated in the appraisal note was the result of a typographical error.

2.5 The building design was discussed. Director (SE), Government of Rajasthan stated that 6 dormitories in a building with two floors have been proposed. Following the suggestion of the GIAC in earlier meeting, provision for wooden partition between beds has also been incorporated in the design to ensure a sense of privacy. The requirement of 40 sq. feet living space per boarder has also been ensured.

2.6 GIAC recommended 112 hostels in as many EBBs in Rajasthan (**Annexure-I**). With this, all the 186 EBBs in the state would get covered.

2.7 The State Government representative stated that no MMER fund has been sanctioned in respect of the 74 hostels sanctioned so far. Director (SE), MHRD clarified that this was because there was no such request from the State Government. Secretary (SE&L) stated that MMER fund should be released as a percentage of approved outlay, as is the general practice for other schemes. State Government will have to furnish utilization in respect of the MMER fund within the specified time.

2.8 The request of the State Government to sanction rent for starting the hostels in temporary premises was not agreed to as there is no such provision under the scheme. GIAC therefore advised the State Government either to start the hostels in Government buildings or to bear the expenditure towards rent. However, while selecting premises for temporary hostels, due attention should be given to safety, security, convenience, adequacy of space and suitability. The recurring cost for running the hostels will be sanctioned as per the scheme norms. GIAC therefore recommended recurring cost for 74 hostels in temporary locations provided appropriate accommodation is arranged by the State Government.

3 Uttar Pradesh

3.1 Secretary (SE), Government of Uttar Pradesh presented the proposal of the State Government to set up 190 Girls' Hostels in as many EBBs in the State. This is the first set of proposal being brought before the GIAC by the State Government.

3.2 Out of the 190 hostels, 124 hostels have been proposed in KGBV complexes, while 63 hostels have been proposed in Government High/Higher Secondary schools. There are 3 schools that have been proposed in a location not attached to any school. The scheme will be implemented by the "U.P. Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan Parishad".

3.3 Secretary (Secondary Education), Govt. of U.P. clarified that the hostels in Hallia and Robertsganj blocks would be located in Government school compounds.

3.4 As regards 69 hostels to be located in the proposed permanent location of KGBVs, Secretary, Govt. of U.P. stated that 26 of these hostels are proposed in the premises of BRCs and DIETs. 20-25 acres of lands are available in those locations, and therefore, adequate land for the hostel can easily be arranged. Secretary (Secondary Education), Govt. of U.P. also assured that earmarking of land for Girls' hostel and their transfer to Secondary Education Department would not be a problem as administrative coordination has been ensured through institutional arrangements.

3.5 GIAC recommended 144 hostels (118 hostels to be located in KGBV complex/ Government Secondary schools and 26 hostels in BRC/DIET). The list of blocks recommended is at **Annexure-II**.

3.6 The design of the hostels was also discussed. The State Govt. was advised to redesign the hostel keeping in view the various guidelines issued from time to time.

3.7 JS (SE) advised the State Government to consider setting up a separate society for implementation of Girls' Hostel scheme in view of the large number of EBBs in the State. Secretary, Govt. of U.P. stated that for the time being the decision was to implement all three schemes, i.e., RMSA, Model School and Girls' Hostel through a single society. In the later stage, when the hostels and Model schools become functional, setting up of separate societies could be considered.

4. General Issues discussed:

4.1 Building Design: The GIAC observed that clear norms and specifications are required to be developed for the hostels. The requirement of 40 sq.ft. per inmate as specified in the scheme is a conservative requirement, and it may be desirable to provide for more living space per boarder. Such specifications may be decided keeping in view the norms of hostels supported by the Central/State Governments under various schemes.

4.2 MMER cost : Some of the State Governments requested for release of MMER amount for the non-recurring cost already sanctioned. The Bureau clarified that MMER cost was not sanctioned as the State Governments did not ask for it. Secretary (SE&L) advised the Bureau to release admissible MMER cost as per the scheme norms, as is the practice under other centrally sponsored schemes like RMSA, SSA and MDM. She stated that while Ministry should indicate the activities for which MMER fund may be used, the State Governments will of course have to furnish utilization within the specified time.

4.3 Implementing Society: Most of the State governments have decided to implement the Model Schools and Girls' Hostel scheme through the RMSA society. While the Ministry does not have any objection to this strategy, provided a separate unit within RMSA Society looks after each of these schemes and accounts are kept separate, GIAC felt that for States with a large number of EBBs, it may not be possible for RMSA society to manage Model Schools and Girls' Hostel Schemes simultaneously. GIAC, therefore, advised such States to constitute separate dedicated societies for Girls' Hostel scheme.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the chair.

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Annexure-I

List of blocks in Rajasthan where Girls' Hostels have been recommended by GIAC in its meeting held on 23.7.2010

Sl. No.	District	Block
1	Ajmer	Sri nagar
2	Alwar	Bansur
3	Alwar	Tijara
4	Alwar	Umrain
5	Alwar	Ramgarh
6	Alwar	Kathumar
7	Alwar	Laxmangarh
8	Banswara	Banswara
9	Banswara	Garhi
10	Banswara	Sajjangarh
11	Banswara	Ghantol
12	Banswara	Bagidora
13	Baran	Kishanganj
14	Baran	Chipabarod
15	Baran	Baran
16	Baran	Antah
17	Baran	Atru
18	Barmer	Balotra
19	Barmer	Chohtan
20	Barmer	Barmer
21	Barmer	Baitu
22	Bharatpur	Kumher
23	Bharatpur	Deeg
24	Bharatpur	Kaman
25	Bharatpur	Nagar
26	Bharatpur	Byana
27	Bharatpur	Nadbai
28	Bikaner	Dungargarh
29	Bikaner	Lunkaransar
30	Bikaner	Kolayat
31	Bundi	Hindoli
32	Bundi	Keshavrai patan
33	Bundi	Talera
34	Bundi	Nainwa
35	Chittorgarh	Bhopalsagar
36	Chittorgarh	Kapasan
37	Chittorgarh	Rashami
38	Chittorgarh	Gangrar
39	Chittorgarh	Dungala
40	Chittorgarh	Beghu

41	Chittorgarh	Bhensroadgarh
42	Chittorgarh	Barisadadi
43	Chittorgarh	Nimbahera
44	Dausa	Dausa
45	Dausa	Sikrai
46	Dholpur	Bari
47	Dholpur	Rajakhera
48	Dungarpur	Aspur
49	Dungarpur	Dungarpur
50	Dungarpur	Sagwara
51	Jaipur	Chaksu
52	Jaipur	Sanganer
53	Jaipur	Jamwaramgarh
54	Jaipur	Dudu
55	Jaipur	Bassi
56	Jaisalmer	Jaisalmer
57	Jaisalmer	Sam
58	Jalore	Ahore
59	Jalore	Jalore
60	Jalore	Jaswantpura
61	Jalore	Raniwada
62	Jalore	Sayala
63	Jhalawar	Bakani
64	Jhalawar	Manoharthana
65	Jodhpur	Bap
66	Jodhpur	Luni
67	Jodhpur	Bilara
68	Jodhpur	Bhopalgarh
69	Jodhpur	Osian
70	Jodhpur	Shergarh
71	Jodhpur	Mandore
72	Jodhpur	Phalodi
73	Karauli	Nadauti
74	Karauli	Todabheem
75	Nagaur	Degana
76	Pali	Raipur
77	Pali	Pali
78	Pali	Desuri
79	Pali	Sumerpur
80	Pali	Jaitaran
81	Pali	Sojat
82	Pali	Marwar Jun.
83	Pali	Rohat
84	Pratajgarh	Pratapgarh
85	Pratajgarh	Arnod
86	Pratajgarh	Chotisadari

87	Pratajgarh	Dhariyawad
88	Pratapgarh	Peepalkhunt
89	Rajsamand	Rajsamand
90	Rajsamand	Khamnor
91	Rajsamand	Amet
92	Rajsamand	Bhim
93	Rajsamand	Devgarh
94	S. Madhopur	Khandar
95	S. Madhopur	Bamanwas
96	S. Madhopur	Gangapurcity
97	Sirohi	Pindwara
98	Sirohi	Sheoganj
99	Sirohi	Aburoad
100	Sri Ganganagar	Suratgarh
101	Sri Ganganagar	Anoopgarh
102	Tonk	Newai
103	Tonk	Deoli
104	Tonk	Tonk
105	Tonk	Toda Raisingh
106	Udaipur	Kotra
107	Udaipur	Gogunda
108	Udaipur	Girwa
109	Udaipur	Jhadol
110	Udaipur	Kheirwara
111	Udaipur	Sarada
112	Udaipur	Salumber

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S.No	District	Block
1	Agra	Fatehpur Sikri
2	Agra	Pinahat
3	Aligarh	Chandaus
4	Aligarh	Jawan Sikanderpur
5	Aligarh	Atrauli
6	Aligarh	Bijauli
7	Aligarh	Dhanipur
8	Ambedkar Nagar	Ramnagar
9	Ambedkar Nagar	Jahangirganj
10	Ambedkar Nagar	Bhiti
11	Azamgarh	Bilariyaganj
12	Azamgarh	Azmatgarh
13	Azamgarh	Pawai
14	Azamgarh	Lalaganj
15	Baghpat	Chhaprauli
16	Balrampur	Rehra Bazar
17	Banda	Baberu
18	Banda	Kamasin
19	Banda	Bisanda
20	Banda	Naraini
21	Barabanki	Nindaura
22	Barabanki	Masauli
23	Barabanki	Sirauli Gauspur
24	Barabanki	Dariyabad
25	Bijnor	Kiratpur
26	Bijnor	Mohammedpur Deomal
27	Bijnor	Haldaur (Khari Jhalu)
28	Bijnor	Kotwali
29	Bijnor	Budhanpur Seohara
30	Bijnor	Jalilpur
31	Bijnor	Noorpur
32	Bijnor	Forest Villages (Afzalgarh)
33	Bulandshahar	Bulandshahr
34	Bulandshahar	Danpur
35	Bulandshahar	Dibai
36	Bulandshahar	Shikarpur
37	Bulandshahar	Pahasu
38	Fatehpur	Malwan
39	Fatehpur	Telyani
40	Fatehpur	Bhitora

41	Farrukhabad	Shamsabad
42	Firozabad	Eka
43	Gautambudh Nagar	Dankaur
44	Gonda	Rupaidih
45	Gonda	Itia Thok
46	Gonda	Pandri Krapal
47	Gonda	Jhanjhari
48	Gonda	Mujhana
49	Gonda	Katra Bazar
50	Gonda	Haldharmau
51	Gonda	Karnailganj
52	Gonda	Paraspur
53	Gonda	Belsar
54	Gonda	Tarabganj
55	Gonda	Wazirganj
56	Gonda	Nawabganj
57	Gonda	Mankapur
58	Gonda	Babhanjot
59	Gonda	Forest Villages
60	Hamirpur	Maudaha
61	Hardoi	Tondarpur
62	Hardoi	Ahrori
63	Hardoi	Sandila
64	Hathras	Sikandra Rao
65	Hathras	Hasayan
66	Hathras	Sahpau
67	Jhansi	Gursarai
68	Jhansi	Bangra
69	Jhansi	Mauranipur
70	Jhansi	Babina
71	Jhansi	Badagaon
72	Jyotiba Phule Nagar	Amroha
73	Jyotiba Phule Nagar	Dhanaura
74	Jyotiba Phule Nagar	Joya
75	Jyotiba Phule Nagar	Gajraula
76	Jyotiba Phule Nagar	Hasanpur
77	Jyotiba Phule Nagar	Gangeshwari
78	Kanshi Ram Nagar	Sahawar
79	Kanshi Ram Nagar	Ganj Dundwara
80	Kaushambi	Kara
81	Kaushambi	Sirathu
82	Kheri	Nighasan
83	Kheri	Mohammadi
84	Kheri	Dhaurehra
85	Lalitpur	Talbehat
86	Lalitpur	Jakhaura

87	Lalitpur	Mahrauni
88	Mahoba	Panwari
89	Mahoba	Charkhari
90	Mahoba	Kabrai (Mahoba)
91	Mainpuri	Karhal
92	Mau	Badraon
93	Mirzapur	Hallia
94	Mirzapur	Pahari
95	Moradabad	Dilari
96	Moradabad	Chhajlet
97	Moradabad	Bhagatpur Tanda
98	Moradabad	Moradabad
99	Moradabad	Munda Pandey
100	Moradabad	Dingarpur
101	Moradabad	Bilari
102	Moradabad	Baniyakhera
103	Moradabad	Asmauli
104	Moradabad	Panwasa
105	Moradabad	Sambhal
106	Moradabad	Bahjoi
107	Muzaffarnagar	Un
108	Muzaffarnagar	Kairana
109	Muzaffarnagar	Kandhla
110	Muzaffarnagar	Purkazi
111	Muzaffarnagar	Budhana
112	Muzaffarnagar	Morna
113	Muzaffarnagar	Jansath
114	Pilibhit	Marori
115	Pilibhit	Barkhera
116	Pilibhit	Bilsanda
117	Pratapgarh	Sangipur
118	Pratapgarh	Lalganj Ajhara
119	Pratapgarh	Vihar
120	Pratapgarh	Mandhata
121	Pratapgarh	Patti
122	Pratapgarh	Aspur Deosara
123	Pratapgarh	Gaura
124	Rae Bareli	Mahrajganj
125	Rae Bareli	Amawan
126	Rae Bareli	Khiron
127	Rae Bareli	Dih
128	Rampur	Bilaspur
129	Rampur	Milak
130	Sahranpur	Sadauli Qadeem
131	Sahranpur	Muzaffarabad
132	Sahranpur	Puwarka

133	Sahranpur	Gangoh
134	Sahranpur	Forest Villages (Muzaffrabad)
135	Shrawasti	Jamunaha
136	Sitapur	Misrikh
137	Sitapur	Mahmoodabad
138	Sitapur	Kasmanda
139	Sonbhadra	Robertsganj
140	Unnao	Nawabganj
141	Unnao	Purwa
142	Varanasi	Arajiline
143	Varanasi	Chirai Gaon
144	Varanasi	Cholapur